



Christ our Lord



is Risen TODAY!

Mary Magdalene was so distraught that Jesus had been crucified. The disciples were in shock at what had happened. How cruel the world had been to him. Yet three days later the tomb was opened and new life emerged. Jesus rose from the dead; death was overcome. Our fear of the pangs of death now has no basis. Christ died and rose again, so that all who believe, will be saved. Tears gave way to joy. The disciples' fear of being persecuted like Jesus, gave way to confidence to proclaim the Word of God. How could Jesus' selfless act transform so many lives, not only then, but into the future as well? Jesus now lives in the hearts of all who believe, through the Holy Spirit, so that we too can confidently proclaim to others the message of God's saving grace.

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Have you met?



**Chandika
Dassanayake
&
Roshi
Suraweera**

Roshi and Chandi have recently arrived from Sri Lanka and have joined our church community.

Roshi is a qualified accountant and Roshi an electrical engineer. In common with many new arrivals they are busy job hunting.

Please make them



Margaret Hassold

Margaret is one of our very long-term members. She has graced our services for many years with her lovely soprano voice, her keen sense of humour and style, and her enthusiasm and positivity.

Margaret has a son, Stephen, a daughter, Julianne, 7 grandchildren, 4 step-grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren - quite a family!.

From the editor...

What is harmony?

In this edition of @Glynde we have an insert about the many music opportunities that exist at Glynde. Harmony in music can be defined as the combination of simultaneously sounded musical notes to produce a pleasing effect. In fact it can produce an exhilarating effect.

In society we usually simply think of harmony as people getting on together and as one definition says it's 'when various components exist without destroying one another'.

Two weeks ago Harmony Day came and went with little fanfare. The message of Harmony Day is '*everyone belongs*'. Another way of saying this is that there is '*unity in diversity*'. We often think that the best way to create unity is to reduce diversity so that everyone looks and talks as much alike as possible. But this does not make for beautiful harmony. Our harmony is where the diversity of people, cultures, gender, age, interest, talents come together in the unity that we have in Christ to produce a community where there is 'unity in diversity' and a rich harmonious community exists.

In honour of Harmony Day, the English class made Friendship Bracelets (pictured on the last page of the edition). Strands of coloured thread are woven together. Alone each thread is OK, but woven together they produce a pleasing bracelet where each strand is still distinctive but now complements and is complemented by the other colours.

My Prayer: We celebrate our diversity, giving thanks for your many gifts, and we ask that you, O Lord, will indeed bind us together. In the name of our Lord Jesus we pray. Amen.

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From the Pastor



*Hi! Easter Sunday is fast approaching, as I write this.... Easter is not some past event that meant a whole lot to Mary and the disciples and the early followers of Jesus. **The raising of Jesus from the dead by God means a whole lot for us, too, today.**

God's raising of Jesus from the dead is life-changing for us, too. Let's think for a while about what the resurrection of Jesus means for us. **It means that:**

***We can trust Jesus**

For a start **it means that Jesus really is who he said he was: namely, the Son of God, and our Saviour.** God's raising of Jesus from the dead was God's way of saying to us and everyone:

"Yes, Jesus is my Son as he said. And all that Jesus said about me is true: that I love you, and that you are special to me. And, yes, Jesus is your Saviour, as he said he was. He really did suffer and die for your sins as he said he was going to".

So we don't have to be sorrowful and downcast and full of despair about our

"sins": they have been taken care of by Jesus on the cross. And we don't have to worry about the future and facing up to God when we die: because as we trust in Jesus as our Saviour, we are each God's forgiven child, *because of what Jesus did for us on the cross.*

***Jesus is alive**

And secondly the resurrection of Jesus from the dead means for us **that we don't ever need to feel lonely, because we are not ever alone.** Jesus is alive, and He promises us that "he is with us always, to the end of the age" (*Matt. 28*).

***Death isn't the end**

And thirdly, because of the resurrection of Jesus, we know that death isn't the end. We know, now, what the future will bring beyond death. *Because of the resurrection of Jesus from the dead, we know that death isn't the end, but merely a sleep from which we will be awakened and given new resurrection bodies,* just like the body Jesus had after he was raised from the dead: similar, yet different.... (*1 Cor. 15:20, 35-38, 49; Phil. 3:21; 1 Thess. 4:13-18*).

