

# Southern Barossa Lutheran Church Newsletter Sunday, 27 April 2025 – Second Sunday of Easter Interim Pastor: Paul Kerber Liturgical Colours - White or Gold

To be a vibrant church community, passionate disciples of Christ, empowering and equipping our people to share the love and joy of Jesus to all.

#### WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

#### **SUNDAY 27 APRIL**

Bethany 10:30 am HC Harvest Thanksgiving Pr Rob Schubert Grace - St Paul's 9:00am HC Children's Service Pr Mark Kleeman

# Langmeil No Services

Lyndoch 10:30am Pr Peter Hartwich Tabor 9:00am HC Pr Rob Schubert

10:30am German Language Service Gerhard Ruediger

#### **SUNDAY 4 MAY**

Bethany 10:30am

Grace St Paul's 9:00 am

Langmeil 08:45am HC & 10:30am

Pr Paul Kerber

Lyndoch 10:30am Pr Wayne Kerber

Schoenborn No Service
Tabor No Service

#### **SUNDAY 11 MAY**

Bethany 10:30am HC Pr Peter Hartwich

Grace - St Paul's No Service

Langmeil 8:45am Pr Jim Bryan 10:45am FUEL

Lyndoch 9:30am HC Pr Gus Schulz Tabor 9:00am HC Pr Peter Hartwich

#### **WEDNESDAY 14 MAY**

Grace St John's 2:00pm HC

#### **BIBLE READINGS SUNDAY 27 APRIL 2025**

The First Reading: Acts 5:27-32 Psalm 118:14-29 *or* Psalm 150

The Second Reading: Revelation 1:4-8

The Gospel: John 20:19-31

### **Readings for your Devotions**

Sunday - John 20:19–31 Monday - 1 Peter 3:1–12 Tuesday - 1 Peter 3:13 – 4:6 Wednesday - 1 Peter 4:7–19 Thursday - 1 Peter 5:1–14 Friday - Titus 1:1–16

Saturday - Psalm 30
Offering Prayer

Living God,

let the resurrection of your Son transform our lives. Make us bold in serving you and bringing your good news to other people.

Amen

# **Pray for Mission, Unity and Community:**

Young Life, Schools, Godly Play, Pastoral Care Workers, Lutheran Care, Tanunda Lutheran Home, Barossa Village, The Hub, Grow Love Garden, GOoD Seed, Funday Sunday, Bible Society, German Services, Southern Barossa Lutheran Church and Pastor Paul Kerber.

#### **Prayer of the Day**

Almighty God, we have celebrated the festival of our Lord's resurrection. Lead us, by your goodness,

to bear its fruits in our lives.
We ask this through your Son,
Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns
with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and forever.

Amen.

#### THIS WEEK'S QUOTE

Jesus will always walk with you, whatever road you are on.

#### SOUTHERN BAROSSA LUTHERAN CHURCH\_

#### STEP BACK IN TIME

Pack down will take place on Monday 28/4 and Tuesday 29/4, starting at 9:00 AM each day. Many hands make light work—if you're available to lend a hand, your help would be greatly appreciated!

#### TANUNDA LUTHERAN WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

Next meeting 1:30pm May 8th at The Langmeil Centre hosted by Tabor. Bible Study, Project Donation to Home of Praise Thailand.

#### FRIENDS OF THE SBLC - NEWS AND EVENTS

# Happening at The Christian Community Hub Starting this week -

Tuesday 29/4 9:30am Know Your Bible

Wednesday 30/4 10:00am Art Group

# **Volunteers Needed – Tuesday Lunch Bunch**

**Tuesday Lunch Bunch** is back from **13th May** at The Christian Community Hub! Held on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month, this lunch is all about sharing God's love with our community and building social connections. We offer a simple meal and a warm, welcoming space for people to meet, connect, and enjoy each other's company. We'd love your help! Volunteers are always needed to set up, serve food and chat and connect with guests. Donations of easy-to-serve meals like soup or casseroles are also greatly appreciated.

If you'd like to volunteer or donate food, please call us on 8563 3478 or pop into The Hub for a chat.

# **Sprocket Rockets and Hugamugs**

Tuesday (April 29th) Hugamugs meet at 11.00am at the Novotel Barossa Valley Resort (42 Pioneer Ave, Rowland Flat) and Sprocket Rockets get together at the same venue at 10.30am on Thursday (May 1st) after leaving the Langmeil Church carpark at 9.30am.

