

## **"Growing Young" Study**

### **Core Commitment 3. Taking Jesus Message Seriously**

Taking Jesus' message seriously means churches:

- ♥ pay attention to the life and words of Christ
- ♥ Young people can then articulate a gospel that is less talk about beliefs and more talk about Jesus
- ♥ less tied to formulas and more focused on redemptive narrative
- ♥ less about heaven later and more about life here and now
- ♥ Young people want to know not only what they are saved *from* but also what they are saved *for*
- ♥ They want to take action, not just hear about what they can't do. *Participation* and *challenge* are two central features of churches growing young
- ♥ Evangelism isn't dead among young people, but it looks different than in the past century
- ♥ Vital factors to help young people share faith today include building authentic relationships, listening well, and being honest about questions and doubts

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

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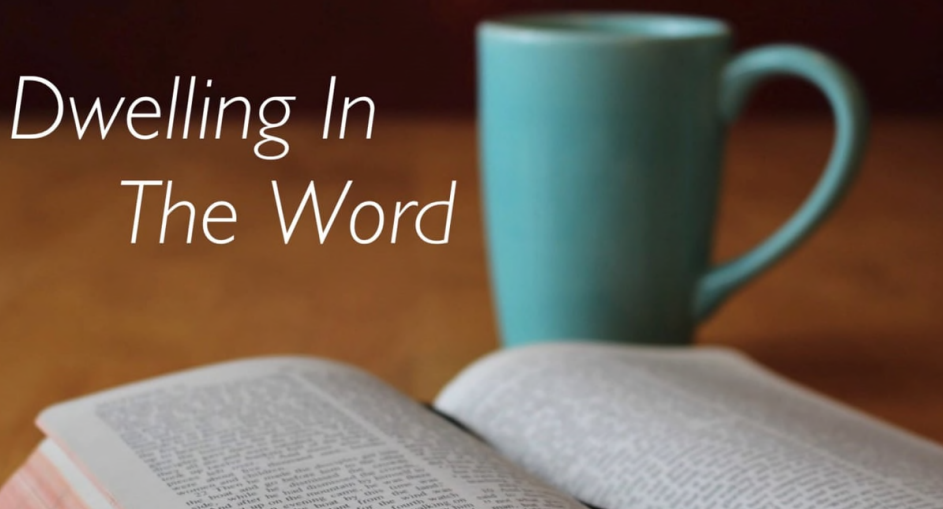
**Zion Lutheran**  
427 Schenscher Rd, Monarto



**7th Sunday after Pentecost**  
**28th July 2019**

**One of the best gifts we can give ourselves is time with God**

*Dwelling In  
The Word*



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

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**Jesus is here  
to serve you!**



# WELCOME

Dear visitor, It is great that you are worshipping with us today, and we pray that it will be uplifting to you and I am sure we will all be blessed by your being here.

Once a fortnight at our services we celebrate "**Holy Communion**", or as some people call it "**The Lord's Supper**". Jesus had this special time with his disciples just before he suffered and died for all who believe in him. At this time, as he blessed the bread and the wine he said "This is my body given for you. He also said "This is my blood shed for you for the forgiveness of your sins" No one can understand how this happens. Jesus said it, and we believe Him. That is what faith is about.

If you can accept what he said about him being here in a special way, then we would love to have you join us at this wonderful meal. If you are not sure but would still like to come up for a blessing with everyone else, please do. So, the helpers are not confused, please stand with your hands folded across your chest. Thank you for being understanding. If you would like to talk about this wonderful act of God's love, please feel free to see the Pastor or one of our leaders.

**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.

**\*\*\* PLEASE NOTE \*\*\*** Pastor Tim is on leave from Friday 26th July to Friday 2nd August inclusive

### Service Guild Meeting

Wed 7th Aug 10am  
Devotion Joyce Stiller

### Shalom Home Group

Tues 30th July 6:30pm  
1 Rivergum Close



### Sat 17th August

Ron & Sabine are having a **garage sale**.

Janelle Traeger will be running a **coffee and tea stall** as a fundraiser for the church.

Anyone who would like to help with the tea and coffee and/or would like to donate homemade biscuits please contact Janelle 8535 4290. *Thank you*

# Rosters

The next rosters from **September to November** will be compiled soon.

Please let Yvonne know in the office when you are not available or any special requests by **Monday 5th August**. Thank you!