So we don't have to worry about what will happen to us when we die, or grieve over the death of family and friends who are Christians. The resurrection of Jesus points us to the wonderful new future that we will have as God's forgiven children....

***May God bless us all as we celebrate Easter together, and as we live our life in the light of the empty tomb!**

Pastor Wayne 

Re-development



What's happening??

A: Quite a lot behind the scenes.

The Re-development group continues to meet on a fortnightly basis – and

- ***THANK YOU*** for responding to the straw poll about preferred options. There was a clear preference for Option A with elements of Options B and C being seen as priorities.
- A brochure will soon be in your pigeon holes with a recommendation based on both the straw poll and the well attended 'build a sandwich, build a church' meeting.
- The brochure will also discuss and invite action in raising finance for the project.
- There will be ample time for prayer and thorough reflection before the half yearly meeting in May.

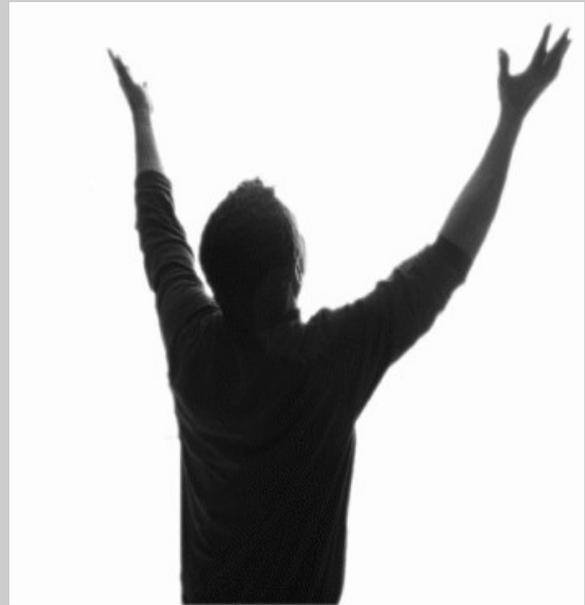
LCC Re-development:

- Meetings have been held with LCC to refine their needs under the broad general concept. Klaus and Robin Judd meet again after Easter.

Louvres:

- Klaus is meeting with the architect and an engineer specialising in louvres after the Easter break.

Prayer Corner



Christ is Risen:

The world below lies desolate

Christ is Risen:

The spirits of evil are fallen

Christ is Risen:

The angels of God are rejoicing

Christ is Risen:

The tombs of the dead are empty

Christ is Risen indeed from the dead,

the first of the sleepers,

Glory and power are his forever and ever

St. Hippolytus (AD 190-236)

From the Chairperson

Other highlights this month include:

the appointment of Tamara Martin to the role of Cross-Cultural Outreach and Ministry Coordinator. Please welcome Tamara as she begins her work and ministry among us, especially as she supports families from the many cultures that come to Playgroup, Mainly Music, English classes and other activities.

a visit from Bishop Peter Kunen from the Anglican Diocese in Bendigo. He came to Adelaide and worshipped with us in early March.

we have started gathering ideas for the 90th anniversary of our church to be held on 28th August 2015 - if you would like to contribute in any way to our celebrations please see me and find out how you can be involved.

The Building and Redevelopment Working Group are continuing to meet regularly to progress our plans and will have an important proposal for our half yearly meeting on Sunday, 17th May. Please save the date in your diary so that you can be part of the decisions that are made and can contribute to this exciting time and vision for the future of our church.

As always, keep our Pastor and Vicar in your prayers - may we support them as they faithfully serve and inspire us in our spiritual travels.

Every blessing,

Helene Schulz
Chairperson

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Little things make a big difference

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Opening our doors



It is great that people are continually thinking of improvements to how we do things in our church community. It provides such a positive energy to the place and means we can actively respond to the gospel message we hear in worship in so many practical ways. Like the idea of reorganising the narthex for Saturday markets making it more open and inviting. This led to another person suggesting that the church doors be opened, which in turn led to a customer with a four year old boy enquiring about our services and entering the worship space to "have a look". Let's pray for them and hope that they come back and find a welcoming place and a place of worship. So often it's the little things that make a big difference!

