

*I will  
give  
you rest*  
Matt 11:28



## LANGMEIL THANKSGIVING LUTHERAN CHURCH



“JOYFULLY BRINGING  
GOD’S LOVE, PEACE AND HEALING TO ALL”

**JULY 5 2020**  
**PENTECOST 5**

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### FROM OUR PASTOR

According to old church tradition, when the apostle John was overseer of the church in Ephesus his hobby was raising pigeons. One day one of his church members passed by, returning from a hunting expedition, and saw him tending to his birds. This hunter gently told John off for wasting his time in this way.

Well, the story goes that John noticed the hunters bow and remarked that the string was loose. “Yes”, said the man, “it has to be that way when it is not in use, otherwise the bow becomes weak and loses its strength.” And John responded, “I’m the same, I need this rest to refresh me for the work ahead.”

When Jesus’ disciples returned after he had sent them out to preach and heal and share the good news, he took them off to a quiet place to get some down time. This is a timely reminder for us, especially as our diaries are beginning to fill up again with appointments and meetings.

God desires for us to know and live by the healthy balance of work and rest which includes breaks, travel without haste, the simple enjoyment of the wonderful gifts of his creation and spending time with family and friends.

Pastor Julian

#### WORSHIP TEAM MEETING

Monday July 6, 7:30 p.m.

#### LANGMEIL PRAYER GROUP

Thursdays, 9:30 at Margaret May’s

#### SPROCKET ROCKETS

Thurs July 9, 9:30 am. Meet at  
Langmeil car-park. Coffee 10:15 am  
Tanunda Bakery, Murray St.

#### LCC EMERGENCY RELIEF

In July Langmeil’s special items are **pasta, roll-on deodorant, savoury biscuits**. Drop off at Lutheran Com. Care, 26 Second street Nuriootpa. Please ring the doorbell and place donated items on the doorstep, from where they will be collected.

#### BIRTHDAYS

July 6th	Marilyn Wohlers Sven Kahl Tamara Aspacher
7th	Jennifer Noack
8th	Lyn Graue Eli Graetz
9th	Noleen Mattschoss
11th	Joan Ruwoldt

**God bless your special day!**

#### FOR YOUR DEVOTIONS

Sunday 5	Matt 11:16-19,25-30
Monday 6	Micah 4:1-4
Tuesday 7	Matt 11:20-24
Wed 8	Matt 21:1-9
Thursday 9	Luke 14:7-14
Friday 10	Luke 14:15-23
Sat 11	Psalms 65:1-13

#### BACK TO CHURCH!

How exciting it is to get back to (almost) normal services in church again, as from next Sunday, July 12.

But there will be some noticeable changes due to the social distancing rules and health regulations. The **church capacity** will be capped at 77, since the measure is 1 person per 2 square metres. If there are more than 77 people we will overflow into the fellowship area. Please be gracious and patient if asked to be seated there.

The 1.5 metre rule also applies at all times, although families may sit together. This means that we must refrain from **hand shaking and hugging**. Sorry welcomers! Sweet smiles and elbow bumps are in!

**No food and drink** is allowed, except Holy Communion. Sorry morning tea/coffee people!

We will start without **Holy Communion** during the month of July, but will resume HC in August. We need to work out a plan for moving in the space safely (aisle, etc.), considering the 1.5 m rule again. Holy Communion will be without the common cup; individual cups only will be used.

If you like to use a **Bible** during worship please bring your own as these will be removed from the pews.

**Activities for children** will not be available. Please bring your own pencils, paper or other material from home.

**Hygiene** is of the utmost importance. Personally, regular hand washing in our public facility, along with hand sanitising, are musts. Also, please do not come to church if you are displaying any of the Covid symptoms.

## HOLY COMMUNION

Pastor Julian is happy to come and share the Sacrament of Holy Communion with home groups or families. Individual cups will be provided. Please contact the church office, or Pastor directly.

Please bear in mind that we need to make sure social distancing and a density of 1 person per 2 square metres are maintained.

## KIDS' CHURCH ROOM

Members are invited to **contribute financially towards extra items** for the 'new' Kids' Church room, such as furniture, television and floor coverings. Speak to Vicki Rochow or Phil Hiscock.

## EMAIL SCAM ALERT

Along with thousands of other people and businesses, Langmeil members have this week been the subjects of a cyber attack from China. The email that has been received purports to come from Pastor Julian, using julian.bayha.lca.au@gmail.com (which is incorrect!) and headed "Hello (name), a quick little assistance please". It finishes with "Let me know immediately you get this. Pastor Julian".