**Chatty Cafe -** Wednesday's 9.30-11.30am @ Lyndoch Church Hall, 7 Margaret St Lyndoch. Brought to you by Lutheran Care/Community Connections.

**Lyndoch Craft Group -** meets every Thursday in Lyndoch Church hall, 9.30am-12 noon. Everyone welcome to join in. Please contact Margaret Wallace 0437060719 for more information

# Funday Sunday 2025 is happening — and we'd love your help!

Next meeting May 5th at 7:00pm at The Hub.

Join us for a fun-filled day of community connection, free food, and exciting activities. We're currently looking for volunteers to assist with stall operations, setup, and pack down on the day. We also welcome donations to help make this event even better. Contributions can be made to the Funday Sunday account care of the **Christian Community Hub BSB 70942 Account 101091788** 

For more information or to get involved, please contact Carly Kroehn at 0421 765 550.

Let's make Funday Sunday 2025 a day to remember—together!

#### **Administrative Assistant - Greenock Lutheran Parish**

The Greenock Lutheran Parish is seeking applications for this casual, average 10 hours per week position, commencing June 2025. This position will provide administrative support to the 3 congregations of Nain, St Michael's Gnadenfrei and St Peter's, Greenock, the Greenock Lutheran Parish and the Parish Pastor. For more information or to request a position description, please contact the Parish secretary via email 1sandra.nichols@gmail.com or mobile 0408 104 240.

Closing date for applications is Wednesday, 14th May.

#### **LCANZ News**

## Pray Through May in 2025

Pray Through May is an invitation to you from LCA International Mission to join members of the LCANZ as they intentionally spend time cultivating communities of prayer, celebrating who God is, and joining him in his mission in Australia, New Zealand and abroad. To register or learn more about Pray Through May, contact LCA International Mission on 08 8267 7317 or at Icaim@Ica.org.au

#### **Lutheran Media 80th Anniversary Celebrations**

Thank-you Lunch, Barossa Valley

Saturday 21 June 2025 12.00 noon - 3.00pm Kies Family Wines, Lyndoch SA

Two-course meal with wine in the barrel hall of a picturesque Barossa winery. Includes guest speaker, wine wall, silent action and exclusive event gift. Tickets are \$80pp or \$600 for a table of eight. Please note that tickets are limited, so get in quickly! Registrations close 12 June 2025 (unless sold out).

Go to www.lutheranmedia.org.au or call 1800 353 350 to read the latest ministry news.

Listen to: Messages of Hope at 10:45-11:00am each Monday, on 5BBBfm - 89.1fm.

Download or listen online at www.messagesofhope.org.au

#### **Bethany Tabor Parish**

Box 115, Tanunda, 5352. Telephone: 0418 632 006 Child Safe/SMO Coordinator Marilyn Mensforth **Bulletin Notices:** email to bethanytanunda@gmail.com by 2:00pm Wednesday

#### **Bethany/Tabor Members' Care**

If you or someone you know has a need and would like a Pastor, someone to visit or phone, a DVD of the service, prayer, or some other help, please speak to: Dennis Canute 0417 837422, Raelene Falland 0407 632032, Kay Kleemann 04 065425, Helen Menzel 0409 283201, Geoff Nicolai 0401 424503, Trevor Ratsch 0403 561709, Anne Schmidt 0408 002726, Daph Schmidt 0417 834661, Steven Sickerdick 0408 835004, or Dianne Trenberth 0488 558502. The people listed will refer you to Pastor Paul Kerber or another pastor as soon as possible.

#### We Remember in Prayer

If you or anyone you know needs prayer or wishes to be added to the prayer list please contact Nathan Semmler 0411 598 094 or Geoff Nicolai 0401 424 503 or email your request to bethanytanunda@gmail.com and we will include them in the bulletin prayer list.

**The Sick:** Matthew Roesler, Emma Habermann, Pat King, Elsie Kroschel, Anne Schmidt.

Families: Paddy & Jayne, Sofie, William, Abbey Taylor Brett & Trina, Lachlan, Charlotte Thompson

Sharon, Sarah, Daisy Berridge Rose Berridge

**AGM** will be held after church on 25th May. Please have all reports to the Secretary (Dennis Canute) by the end of April. Contact detail: email dennisandchris@rusdenwines.com.au or mobile 0417 837 422.

