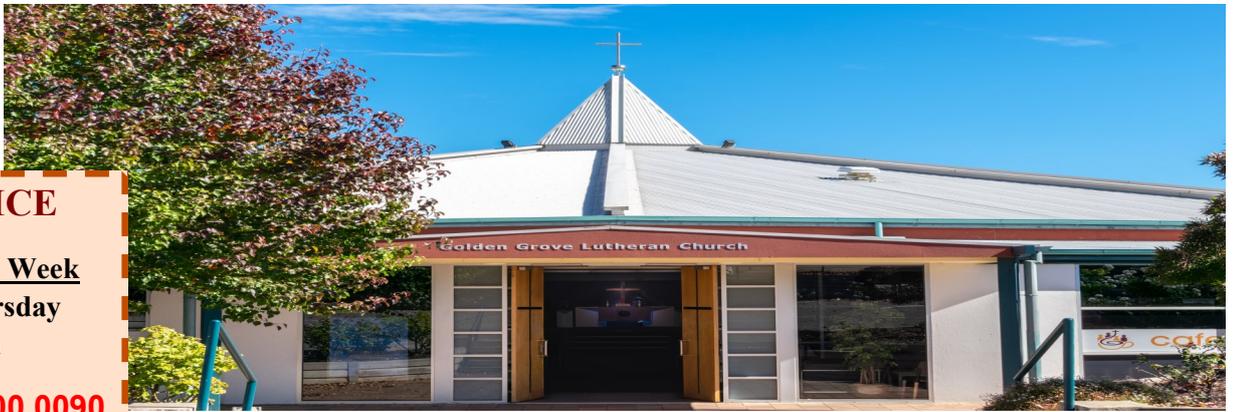




**GOLDEN GROVE LUTHERAN CHURCH**



**GGLC OFFICE**

**Office Hours This Week**

**Tuesday to Thursday  
8am to 1pm**

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**20<sup>th</sup> December 2020—Fourth Sunday of Advent**



Please join us this Sunday at our 9.30am or 6.30pm services or in our livestreamed Service—9.30am  
*May we all be encouraged and strengthened in our faith through the Word of God.*

**Advent Love**



Love is the theme for Advent 4. ‘The greatest of these is love’ writes St. Paul, and few of us would disagree. At the deepest level of our longing is surely our longing for love, our elemental need to be loved and to love. Hope, peace, and joy, or any other good thing in life is likely to feel empty and unfulfilling, without love. Look at romantic love in our culture: pop songs, movies and poetry all hold up finding the right partner as salvation, the one essential key to a happy life. How blissful it can be when these hopes are fulfilled – and how bitter when they are disappointed.

**ADVENT**

It is the yearning, first of all, to be loved: to be truly known by another, known without masks, for who we really are, and treasured in that knowledge. It is the experience of being affirmed in our identity: of being told, in the midst of billions of other people, and an unimaginably vast and empty universe, that we are of unique, irreplaceable value. Our God loves us just this way. We can find this love nowhere else than in Jesus.

The birth, life and death of Jesus sums up all Scripture: in him we see the force that underlies the cosmos face to face, and his face is tenderness and compassion. God’s love is so great, that God chooses to be Immanuel, “God with us”, chooses to share our daily lives in the intimacy of human flesh. As we make final preparations for Christmas may the love of God astound us each day.

Pastor Greg

**Readings This Week**



**2 Samuel 7:1-11,16  
Romans 16:25-27  
Luke 1:26-38**

DOWNLOAD WEEKLY READINGS HERE



Do you have a prayer request???

Email to:

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



**E-Mail**

**Worship Opportunities**

<b>Sunday 20th December</b>	<b>9.30 am 6.30 pm</b>	Worship with Christmas Tree Decorating
<b>Celebrate Christmas with us!</b>	<b>Christmas Eve 24 Dec 6.30pm &amp; 8pm</b> A celebration of Jesus’ birth portrayed through drama <b>Christmas Day 25 Dec 9.30 am</b> Christmas Day worship with Holy Communion	
<b>Sunday 27th December</b>	<b>9.30 am</b>	Worship

**Salt Factory 6.30 pm**

Last Service for 2020

**Carols Night (No Meal)**

Look forward to seeing you there!



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

## Christmas Office Hours



Please note GGLC Office will be closed 25th December to 27th January  
If there is any pastoral needs please call our office number 7200 0090 and leave message.

**JOY TO THE WORLD**  
THE  
*Lord has come*

Christmas Greetings from your GGLC Staff Members

On the birth day of the Lord, May his blessings and peace stay with you.

MERRY CHRISTMAS & Happy New Year!!

## Worship times for January 2021

**January 3rd & 10th**  
9.30am Morning Service Only

**January 17th**  
9.30am Morning Service  
6.30pm Salt Factory (with meal)

**January 24th**  
9.30am Informal Breakfast Service  
6.30 Salt Factory (no meal)

# Salt Factory Carols Night

THIS SUNDAY @ 6.30PM

JOIN US FOR CAROLS AND A REFLECTION ON THE CHRISTMAS STORY  
NO MEAL

**The Angel's Story**  
GOLDEN GROVE LUTHERAN CHURCH  
Christmas Eve Nativity Play  
2 Services  
6.30 pm | 8.00 pm  
Bookings essential  
<http://bit.ly/gglcchristmaseve>  
Richardson Drive, Wynn Vale

This years Christmas Eve Play is called **The Angel's Story**

Due to COVID attendee numbers are restricted but we will be having two services:  
6.30pm & 8.00pm

**Bookings essential!!!** [CLICK HERE](#)

<http://bit.ly/gglcchristmaseve>

**Attention: If you can't make the Christmas Eve services, you are invited to attend the dress rehearsal scheduled for Monday 21st Dec @ 6.30pm. Please use link above to book seats.**



### Sympathy Notice

Thankyou to all your phone calls, cards, meals: expressions of sympathy in the passing of our dear mum—Audrey and Grandma. It is comforting to know she is resting in the loving arms of our Lord and Saviour.

*Leanne, Jon, Joel & Tye Schiller*



**\$15**  
**Olive Oil For Sale!!**  
**Only 10 Left!!**  
**Available at the Café**



## PASTORAL CARE WORKER POSITION PARACOMBE PRIMARY SCHOOL

### Schools Ministry Group

together with Schools Ministry Tea Tree Gully are seeking applications for a Pastoral Care Worker

Working Hours: 12 hours per week  
Commencing: Mid Term 1 of 2021  
Job Description: [www.smg.asn.au/work-with-us](http://www.smg.asn.au/work-with-us)  
Apply By: 9:00am Thursday 4th February

## WANTED Looking for shed space to store Boat

Please contact Jon Schiller 0424 186 149 for more information



## RosTers for next Sunday 27th December

	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
9.30am Service	Mark Rawolle	Judith Whaites	Robert Mills	Allyson Dutschke	Andrew Schmidt & Rose Hillier	N/A	Schutz & Kloeden	Andrew Schmidt	Margy Knapp	Jodie Davidson Tracey Dabinet
6.30pm Salt Factory								Sue Fielke	Margy Knapp	