



*Our mission:*  
**KNOWING  
CHRIST AND  
MAKING HIM  
KNOWN**

# GOLDEN GROVE LUTHERAN CHURCH

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*Our goal:*  
**Care, Communicate,  
Connect so that people  
may know CHRIST.**

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9th April 2017—PALM SUNDAY

**WELCOME to worship today !**

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

Tea & coffee is available in the Fellowship Centre following morning service  
and at 5.45 pm a light meal is available prior to the 6.30 pm service



**Please feel welcome to join one another. ALL WELCOME**



### Before worship

#### **Don't go to any trouble...**

I remember as a child (and still do it now!), that if someone 'special' was coming we needed to make certain preparations: cleaning the house extra well, cooking special foods, wearing our best clothes, and being on our best behaviour. We wanted to 'impress' upon the guest/s that we were worthy of their visit – to make them feel 'special'. And I still hear that comment (from the guest) "I hope you didn't go to any trouble for me". Of course it was always 'no trouble' – but even as children, we knew different.

Jesus arriving into Jerusalem was a similar situation – here was this 'King' arriving in all His glory – and yet where was the pomp and pageantry? For royalty at this time, there was the expectation of dressed horses, camels, guards, attendants, trumpeters... And yet here He is, arriving on a donkey? A simple beast of burden. No herald, no opportunity to prepare for His arrival – but Jesus is not 'that kind of King!'

For Jesus to come, all high and mighty, His purpose would have been overshadowed by the pageantry. Instead Jesus came to die in our place – this is what was so threatening to the high priests and teachers of the law. Here was this 'simple person', the son of a carpenter, a child born out of wedlock, yet with a majestic purpose that shook their understanding and religious practices to their very core.

Jesus was the only one who knew what the ensuing week would hold – the significance of His arrival, simple people laying their cloaks before Him, paving the way for their own salvation.

Hosanna – He comes in glory – for each of us. Let US praise Him forevermore!

Allyson Dutschke



### **Readings for today:**

**Phil. 2:5-1**

**Matt. 21:1-11**

### **Worship Opportunities**

<b>Today 9th April</b>	<b>9.30 am</b> <b>6.30 pm</b>	Contemporary worship Salt Factory worship with HC
<b>Thurs 13 April</b>	<b>7.00 pm</b>	<b>Maundy Thursday Worship with HC</b>
<b>Friday 14 April</b>	<b>9.30 am</b>	<b>Good Friday Worship</b>
<b>Sunday 16 April</b>	<b>6.20 am</b>	<b>Easter Dawn service held at Jon &amp; Jacquie Schutz's home, 97 Range Rd North, Upper Hermitage</b> <b>The property can be reached either from North East road or Seaview Rd (for people on the Golden Grove side).</b>
	<b>9.30 am</b>	<b>Easter day worship with HC in GGLC Worship Centre followed by hot cross buns for morning tea.</b>

### **Holy Week and Easter Services**



*Come Worship With Us!*

### Invitation to Prayer Time

Pastor Greg holds prayer time at 9.15 am before worship on Sunday mornings.

Anyone is welcome to come and join Pastor Greg.

It is held in the Youth room of the Fellowship Centre.

### Kids at Heart

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

This Sunday's BibleSong topic is 'Palm Sunday celebrated'.

*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 in their programs and activities.*

### Salt Factory 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!

## A Night to Remember



A Night to Remember is a time to reflect on what Christ has done for you. It begins with the Maundy Thursday worship service held at 7pm in the Golden Grove Lutheran Church Worship Centre. Following this there will be an opportunity to hang out or go through the stations of the cross in your own time. We encourage all to stay for the Good Friday service at 9:30am which concludes a Night to Remember.

