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GOLDEN GROVE LUTHERAN CHURCH



Sunday 14th November 2021—24th 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 - Every one is still 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 after each service.

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

ALL WELCOME!!



Giving to God

A poor widow came and put in two very small copper coins, worth only a few cents. Calling his disciples to him, Jesus said, “Truly I tell you, this poor widow has put more into the treasury than all the others. They all gave out of their wealth; but she, out of her poverty, put in everything—all she had to live on.”

Mark 12:42-44

The story of the widow’s offering is challenging for all of us. When we hear the account we just cannot identify with this woman who has so much faith in God’s provision and so much love for him that she will give everything she has to the ministry of the temple. We, like most, give out of our wealth.

To keep things in perspective, Jesus is not condemning all the others; he is simply showing how God sees things. Giving for the Lord’s work is a good thing. While everybody could plainly see the large donations, God’s attention was drawn to the smallest of all; the one that was given from a love-filled heart. This is really what the story is about. God is ultimately concerned with our relationship with his. His desire is that we have deep love for him and unshakable trust in him. When we see the widow, we are challenged to examine our love for God.

Of course we live by grace which means that Jesus does not turn away from us no matter our heart. His action is to walk with us, love and care for us, and wait for us to embrace him. His promise is not conditional. His love never fails.

Pastor Greg

Do you have a prayer request???

E-Mail
prayer_request@gglc.org.au

Readings This Week:



1 Kings 17:8-16
Hebrews 9:24-28
Mark 12:38-44

DOWNLOAD WEEKLY READINGS HERE



Kids at Heart

During the service this week, we will be looking at the theme “The Widows Offering” based on Mark 12:35-44

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

Remember to continue to send in your weekly artwork submissions. Visit

www.gglc.org.au or click link



Worship Opportunities		
Sunday 14th November	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Worship with Holy Communion Salt Factory Prayer Healing Service
Sunday 21st November	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Worship with Holy Communion Salt Factory Discussion Sunday



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!

Salt Factory 6.30 pm
Prayer Healing Service

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

ALL WELCOMED

What's Happening In Our Community

Lutheran Care Christmas Appeal Can You Help?



Lutheran Care Christmas Hampers are made possible through the donations of our community, in order to help low income families. This year they are accepting the following donations.

Christmas Treats including things such as:
Chocolates, Nuts, Pretzels, Lollies or Sweets

**Due to health and safety reasons, all food donations must be sealed and in its original packaging.*

Christmas Gifts especially gifts for:
Teenagers, Adults, Grandparents or Primary Care Givers.

All donations are needed by 3rd Dec. Boxes are always in the Foyer waiting to be filled!
Thank You For Your Generous Support!!



GGLC CHRISTMAS LUNCH at Blue Gums

Everyone is welcome to attend the GGLC Christmas Lunch on Wednesday December 1st—12 noon at the Blue Gums Hotel, 345 Hancock Rd, Fairview Park. As a deposit has to be paid for the table, please RSVP to Ruth Zimmermann (0411 230 601) no later than Sunday November 21.

Thankyou to everyone who helped and participated in last weeks Salt Factory event. Congratulations to the Salt Factory organizing team for such a successful celebration service!!

Notice of GGLC & GGLPS Half Yearly Meeting
Sunday 12th December at 10.45 am
Printed copies of the Agenda will be available Sunday 28th November

CAFE CONNECT NEEDS YOU!

**WOULD YOU LIKE TO HELP IN OUR CAFE?
JOIN OUR TEAM TODAY AND BECOME A VOLUNTEER!**

WE ARE FLEXIBLE:
MORNING SHIFTS.
AFTERNOON SHIFTS.
WEEKLY.
FORTNIGHTLY.
CASUAL.

TRAINING PROVIDED.

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE SEE ROBERT IN CHURCH OFFICE OR PASTOR GREG

YOUR TIME, EFFORT, AND PRESENCE AS A VOLUNTEER WILL MAKE A WORLD OF A DIFFERENCE THROUGHOUT THE GOLDEN GROVE LUTHERAN COMMUNITY.

GGAF ANNUAL PRESENTATION NIGHT for 2021

Saturday November 20th at 7.00pm
Golden Grove Lutheran Worship Centre

★ Includes: Powerpoint Photo Presentation, Door Prizes, Prizes for GGAF Event Winners
BYO Drinks and Nibbles

ALL WELCOME for a fun and informative night – including Non Members
Contact: Graeme Hoklas on 0419 828 091 or hoklasgr@gmail.com

Spin Camp (yrs 4-6) registrations have opened. Head to <https://www.blueprintministries.org.au/camps/spin/> for more information.

GGLC Youth

November 19 - Challenge Night
Golden Grove Lutheran Church
Years 6-12
7.15pm - 9.30pm
\$4 Entry, \$1 Cans

Bring your bibles

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JANUARY 11-14 2022
CAMP KEDRON, BARMERA

RosTers for Sunday 21st November

	PA	Power Point	6.30 pm 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	Paul Friedrich	Chelsea Friedrich	Geordie Mills	Allyson Dutschke	Rose Hillier & Denise Kloeden	Daniel Dutschke & Elizabeth Mills	Kloeden & Jenny Canavese	Robert Mills	Pastor	School
6.30pm Salt Factory	Ivan Schmocker	Kendall Kahl	Lauren Kahl	--	Leanne Schiller	--	Chloe Davidson	Dorothy Quick	Pastor	Group