

Glynde Lutheran Church

a multi-cultural community of faith



The Sunday Paper

God welcomes and grows everyone in the love of Jesus Christ through our community.
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EASTER SERVICES

Come & join us this Easter

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| Thursday 2 April 7pm | Maundy Thursday Worship Service with HC |
| Friday 3 April 9am | Good Friday Worship Service (followed by hot cross buns morning tea) |
| Sunday 5 April 6am | Easter Sunday Worship Service HC (followed by hot breakfast) |
| 9am | Worship Service HC |
| 10.30am | Worship Service HC (Easter Egg Hunt after service) |

Growing@Glynde

The last session for Growing@Glynde for Term 1 is on Tuesday 31 March.

It will start again on in Term 2 on Tuesday 28 April from 6:30pm to 7:30pm on the topic "Growing closer with Jesus".

Come along to this introduction session to grow throughout Term 2.

Everyone is welcome!

On our board
this week



THE WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sunday 29 March (Palm Sunday)

- 9am Worship Service
10.30am Worship Service
Baptism
Lighthouse Kids
12.30pm Korean Worship Service
2pm Sudanese Worship Service
4pm Chinese Worship Service

Monday 30 March

Pastor's day off

- 9am Men's Bible Study
7pm KYB

Tuesday 31 March

- 9.30am Craft & Chat
3.30pm Kumon
6.30pm Growing@Glynde: Celebration
6.30pm Korean Choir

Wednesday 1 April

- 9.45am Playgroup
11.15am Grace over Lunch
7.30pm Pastoral Assistants meeting

Thursday 2 April (Maundy Thursday)

- 8am Prayer Group meeting
9.45am mainly music
6.30pm Korean Prayer Group meeting
7pm Worship Service HC

Friday 3 April (Good Friday)

- 9am Worship Service

Saturday 4 April

Pastor's day off

Sunday 5 April (Easter Sunday)

- 6am Dawn Service HC
9am Worship Service HC
10.30am Worship Service HC
Children's Easter Egg Hunt
12 noon Bring & Share Community Lunch
12.30pm Korean Worship Service
4pm Chinese Worship Service

Pastoral Acts this week

BAPTISM



Baptised today
Sunday 29th March 2026
during the 10.30am
worship service

Eliza Sage Krieg

daughter of Emma Griffiths



All children are invited
to participate in our
Easter Egg Hunt
Glynde Lutheran Church
Sunday 5th April
(after the 10.30am worship service)



EASTER
Bring & Share
COMMUNITY LUNCH
SUNDAY 5 APRIL
AFTER 10.30AM SERVICE

YES! Our hall is still open for our monthly
Bring & Share Community Lunch at
around noon time for anyone not rushing
to other events elsewhere.

Our Vision: A welcoming multicultural family for everyone to discover,
celebrate & reveal the love of Jesus Christ.

IN WORSHIP TODAY

The 9am service Bible readings are from the New International Version (UK) Bible: [Matthew 21:1-11](#) and [Philippians 2:5-11](#).

The gospel reading [Matthew 27:33-55](#).

The 10:30am service Bible reading is from the Good News Translation Bible, [Matthew 21:1-11](#).

The theme and message for both our worship services today is “Leadership” based on Matthew 21:1-11.



With the state elections now run and won, what might our government leaders govern? How might they serve us and the community? This might be a different question when we ask this of our national and global leaders? So, what does good leadership look like?

People were hoping for a Messiah/Christ/Saviour who would sort out the Romans and restore the church and God's people. They were hoping Jesus would do this and be their saviour, a political saviour. Jesus came as a different leader. Good different.

Rather than enter with royal pomp and ceremony, Jesus entered Jerusalem on a donkey and a colt. In response, people waved branches and laid down their coats for him and shouted, “Hosanna to the Son of David!” ‘Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!’ ‘Hosanna in the highest heaven!’ Hosanna means “Save!” as the people wanted Jesus to save them from Roman rule. Jesus had in mind to save them from something far greater – sin and death. Jesus' leadership took him on that procession into Jerusalem to a procession to die on a cruel cross. Through his death on that cross Jesus died for the whole world to save and rescue us. Jesus lead in servant leadership by giving himself as a sacrifice for us all.

Our leaders may not do what we want, even Jesus may not do what we want. But Jesus' leadership gives us something far greater than we can ever imagine, an eternal and everlasting salvation and loving presence, always.



