



Jesus said, "I am the vine,
You are the branches."
John 15.5

*Our mission: "Making
Christ known in the
community so that all
may worship Him
and receive the gift of
eternal life"*

GOLDEN GROVE LUTHERAN FELLOWSHIP

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



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23rd June 2013—5th Sunday after Pentecost

WELCOME to all worshipping with us today

Greetings to any visitors here with us. We are pleased to have you join us and we trust you have felt welcomed and pray the Holy Spirit may enlighten and empower us with the messages shared today.



*Tea & coffee is available in the Fellowship Centre following morning service
and at 5.45 pm a light tea is available prior to the 6.30 pm evening service
Please feel welcome to join us.*

Before Worship

Dragging someone's good name into the dirt is one of those sins that everyone enjoys at some time or other. It's what makes good headlines in our newspapers and ups the sales to amazing heights. It seems that there is something within us that makes us want to know what the perpetrator has done and how he did it! And it's not just innocent curiosity. Somehow the 'old Pharisee' is there within us reminding us into thinking like the Pharisee of old, "thank you God that I am not like that terrible guy!"

It's not difficult to put another person down but think about the damage it does? James compares it with a bushfire. It only takes a spark to get it going—that's all—but what a consequence! The devil often keeps the full picture from our eyes. He doesn't let us see what damage it does to the other person but **it is absolutely real!** Dragging someone's good name down is a sin. It's like a bushfire that keeps on burning until it finally burns down the house!

Jonathan inspires us to do it differently. When his father, King Saul, out of jealousy wanted to get rid of David, he defended David, spoke well of him and did everything he could to shield him from harm. Instead of agreeing with me when I put someone down, why not defend the other person and be like Christ to him!

Len Tscharke

Worship Opportunities

Today 23rd June	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship with HC Salt Factory worship
Friday 28th June	2.30pm	Closing chapel for Term 2
Sunday 30th June	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship Salt Factory worship with HC
Sunday 7th July	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship Salt Factory worship with HC



Family Friendly Worship

At Golden Grove, we love **everybody** to be involved in worship.

Please encourage children and visitors to join in the singing and prayers, and to stand and sit at appropriate times when they are able. This is best done by leading by example!

For our 'little ones' - Quiet bags & busy books are available for worship time from the children's area inside the church.

The "Kids at Heart" team run a **QUIET** craft table during the sermon. That way, the children have some time with their parents during the morning services, and also a little bit of time to be creative, to wriggle around and to learn about our God and what He means to us through artistic activities, with their friends. All children are welcome to join in this time. It is not appropriate for unattended children to play in the foyer at any time during the service. Please ask an usher if you require assistance, or speak to a "Ministry Leader" if you would like to help young families during worship times.

Thank you for worshipping with us!

Pastor's Column

Are you ever worried about what people say about you behind your back? Have you considered what you say about other people? Then *what can you say* about another person? We understand that malicious gossip, rumours, innuendoes can hurt but *what about* when it's all true... and "we only want to be helpful"?

These are some of the questions we shall consider in the address this morning as we look at **the gift of a good name**. We'll be considering how you can destroy a person's name, how do we look after their name and how in fact God has given us a good name.

Tonight at **Salt Factory**, one of newest members, Ellen Hentze will be speaking.

Next Sunday we conclude our sermon series on the gift of the commandments by looking at the last two, summed up by "You shall not covet." - **The gift of a holy heart**

We shall also be celebrating **Sebastian Hancock's baptism**.

Don't forget about the invitation to fill in the "**Finance Questions**" through *Survey Monkey*, which our District Bishop would like us to answer. (If you don't have access to a computer there are copies of this questionnaire in the foyer.) Fellowship Groups have been asked to discuss this questionnaire and as a group fill it in as well. Remember, could you please complete the questionnaire by 3rd July so that we can collate it and send our congregational response to our District Bishop.

How you going with **Bible for the persecuted program**, which "partners us with Bible League to make a difference in the lives of persecuted Christians"- through understanding, prayer and a daily donation of \$2 for a Bible? "Passport with no boundaries" prayer resource booklet and a Bible shaped money boxes are still available. We conclude the program next Sunday.

My apologies to the GGAF-ers. I was a month out in the date of the Tackle Night in last week's "What's coming up during the week?" (It's on Monday 15th July.)

You might notice that in (what is coming up during the week) that I shall be attending a workshop "**Teaching Christian Meditation to students**" on the 4th July. Feel free to talk to me about this if you are interested.

Pastor Leon

What's coming up during the week?

This week

Tuesday (25/6/13)	7.30pm Worship Team
Thursday (27/6/13)	3.15pm The Journey (The Congregation)
Friday (28/6/13)	2.30pm Closing term service
Friday (28/6/13)	7pm Awakening/Revival Chill Out

Next week:

Sunday/Monday	School/Church staff retreat
Monday (1/7/13)	7pm Sit and Sew
Thursday (4/7/13)	9am " Teaching meditation to students " workshop

Youth News!

Ephesians 5:8 - "Live as children of light". Isaiah 53:10b - He gave Himself as an offering for sin so that He'd see life come from it - life, life and more life.

