

# Glynde Lutheran Church

a multi-cultural community of faith



## The Sunday Paper

To reveal and celebrate God's love, so that all may know Jesus, and worship him  
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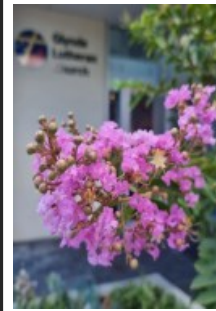
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*We welcome  
& thank*

Pastor Wayne Kerber,  
our Guest Pastor  
for both our worship  
services today.

## KYB

is back for Term 2:

- Monday 7pm
- Friday 9.30am

Focus: Thessalonians

*Please contact  
Helene Brown for info.*



**play group** *is having fun with*  
**TERM 2 WEATHER & SEASONS**



*Playtime Crafts Stories Explore Friends*

For 0 - 4 year  
olds with their  
parent/s and  
carer/s

**WEDNESDAYS**  
**9.30AM - 10.45AM**  
Speak to Sharyn for details

Then stay on for *Grace over Lunch* at  
10.45am to learn new recipes, and enjoy a  
time of lunchtime devotion.

On our board  
this week



## THE WEEK AT A GLANCE

### Sunday 30 April

9am Worship Service HC  
 10.30am Worship Service HC  
 12.30pm Korean Worship Service  
 4pm Chinese Worship Service

### Monday 1 May

7pm KYB

### Tuesday 2 May

9.30am Craft & Chat  
 6.30pm Korean Choir practice

### Wednesday 3 May

9.30am Playgroup  
 10.45am Grace over Lunch  
 7.30pm Board for Ministry meeting

### Thursday 4 May

8am Prayer Group meeting  
 9.45am mainly music  
 6.30pm Korean Bible Study group

### Friday 5 May

9.30am KYB  
 9.30am English Class  
 9.30am Friday Fitness  
 10.30am Coffee & Chat  
 11.30am Bible Study

### Saturday 6 May

10am English Class

### Sunday 7 May

9am Worship Service HC  
 10.30am Worship Service HC  
 Lighthouse Kids  
 12 noon Bring & Share  
 Community Lunch  
 12.30pm Korean Worship Service  
 4pm Chinese Worship Service

## Pastoral Acts this week



JOIN US AT

mainly music  
for Term 2:

IN the **JUNGLE**

EVERY THURSDAY, 9.45AM  
(begins May 4th)

Music, singing & fun for pre-schoolers  
 Morning tea provided. Bring a water bottle & a prop bag!

Speak to Rika for more info.

PLEASE JOIN US

**Sunday**  
**7th May**  
**12 noon**

for a  
*Bring & Share*  
**Community**  
**Lunch**

**NEXT WEEK**



Everyone welcome ...

**Please pray for these members of our congregation.**

**Those with prayer needs:**

Melva Wachner (Modbury Hospital), Haydon Grigg, Erika Truman (home), Margaret Hassold (ACH, Hope Valley), Enid Cridland (home), Dee Stock, Dorothy George, Lawrie Sjoberg, Mel Hamann

**Those on our long-term care list:**

Sally & Vic Urch, Fay Rohrlach, Siggy Tils, Ruth McInerney (LHI Hope Valley), Gladys Steicke, Faye Hanisch

# IN WORSHIP TODAY

Our Bible Readings for our 9am and 10.30am worship services are from the Good News Translation Bible.

For the 9am worship service, they are [Acts 2:42-47](#) and [1 Peter 2:19-25](#). The gospel reading is [Luke 24:13-35](#).

The bible reading for the 10.30am worship service is [1 Peter 2:19-25](#).

The theme and message for both our worship services today is “Jesus, the Gate to Life” and is based on John 10:1-10.

In Jesus’ day, sheep were looked after at night in two ways—the first way was in cities and villages, where there was usually a large holding yard where shepherds would bring their flocks to secure them at night. It was a public pen able to hold several flocks under the care of a gatekeeper whose duty was to guard the gate during the night and to admit the shepherds in the morning—the shepherds would then walk into the pen, call their sheep who would respond to the voice of their shepherd who would then lead them out to pasture.

The second way was how a shepherd would tend his sheep in the country, and would herd his sheep into a low walled enclosure of piled rocks or something similar with a small opening—at night, since there was no gate, just an opening, the shepherd would lie across the opening to keep the sheep in and the wild animals out—he would literally become the door—the gate.

Jesus refers to both of these in the text from John 10:1-10 for two distinct reasons—first, Jesus was trying to expose the false teaching of the Pharisees, while secondly, He is introducing Himself as the gate to the way, the truth and the life of God.

And Jesus refers to us as sheep—why? Well sheep are an interesting animal—they are built close to the ground, think mostly about eating and often get themselves into trouble because they cannot see very far ahead and do not look much beyond the next mouthful. And often they follow someone because they tickle their ears or rub their tummies not realizing that they are leading them astray—so it’s imperative they learn how to identify a good shepherd from God.