# Rosters

♥ "COMMUNION"

4-Aug


11-Aug

18-Aug

		Service Time	10:30 ♥	9am	10:30 ♥
<b>Monarto</b>		<b>Wardens</b>	Haydn/Penne	Colin/Raelene	Max/Maxine
		<b>Readers</b>	R Hein	T Hilton	H Hein
		<b>Tea Coffee</b>		P&T Hilton	
		<b>Elder/Assist</b>	Warren ♥	Gary	Dawn ♥
<b>Christ Church</b>	<b>9am</b>	<b>Wardens</b>	Hampel	I Kluge P Hammond	B&L Doecke
		<b>Readers</b>	C Coulter	B Lablack	C Mattner
		<b>Greeters</b>	D Borchardt J Traeger	Lablack	C Coulter J Herrmann
		<b>Organist</b>	Coralie	Joyce	Glynniss
		<b>Flowers</b>	A Leske	Coralie	K Nichol
		<b>Tea/coffee/milk</b>		M Warnest J Pope	Herrmann
		<b>PA</b>	David	David	Wes
		<b>Data Projector</b>	C Beauglehall	C Mattner	B Lablack
	<b>10:45am</b>	<b>Elder/Assist</b>	R Martin	D Pfeiffer ♥	D Schiller
		<b>Wardens</b>	D&J Lienert Y Koch	G&M Schubert	J Brodde
		<b>Readers</b>	A Nicholls	M Schultz	T Piltz
		<b>Greeters</b>	A Korzeba	J&R Martin	D&T Piltz
		<b>Prayers</b>	G Korzeba	G Schubert	D Schiller
		<b>PA</b>	Lees	Lees	Lees
<b>Data Projector</b>		J Hage	Y Stiller	J Martin	
<b>Counter</b>		D Schiller	J Brodde	V Jaensch	
	<b>Grounds Roster</b>	R Warren	R Warren	R Warren	
	<b>Water &amp; Care</b>	P Hammond	J Schirmer	R Herrmann	

THANK YOU for all you do

## Diary Dates: 28th July ~ 4th August

Sun, 28th	Christ Church Monarto Music Ministry	9am Worship 10:30am Worship 10am at The Steeple	
Mon, 29th	9:30am	Cards & Coffee ~ Ed Cen	
Tues, 30th	6:30pm	Shalom Home Group ~ 1 Rivergum Close	
Wed, 31st	7pm 7:30pm	Confirmation ~ Ed Cen Growing Young Study ~ Ed Cen	
Thurs, 1st August	10am 10am	<b>Bulletin Notices Due</b> Bible Study ~ Ed Cen	
Fri, 2nd	6:30pm	Youth ~ The Cave, Christ Church	
Sun, 4th	Christ Church  Monarto	9am Communion 10:45am Worship 10:30am Communion - <i>Holy Cross at Monarto</i>	

## COMING EVENTS

- Aug 7th** Growing Young study, 7:30pm (for 8 weeks)  
**9-10th** Listening presented by Michael Dutschke  
**10th** Blueprint Ministries, Appeal Dinner, Mawson Lakes  
**16th** CHIL ~ JDH  
**17th** Men's Breakfast  
**18th** 3C CONNECT Service 10:30am, Christ Church  
**25th** Music Ministry Confirmation Service, The Steeple 10am  
**25th** Social lunch, games, card afternoon ~ 12:30pm  
**27-29th** New Horizons Conference, Belair  
**31st** Annual Chaplaincy Dinner - Church of Christ  
**30-31st** SENT Conference, Hahndorf  
  
**Sep 20th** CHIL ~ JDH  
**21st** Men's Breakfast  
**29th** Combined Monarto/Christ Church Service 10am

## Sunday 28th July

No 10:45am service at Christ Church - instead you are invited to go to the Music Ministry Service at The Steeple Unity College, 10am



### SOCIAL LUNCH, GAMES, CARD AFTERNOON

**SUNDAY 25<sup>th</sup> AUG 12:30pm**

**J.D. HALL**

Lunch - a chicken salad burger  
Then enjoy an afternoon of playing games.  
Organise a table or we can do that for you.

Play scrabble, rummy Club, Skip-Bo or  
BYO games to teach someone else how to play.  
Come along to learn a new game.  
If you would like to bring your craft or just sit  
around for a chat that's great too.

Afternoon tea.....Cost \$5.00

### DEFINITE RSVP

for catering by 18th Aug

Ph: Yolette 85322130

(See Notice in Hall)

**EVERYBODY WELCOME.**



DVD Producing - can you help with producing  
DVD's? Training will be given. Please speak to  
Ron or Yvonne if you are interested.

## Petition for Religious Freedom

There is a petition addressed to the Honourable President & members of the Senate in Parliament assembled, from Senator the Honourable Concetta Fierravanti-Wells, Liberal Senator for New South Wales to ask that the Senate pass a Religious Freedom Act that contains not only a protection against religious discrimination, but also contains general protections for religious believers.

