

All Saints Sunday 7th November 2021

Christ Church Lutheran 31 Swanport Rd Murray Bridge Holy Cross Lutheran 31 Florence St Murray Bridge Zion Lutheran 427 Schenscher Rd Monarto

We want everyone in the Murray Bridge regional communities to know the love of Jesus and be in a saving relationship with Him.

WELCOME... TO OUR BULLETIN. MAY GOD BLESS YOU AND LEAVE YOU STRENGTHENED FOR THE CHALLENGES AND JOYS OF THE COMING WEEK!

All Services and Events subject to COVID restrictions. Due to the COVID 19 situation, the rules, restrictions and guidelines for our safety are changing. Sometimes this is very quick and late, there may not be enough notice to let everyone know, we thank you for your understanding.

Please follow the directions of the people in charge at our services. ***Masks are required until further notice***

Sunday: 7th November – All Saints Day

9:00am	Holy Cross	Communion Service – Pastor Paul Calnan Cuppa after service / Offerings collected at door
9:30am	Christ Church (JDH)	Christian Care Sunday – Pastor Peter Miller Cuppa from 9am / Offerings collected at door
11am:	Christ Church (Church)	Traditional Service / Offerings collected at door
	Monarto	Communion service – Pastor Paul Calnan
	(See inside bulletin fo	or Readings and songs for services)

Next Sunday: 14th November

10:00am	Unity College	CONFIRMATION SERVICE – Pastor Paul Calnan
9am	Monarto	Worship
9:30am	Christ Church (JDH)	Communion Service – Delton Schiller Cuppa from 9am / Offerings collected at door

Visitors most welcome to join us

Christ Church Office hours: 9am-12noon Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri **Closed Wednesday.** Ph 8532 6553 email: christchurch.murraybridge.sa@lca.org.au Website: <u>www.cclutheranmb.org.au</u> Add: 5 Marchand St, Murray Bridge *After Hours please phone: Chairperson, Warren Doecke - 0417 804 663*

Holy Cross office hours: 10am-1pm Tues, Wed; 9am-2pm Thurs, Fri **Closed Monday.** Ph 8532 4577 email: hcoffice@internode.on.net Add: 31 Florence St, Murray Bridge Pastor Paul Calnan is available by phone Tues to Fri 9am to 6pm Mobile: 0417 466 611 or email: <u>paul.calnan@lca.org.au</u> *If you require pastoral care outside of these hours please contact Ministry Team Chair: David Schirmer or Council Chairperson: Alan Packer*

CALL COMMITTEE UPDATE: Pastor David Kuss has requested an extension until the 7th November to make a decision regarding the call to the full time Lead Pastor for the combined shared ministry at Holy Cross, Christ Church and Zion Monarto. The next couple of Sundays are important Hills activities for all those congregations and he will be heavily involved. Be assured he is very encouraged by what he received for the Call. Please continue to keep Pastor David and his family in your prayers.

General Notices

SHARED MINISTRY TASK GROUP UPDATE: Looking for a name for the Shared Ministry in Murray Bridge & Monarto. Here are three names: **Grace & Mercy - Open Arms - Bridge Trinity**.

The group felt these three names effectively encompassed our community. Please give comments and feedback (and we are still open for more suggestions) to the Task Group, once the name has been accepted the winner will be announced.

We will not be losing the identity of each congregation but the name voted as the name for the Shared Ministry would precede the congregations title, for example Grace & Mercy Christ Church MB, Open Arms Holy Cross MB, Bridge Trinity Zion Monarto – (*please note it will be the same name for all*).

Shared Ministry Task Group members are **Holy Cross**: Greg Herrmann, Joanne Pfeiffer, Barry Stoddart; **Christ Church**: Warren Doecke, Yvonne Stiller, Trent Mueller; **Monarto**: Colin Wegener, Raelene Barolo.

CAN YOU HELP?

