

## **FREEWILL OFFERINGS**

### **Offerings you have made for the month of MAY, 2018.**

REG	\$4,370	Budget	\$4,585
Offering Plate	\$6,428	Budget	\$7,692
TOTAL	\$10,798	Budget	\$12,277

### **OFFERINGS JANUARY – MAY:**

	<u>Total</u>	<u>Budget to Date</u>
REG	\$21,370	\$22,905
Offering Plate	\$40,088	\$40,387
TOTALS	\$61,458	\$63,292

Avg Church attendance for May: 9am: 70, 10:45am: 106; CHIL 56:  
In response to God's love, members have also generously donated to the following.

Teen Challenge	\$10
Kwatja Ethata	\$306

Thank you to all those who have generously donated food to Teen Challenge.

**A SAFE PLACE FOR ALL - Toll Free Number 1800 644 628**

## **Christ Church & Monarto Congregation Contacts**

<b><u>Monarto Elders</u></b>	Haydn Hein	8532 3176
	Maurice Wegener	8531 1060
<b><u>Monarto Chairman</u></b>	Trevor Hilton	0439 839 022
<b><u>Monarto Secretary</u></b>	Raelene Wegener	8538 5444

<b><u>Christ Church Elders</u></b>	Dawn Hampel	8532 4138
	Denise Lohmeyer	8531 0935
	David Pech	0420 849 344
	Janelle Traeger	8535 4290
	Ian Kluge	8531 3449

<b><u>Chairman</u></b>	Warren Doecke	0417 804 663, 8572 6019
<b><u>Cong. Secretary</u></b>	Cheryl Doecke	0427 804 663, 8572 6019
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<b><u>Church Secretary</u></b>	Yvonne Stiller	8532 3445, 0417 786 827
<b><u>Prop. &amp; Maint.</u></b>	Trent Mueller	0424 311 124

**Holy Cross Office Phone: 8532 4577**



# *Christ Church Lutheran*

31 Swanport Rd Murray Bridge

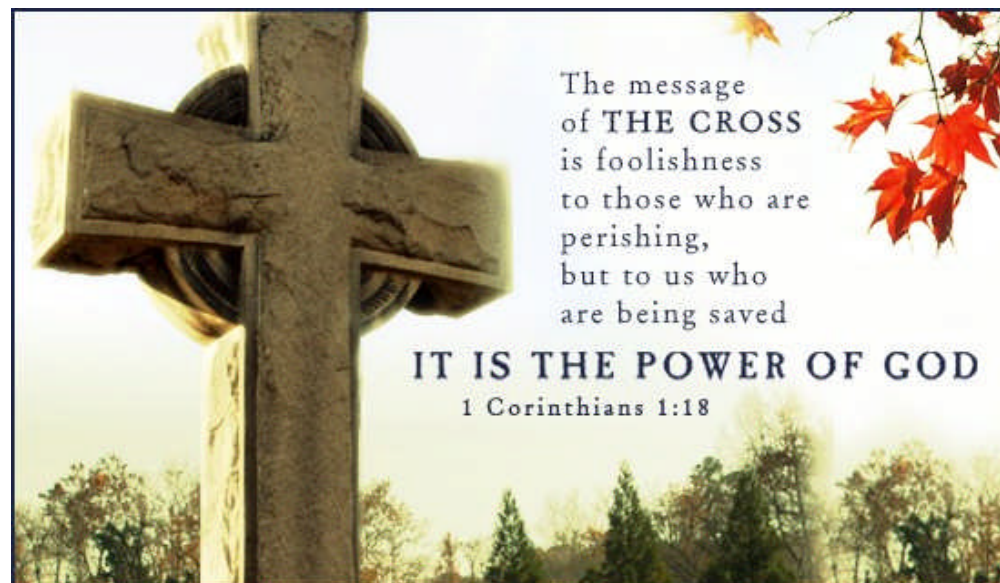
# *Zion Lutheran*

427 Schenscher Rd, Monarto



**LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
OF AUSTRALIA  
*where love comes to life*

4th Sunday after Pentecost  
17th June 2018



**Reaching out with the Love of Jesus  
that All may Know, Worship & Grow in Christ**

### **OFFICE HOURS**

9am –12 noon: Monday - Friday  
Ph 8532 6553

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### **Pastor Tim Koch**

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Email: tim.koch@lca.org.au



## WELCOME

Dear friends in Christ, thank you for joining us! We welcome all visitors and pray you are made to feel at home here in our congregations. If you are at a service with **Holy Communion** and you are a visitor who is a baptised believer and not a member of the Lutheran Church but believe that you will be receiving the body and blood of our Saviour, the Lord Jesus Christ, then an open invitation is extended to you. Non-communicating adults & children are encouraged to come for a blessing and are asked to keep their hands by their sides.