Another week, another **Awakening** (Years 6 to 8) and also **Revival!** (Years 9 to 12). Our final event for the term will



once more be a combined event, with a lot of mystery surrounding it! We will be playing **CSI: Christ's Scene Investigation** on **Friday, June 28** from **7pm** until **9:30pm**. Get ready for a Golden Grove youth specialty: a big mystery game. You'll need to slowly piece the puzzle together to figure out the answer to this one! We'll be exploring as a youth group Jesus' sacrifice and also the mystery of God in general. We ask for a small donation of \$4 to cover costs, \$1 for cans and require Childsafe forms for every child that comes.



Last week (14/6), our youth combined with four other youth groups to attend **Unite, Pray, Love v5** at Good Shepherd Lutheran church. The night started off with some full-on games, before moving into a deeper time of worship and sharing. We then had some tasty nachos and engaged in conversation

with people we didn't know beforehand. Please pray for both our Golden Grove youth ministry as well as our other local youths, as it is always encouraging to see so many young people together praising God.

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INVITATION TO PARTICIPATE IN SURVEY

The SA/NT District Bishop has asked for Pastors and congregational members to fill in a "**Finance Questions**" survey. This questionnaire is available at <http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/JJBL7MT>. We ask if this could please be completed by **3rd July** so our congregational response can be collated and sent to our District Bishop.

(If you don't have access to a computer there are copies of this questionnaire in the Church foyer and these can be returned to Judith in the Admin Office.) Fellowship Groups have been asked to discuss this questionnaire and as a group fill it in as well.

PACKETS OF DRIED APRICOTS FOR SALE AFTER WORSHIP TODAY

500 g packets of dried apricots direct from a grower in the Riverland will be available for sale following worship today.

Cost is \$10.50 per 500 g pkt with proceeds going to aid **OVERSEAS MISSION WORK**.

Please see Lyn Plane

WORSHIP ROSTERS FOR JULY—AUGUST

The July-August rosters have been prepared and sent to all worship helpers via email.

They are also available from our GGLF website and a printed copy is attached to the glass wall in the Church Foyer.

RosTers

for Sunday 30th June

PA + Opening/Closing up	Power-point	Music Group	Greeters/ Ushers	Readers 9.30 am only	Children's Address 9.30 am	Prayers 9.30 am only	Assistants with HC	Flowers	Church Cleaning	Salt Factory Catering
Bruce Lindner	Jeremy Lindner	Jacque Schutz	Hoklas	Graham Pfeffer	Lesley Friedrich	Graham Pfeffer		Nadia Napier	Kloeden Knapp	
Leon Pfeffer			Ken Campbell				D & R Kloeden			Napier



Date Claimers: Important Coming Events at GGLF, FYI.

Disability Sunday	4/8/13
Endeavour Quiz Night	23/8/13
Quilting Exhibition and Fete	14/9/13
GGAF Camp	11-13/10/13
GGAF Presentation Night	16/11/13
Confirmation Day	17/11/13

This is a new feature of the Weekly Bulletin, which will be included in the Bulletin each month



CAN YOU HELP ?

By collecting empty tissue boxes for our youth worker Jason Kupke. Empty boxes can be brought to the Admin office or left for Jason by his office with a note. They are required for CLW camps in both the July & September holidays. *Thank you*

NEW NAME BADGES

We are in the process of ordering new resin-coated name badges for the congregation. This will be at a cost to you of \$7-00 per badge, which will include a magnet backing. This is quite a low cost for such a badge, provided we place an order of 25 or more. These look very smart and give the Fellowship a sense of belonging to something very special. If you are interested please take on order form from the back of the Church Foyer or from the Church office.

Please place completed order and correct money into Margot Martin's pigeon hole.



"Sit & Sew" - Monday 1st July, 7-9pm in the F/Centre

You are most welcome to join us even if you haven't been before. These sessions are **not** a formal teaching class, instead you are encouraged to bring along whatever project you are currently working on.

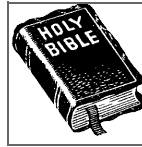
Bring your friends. The cost of each session is \$5.00. Supper provided.

For more information please contact Heidi Rosenberg on: Home 82514007

CHILDSAFE TEAM MEMBER TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES

Sat 29th June at Zion Glynde (17-19 Glynburn Rd, Glynde) from 10am—4.30 pm (BYO lunch). Ph Glynde church office on 8365 3033 to register

Sun 30th June at Immanuel church Gawler, Cnr 2nd & 7th sts Gawler, 12 noon—6 pm. Call Helen at the District Office on 8267 5211 (Mon, Tues or Thurs) to register.



BIBLE STUDY INVITATION

An invitation is extended to interested ladies to come along to a bible study on either Monday or Friday at 1.30 – 3pm to be held at church.

Please contact Lee Norrey 0414346062 or Jacque Schutz 0411426158 if you are interested.

It is hoped to start at the beginning of next term.

Men@ParaVista

Come to breakfast and hear about "THE CHALLENGE THAT IS CAMBODIA" "Bringing Christ to Cambodia through children" from Con Schlenk OAM

Saturday 29th June 7.30 am at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, 388 Montague Road, PARA VISTA

Con has travelled to Cambodia a number of times to be part of this work. Hear about the wonderful opportunities for mission in South East Asia.