Confirmation (November 14) will be at Unity Steeple run by Holy Cross – we are invited to attend to see our young members declare their faith. More helpers are required at this service. If you can help, please contact either office ASAP. Many thanks. (Also a 9am Service at Monarto and 9:30 Service at Christ Church)

ADVENT EVENING: You are invited you to an Advent

Fellowship evening of fellowship at John Dohler Hall on Sunday evening – **28th Nov at 6pm.** The evening will consist of an Advent message and activities; a sausage sizzle and Carol Singing. We would love to share this time and celebrate together as a community.

NEXT YOUTH: Friday 12th November - The Cave, from 6pm to 8:30pm. Please bring tea to share – All Welcome



MEN'S GROUP: 8am Sat 20th November. Please note due to COVID restrictions the venue for the next Men's Group has been changed to John Dohler Hall, Christ Church Lutheran Swanport Road. *Christmas Celebrations and come with ideas for next year.*

Rodney Zanker will share his story. **RSVP** by Wed 17th November to Matt: 0419 033 859 or the Church offices.

<u>CHRISTIAN RADIO NOW LIVE</u>! Monday 1st November 2021 at 10.00 a.m. the equipment was turned on and the Vision Christian Media – **Murray Bridge 87.6 FM SA** is live in the Murray Bridge area.

OFFERING ENVELOPES for 2022

Orders are due now. Christ Church/Monarto please contact Yvonne in the office to order. Holy Cross please add your name to the order list at the front of the church or contact the office to place an order. Last date for orders is **16th November**. No Orders will be accepted after this date.

Please consider giving a donation towards the cost of your envelopes

WOMEN'S GUILD MEETING and AGM: Wednesday November 10th at 1.15pm Topic: Mystery parcel to the value of \$5. Devotion: H Heuppauff; Gift Table: R Packer; Hostesses: L Rosenzweig, V Zerk; Musician: J Stiller; Offering: Home of Parise in slums of Bangkok. *Reminder to bring Honey Biscuits*.

<u>CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL (Town Hall)</u>: This will be held on **November 19th, 20th & 21st**. We are requesting donations of biscuits for the <u>Gift Table</u>. Also biscuits, scones, jam and cream for the <u>Coffee Time</u> and help in the kitchen. Please let us know the days you would be available. Contact either Janelle at Christ Church office (on Mon/Wed or Friday) or Coralie on 0473 371 361. Thank you.

HOLY CROSS NOMINATIONS MEETING: 21st November 2021@ 11am immediately after

Service. Followed by BBQ and salad lunch.

Elected Positions and nominations forms will available at back of church, the office and in the Hall, please put nomination forms in boxes provided. **Nominations close 17th Nov**.

Volunteer positions/committees/workers can also be viewed on the pin board at the back of the church, in the office and on the notice board in the Hall names can be added or taken off the current list.

THRIFT SHOP: We are planning to hold a short **Thrift Shop on Tues 30th Nov and Wed 1st Dec** at JD Hall. <u>We need helpers for this to happen</u>. If you can help on those days please contact Yvonne or Janelle in the Christ Church office. Many thanks

NEWSLETTERS:

Christ Church: The latest Newsletter is available copies available from Christ Church office or services. **Holy Cross:** A monthly or bi-monthly newsletter is proposed, this will enable the bulletin to reduce in size, the monthly rosters, & meetings will be placed in the newsletters, if you have any pictures, future meetings dates, celebrations, events (i.e. social or Bible study groups, lunches at Swanport and Murray Heights) or something you have found of interest, maybe you wish to advertise something in the newsletter please provide to office by 1st Friday of each month. The first edition will be out soon. The newsletter may also include profiles on people within our congregation as a way of introduction. Please get behind this and assist where you can. It is envisaged the newsletter will be 4-6 pages similar to the bulletin.

<u>SAVE THE DATE:</u> Sunday December 12th at 2pm, in the JD Hall Andre Rieu will delight music lovers with his Christmas Down Under concert. Come along and enjoy the screening of the concert Andre and his orchestra performed in the Sydney Town Hall in November 2018. Donation entrance, with all proceeds going to the Myanmar Damadi Children's Home. Enquiries to Dianne Kluge on 0408 807 008.

TANGARA 2021 MAGAZINE: (ALC magazine) is now available for order at \$10 per copy including postage to anywhere in Australia. You are encouraged to consider purchasing a copy to share with your family and friends. Order forms are available from the Holy Cross Office.