**Pastoral Care Slips** - You will find these slips on the ends of the pews. We would like you to fill in any details/comments and place in the offering bag or give to an usher or the pastor as you leave the church.

### Deep & Wide – Deep in Truth & Wide in Grace

The next get together is  
Mon 18th 7pm in the Ed Centre.  
The second section of the book  
will be discussed.

## TRADING TABLE

### TODAY!



**Come along and  
support!**

Lutheran Year Books now available  
from the book shop - \$20 each

## THE LUTHERAN

**SUBS ARE NOW DUE** Cost \$44.  
Please collect your tax invoice from  
the pigeon holes in the JDHall.  
Payment can be made direct or to  
Dennis Pfeiffer (ph 8531 1188)  
by Sunday 24th June.  
**New subscribers welcome.**

## TODAY

### MUSIC MINISTRY SERVICES


Sunday, 17th June  
Christ Church 10.45am

## ♥ "COMMUNION"

## Rosters

		24-Jun	1-Jul	8-Jul	
Monarto		Service Time	9am	10:30 ♥	9am
		Wardens	Trevor,Joy,Tyson	Rob & Liz	Barolo Family
		Readers	Barolo	R Thiele	P Lewis-Brown
		Tea Coffee	M Wegener		T Franklin
Christ Church	9am	Elder/Assist	R Zanker	R Zanker ♥	A&D Hampel
		Wardens	B&L Doecke I Pumpa	I Kluge V Spencer	M&D Schopp
		Readers	B Lablack	B Traeger	C Coulter
		Greeters	J Rosenzweig C Mattner	C Coulter J Herrmann	F Kerkham J Ahrens
		Organist	Glynniss	Coralie	June
		Flowers	R Schrapel	H Schirmer	J Lienert
		Tea/coffee/milk	M Warnest J Pope	D Borchardt B Zadow	L Penhall H Schubert
		PA	David	Wes	Wes
		Data Projector	J Irvine	D Hampel	B Frahn
	10:45am	Elder/Assist	D Doecke ♥	M Jaensch	G Korzeba ♥
		Wardens	G&M Schubert	G&M Schubert	D&J Lienert
		Readers	D Doecke	S Kuchel	A Korzeba
		Greeters	D&T Piltz	S Kuchel R Schrapel	A Jaensch Koch
		Prayers	D Schiller	Pastor Tim	D Pfeiffer
		PA	Lees	Nathanael	Nathanael
		Data Projector	J Brodde	Y Stiller	T Piltz
		Counter	V Jaensch	B Joppich	G Korzeba
	Sunday School				
	Leader	Adrian	Belinda		
	Helper	Jemima	Sophie		
	Grounds Roster	J Stiller	C Schenscher	C Schenscher	
	Water & Care	A Nicholls	Y Koch	J Schirmer	

## Diary Dates: 17th June - 24th June

Sun, 17th	Christ Church  Monarto 2:05pm	Baptism Celebration 9am ~ Communion Trading Table 10:45am ~ Worship with Music Ministry 9am ~ Communion The Song Keepers ~ Cameo Cinema	
Mon, 18th	9:30am 3pm 7pm	Cards & Coffee ~ Ed Cen Leadership Team ~ Ed Cen Deep & Wide ~ Ed Cen	
Tues, 19th	11am 1pm & 7pm	English Lessons The Song Keepers ~ Cameo Cinema	
Thurs, 21st	10am 10am 10:30am	Bulletin notices due Bible Study ~ Christ Church Ed Cen Ladies Fellowship, 60-70s music show Town hall	
Sat, 23rd	8am	Men's Breakfast - JDH	
Sun, 24th	Christ Church  Monarto	9am ~ Worship 10:45am ~ Communion Baptism Celebration & Salem Visiting 9am ~ Worship	

## COMING EVENTS

July	7th	Schools Ministry Trivia Night 6:30pm - JDH
	14th	Blueprint Ministries Appeal Dinner -Mawson Lakes
Aug	18th	Variety Concert ~ JDH
Sept	23rd	80th Anniversary of first service, Christ Church
	30-Oct 2	LWA Convention, Rosehill Gardens, NSW
Oct	21st	Reformation, combined service
Nov	15th	Christmas Lunch (organised by Senior Care Team)

**FUTURE BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES:** Please note that birthday and Anniversary notices will **only** be put in the bulletin if requested by the individual/s involved.