Rosters: Don't forget to check your copy of the rosters to see if you are rostered for next Sunday.

# Grace – Tanunda Bethlehem – Schoenborn For Pastoral Support... Please contact your Pastoral Assistants:

Merv Storton0488 743 323evries@ihug.com.auElizabeth Jaeschke0459 472 836n.jaeschke@bigpond.comTrevor Braunack0409 633 829schonborn@bigpond.com

Howard Wittwer 0459 399 967 <u>hrwittwer@aussiebroadband.com.au</u>

OR contact your A or B leader; if you have any needs, issues or concerns, or require pastoral support.

**We believe, teach and confess** - Ask at the Hub for a printed copy of read How to Receive the Sacrament of Holy Communion Worthily. *Taken from the Luther's Small Catechism with Explanation, CPH, 2017*)

**Songs:** AT405; AT150; AT67; AT343

**Grace ladies & friends!** Please come and enjoy coffee, cake, conversation and company at D&M's Bakery Café in Angaston on Friday May 2nd at 2 pm.

#### We celebrate this week:

Upcoming Birthdays: Wendy Steinberner; Robert Mueller; Doreen Brine

**Upcoming Wedding Anniversaries:** Roger & Sandy Both

#### Please pray

Healing and comforting Father, remember all who are in need. We especially pray for Heather Bergen, Jolie Zadow, Pauline Fromm, and Loris Pullen.

We pray for our fellow saints and for all their loved ones, especially today we pray for Pat Saegenschnitter, Trevor & Dianne Saegenschnitter, Robert & Wendy Schiller; Kim, Dave, Ella, Mason & Henry Bradbrook (USA); Tom Schiller; Ben, Tamara, Harrison & Charlie Schiller. You know all their needs, into Your fatherly hands we entrust them.

**Note!** If you have any other prayer requests, please, let Pastoral Assistants or your Support Network Group know by end of day Thursday.

**Giving to the Gospel** - Updated form available now. If you have additional questions, please call our Treasurer Jo Bartsch, Jo's contact number is 0411 969 733 or email <a href="mailto:abartsch7@gmail.com">abartsch7@gmail.com</a>

**Bulletin/Newsletter Notices** please contact Jeanette Marschall, email <u>jeanette@groomwines.com</u> or phone 0403 104 633. Notices can also be dropped in to the Hub 9am-4pm weekdays. To be included in the week's newsletter please submit by 2pm on Thursdays.

# Langmeil "JOYFULLY BRINGING GOD'S LOVE, PEACE AND HEALING TO ALL"

**Pastoral Support.** Do you have a need to speak to a pastor? Please direct any requests for pastoral support through our Pastoral Support Team: Pastor Jim Bryan, 0421 344 662, Ev Leske, 0448 653 761, Noleen Mattschoss, 0438 137 810, Mark Pfitzner, 0428 198 111, Penny Pfitzner, 0488 952 211, Don Ross, 8563 2108, Lorna Schiller, 0438 844 116.

**Please Pray For:** The sick, their families and carers: Lilli Scheer, Eric Pfeiffer, Bernard Lane, Peter Tscharke, Margaret Hahn, Peter Boschen, Vera Menz, Howard Klaebe, Penny Pfitzner and others with MS.

SBLC Groups and Pastor Paul Kerber.

#### Birthdays:

April 29 - John Clarke, Emma Hiscock, Scott Noack, 30 - Ronda Mugford, May 2 - Geoff Kurtz, Margaret Lienert, Robyn Hart.

#### THIS WEEK AT LANGMEIL

Kaffee und Kuchen, Monday April 28, 1:00 pm.

Confirmation, Monday April 28, 3:30 pm

Langmeil Pastoral Care meeting, Wednesday April 30, 2:30 pm at Pfitzner's.

Alpha starts Wednesday April 30, 6 pm at Langmeil

Langmeil AGM, between services (approx 9:45 am) on Sunday May 4.

#### **FURTHER AHEAD**

SA/NT District Women's Exec, Monday May 5, 9:30 am at Langmeil Worship Team, Monday May 5, 7:30 pm Women's Fellowship, Thursday May 8, 1:30 pm. Finalisation of Convention business. FUEL, Sunday May 11, 10:30 am at Faith Junior School. Cuppa from 10 am.