Please keep an eye out for anything suspicious.

1. Check the sender's email. Delete before opening if suspicious.
2. Don't answer any unexpected emails
3. Be suspicious of emails that ask for money. Langmeil does not send out emails to specific people, asking for a personal donation.

If in any doubt about an email contact the church office or Pastor Julian.

## DIGITAL LITERACY

Learn how to manage online - Centrelink, banking, My Gov, email, how to apply for concessions, download budgeting apps and search the internet. For a FREE individual session contact Margaret at Barossa Lutheran Community Care, ph. 8562 2688.

## SURPLUS ITEMS AVAILABLE

2-drawer office desk (150 cm x 86 cm), 2-drawer filing cabinet, whiteboard (120 cm x 120 cm). Call Colleen at the church office, or Phil Hiscock. Donations, please.

## CONTINUATION OF GIVING

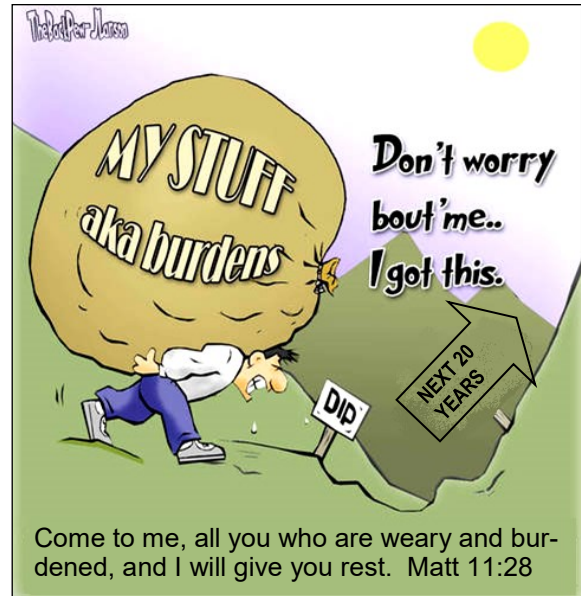
- Regular Electronic Giving (REG) via the Lutheran Laypeople's League (preferred), where you remain anonymous. We can email a form to you or contact the LLL via phone (1800 556 457) or [lll@lll.org.au](mailto:lll@lll.org.au)
- Transfer Electronic funds from your bank to the Langmeil account: BSB: 105 024, Account: 112 002 340. Your offering is not anonymous.
- Post a cheque to the Church Office, deliver your offering to the Church Office in a sealed envelope.
- Put aside an amount each week and make a larger than normal contribution when church resumes.

## PASTOR ON HOLIDAYS

Note that Pastor Julian will be taking a week of holidays from Monday July 13 until Sunday July 19 inclusive.

## SHARE ACCOMMODATION

Young Lutheran male full-time IT Customer Support professional is seeking share accommodation (rent utilities etc.) in Adelaide. If you have suitable accommodation available in Adelaide please contact: Pastor Peter Miller, 0409 725 573 or [peter.miller@lca.org.au](mailto:peter.miller@lca.org.au)



## ROSTERS: JULY 12

<b>Lay Host:</b>	8:45 am - Rosemary Gardner-Smith 10:30 am - Larry Krieg
<b>Greeters:</b>	8:45 am - Don and Irene Ross 10:30 am - Julie Buckby, Robyn Hart
<b>Reader:</b>	8:45 am - 10:30 am - Rod Chapman
<b>Music:</b>	8:45 am - Maryanne Pfitzner 10:30 am - Mark Pfitzner
<b>P'point:</b>	8:45 am - Allen Feuerherdt 10:30 am - Darrell Kaesler
<b>Kids' Talk:</b>	Vicki Rochow
<b>Sound:</b>	8:45 am - Quentin Nuske 10:30 am - Matthew Munzberg
<b>Flowers:</b>	Joylene Graue
<b>Stewards:</b>	8:45 am - Michael and Debbie Zimmermann, Kevin Graue 10:30 am - Gary and Jonathon Rainsford, Julie Buckby
<b>Clean TLC:</b>	Brenton and Robyn Rehn, Robert and Margaret Rohrlach, Marilyn Wohlers
<b>Altar Guild:</b>	Kath Sames (July)
<b>Yard Cleaning:</b>	Peter Robinson, John Kroehn

## LANGMEIL LUTHERAN CHURCH

<b>MINISTERS:</b>	All Langmeil members
<b>PASTOR:</b>	Julian Bayha
<b>TAPE MINISTRY:</b>	Raelene Graetz, 0438630405 (July)
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