## Celebrating Christ Church June Baptisms

Kelly Altmann	Joyce Herrmann	Felicity Leske
Joan Bahr	Charlotte Jackson	Carolyn McLaughlin
Chris Beauglehall	Jeremy Jackson	Neville Mueller
Akuot Chol	Stewart Jaensch	Peter Paech
Anyieth Chol	Gladys Jaeschke	David Pech
James Courtney	Luke Kirpensteyn	Rosie Roocke
Benjamin Doecke	Morgan Klemm	Merv Schopp
Luke Doecke	Teresa Krueger	Ashton Schubert
Michael Doecke	Bruce Kuchel	Shirley Schubert
Shirley Fiegert	Dennis Kuchel	Merilyn Schultz
Emily Frahn	Bruno Lablack	Glynniss Taylor
	Yvonne Lablack	

Only God can turn  
a **MESS** into a  
message, a **TEST** into a  
testimony, a **TRIAL** into  
a triumph, a **VICTIM**  
into a victory.



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**Christ Church Lutheran**

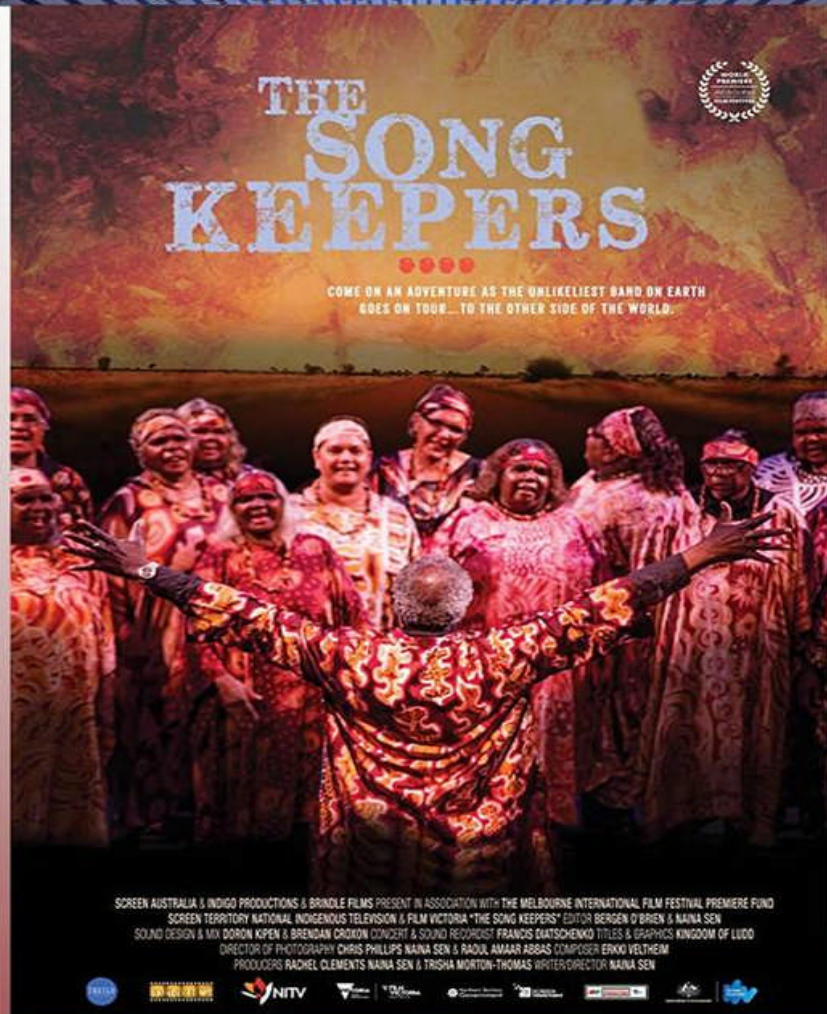
Sunday 23rd Sept 2018 10am

**80th Anniversary Celebration**

of the first Worship Service in the current Church Building.



## Combined Lutheran Churches News



### The Song Keepers (E) Screening at the Cameo Cinema

June 16, 17 at 2.05pm  
June 19 at 1.00 & 7.00pm

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### LLL PASSBOOKS

It is Interest time again at the LLL. If you have an LLL passbook, could you please send it in to the LLL as soon as possible, so that your interest for the last 12 months can be entered.  
Gary Beauglehall LLL Rep.

### Pastor Greg Page's farewell service.

Please bring  
plate of savoury  
and sweets to  
share for lunch

Sunday 1st July

9.30am

Holy Cross

Includes

Music Ministry Service

There will be a farewell lunch for  
Pastor Greg, Meredith and family  
after the service.



Lutheran Teachers College est. 1968 (LTC) was the training ground for prospective teachers & Lay Workers in the church for many years. These people are now part of Australian Lutheran College.

