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**GOLDEN GROVE LUTHERAN CHURCH**



**Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> September 2021—16<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**

Please join us this Sunday at our 9.30am or 6.30pm services or in our livestreamed Service—9.30am

**Current COVID conditions**

No new changes this week - bands are back however every one will be required to wear masks including singing. Please bring along a spare mask in plastic bag to change the mask when it becomes damp. Cafe Connect will be open for seated consumption.

*May we all be encouraged and strengthened in our faith through the Word of God.*

**ALL WELCOME!!**

**Taming the Tongue**

Nothing gets us into more trouble than our words. Taming the tongue is the most difficult task a person will ever take on. There is just an impulse in us to say things that we will regret later. James tells us that the tongue is like a rudder that steers a large ocean liner and spark that sets off a huge forest fire. Taming the tongue requires discipline, self-control, and help from the Holy Spirit.

**James 3:8** “but no one can tame the tongue. It is a restless evil, full of deadly poison.”

**Lack of Self Control**

There doesn't seem to be a lot of self-control when it comes to what people say, nowadays. In fact, the news is full of the rash and rude things the leaders of the world say or tweet. We've lost our ability to tame our tongues. The bible says “out of the mouth (read tongue) the heart speaks.” What people say is a reflection of what is truly being thought with our mind and felt in our hearts.

**The Spark the Starts the Fire**

It's amazing how a small part of the body can cause so much havoc. James calls it a restless evil. That means it doesn't like staying idle; it needs to be in motion. The problem is the more it is used, the more damage it becomes. Self-control is something we need to be praying for when it comes to our tongue. Left unbridled it will spew poison all over the place.

**Get Some Help**

If you struggle with what comes out of your mouth, it is essential that you ask God for help in this area. It might even be necessary for you to have a more mature saint come alongside you to mentor you and keep you accountable. Pray for forgiveness for the things you have said, seek to reconcile those who you have wronged, and ask for self-control in this area. You will find that this brings with it a sense of freedom you haven't felt in a while. Taming the tongue is a mark of maturity.

*by Chuck Musselwhite | Aug 2, 2017 | [www.dailywalkdevotion.com](http://www.dailywalkdevotion.com)*

**Readings This Week:**

**Proverbs 1:20-33**  
**James 3:1-12**  
**Mark 8:27-38**



DOWNLOAD WEEKLY READINGS HERE >>>

**Kids at Heart**

During the service this week, we will be looking at the theme “Controlling our tongue” based on James 3:1-12

For craft this week, please visit <https://www.gglc.org.au/church/index.php/ministries/childrens-ministry> to view example and download template sheet

Do you have a prayer request???

E-Mail [prayer\\_request@gglc.org.au](mailto:prayer_request@gglc.org.au)

Remember to continue to send in your weekly artwork. **CLICK HERE**

<b>Worship Opportunities</b>		
<b>Sunday 12th September</b>	<b>9.30 am</b> <b>6.30 pm</b>	Worship Salt Factory with Holy Communion
<b>Sunday 19th September</b>	<b>9.30 am</b> <b>6.30 pm</b>	Worship with Holy Communion Salt Factory Discussion Sunday

**Salt Factory 6.30 pm**

Come at 5.45 pm for food and fellowship before the service (Gold coin donation)

**ALL WELCOMED**

**You Tube** Livestreaming Sunday Service—9.30am  
 Please visit the church website <https://www.gglc.org.au> for links of our YouTube channel or Facebook page. We encourage you to share our links/information to those who can't make it to our services or are homebound!

# What's Happening In Our Community



## Golden Grove Pong 2021

Golden Grove Lutheran Church

Starts

Friday, September 17 at 3 pm

Ends

Saturday, September 18 at 1 pm

Register at

<https://pingpongathon.com/goldengrovepong2021>

If you have any questions contact  
Joel Schiller 0411 084 071

**Begins next Friday!!**

**Remember to register—we are looking for more people to play Saturday morning to help finish off this event.**

**Free breakfast 7 to 9am**

**Café Connect will be open!!**

**Donate Today!!**

<https://pingpongathon.com/goldengrovepong2021>

**CALLING ALL CRAFTERS**

### ART EXHIBITION AT THE GGLC FETE



Would you like to exhibit your arts and crafts at this years fete?

Or do you know of talented people whose work could be displayed?

Everyone is welcomed to enter their art for display. Your art doesn't just have to be a painting. It can be a cross stitch, diamond painting, woodwork, lego display, etc.

Please contact Kate Hampel  
(email—[katengrant@adam.com.au](mailto:katengrant@adam.com.au))  
or GGLC Office with expressions of interest.






## MORGAN-River Murray Fishing

### Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> September at 10.00am

FISHING MAINLY FOR CALLOP and CARP  
WEIGH IN at 4.00pm  
SAUSAGE SIZZLE WILL BE PROVIDED FOR LUNCH  
ALL WELCOME  
Contact Graeme Hoklas on 0419 828 091





# Community Fete

## Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> October

### 11.00 am to 3.00 pm

### LCA SA Together Magazine



September edition  
out now—available from  
church foyer

### Coffee Machine 4 sale



[Click for Details](#)

For further information contact Jon Schutz or Robert in the office.

### Donations Required for this year's Fete Raffle

The committee is seeking donations for this year's raffle. We are planning on putting together themed baskets for example:

**Baking Basket** - wooden spoons, patty pans, oven gloves, cook book, etc

**Kids Basket** - playdoh, crayons, stickers, paints, textas, toys, books, etc

**Spa and Pamper Basket** - bath salts, hand lotion, nail polish, candles, etc

**We are also looking for vouchers and gift cards.**

Please leave donations in the basket near Café Connect



## Call for Expressions of Interest

### Children and Family Ministry Leader

Permanent part-time-10 hours per week

We are seeking an enthusiastic and creative person willing to join and contribute to the ministry teams at Golden Grove Lutheran Church.

**For information, please visit [www.gglc.org.au](http://www.gglc.org.au) for Expressions of Interest fact sheet.**

**Closing Date: Friday 22nd October**

## RosTers for Sunday 12th September

	PA	Power Point	9.30 am Livestreaming 6.30 pm Leader	Music Group	Greeters	Assistants with HC	9.30 am Café Salt Factory Café	9.30 am Reader Flowers	9.30am Prayers Devotion	Church Cleaning Salt Factory Catering
Sunday 9.30am Service	Mark Rawolle	Judith Whaites	Robert Mills	Allyson Dutschke	Marty Seidel & Andrew Schmidt	Daniel Dutschke & Elizabeth Mills	Kloeden & Jenny Canavese	Annelise Barry	Pastor	Dutschke
6.30pm Salt Factory	Ivan Schmocker	Kendall Kahl	Joel Schiller	--	Jodie Davidson	--	Nathan Grenfell	Jacqui Schutz	Pastor	Dutschke