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29th July 2018—10th Sunday after Pentecost

WELCOME to worship today

May we all be encouraged and strengthened in our faith through the Word of God and the Lord's Supper which we share with one another.



Tea & coffee is available following morning service Please feel welcome to join one another. ALL WELCOME

Before worship

Jesus Provides

Jesus then took the loaves, gave thanks, and distributed to those who were seated as much as they wanted. He did the same with the fish. John 6:11

It is so easy for us to focus on what we don't have as opposed to what we do. It seems that we want gifts, abilities and even things that others have while overlooking the talents and blessings we have received. We see others as better or we see our situation as dire and wonder how we can cope with pressure. Jesus has lots to say about this attitude and it is shown very clearly in his miracle of feeding the 5,000.

We know the story; two small fish and five small loaves was all that the disciples could amass to satisfy thousands of weary, hungry followers of Jesus. They looked at the crowd then looked at the food and only saw the deficit. They didn't see the Son of God standing right beside them. Their gaze was firmly on what was not there rather than what, or who, was there. In the disciples hands, the bread and fish didn't look like much. But in Jesus' hands, the same food looked like an abundance. In his hands, bellies were full and leftovers abounded.

Jesus wants us to see the possibilities of our gifts in his hands. Being a Christian is trusting Jesus with everything we see as our own. It is understanding that whatever we have to offer will be more than enough when it is offered in his service and with his blessing. This is the way that Jesus provides. In the miracle story, Jesus could have instantly taken away the crowd's hunger or filled their stomachs. But he chose to provide through the offerings and the ministry of the disciples. Today is no different. Jesus wants to provide for us all as we partner with him and allow our gifts to be used for his glory and purpose. Just like the disciples we will find the overflow fills many baskets.

Pastor Greg

Readings for today:	2 Samuel 11: 1-15		
	Ephesians		
	John	6: 1-21	

Salt Factory Worship Tonight

6.30 pm

Come at 5.45 pm for food and fellowship before the service commences.

Gold coin donation.

Look forward to seeing you there!

Worship Opportunities

TODAY 29th July	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship with HC Salt Factory worship
Friday 3rd Aug	8.45-9.15 am	Informal worship with school community
Sunday 5th Aug	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship with HC Salt Factory worship
Friday 10th Aug	8.45-9.15 am	Informal worship with school community

What's Happening in our community

Monday 30th July	Tuesday 31st July	Wed 1st Aug	Thursday 2nd Aug	Friday 3rd Aug	Sunday 5th Aug	
7.00 pm GGLPS P&F Meeting GGLPS Student lead conferences		3.30–6.30 pm GGLPS Student lead conferences Bible Study		9.30 am Mainly Music/ Playgroup	9.30 am Worship	
7.30 pm APPLY—Young Adults Bible Study	7.00pm Worship team meeting			7.15 pm GGLC Youth	6.30 pm Salt Factory Prayer/ Healing service	

Kids at Heart

Children are invited to join Kids at Heart children's ministry time during the morning worship service.

This Sunday's BibleSong topic is *"Jesus feeds 5000"* based on John 6:1-21

The Kids at Heart BibleSong program operates under the ChildSafe LCA program which is a safety and risk management system with a focus on keeping children and young people safe

Cardboard boxes needed



During Term 3 of BibleSong the children will be taught about the *"Armour of God"* and then following on from that lesson they will be invited to create their own *"Armour of God"*.

To do this we are asking for donations of various sizes of cardboard boxes – small, big or in between – any size will be helpful. Donations can be brought to church or admin office up until end of August.

For further enquiries contact Natasha Jaeschke.

women's bible study

Held each Thursday evening during school term 7.00-8:30 pm. at Ahrens' house.

Anyone interested can call Lee Norrey (mobile 0414 346 062)

growing deeper, together

ALL WELCOME.

Christian Book Sale TODAY

Sale of Christian books from our GGLC Library. These will include adult and children's books, fiction and non-fiction.

Come browse what's on offer.

CASH ONLY SALES PLEASE.





Playgroup / mainly music this Friday 3rd August, 9.30–11.00 am in the Worship Centre.

Designed for pre-schoolers, please come join us as we sing, dance & play using the mainly music program followed by a healthy snack. Gold coin donation. **ALL WELCOME**.



for next Sunday 5th Aug

PA + Opening/ Closing up	Power- point	Music Group	Greeters / Ushers	Readers	Devotion for Bulletin Prayers	Assistants with HC	Flowers	Church Cleaning
Jon Schutz	Schutz	Jacquie Schutz	Dutschke	Rob Whait	M Knapp M Knapp	G Hoklas D Dutschke	Carolyn Wachtel	Dutschke
Joel Schiller								



Request for assistance

Assistance is needed with hospitality for the next the CC Disco Night on 10th August.