*If you would like more information please contact the church office for more details*

# Combined Lutheran Churches News

Holy Cross Lutheran Church  
2019 Coach Tour ~ Mount Gambier

Payments are now due.

Please pay to  
Alan Packer  
(8532 2876)  
by 31st July.

# YOUTH

Next Youth meeting  
**Friday 2nd August**  
6:30pm in The Cave,  
Christ Church  
Bring tea to share

**GUEST  
PREACHER**



**Guest Preachers at Holy Cross :**

11th August  
1st September

**Pastor Peter Welke**  
**Pastor Jim Bryan**



# ASK. SEEK. KNOCK.

it will be given. you will find. the door will open to you.

## The Lutheran Men Victoria

16 18th August

“Men Led by God” camp is in August. Pastor Greg Graham from Mount Gambier is the study leader “Standing Strong in the Storm” based on Ephesians 6:10.

For more information see the flyers available at church, hall or the church offices

**Be STRONG  
in the LORD and his  
mighty power.**

Ephesians 6:10

## GIVING BLOOD FEELS GOOD

Every donation can save three lives.

**The Blood Service Mobile  
Blood Donor Centre will be  
visiting:**

**Mon 19 Aug 12pm-7pm**  
**Tues 20 Aug 10:30am-7pm**  
**Wed 21 Aug 11:30pm-7pm**  
**Thurs 22 Aug 7:30am-3pm**

**Make an appointment today**  
131495 or [donateblood.com.au](http://donateblood.com.au)

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# LISTENING

## ... and responding to God's Voice Together

Does God still communicate to us today? If so, what are the different ways?

What is the difference between “wisdom” and “revelation” when it comes to knowing the will of God?

How can we be sure it is Him communicating, and not just our own thoughts or imaginations?



## Want to find out more?

**Friday 9<sup>th</sup> August**

**Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> August**

7:00pm-9:00pm

9:00am-4:30pm

Free come and get a taste

8:30am Registrations

Donation – Suggested \$20

**Presented by Michael Dutschke**  
**Pastor & Prophetic Ministry Trainer**

**Hosted by Christ Church Lutheran**  
**31 Swanport Road Murray Bridge**

**RSVP by 12:00pm Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> August – for catering**

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Email: [christchurch.murraybridge.sa@lca.org.au](mailto:christchurch.murraybridge.sa@lca.org.au)

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**Christian Life Week Camp**  
Walker Flat Campsite, Ankara  
30th Sept - 4th Oct

*This year, we will be exploring what it looks like to live in the freedom of Jesus' life, death and resurrection. What does it look like to operate out of freedom in our every day lives? How can we cultivate an attitude of freedom and draw others into it?*



Christian Life Week (CLW) is a five-day camp for youths in Years 7-12 who are eager to have fun, grow in their faith and build incredible friendships ☐

More Details:

Kynan Mann, 0413 855 620 or Abby Beames, 0408 118 338  
lmseclw@blueprintministries.org.au

**Blueprint Ministries**  
**APPEAL DINNER**  
**Saturday 10th August**  
Mawson Lakes Hotel  
and Function Centre

Details:  
[www.blueprintministries.org.au](http://www.blueprintministries.org.au)

**SAVE THE DATE**  
**Sat 17<sup>th</sup> August**  
**Garage Sale**  
at Ron & Sabine's.  
Coffee & Tea stall for  
Christ Church funds.

### New Horizons 2019

New Horizons 2018 was a blessing to many. The theme for 2019 is much needed and coincides with the release of a new book and associated video resources by Noel Due and Steen Olsen, called *Spirit Filled: Normal Christian Living*. The focus will be on missional leadership with particular reference to the person and work of the Spirit.

To find out more search for: **NEW HORIZONS - Lutheran Church of Australia**

# NEW HORIZONS



**NEW HORIZONS 2019**  
THE SPIRIT-LED LEADER

Tuesday 27 August 1.30pm - 9.00pm  
Wednesday 28 August 9.00am - 9.00pm  
Thursday 29 August 9.00am - 12.00pm

Nunyara Conference Centre  
5 Burnell Drive, Belair SA.



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St Michael's Lutheran Church  
Hahndorf SA

**CONFERENCE 2019**

*The Spirit-Led Mission*

Fri 30 Aug 7pm - 9pm  
Sat 31 Aug 9am - 4pm



[WWW.LCA.ORG.AU/SENT](http://WWW.LCA.ORG.AU/SENT)

SENT conferences bring together pastors, congregational members, church planters and others keen to explore the nature of evangelism, church planting and missional leadership in the LCA/NZ. SENT 2019 will focus on the mission of the church, with particular reference to the person and work of the Spirit. This theme ties in with the release of the book and associated video resources by Noel Due and Steen Olsen called *Spirit Filled: Normal Christian Living*.