<u>GIVE AWAY</u>: Good News New Testament Bible on Cassettes. If you are interested please contact the Christ Church office or Yvonne Lablack.

LADIES FELLOWSHIP: No meeting in November! Next gathering is **9th Dec**, 11:45am at Church of Christ Cafe.

<u>Callington Show</u>: A big thank you to everyone who helped in any way to raise funds for the Damadi Children's home in Myanmar. Your contribution was very much appreciated - from the Team

RED CROSS - BLOOD DONOR CENTREJD Hall, 31 Swanport Rd, Murray BridgeDon't forget to pre-book your spot at donateblood.com.au, on our app or on 13 14 95Mon 15 Nov, 12.00pm - 6.00pmTues 16 Nov, 10.00am - 6.30pmWed 17 Nov, 10.00am - 6.30pmThurs 18 Nov, 8.30am - 3.00pm

TYNDALE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL MB - BUS DRIVER POSITION: A part-time Bus Driver position is available at the school. Details of this position can be found at:

https://mb.tyndale.sa.edu.au/employment/ Applications close 9am Monday 8 November.

PASTORAL CARE WORKER POSITION – MB South Primary: The PCW position at the school is available at the school. Details can be found at: <u>https://smg.asn.au/</u> Applications close 9am Mon 22 Nov.

CHRISTMAS TREES FROM HOLY CROSS-BIRDWOOD: Holy Cross, Birdwood have Christmas trees available for purchase again this year. They are able to offer the high quality trees at \$50 each. Please note that delivery can only be arranged for orders of 10 or more trees. Trees will be delivered to Holy Cross Murray Bridge at 9am, Saturday 11th December 2021. Orders close on Friday 3rd December. The trees will need to be paid for at time of delivery. Please ring Sandra Gates 0438324150 (from Holy Cross Murray Bridge) to place your order.

<u>REG – Regular Electronic Giving</u>: Have you considered using REG for your weekly offerings? Forms are available from either church office to set up with your LLL account or use the following details:

Christ Church: BSB 704942 Acc # 100311504 Holy Cross: BSB 704942 Acc # 51176

Christ Church THANK YOU: A very sincere thank you to all those who have made an effort and contributed extra to offerings in the last several weeks. It has helped us out greatly. Some have asked if they can make an extra contribution through REG. If you wish to, please do using the above details. Thanking you in advance. Gary Beauglehall, Finance Advisor.

LLL CALENDARS: Christ Church LLL calendars are available to collect after each church service today and 21st. Gary will not be around on the 14th due to the Confirmation Service at Unity. Holy Cross members – LLL Calendars are available from the office, in the Church and Hall.

FAMILY AND RELATIONSHIP COUNSELLOR available at Holy Cross Church office Murray Bridge on Tues or Thurs by appointment for a range of issues for example: - individual counselling – grief and loss, life transitions, relationships, trauma and relationship issues - couple counselling.

Bridget is a registered nurse, midwife and child health nurse who has recently graduated from Tabor College with Masters of clinical counselling and is passionate to serve those in the community who are struggling and needing a listening ear to clarify life's problems. Using an integrated approach of counselling and Christian spirituality, she welcomes new clients from any area of life and offers compassion, empathy and insight and support to those who struggle. 0460 321 334 | 08 8351 3644 | bhannaford@lutherancare.org.au

SAFE CHURCH TRAINING: Level 1 Training will be held Saturday 4th Dec 9am-4pm at JDH. The following need to complete this training: Pastors [incl Emeriti in active service]; Governance, Council & Committee members; Safe Church Coordinators; Ministry Leaders / Decision Makers; Employees & Volunteers; Synod Delegates; Chaplains / Elders / Pastoral Assistants / Lay Readers / Worship Leaders / Ushers; Volunteers working vulnerable adults and/or with children u/18. This covers nearly everyone! Congregation members welcome to attend also. Registration is essential via https://www.lca.org.au/departments/ministry-support/professional-standards/training-prof-standards/ Please contact Christ Church Office for more details or your Safe Church Coordinator.