#### NO SERVICES AT LANGMEIL THIS WEEKEND

#### OFFERING CARDS

If your offerings are made using REG (Regular Electonic Giving) you are welcome to take red cards, available from an offering plate in The Link, or from the office, which you may like to use on the offering plate to indicate this.

#### **COMMUNION STEWARDS URGENTLY REQUIRED - Men and Women**

Please prayerfully consider if you would be able to assist with the set up and clean up procedures when we have communion services. Ideally, we would like to have 2 more people (male or female) on this roster. Please direct any enquiries to David Mattschoss, 0438 135 812.

**ROSTERS: May 3** 

Clean TLC: Dean and Annie Chambers, Kate Koch, Lesley Salmon

Yard Cleaning: Harald Sames, Ian Jaensch

MAUNDY THURSDAY: Attendance: 127 Offering: \$574

**GOOD FRIDAY:** Attendance: 79 (8:45 am) + 72 (10:30 am) = 151. Offering: \$1,213

**EASTER:** Attendance: 82 (6:45 am) + 106 (8:45 am) = 188

Offering: \$1,667.05 + \$1,569.60 (REG) = \$3,236.65

Church Office: 0493 797 220 Office Hours: 9:00 am - 12 noon, Mon – Friday Admin Sec: Colleen Bryan 0434 247 717

Lyndoch Parish "WHERE LOVE COMES TO LIFE"

**Songs @ Lyndoch:** Man of Sorrows, How deep the Father's love, Your will be done, It was finished, LH 95, The Creed, He calls me friend, Living Hope

Diary dates: 27 April - Pastor Peter Hartwich Lyndoch Rowland Flat 10.30am HC 9am HC

**Lyndoch Women's Fellowship:** Wednesday 7 May, 11.30am @ Monkey Nut Cafe. Followed by meeting in the hall @ 1.30pm.

Lyndoch Church Council meeting: Wednesday 7 May, 7.30pm in hall.

LWSA-NT Convention: Saturday 24 May, 9am-4pm @ Langmeil. BYO lunch and Tidings.

**Stamps for mission** - please recycle your stamps into the box. **Bottle top collection** - please leave in porch for Chris to collect or drop into the Hub.

**Craft Group-** meets every Thursday in Church hall, 9.30am-12 noon. Everyone welcome to join in. Please contact Margaret Wallace 0437060719 for more information.

Giving: To give electronically

\*lyndoch lutheran church reg account: bsb 704 942 acc. no. 100148638 \*trinity lutheran church bank sa account: bsb 105-024 ACC. NO. 112009840

**Parish Bulletin:** ALL notices must be in to Wendy Liebelt by 7pm TUESDAY. Notices can be emailed to wenedy96@gmail.com

Rosters: Don't forget to check your copy of the roster to see if you are rostered for next Sunday.

7 Margaret Street (PO Box 396) Lyndoch SA 5351 Lyndoch Chair - Steve Fiebiger 0448294696 Lyndoch Pastoral Assistants - Grant Fewster 0419854941 Cheryl Williams 0429916402

Rowland Flat Pastoral Assistant – Tania Heinrich 0409679164

Parish Administration Officer: wenedy96@gmail.com

Barossa 2025 Vintage Festival Events - tickets available on the festival website

Zion Lutheran Church - Angaston

Organ Recital 2pm Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April Organist: Kym Habermann St Paul's Lutheran Church – Tanunda

Historic Pipe Organs & Bells Tour

1pm Friday 25th April

**Holy Cross Gruenberg Lutheran Church** 

Moculta
 Amicus String Quartet
 2.00pm Friday 25<sup>th</sup> April

St John's Lutheran Church - Tanunda

Liedertafel 175th Anniversary Concert 2pm Saturday 26th & Sunday 27th April

St Petri Lutheran Church – Nuriootpa

**Entry by gold coin donation. Afternoon tea \$5.00** Floral and Art Display Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> – Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> April

Display open Wednesday-Friday 9:30am- 4:00pm

Saturday 9:00am-4:00pm Sunday 1:00pm-4:00pm

Live music hour 2:00pm-3:00pm daily.