### At the Friends of Lutheran Archives (FoLA) meeting on Monday 18<sup>th</sup>

June, Dr Richard Hauser (a published author) directs a panel of 7 early LTC graduates and a lecturer as they reflect on their LTC experience – serious & funny.

**Bethlehem House, Sudholz Place, City, 7.30 pm.** Supper & gold coin donation. All welcome.



The Chaplain from the Murray Bridge High School is looking for help to host a morning tea for the staff.

If you can help please contact  
Gerry Korzeba 0422 411 123.

Thank you!



## Combined Lutheran Churches News

### Coming Events:

*See notice board or previous bulletins  
for more details*

- ♦ **LLL Teen Video Competition** - Ill.org.au/video
- ♦ **Blue Print Ministries Appeal Dinner** - Saturday 14th July

### Join others to pray for our city

8-9am Sat 30<sup>th</sup> June @ Frank Jackman  
Memorial lookout. Similar gatherings to be  
held each 5<sup>th</sup> Saturday of a month  
*Questions? Contact Claire Watson at  
The Salvos on 8531 1133*

\$7 each  
Or  
\$60 per  
table  
of 8-10

SCHOOLS MINISTRY

# TRIVIA NIGHT

Primary  
Students  
FREE

Per person  
**\$7**

DATE: SATURDAY JULY 7TH  
TIME: 6:30 FOR 7PM START  
VENUE: JOHN DOHLER HALL,  
SWANPORT ROAD,  
MURRAY BRIDGE

FOR BOOKINGS PHONE YVONNE STILLER AT  
THE CHRIST CHURCH LUTHERAN OFFICE ON  
85326553

FREE  
Tea & Coffee



BYO  
FOOD  
&  
DRINKS

RAISING MONEY TO SUPPORT  
MINISTRY IN LOCAL SCHOOLS

### Holy Cross Bus Trip

Full Payment due by 22nd July.

See Terry Little



### Men's Breakfast

Saturday 23rd June  
JDH, Swanport Rd

8am

**RSVP by 20th June  
8532 6553**



## Combined Lutheran Churches News

### Blueprint ministries Appeal dinner 14th July

Join us for an evening of entertainment and wonderful  
company shared over a delicious meal. Hear stories celebrating  
the work of Blueprint Ministries and take the opportunity to  
invest in these vital ministries.

Mawson Lakes Hotel & Function Centre  
\$69 each or \$448 (table of 8)

During the evening we will hear stories from Jonathan Krause,  
Community Action Manager for ALWS, and young people who  
have been impacted through the ministries of Blueprint. There  
will also be an opportunity for you to assist Blueprint Ministries  
through the wine wall, a raffle and silent auction items

All tickets can be purchased online at  
[www.blueprintministries.org.au](http://www.blueprintministries.org.au) or by contacting us directly:  
08 8267 5211 - Tickets available until 1<sup>st</sup> July unless sold out



THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HAVE PUT  
UP THEIR HAND TO HELP WITH THE  
CONCORDIA PLAY GROUP. IF ANYONE  
ELSE WOULD LIKE TO HELP OUT  
PLEASE CONTACT LYNETTE AT THE  
KINDY ON 8532 1840



### ~~Confirmation~~

Christ Church and Holy Cross will be commencing the next Confirmation course in  
the term 3. The goal is to grow in knowing Jesus, building a life and a relationship  
with him; person to person, adult to adult. We'd love to walk with you in this  
adventure of life. If you would like to be involved – or even if you'd like just to come  
along to the first session to find out more – please contact the church offices.



## Combined Lutheran Churches News

### Pray Continually 1 Thessalonians 5:17 NIV



### *Baptismal Birthday Celebrations This Week*

17th	Lorna Peltz	20th	Glynniss Taylor
18th	Helene Altmann	21st	Dwayne Barolo
	Dennis Kuchel		David Pech
19th	Quentin Barolo	22nd	Benjamin Doecke
	Emily Frahn		Morgan Klemm
	Dallas Olivia Rothe		Maxine Paech
	Eunice Wegener	23rd	Kaiden Gates
20th	Shirley Fiegert		Teresa Kruger
	Carolyn McLaughlin		Rick Paech
	Neville Mueller	24th	Merilyn Schultz



*Please pray for everyone celebrating their Baptismal Birthday*

Join the MB Lutheran Ladies Fellowship for the

60 - 70s Music Show  
Murray Bridge Town Hall  
21st June - 10.30am

Book your own ticket, \$18, at the MB Regional Gallery  
(Sixth Street, Open Tuesday - Saturday 10am-4pm)

Meet at the Town Hall.