Cross-cultural co-ordinator



Hello!

I have been asked to write a piece for the newsletter and after some thought, I have decided to share some of my thoughts on the position that I have accepted at Glynde Lutheran Church.

I applied for the position of cross

-cultural outreach and ministry coordinator for many reasons. I am personally very interested in developing cross-cultural understanding and acceptance to promote social justice, human development and peace. Love, acceptance and respect are at the core of Christian beliefs and they seem to be the greatest human struggles.

Working at Glynde church, in this position, is an opportunity for me to serve God by serving others, with love and humility, on Christ's behalf. That is, serving my colleagues, families in the church and community and children in schools. Through building relationships based on love, acceptance and respect, I hope to fulfil the church mission: "To reveal and celebrate God's love so that all may know Jesus and worship him".

The term 'cross-cultural' can be used in different ways, but to me, at the heart of cross-cultural understanding is accepting each other and recognising that we all come from different cultures and that we all have our own family and individual cultures, regardless of our country of birth, our ethnicity or how we identify ourselves. Living in Australia today, makes us all real Aussies. We all have a story to tell, with highs and lows, and we are all a unique part of God's creation.

There are a number of wonderful community outreach and ministry programs at Glynde Church, with groups to bring people together who share particular interests, age or gender. There are

also many wonderful volunteers and staff who share their time and skills to keep the church operating and functioning at a high level. I believe that sharing experiences and positive activities are the life blood of a community: developing relationships and connection with others, learning, teaching, supporting and caring for each other and sharing 'life' and new experiences. There is something for everyone at Glynde and I will work hard to promote the programs, ensure a welcoming environment and give more people the opportunity to experience community, share their skills, learn new skills and feel God's love and presence. Groups include Playgroup, Mainly Music, Lighthouse Kids, Music Ministry, Women's Fellowship, worship services, the Nuer and Korean communities, Bible study, English lessons, craft groups, market days, men's gatherings, women's coffee mornings and Magnolia's. How wonderful!

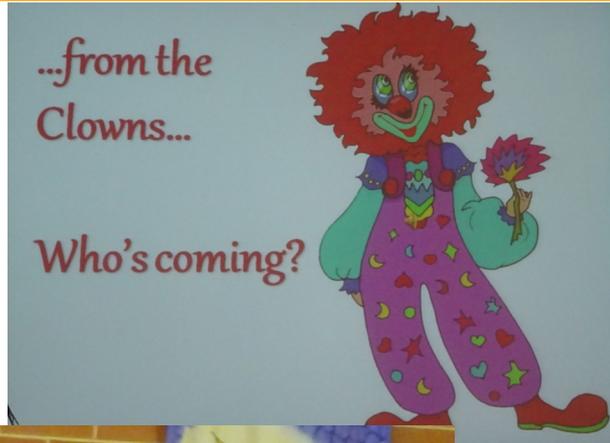
On a personal level, the position involves developing real and authentic relationships with members of the church and broader community, by showing interest in their lives and listening carefully to their stories. Developing relationships by being accepting and non-judgemental in my approach to others and walking with them on their life journey. I will endeavour to make contact with community members from diverse backgrounds, especially women who would like personal or practical support. I will also be working in a local school providing classroom assistance to children who need extra support. This outreach may extend to supporting families.

What is my Vision for this ministry?

Whilst it is very early days, I have started to dream about the direction cross-cultural ministry could take at Glynde. That is for cross-cultural understanding and acceptance to develop as the dominant culture within the church community with everyone involved in the ministry; extending a friendly, warm and welcoming hand in friendship to others and to those in the broader community.

"Accept one another just as I have accepted you, for the glory of God" Romans 15:7

Church 4 Kids



Who's Coming???