To find out more search for: **SENT - Lutheran Church of Australia**

**Please note as Holy Cross members are worshipping with Monarto on the 4th August, there will not be a service at Holy Cross on that day.**



*Murray Bridge*

LUTHERAN RETIREMENT VILLAGES

### Owl Drive

1 bedroom unit available  
\$810 per month. Assisted entry to our Village.  
Application process applies.  
Contact Delton or Tamara on 85324260  
Email: [retire@mblh.com.au](mailto:retire@mblh.com.au)

## FREE

Christ Church office has a black ink cartridge for a Lexmark printer to give away Same as the one shown. Please contact Yvonne by 3rd Aug if you would like it 8532 6553



For anybody experiencing domestic and/or family violence please call Centacare 8531 8888

# Combined Lutheran Churches News

## Pray Continually 1 Thessalonians 5:17 NIV



Please Pray for...

**Christ Church Members:** Sandra Thiele, June Walker, Joyce Stiller, Joy Lienert, Darryl Klose, Colleen & Andy Nicholls, Murray Piltz, Lores Frahn, Irene Kuchel, Joyleen Stiller, Margaret Kuchel & also for their carers.

**Holy Cross Members:** Fay Baxter, Judy Brereton, Bob Eggers, John Fournier, Lila Grocke, Graham Hentschke, Leila Koehler, Leon Klitscher (Strath Nursing Home), Terry Little, Marion Poole, Erwin Rohrlach, Neil Schubert, Reg Schwartz, Kurt Unger, Felicity Woods & also for their carers.

**Monarto:** Max Paech

**Resthaven:** Joyce Ahrens (CC), Ray Box (HC), Lorna Burrett (HC), Gordon Jenke (HC), Dot Noller (CC), Rhonda Paech (HC), Lloyd Schultz (CC), Bob Steele (HC)

**Lerwin:** Colleen Fawcett (CC), Glad Hausler (CC), Enid Heidrich (CC), Chris Herbig (CC), Stewart Jaensch (CC), Dorothy Klitscher (HC), Alice Kowald (HC), Betty Paech (HC), Lorna Schulz (CC)

**Aminya Village, Mannum:** Laurel Geisler (CC), Keith Faehrmann (CC), Val Stevens (CC)

**Bupa Aged Care:** Ruth Neindorf (HC)

**Karoonda Hosp:** Doreen Steinborner (HC)

**Oakfield Lodge, Mt Barker:** Lorraine Jacobs (CC)

**Tailem Bend Hosp:** Paul Fiegert (HC), Pat Gogel (HC), Bevan Schulz (HC)



### Also Pray...

- ✚ Pray for all the Kindy children and their families including Zoe, Phi, Tyler T, William W, Sophie H and Hudson and also for the Reception and Year 1 children and families at Unity.
- ✚ Be with me, Jesus, when times are bad, for I know you understand my pain and will lead me through my darkest hours.
- ✚ Give thanks to God for the wonderful gift of Jesus and all that He blesses us with. Ask Him to help us share our blessings with others, giving us opportunities to demonstrate His love.
- ✚ Pray for the building of healthy relationships within our church community— as we continue the journey of investing in fellowship.

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## Pray Continually

### Baptismal Birthday Celebrations This Week

July		August	
29th	Sabine Jericho (CC)	1st	Bob Gerlach (HC)
30th	Sophia Barolo (Mon)		Ivy Roennfeldt (CC)
30th	Trish Rohrlach (CC)	2nd	Flo Kerkham (CC)
	Rodney Zanker (CC)		Gordon Schultz (CC)
31st	Jenni Krueger (CC)	3rd	Kathleen Nicolle (CC)
			Bryant Steicke (HC)



Please pray for everyone celebrating their Baptismal Birthday

### Prayer of the Day

Listen in mercy to our prayers, Lord. Lead us to ask for whatever pleases you, so that you may grant what we desire. 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.**

### THANK YOU

#### Community Benefit Concert 21st July

On behalf of Second Chances SA and the MB Inter-Church Council I would like to thank everyone who helped with the catering from the Lutheran Church Communities in MB. Also, thank you to the people who came to the concert and supported the event and enjoyed a wonderful afternoon of entertainment from the Men's Choir.

*Ian Kluge, Chair MBICC*



The family of Barbara Noble thank everyone for their thoughts and prayers at this time.



**ROBIN MANN**

50 YEARS OF SONGS

**Saturday 24th Aug 7pm**  
 Concordia College Chapel  
 Book online  
<http://www.robinmann.com.au/>

If you would like to be included in our 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.