Donation of \$7 is appreciated. Contact Jim 0438 899 629 Email men@paravista.org.au

INVITATION TO FAREWELL SERVICE OF REV'D DR MIKE SEMMLER

Members of GGLF are invited to attend the above service on **Sunday 30th June at 3.30 pm** at Barossa Arts & Convention Centre, Faith Lutheran College, Magnolia Rd, Tanunda. See flyer on noticeboard for further info



*Luke Napier &
Melissa Prinion*

Invite FOR YOU to join them on their SPECIAL DAY AS they become MR AND MRS

SUNDAY 7TH OF JULY 2013

at

OAKDEN BAPTIST CHURCH
215-233 FOSTERS ROAD, OAKDEN

1 :30PM



The 2013/14 Entertainment Book is now available to purchase. Please feel welcome to contact either the church or school office to place an order.

Books may also be purchased online at <https://www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/161k370>. Cost is \$65 with proceeds towards our Asaroka, PNG partnership.

Daily Bible Readings for this week

Monday: (24/6/13) Matthew 22:23-40
 Tuesday: (25/6/13) Matthew 22:41-23:12
 Wednesday: (26/6/13) Matthew 23:13-26
 Thursday: (27/6/13) Matthew 23:27-39
 Friday: (27/6/13) Matthew 24:1-14
 Saturday: (29/6/13) Psalm 16
 Sunday: (30/6/13) 1 Kings 21:1-16
 1 Tim. 6:16-17
 Matthew 15:10-20



Help LCC provide care to those who need it most this Winter

By donating to the LCC Winter Appeal you will help people doing it tough this winter.

Remember that the end of the financial year is fast approaching - tax time!

All donations over \$2 are tax deductible.

For more information telephone: 82699333 or visit: www.lccare.org.au

Food for Thought

4pm, Today

Topic: **What is the relevance of the Augsburg Confession for us today?**

Speaker: Dr. Dean Zweck, Lecturer in Church History, Australian Lutheran College
 Venue: 137 Archer St, North Adelaide (Parking at rear)

AUSTRALIAN LUTHERAN COLLEGE

ANNUAL APPEAL

Australian Lutheran College

trains and equips people for service in the church and the world with the good news of the gospel and seek our help in doing this through your financial gift this year. Appeal packs are available from our Church Foyer.

Friends of Lutheran Archives meeting.

Topic: **Shanghai Exodus.** Speaker: Dr Wolfgang Preiss. The story of how his family fled the Communist takeover of China to come to South Australia with Pastor JJ Stolz's help. At Bethlehem House, Sudholz Place, Adelaide, on Monday 24 June at 7.30 pm. Supper. Gold coin donation.

PLEASE CHECK OUT THE NOTICEBOARD FOR OTHER NOTICES AND OPPORTUNITIES

Aid for Hearing Impaired

As an aid for the hearing impaired, the service is transmitted on 88.3 MHz FM radio.

Prayer Chain

Means a lot of people praying about an urgent or special need. For urgent prayer requests during the week you are invited to contact one of following people and the prayer chain will be set in progress. (Pastor Len & Claire Tscharke, Jon Schiller, Tanya Wilson, Judith Whaites.)

All requests will be kept confidential.

The prayer chain is available for everyone in both the church and school communities. Likewise if anybody feels they would like to be a part of the prayer chain we'd love you to join us.

Worship recording

Each service is recorded. DVD's can be ordered for a \$5 donation. See the Church Office.

Bibles

Bibles are available at the back of the church so that you can follow the Readings and Bible references in the Sermon.

We offer you one of these Bibles to take home, if you need one, and possibly bring back each week (so that *the one you use at home is the one you use in church*). If you would like to make a donation towards it - \$10 would be appreciated.

Meals Ministry

(A practical way we can share & show God's love)

Families rostered to support Meals Ministry in June are: McLuckie and Knapp

When donating meals for the freezer we ask that you please attach some details to the container, eg name of the meal, date meal was prepared, a list of main ingredients, and heating instructions. Thank you.

Library

Don't forget the Library is open for browsing and borrowing.

Christian greeting cards always for sale from the Mobile Unit in the Fellowship Centre — Cost \$2 .

Pastor Leon's Message

is available in printed copy form immediately after the service from the Church Foyer . Please feel welcome to take a copy home.

Internet access

to weekly GGLF bulletin, Sermon, Life in the Vine, rosters and other info. You can get to it by going to www.gglf.org.au and then clicking Files.

Stamps For Missions

Remember to keep collecting your used postage stamps for missions. Box in Foyer.

GGLF Attendance & Offerings

(Offerings do not include electronic giving amount of approx. \$12000 per month .)

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

To transfer money into the LLL Golden Grove Lutheran Fellowship REG A/c please use: BSB (Branch) number - 704942 and Account No. - 28190

	Attendance	Offerings
Sunday 16/6 9.30 am	86	\$1072.40
6.30 pm	56	\$ 289.10

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