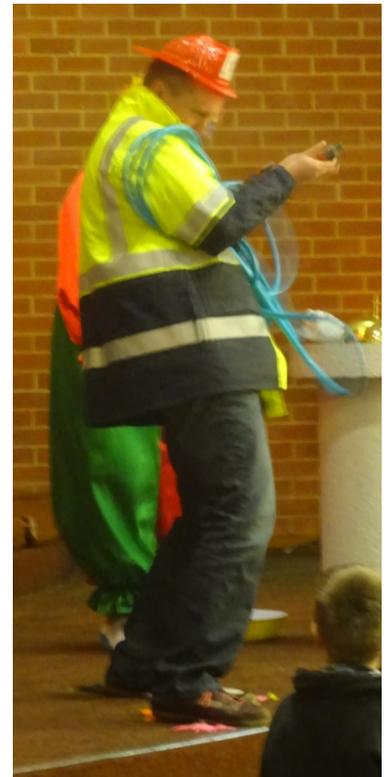
This was the question the puppet and the clown asked the children at Church 4 Kids on Palm Sunday.

Was it Zayn from the famous Boys' Group 'One Direction'? **NO!**

Was it a famous footballer who could mark, kick and play better than anyone?

NO! NO!

Was it Fireman Sam? **NO! NO! NO!**



The children guessed very quickly that it was Jesus who was coming. The clowns, the children and everyone listened as Pastor Wayne told them how Jesus had ridden into Jerusalem on a donkey, as a king. The people spread palm branches on the road to welcome him. They said he was the king they had been waiting for, for a very long time.

Church 4 Kids



The children led everyone in prayer



We welcomed Tamara to our church.



And we finished with sausages and veggie burgers.
YUM!

Remember our Children's Ministry Programs

Lighthouse Kids

***Every Sunday
during school term
at approx 10.45 am***

***Bible stories, songs,
activities
and
Art Attack.
(see pages 12 & 13)***

Playgroup

***Every Wednesday
during school term
from 9.30 am to 11.30 am***

***Stories,
Singing
Books to read
And lots of toys to
play with***

Mainly Music

***Every Thursday during
school term
from 9.30 am to 10.30 am***

***Music and songs for
children 0-4 years
with their carers.
Followed by morning tea
for all***

Get Involved @ Glynde...

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
5 Easter Sunday 6.00 am Korean Dawn Service 9.00 am Worship 10.30 Worship 12.30 Korean Worship	6 Easter Monday	7 9.30 Craft 7pm Quilters Group
12 9.00 Worship 10.30 Worship LLL Promotion 12.30 Korean Worship 12.15 Pastoral Assistants	13 5.00—6.00 Waratah 7.00 Redevelopment Meeting	14 7 pm Exec Meeting
19 9.00 am Worship HC 10.30 Worship HC 12.30 Korean Worship	20 5.00—6.00 Waratah	21
26 9.00 Worship HC 10.30 Worship HC 12.30 Korean Worship	27 School Resumes 5.00—6.00 Waratah 7.00 KYB	28 9.30 Craft 7pm Quilters Group

What's on in April?

Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 9.30 Playgroup 9-5 LCC Overflow 7pm Craft 7.30 Board for Ministry	2 Maundy Thursday 7.30 Prayer Group 9.30 Mainly Music 11.30 Funeral 7.00 pm Worship	3 Good Friday 9.00 Worship 10.30 Worship	4 10.00 Girls' Coffee 7 pm Thrive Youth
8 9.30 Playgroup 9.30 Women's Fellowship 7 pm Youth Planning 7 pm Craft	9 7.30 Prayer Group 9.30 Mainly Music	10 School Holidays start 9.30 KYB 7.00 Thrive Youth	11 2 pm Bowls up
15	16 7.30 Prayer Group 12 noon Cards	17 9.30 KYB	18 8.00 Blokes' Brekky
22	23 7.30 Prayer Group	24	25 11 am—3 pm Markets Church open for reflection
29 9.30 Playgroup 7pm Craft	30 7.30 Prayer Group 9.30 Mainly Music 12 noon Cards	1 May 9.30 KYB	2 May 10am English Class 10.00 Girls' Coffee 12-5 Organ Meet and Swap

Lighthouse Kids



This is a **real lighthouse** on Kangaroo Island whose light saved many sailors from destruction on dangerous rocks. In spite of the light many ships still foundered, but many were saved.

At Glynde, Lighthouse Kids shows the way to a **real Jesus** who shines a light in our lives and keeps us all from destruction and brings us safely through life.