Assistance is needed with heating and serving children's snack and serving tea, coffee and snacks to parents and making connections.

If you can help please contact Natasha Jaeschke through the church office (8282 6050).



GGLC and GSPV Youth Retreat Friday 5th – Sunday 7th October 2018 Camp Kedron, Barmera (we will be taking the bus) Youth in years 7-12



Golden Grove Amateur Fishing (GGAF)

RAPID BAY JETTY FISHING TRIP Date: Saturday 11th August 2018 Time: 11.00am

Where: Meet at the Rapid Bay Jetty Car Park on Fleurieu Peninsula.

Suggested Bait: Cockles, Pilchards, Squid, Worms,

Fishing from Jetty or Rocks mainly for Tommy Ruffs, Salmon Trout, Mullet, Squid, Trevally

Weigh In at 5.30 pm.

Toilets are nearby at the Rapid Bay Campground. Opportunity for a meal after the event at Yankalilla Hotel. Please note this is not part of the GGAF event which finishes at the end of the weigh in. For enquiries contact Graeme Hoklas on 0419828091.

Next Event: 9th September (Sunday) St Kilda Breakwater



AUGUST 11. 6PM \$10 PER PERSON. UP TO 12 PER TABLE. AT GOLDEN GROVE LUTHERAN CHURCH



TO BOOK A TABLE OR FOR MORE INFO. CALL NOAH HAHN 0431 852 374

COME DRESSED AS YOUR CHILDHOOD HERO

RAISING FUNDS FOR GGLC AND GSPV YOUTH RETREAT

BYO FOOD AND DRINKS \$1 SOFT DRINKS WILL BE AVAILABLE

YOUTH SERVICE NIGHT

Do you need help to complete some small jobs around your home?

GGLC and GSPV Youth are having a service night on August 24th (7.15 - 9.30pm) and would like to offer their services to help out a couple families from each congregation.

If you are interested contact Paul Voigt on 0475 218 447 or Chelsea Schiller on 0447 225 517

Firewood Available for Ordering - All proceeds go toward the GGLC renovations.

Please use the online form at <u>http://bit.ly/gglcwood</u> to place an order.

6x4 trailer: \$120 7x4 trailer: \$140 8x5 trailer: \$200 + \$180 per additional layer Kindling: \$10 per 7.5kg bag.

Further details are available on the online ordering form.



★ Thurs 2 Aug
★ Fri 3 Aug
★ Sat 4 Aug
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Graeme Hoklas Sue Prideaux Ruth Zimmermann Jon Schutz

We hope your special day is blessed with God's love & grace



Support for the work and ministry of **Lutheran Community Care** is ongoing and encouraged.

During the month of July LCC invite you to replenish their Emergency Relief shelves with donations of Pillows; Pasta sauce; Sweet biscuits



Boxes and bags are always in the Foyer waiting to be filled!



GGLC Renovations -Tax Deductible Donations

Donating to the School Building Fund for carpet replacement in the Worship Centre is an effective way to support our overall renovations project, which includes carpet, chairs, cafe, office, deck and toilets. Details of the Cafe, Office, Deck and Amenities renovations, with information on how to make tax deductible donations to the School Building Fund, can be found on our website at http://www.gglc.org.au/gglc/news/2017/06/11/renovationplans/

Videos of Sunday's messages can be viewed on our website or YouTube, and announcements are made on Facebook and Twitter as soon as new items become available.

If you choose to give the video posts a Like/Share/Favourite/ Retweet on Facebook or Twitter, you're helping to increase the number of people that might see Pastor Greg's message. A seemingly trivial click - it may be the easiest act of ministry you ever do!

Website: <u>http://www.gglc.org.au/</u>, go to "For Members" and select "Pastor's Messages"

Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/gglc.lca/

GGLC OFFERINGS

Members are offered the opportunity of Regular Electronic Giving (REG) which provides a way to give regularly and consistently without having to remember to bring money for the offering plate every Sunday. More information about REG can be found in the <u>Giving section of the LLL</u> <u>website</u>.

The LLL Account No. for GGLC Regular Electronic Giving is 28190/S1/ GOL

To transfer money into the LLL Golden Grove Lutheran Fellowship REG A/c from another bank please use:

BSB (Branch) number - 704942 and Account No. - 28190