**When:** Thursday April 13 (Maundy Thursday) at 7pm until Friday April 14th (Good Friday) at 10.30am

**Where:** Golden Grove Lutheran Church

**What to bring:** sleeping gear (including mattress), bible and writing utensil

For more information contact Jesse Hahn on 0431 523 160

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS



### An Easter Reflection

Good Friday – 14 April 2017

1pm to 5pm

Dahlenburg Property, 10 Amberdale Road, Houghton

From 1pm onwards a Good Friday meditation will be held for an individual or a family experience where a printed guide will take you past 12 stations for private reflection, meditation and activities. You are free to spend as much time as you wish at any station. The activities at each station are well suited for children of all ages, giving them an enjoyable way to remember the story of Christ's suffering and death on the cross.

Persons who are not familiar with the Christian message would be comfortable at this event.

The walk is around 600m long with some rough ground and gentle climbs through the garden and paddock. Hence the stations walk is only suitable for able bodied persons. Participants should wear good walking shoes and casual clothes suitable for the weather conditions of the day. Allow approximately 40 minutes to do the walk if you do not participate in any of the station activities.

Anybody is welcome and please bring your friends. If you would like any further information, call Adrian on 0488 739 300.

Please refer to flyer on noticeboard in our church foyer for map.

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for Next Sunday : 16th April

PA + Opening/Closing up	Power-point	Music Group	Greeters / Ushers	Readers	Children's Address ----- Kid's Craft	Devotion for Bulletin ----- Prayers	Assistants with HC	Flowers	Church Cleaning
Joel Schiller	Tanya Wilson	Jacque Schutz	J Canavese D Quick		Ps Greg ----- N Jaeschke	M Knapp ----- Ps Greg	C Hersevoort J Rawolle		
	<b>NO</b>	<b>SALT</b>	<b>FACTORY</b>	<b>WORSHIP</b>	<b>SERVICE</b>				

## Prayer Healing Night

### OPEN HOUSE -

**Wednesday 12th April - 7.30pm at Napier's (Windsor Gardens)**

Bible study teaching God's word with the opportunity for a "personal breakthrough" in prayer & healing for anything people have needs in, mental, physical, spiritual, employment, family issues - anything at all. Learning also to be disciples of Jesus.

Bible study using "Andrew Wommick" Ministries Material then this is then followed by healing/prayer.

Contact Jon: 0424 186 149 or Paul: 0413 604 000

An upcoming **Professional Standards Workshop** is being held at St John's Lutheran Church Tea Tree Gully on the 3<sup>rd</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> of May, 7.30-9.30 pm.

The workshop consists of 2 modules –

1. LCA Standards of Ethical Behaviour
2. Working with Children and Youth

We would like to encourage all adult congregational members to participate in this workshop. It is a requirement for all members in leadership positions in a congregation to have completed a workshop within the last 3 years.

Anyone working with children or youth must hold current ChildSafe Team Member training. A Workshop can be completed to attain this training, or an online test completed within 3 years to refresh that training.

The cost of the workshop is \$40 per person, but GGLC will cover the costs of this training.

Registrations essential. *Register online .....*  
www.sa.lca.org.au by Monday 1st May 2017



## Golden Grove Amateur Fishing

### WAITPINGA BEACH/SURF FISHING TRIP

**Date:** Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> April 2017

**Time:** 10.00am

**Where:** Meet in the Waitpinga Beach Car Park (allow 2 hours driving).

Suggested Bait: Cockles, Pilchards, Squid, White-bait, Berley, Lures etc.

Fishing mainly for Salmon and Mullet.

Weigh In at 4.30pm.

Toilets are close by in the car park.

**PLEASE NOTE: This is surf fishing – bring extra clothing if necessary.**

**Opportunity for tea at the Crown Hotel, Victor Harbor - booking will be for 6.30pm to 7.00pm for those who can stay. We will arrange booking after 10am on the day.**

For enquiries contact Graeme Hoklas at School Office 8282 6000 or 0419828091

### NEXT EVENT

**Cadell-River Murray Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> May at 10.30am**

### **For notice and attention**

The LCA Professional Standards Department asks that all congregational members be made aware of the LCA Standards of Ethical Behaviour. Leaflets are available in the foyer and a short video is available at <https://youtu.be/gqVn6mWdBzk>