Afterwards catch up for lunch at the  
Church of Christ Bookshop Café.

Contact Coralie Mattner on  
8532 3064  
so you can be included in  
their table booking for lunch.

You are most welcome to join us!

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#### *Prayer of the Day*

Lord God, you protect all who trust in you, and without you nothing is strong and nothing is holy: In your great mercy guide us through the good things of this life, so that in the end we do not lose the things of eternal life. We ask this through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever . **Amen.**

#### **Christ Church Members:**

✠ Darryl Klose, Shirley Fiegert, Murray Piltz, Noelene Kluge, Lores Frahn, Sandra Thiele, Irene Kuchel, Joyleen Stiller and also for their carers.

✠ **Resthaven:** Barbara Noble, Dot Noller.

✠ **Lerwin:** Colleen Fawcett, Stewart Jaensch

✠ **Aminya Village Hostel**, Mannum: Laurel Geisler, Dawn Jaensch, Rita & Keith Faehrmann.

✠ **Oakfield Lodge**, Mt Barker - Lorraine Jacobs, Evelyn Kuchel.

#### **Holy Cross Members:**

✠ Fay Baxter (Ian), Olga Burgemeister (Colin), Paul Fiegert, Lila Grocke, Leila Koehler, Marion Poole (Jim), Erwin Rohrlach, Neil Schubert (May), Reg Schwartz, Bob Steele, Doreen Steinborner, Colin Wandel (Mary), Felicity Woods, Velma Zerk (Roy).

✠ **Resthaven:** Ray Box, Melva Kowald, Lorna Burrett.

✠ **Lerwin:** Dorothy Klitscher (Elizabeth & Leon), Alice Kowald (Louis), Betty Paech, Mal Schenscher.

✠ **Tailem Bend Hospital:** Gordon Jenke (Pat), Bevan Schulz (Bev).

✠ **Bupa Aged Care** - Ruth Neindorf - , 104 Woodville Rd, Woodville 5011. Ph: 8211 1200. Ruth's mobile: 0438 724 412

*If you would like to be included in the Prayer list, please contact David Schirmer on 8531 2372 or 0459 943 682 for Holy Cross and Yvonne Stiller on 8532 6553 for Christ Church.*

#### **Also pray ...**

- ✠ Pray for all the Kindy children and their families including Rocco, Mary, Ashton and Taylor and also for the Year 6 children and families at Unity.
- ✠ A spirit of openness and hospitality towards people which builds connections between all members of society.
- ✠ Pray for the nursing and medical staff at Murray Bridge Hospital who serve and care for members of our community as they deal with difficult situations on a daily basis.
- ✠ Pray for the world to know and follow God's love and wisdom



# Growing FAITH at home

17 June 2018

FOURTH  
SUNDAY AFTER  
PENTECOST

The kingdom of God grows

verse for the week  
so we are always  
confident; even  
though we know  
that while we are  
at home in the  
body we are away  
from the Lord we  
walk by faith, not  
by sight.

2 CORINTHIANS 5:6-7

## Caring Conversations



### SHARE

Share your highs and lows of the day, or respond to the following questions:

1

What is one way that you have grown over the past year? What has helped you to grow?

2

Jesus talked about the kingdom of God growing from a tiny seed into a large plant. What do you think he meant?

3

God planted the seed of the kingdom in each of us at baptism. In what ways have you been growing as a child of God?

## Devotions



### READ Daily Bible Readings

S	Mark 4:26-34	The use of parables
M	Ezekiel 17:22-24	Israel to return from exile
T	2 Corinthians 5:6-17	Living by faith
W	Proverbs 3:1-12	Trusting in God
T	Hebrews 11:1-40	The meaning of faith
F	Revelation 21:22-22:5	The tree of life
S	Psalms 92:1-4, 12-15	A song for the sabbath day
S	Mark 4:35-41	Jesus calms the sea



### TALK

Talk about the Bible verse. What word or phrase was important to you as you read these verses?

## Rituals and Traditions



### PRAY

Gracious God, help us to see with eyes of faith that your kingdom is present in our lives and world, bringing mercy and steadfast love through Christ our Lord. Amen.



### BLESS

May the God of steadfast love give you a thankful heart morning and night and all the day long.

## Creative Response

As a household activity, visit a plant nursery, botanic garden or conservatory. Talk about the difference you see between the plants on display, and what is needed to help them grow.



### mealtime prayer

God has planted, God has fed. Thanks be to God for daily bread. Amen.

## Service



Find out if there is anyone in your congregation or neighbourhood who needs some help with their garden. Offer to spend time helping them.