Prayers:

<u>**Prayer of the day**</u>: Almighty God, you bring your people together in one holy church, the body of our Lord. Lead us to follow your saints and to know the inexpressible joys that you have prepared for those who love you. 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

Also pray....

- Continue to pray for the teachers, children & families at Concordia Kindy, Unity and surrounding schools.
- Pray for the confirmation class, their parents and families and Pastor Paul as he prepares them for their confirmation next week: Bethany Calnan, Holly Elliott, Layla Hearne, Cooper & Brady Lienert, Harry & Edward Rigney, Archer Stephens, & Marni Woidt
- Pray for Pastor David Kuss, his wife Ilona and their family as they consider the Lead Pastor call to the combined shared ministry at Holy Cross, Christ Church and Zion Monarto.

<u>Please Pray for</u>... (Please note, before visiting check with family for any visitation allowances and/or restrictions)

Christ Church: Martha Aartsen, Jasmine & Winston Dance, Lores Frahn, Audrey Jaensch, Irene Kuchel, Margaret Kuchel, Bryan Lees, Joy Lienert, Andy & Colleen Nicholls, Oscar, Amelia & Josh Noye, Peter Paech, Joyce Pope, Leo Schulz, Vena Shinnick, Sandra Thiele, June Walker & their Carers.

Holy Cross: Ian & Fay Baxter, Judy Brereton, Olga Burgemeister, Lila Grocke, Maxine Gogler & Vicki Gollasch and family, Trevor, Christabel and Kyle Hage, Bert & Nita Hyam, Elizabeth Klitscher, Leila Koehler, Glen Koop, Matt Kruschel, Joy Leighton, Erin, Travis, Cooper, Brady & Taylor Lienert, Betty Nulty, Brenda O'Reilly, Stan & Lorna Peltz, Jim & Marion Poole, Erwin Rohrlach, Neil Schubert, Reg Schwartz, Clarita Venn & their Carers.

Resthaven: Joyce Ahrns (CC), Norm Bensch (HC), Lorna Burrett (HC), Doris Hein (Mon), Margaret Koop (CC), Dot Noller (CC), Murray Piltz (CC)

Lerwin: Phylis Courtney (HC), Glad Hausler (CC), Stewart Jaensch (CC), Dorothy Klitscher (HC), Eric Kuss (CC), Alice Kowald (HC), Betty Paech (HC)

Craigmore Resthaven: Ivy Roennfeldt (CC) Golden Grove Helping Hand: Joyleen Rosenzweig (CC) Meningie Hospital Aged Care: Kurt Unger (HC), Felicity Woods (HC)

St Paul's Aged Care, Hahndorf: Margaret Pfeiffer (HC) **Warner Close, M/Bridge**: Colleen Fawcett (CC) **Tailem Bend Hospital**: Pat Gogel, Phyllis Koop, Bevan Schulz (All HC)

If you would like to be included in our Prayers or have your Birthday, Anniversary or any other special occasion announced, please email or call your church office.

Baptismal Birthday Celebrations This Week

7 th	Darren Piltz (CC)	10 th Margaret Kleemann CC)	14 th Lynette Doecke (CC)
8 th	Wayne Rowland (CC) Pam Doecke (CC)	Edna Welke (HC) 11 th Brenton Klemm (CC)	Joy Franke (CC)
	Delton Schiller (CC)		

COMING EVENTS – Subject to COVID restrictions

(Please advise the offices of any changes)

Mon 8th	7:30pm	Christ Church Elders meet, Ed Cen
Wed 10th	1:15pm	Women's Guild, Concordia Hall
Thurs 11th	7:15pm	Holy Cross Church Council
Fri 12th	6pm	Youth, The Cave
Sun 14th	9:00am 9.30am 10am	Monarto Service Christ Church Service JDH Confirmation Service, Unity Steeple

THIS WEEKS READINGS & HYMNS/SONGS:

- Holy Cross <u>Readings</u>: Psalm 24, Isaiah 25:6-9, Revelations 21:1-6, John 11:32-44 <u>Songs</u>: I Will Seek Your Face, O Lord, For All the Saints, Jesus, My Redeemer Lives, Rock of Ages, May The Lord Bless You Today.
- Christ Church (JDH) <u>Readings</u>: 1 John 3:16-24; Luke 10:25-37. <u>Songs</u>: Here I am Lord, Prayer of St Francis, For All the Saints, Sent Forth by God's Blessings.
- Christ Church (Church) <u>Readings</u>: Isaiah 25:6-9; Revelation 21:1-6a: John 11:32-44. <u>Songs</u>: Holy, Holy, Lord God, to Thee we all give praise, How Blest are they who hear God's Word, We all believe in one True God.
- Monarto <u>Readings</u>: Psalm 24, Isaiah 25:6-9, Revelations 21:1-6, John 11:32-44. <u>Songs</u>: We are Family, O Lord, For All the Saints, Jesus, My Redeemer Lives, Rock of Ages, May The Lord Bless You Today.

✤ OTHER WAYS TO WORSHIP:

FACEBOOK: Holy Cross Lutheran Church Murray Bridge Christ Church Lutheran Murray Bridge Music Ministry Online

YOUTUBE Holy Cross Lutheran Church Murray Bridge – YouTube link for Combined Reformation Service: <u>https://youtu.be/kzlVzwvmhFQ</u> Christ Church Lutheran Murray Bridge Music Ministry Online

Christ Church Web Page: http://www.cclutheranmb.org.au/

Music Ministry email: musicministrymb@gmail.com

Christian radio now live! – Murray Bridge 87.6 FM SA

Other Livestreamed Services etc – Go to LCA Church@Home:

https://www.lca.org.au/worship/wpp/churchhome/

click on View@Home to see services online, Pray@Home for prayer resources and Faith@Home for other options.

Sermons4Kids- Stories of the Bible: https://sermons4kids.com/

ROSTERS

Holy Cross

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	7 Nov - 9AM All Saints Pastor Paul	14 Nov - 10AM Confirmation Unity College
Sign In Greeters	Trudy Gogel K Pfeiffer	T Gogel, C Coulter, R Waldhuter
LS Server	L Rosenzweig	P Welke, I Kluge
Lector	J Kuchel	J Weincke
PA/MM	A Gates	E & A Ahrens
VC Operator	A Wegener	B Eggers
Marshal	S Gates	A Pearce, C Beauglehall
Ushers	B & M Gerlach	J Sacco, S Gates
Bell Ringer	B Gerlach	N/A
Altar Guild	G Schirmer	P & E Welke
Flowers	A Pearce	F Henschke
Musicians	J Kuchel, M Gogler	M Ahrens
Morning Tea	Y Patterson, D Pfeiffer, John Pfeiffer	N/A
Ministry Team	M Gerlach H Hueppauff	M Gerlach H Hueppauff

Christ Church

	JDH	JDH	Church	
	9:30am	9:30	11am	
	14-Nov	21-Nov	21-Nov	
COVID Marshal	Dawn Schmerl	Chris Beauglehall	Janelle Traeger	
Elder/Assist	Warren Doecke	Gary Beauglehall	Warren Doecke 🎔	
Elden/Abbiot	Gerry Korzeba 🎔		Dawn Hampel	
Wardens	Gloria Pohl	David Doecke	Alan Hampel	
Waluens			Marie Mueller	
Greeters	Janelle Traeger	Merle & Ross	Joan Bahr	
Greeters		Hermann	Doreen Borchardt	
Tea/Coffee	Ross & Merle	Sabine	Jericho	
Tea/Collee	Hermann	Joyce Herrmann		
PA	Tamra Lees	Alan Hampel	Gary Beauglehall	
Data Projector	Bruno Lablack	Sue Kuchel	Jasmine Irvine	
Video	Ron Jericho	Ron Jericho	Ron Jericho	
Counter		Delton Schiller	Basil Schubert	
Counter			Greg Traeger	
Grounds Roster		John & Gloria Pohl		
Water & Care	Tim Koch	Yolette Koch	Harry & Inez	

<u>Monarto</u>

14th Nov: Wardens: Gordon & Raelene B. Reader: Raelene W Cuppa: Pam & Trevor H 21st Nov: Wardens: Hayden & Penne. Reader: Terry F.