As believers, we will never find fulfilment in the things of this world because Jesus wants us to find our satisfaction in Him alone—always remember, Jesus is the gate to an abundant life—both here and in eternity. *Wayne Kerber*

**Guest Pastor for next week (7 May): Pastor Mike Pietsch**



## *Birthdays this week*

*Doris Kupke, Germano Sansone, Paul Schubert*

*If your birthday is not included, please let Angeline know,  
so our master list can be updated.*

Let us continue to set aside money for the Lord's work here at Glynde through **Regular Electronic Giving (REG)**. Information at [www.lca.org.au/REG](http://www.lca.org.au/REG) or call Lutheran Laypeople's League toll free on 1800 556 457



*Please take note that the offering plate will be placed at the exit of the church for offering envelopes and loose money at the end of worship service*

**You may opt to do Direct Bank Transfer** from your account to our church account (Glynde Zion Lutheran Church Inc REG Account):

Bank Accounts for Direct Giving to Glynde Lutheran Church by EFT

	Regular Giving	Building Fund
BSB Number	704 942	704 942
Account Number (from LLL)	48692 S1	152736 S1
Account Number (other Banks)	100 309 615	100 897 363

**Advance Notice: ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**  
**Sunday 28th May, 1pm**

**All congregation members are invited to attend**

**COMING SOON**

A fun and inspiring opportunity for **everyone**  
to leap into God's Word and express your faith creatively ...

**WATCH THIS SPACE**

**YOUNG ADULT TERM 2 EVENT 2023**  
**DINNER & MINI GOLF @ WEST BEACH**

*Save the Date*

**Saturday 13 May**  
**6pm**

**Meet at the Conservatory, @ the Watermark, Glenelg**  
**(631 Anzac Highway, Glenelg North)**

More info at [Blueprint Young Adult Network's](#)  
Facebook page

and/or join for mini golf at  
**West Beach Mini Golf from 8pm - 10pm**





# **We love our Grandmas!**

**Nyaruop, Nyapan and Wiw have never met theirs...**

## **Can we help?**

Stephen Gatluit came to Australia in year 2000 and has never returned to see his mum—that's 23 years ago. Stephens children were all born in Adelaide so, have never returned to their heritage home in Africa. Earlier this year both their grandmas asked if they could possibly visit them in Gambella, Ethiopia. The years are going fast, and Stephens mum is now over 85 years old and has never met her grandchildren. Their other grandma is a little younger and also has never met them.

Stephen of course will need to accompany the children, Nyaruop, Nyapan and Wiw to Gambella Ethiopia which is in Eastern Africa .

For Stephen too, this would be special to see his mother.

Stephen has bought their plane tickets and is struggling to pay the insurance of nearly \$2,000.. It is culturally important to take a gift to his church family in Gambella. His hope is to take 35 mosquito nets to give to the elderly people of the community. The price of these is 4500 Ethiopian birr or \$75 each, totalling \$2,625.

**Can we as church family help them?**

**Of course we can... could you pay for a mosquito net or donate?**

**Speak with** Barbara or Stephen for details... and look out for a community event in June where Stephen Gatluit will be fundraising in the church hall on Saturday 17 June 2023.

More details to follow



**We thank and praise  
God for his love !**





THE GLOBAL  
LEADERSHIP SUMMIT

*Next GEN*



FREE  
EVENT

Saturday 3rd June

9am—4.30pm

Upstairs @ LLL

175 Archer St,  
North Adelaide SA 5006

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**FAITH**  
at home

30 April 2023

FOURTH SUNDAY  
OF EASTER

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OUR GOOD  
SHEPHERD



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LCA CHILD YOUTH & FAMILY MINISTRY



[www.growministries.org.au](http://www.growministries.org.au)



## CONVERSATIONS

*Share your highs and lows, or respond to the following:*

1. What does it mean to be trustworthy?
2. Which people do you trust most? Why?



## BIBLE READINGS

*Read the following Bible readings throughout this week.  
Talk about what words or phrases stand out for you.*

1st reading

**Psalms 23**

The Lord is my  
shepherd

2nd reading

**1 Peter 2:19-25**

Christ as an example

Gospel reading

**John 10:1-11**

Christ the shepherd

## DISCUSS

Jesus says his sheep listen to his voice and follow him (John 10:3-4). When and where do you hear Jesus' voice?



### ACTION RESPONSE

As a household, make phone or video calls to people who would love to hear your voice. Let them know you are thinking of them.



### PRAYER

Jesus, our Good Shepherd. Help us to recognise your voice today and follow you. Amen.



### MEALTIME PRAYER

Jesus our Good Shepherd, through this day your hand has led us, and we thank you for your care. You have warmed us, clothed and fed us; listen to our grateful prayer. Amen.



### BLESSING

May Jesus the Good Shepherd provide all your needs and refresh you inside and out.

A THIEF COMES ONLY TO ROB, KILL,  
AND DESTROY. I CAME SO THAT  
EVERYONE WOULD HAVE LIFE AND  
HAVE IT IN ITS FULLEST.

JOHN 10:10

VERSE OF THE WEEK