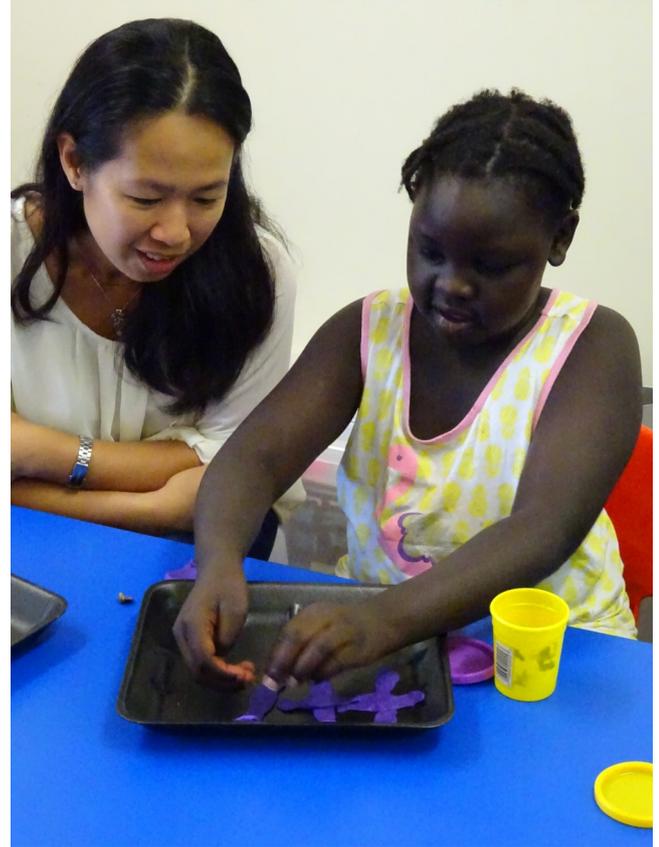
Lighthouse Kids is Glynde's Sunday morning children's program, using the Faith Inkubators Bible Song program to teach the children Bible stories and life lessons.



Each Sunday morning our teachers use songs, stories, wonderful graphics and 'Art Attack' time to interact with the children and get them thinking about parts of the story that might apply to them.



Lighthouse Kids



We are so blessed at Glynde to have a real multi-cultural group attending Lighthouse Kids, with Sudanese, Korean, Australian, Indian, Malaysian and Sri Lankan and Fijian children all enjoying the time together.

It is great to see children from all backgrounds being able to bless each other and establish relationships that may not have been possible without Lighthouse Kids!



Sudanese Visitors & Visiting



We were so privileged to have a special visitor at Glynde in the person of Bishop Peter, originally from South Sudan, but now living in Ethiopia.

He brought greetings from the church in Ethiopia as well as passing on grateful thanks for the love and care shown by Glynde to his people.



Nyalam, who had recently visited Ethiopia for her father's funeral, shared many of her memories through her photos. Bishop Peter featured in many of them.

Pastor Dang, who helped so courageously with the 'Ticket to Safety' Campaign, and was instrumental in getting many out of South Sudan during the recent uprising, recently rang Barbara from Kenya, to say he is now safe himself with his wife and family and wanted to thank everyone once again.

Tibitha, Nyalam and Rebecca recently travelled to Wudinna with Colleen, as guest speakers at the Eyre Peninsula Lutheran Women's Zone Rally. They sang and told their stories. Among those in the audience were women from Yalata, an Aboriginal Community on the Far West Coast.

The Rally voted to send their afternoon offering to Glynde to support our Cross Cultural Ministry.



Markets

Well, our second markets for the year had a continual stream of people coming to see what they could find. Our takings were again over \$500.

The books continue to be a popular choice with Bric-a-Brac also catching people's eyes. Our regular stall holders always manage to bring along something new to tempt us.

We continue to be supported strongly by our regular customers as well as some new faces looking for that special something.

There is always something unique to be found which continues to bring a smile to so many faces.

Our regular helpers are always such a big part of the reason our markets run so smoothly. Again, a huge thanks goes to all who play a part in helping our markets to be what they are.

Please note: The next market will be on April 25 (Anzac Day) with a change of time to 11am-3pm. We will also have the church open for reflection.



***Bric-a-Brac by the metre!
Note the open doors into
the church.***

Blokes' Brekky



Peter Trott from 'Open Doors' was guest speaker at this month's well attended men's brekky . He says of his vocation, 'My purpose is to explain to Australian Christians that followers of Jesus are persecuted in many other parts of the world, but also that God is opening doors so that we can be a great help to them.' This time he spoke specifically about the challenges facing Christians in Egypt, with a power point presentation to illustrate this topic.