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"LIFE THROUGH THE LENS"



THE PRESCRIBED BURN

Our daughter and CFS member, Nicoli, was half out the door, "Where are you going?" "To help with a Prescribed Burn". "OK".

According to the Department for Environment and Water, "Prescribed burning is the planned use of fire to a particular area of landscape. The aim is to reduce fine fuel hazards, manage native vegetation and protect biodiversity in strategic areas of South Australia's parks and reserves.... improving biodiversity within parks and reserves. Put simply, "Prescribed burning" gets rid of stuff that could cause problems for the area in the future and can also clear areas so what should grow there can.

I'm pretty sure we could all do with some "prescribed burning" in our lives. "for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God" (Romans 3:23) or put another way; "We all have garbage in our lives that is dangerous to us and stops us from living close to God, the way he wishes us to".

How do I get rid of the garbage that can stop me from feeling close to the love of God? You can't! Some "life trash" may have built up over a long time. Some of it might be just starting to collect. Are you beginning to build a pile of anger toward someone? Maybe there is a little pile of "I just can't believe there is a God who cares about me." "Ever feel the heap of "daily drudge" piling up that separates you from any joy in your life?

The scrub has no hope of starting a fire to rid itself of all that threatening undergrowth. God's Word reminds us can do nothing ourselves. Check John 15:5. We all need a "prescribed burn". In the Bible, Jesus promises to clean up our lives and help us grow new lives. "If anyone lives trusting the saving and renewing love of Jesus, the new creation has come: The old has gone, the new is here!" (2 Corinthians 5:17)

While the picture looks horrific and out of control, the CFS people had it entirely under control. Sometimes life may feel awful and out of control, but God promises, he is in control. Talk to Jesus about the dangerous thoughts or actions that might be building up in your life. Be prepared for Him to start something. But remember, He only ever acts in love. God bless,

Kevin.



ALL SAINTS DAY

Devotions

Share your highs and lows of the All saints day bible readings

to the following day, or respond

guestions:

Conversations

ഗ	John 11:32-44	Jesus raises Lazarus
Σ	lsaiah 25:6-9	The Lord has delivered us
⊢	Revelation 21:1-6a	A new heaven and earth
≥	1 Corinthians 15:12-38	Resurrection of the dead
⊢	1 Corinthians 15:50-57	Death has lost its sting
ш	Romans 8:31-39	God's love in Christ Jesus
လ	Psalm 24	Entrance into the temple
ပ	Mark 12:38-44	The widow's generous offering

What makes you sad?
> Discuss the bible reading. What word or phrase was important to you as you read these verses?

What experiences

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of people dying

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those times?

Rituals and Traditions ன

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Martha, what does

story of Mary and

it teach you about

God?

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Lord God, King PRAYER

BLESSING

of Glory, please come into our lives this day. Amen

way you feel about

and understand

death?

How does faith in Jesus change the

with you, now and May the Lord be tears, and fill your forever. May he wipe away your life with joy and hope. Amen.

God conquers death with the promise of new life.

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Creative Response

face death and sadness with hope All saints Day is a good time to and courage.

We remember and give thanks to God for Christians who have died.

relatives that have died, whether recently or Light a candle for Christian friends and long ago.

As you light each candle say:

Thank you, God, for the earthy life of ... (Name)... and for new life they have in you". End by reciting the Apostles' Creed and the Lord's Prayer.

mealtime prayer

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the world and those who live upon it. Praise and thanks to God our maker and provider. Amen

The earth is the Lord's and everything in it,

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nore death or sadness. crying or pain. Things ure no longer the way iyes. There will be no There will be no more very tear from thei 'He Will Wipe away they used to be." **REVELATION 21:4**



-oss and grief are real However, death is very generally try to avoid. real and not God's Will. experiences that we

word. Therefore, we can face oss and death with faith and In Isaiah 25:7 God promises Life, not death, gets the last to swallow up death forever. courage.

sorrow and God's promise to conquer death and sadness Think of someone who is grieving. Visit, call, text or write a card to them and express your care and (Revelation 21:4).



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