Fellowship and the usual delicious cooked breakfast followed. *(The men couldn't handle the amount of food they had, so, on their arrival for lessons, the English class helped them out! - See the back page)*

Something to Celebrate - Baptism



Sunday 22 March was a special day for two little boys.

At the 9am service Joseph Peter DeAngelis celebrated an affirmation of his baptism in the Catholic Church. His Glynde family welcomed him as a member, and also celebrated as he became part of God's family and presented with the special faith box.

Noah Samuel Edgecomb was baptised the same day at the 10.30 service. Pastor Wayne baptised little Noah in the presence of extended family, sponsors - Paul and Jane and Annette, and loving links - the Kremer family. He was welcomed into God's family through applause from the congregation, and beautiful gifts enclosed in the 'faith box'. A special song was played after the baptism, Hillsong's "Still", which is significant as it was also played at the wedding of Noah's parents, Jess and Michael.



Praise God for the miracle of these two baby boys! Look out for them and help them to grow in their faith as fellow members at Glynde.

Earlier in the month some little people and some 'not so little' people celebrated their baptismal birthday.

We thank God for their journey of faith.

Later all the little, and not so little people celebrated with their special baptismal birthday cup-

Magnolias

The Mature Aged Glyndites (Magnolias) enjoyed a day out on 13th March with lunch at the popular Orange Spot Bakery at Glenelg. By all accounts the pies and pasties were delicious and the fellowship sweet!



A smaller group then went on to visit Joyce Todd at Christies Beach Residential Care. Joyce was a regular worshipper at Glynde while living in supported accommodation in our area. When this facility was closed, Joyce needed to move.

She misses us, was delighted to receive a visit, and is happy in her new home with its view of the ocean.

The next Magnolias excursion is to the Migration Museum on Monday 20th April.

Puns for Educated Minds

How does Moses make his tea? Hebrews it....

A cartoonist was found dead in his home. Details are sketchy.

I used to be a banker, but then I lost interest.

They told me I had type-A blood, but it was a Type-O.

Jokes about German sausages are the wurst.

I stayed up all night to see where the sun went, and then it dawned on me.

This girl said she recognised me from the vegetarian club, but I'd never met herbivore.

I'm reading a book about anti-gravity. I just can't put it down.

I didn't like my beard at first. Then it grew on me.

Did you hear about the cross-eyed teacher who lost her job because she couldn't control her pupils?

When you get a bladder infection you know urine trouble.

Broken pencils are pretty much pointless.

What do you call a dinosaur with an extensive vocabulary? A thesaurus

All the toilets in Adelaide's police stations have been stolen & as of now, it appears the police have nothing to go on.

I got a job at a bakery because I kneaded dough.

Velcro - what a rip off!

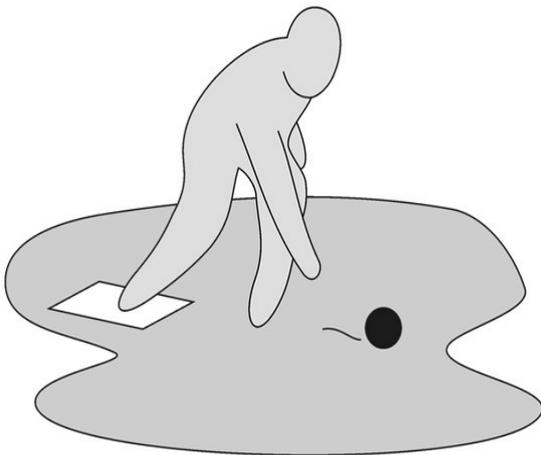


COME AND PLAY

INDOOR BOWLS

EVERYBODY WELCOME!

After some consultation our 'bowlers' are keen to continue playing bowls on a regular basis. We have a very busy complex. Taking this into account, Saturday afternoons appear to be the appropriate time to have some fun upstairs. We have planned these dates around LCC who use this area for training on week-ends sometimes. We have several champions who are willing to share skills with those of us who are willing to learn.



Drawing by yen-fa

**WE WILL MEET AT
2 PM
ON THE FOLLOWING
SATURDAY
AFTERNOONS**

April	11th	August	15th
May	9th	August	29th
May	23rd	September	19th
June	6th	October	3rd
July	4th	October	24th
July	18th	November	7th

These dates may need to be altered as we progress through the year, so keep in touch via Sunday Paper. Diane Kleinig 0416113451

Worship Calendar April and May

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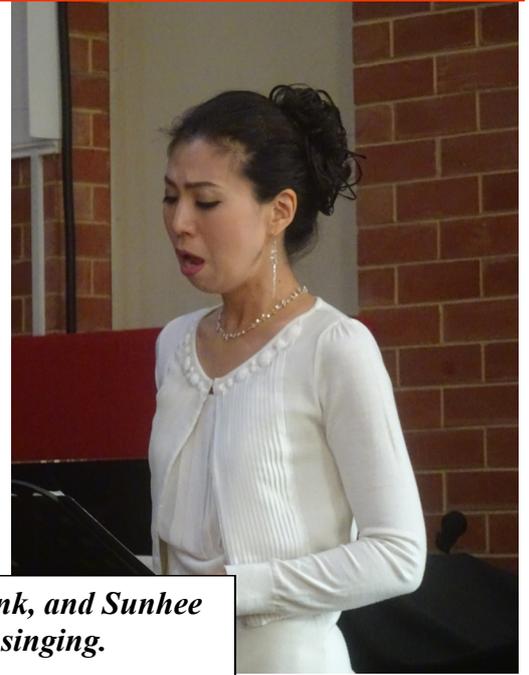
2. 7.00 p.m. H.C. **Maundy Thursday** John 13:1-17, 31b-35
"Who are we?"
3. 9.00 a.m. **Good Friday** Mark 8:27-31; 10:45
10.30 a.m. "Who do you say I am?"
using Monologues: "Were you there when..."
5. 6.00 a.m. **Easter Sunday** John 20:1-18
9.00 a.m. *Dawn Service (Korean)* "From grief to gladness"
10.30 a.m. H.C.
H.C.
12. 9.00 a.m. Easter 2 John 20:19-31
10.30 a.m. "Alive and kicking"
child"
- School Holidays begin*
Annual Leave for Pastor Wayne
Vicar Colin Simpkin, with Pastor Lyle Bartel
19. 9.00 a.m. H.C. Easter 3 Luke 24:36b-48
10.30 a.m. H.C.
26. 9.00 a.m. H.C. **Good Shepherd Sunday**
10.30 a.m. H.C. Easter 4 John 10:1-18
"Why Jesus!?"

School resumes

MAY

3. 9.00 a.m. H.C. Easter 5 Genesis 2:8-9, 15-17; 3:1-13 *E-100: 1-5*
10.30 a.m. H.C. "The human situation" *Genesis 1-11*
12.00 noon
- Community Lunch: Combined lunch with Korean church
from 12 noon to 1 p.m.*
- 7-8 May *SA/NT Pastors' Conference here at Glynde*
9 May *SA/NT Conference at Blair Athol: "Diving Deeper"*
10. 9.00 a.m. Easter 6 Genesis 12:1-3 *E-100: 6-10*
10.30 a.m. "God's plan to rescue us" *Genesis 12-32*
- Plus Testimony*
***"Thanks for Mums"*
17. 9.00 a.m. H.C. Easter 7 *Vicar Colin Simpkin*
10.30 a.m. H.C. Genesis 50:15-21 *E-100: 11-15*
1.00 p.m. "God works for good" *Genesis 37-45*
- Half-Yearly Meeting*
24. 9.00 a.m. H.C. **Pentecost** *Vicar Colin Simpkin*
10.30 a.m. H.C. Acts 2:1-21
7.00 p.m. "Everything you've always
wanted to know about the Holy Spirit..."
Ecumenical Pentecost service at Payneham Rd. Uniting

Out and About @ Glynde



On Palm Sunday, even a clown needed a drink, and Sunhee enhanced the first service with her beautiful singing.

At Playgroup, the children were 'all ears'.



Some of the English class helped the fellas out by eating men's brekky leftovers, and then had plenty of energy to make friendship bracelets.