Birthdays this week

Lester Ramsay, Ziggy Tils, Aaron Ellgar, Eva Ellgar

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

Please pray for these members of our congregation.

Those with prayer needs:

Kath Matheson (Modbury Hospital), Dorothy George, Margaret Freund (recovering from surgery), Isabel Aldum (home), and her parents, Rebekah and Louis, Glennise Dyke, Wayne Boehm, Jim Harding, Mary Dawson, Erika Truman (home), Faye Hanisch, Diana Mitchell, Tiffany Tan, Joan Williams, Gary Piro, Marie Pedlow

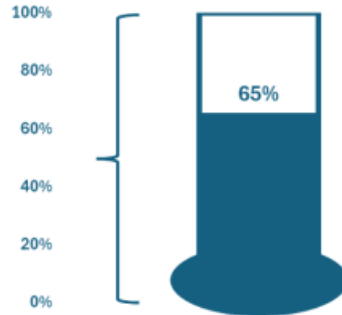
Those on our long-term care list: Sally Urch (ACH Group Residential - Highercombe, Hope Valley), Melva Wachner (LHG Glynde, Nursing Care), Robyn Newton, Bob & Lois Chandler, Fay Rohrlach, Ziggy Tils (Estia Health, Valley View), Irene Brown, Ruth McInerney (LHG Hope Valley), Gladys Steicke, Mel Hamann, Annette Turner, Peter Kleinig



BLESSING OF THE PETS

A big thank you to everyone who brought along their beloved pets—or shared photos of them—for our Blessing of the Pets last week. It was such a joy to celebrate these special companions together!

NEW CHAIRS ARE COMING!



Our new chairs are predicted to arrive in mid May and we have raised 65% of the funds.

To donate or honour a pledge for the chairs, please make a transfer to Zion Lutheran Church Glynde Inc. BSB: 065-000 A/C: 0090 7094 Reference: Chairs.

ONLY 35% LEFT



Thank you for your support to make the worship space more welcoming, flexible and useable in mission and ministry.

If you would like a pew, let Pastor Richard or Tim Eckert know. Do take note that the pews will need to be collected within two weeks of the chairs arriving.

LAST CHANCE ENDING IN 2 DAYS!

Come and have a look at the artworks by Mary Wandel & Shengtai Hu On display and available to purchase ONLY UNTIL 31 MARCH at our



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SAVE THE DATE

GLYNDE CHURCH FAMILY CAMP

Friday 25th September to Monday 28th September

NOTE: NEW VENUE!

Dzintari Campsite, Yankalilla

For families of Glynde Lutheran Church
with children from 0-18 years old

More information to come!

See Alyssa, Brad, Vicky, Rowan, Tim or Fleur.



Let us continue to set aside money for the Lord's work here at Glynde through the offering baskets during our worship service.

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

Bank Accounts for Direct Giving to Glynde Lutheran Church by EFT

| | Regular Giving | Scan QR Code for online offering | Building Fund |
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| BSB Number | 704 942 | | 704 942 |
| Account Number | 100 309 615 | | 100 897 363 |

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Glynde sponsorship available
for returning campers.
Speak to Emma Klatt



FRIDAY 17 - MONDAY 20 APRIL 2026
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SATURDAY 2 MAY 2026

UNITY COLLEGE, MURRAY BRIDGE

A one-day conference for all church members to gather together, grow together and go in mission and ministry together through electives and engaging speakers on a range of topics.

Cost: \$65 (includes lunch, morning/afternoon tea)

More information and to register, scan the QR code or visit:
www.sant.lca.org.au/events/together-in-christ



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Good Friday Meditation Concert

Requiem - Duruflé
Lo, the full, final sacrifice - Finzi

Our annual free meditation concert on Good Friday features the powerful, introspective and metaphorical Easter anthem "Lo, the full, final sacrifice" by Gerald Finzi, paired with the floating, chant-like beauty of Maurice Duruflé's famous setting of the Requiem.

With the St Peter's Cathedral Choir,
and organist Andrew Georg, directed by Anthony Hunt

FREE CONCERT

Friday 3rd April, 3.00pm

www.musicfoundation.org.au

Adelaide Cantata Band *presents* PERGOLESI'S STABAT MATER

GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 3
8PM TO 9PM
FREE PERFORMANCE

PILGRIM UNITING CHURCH, 12 FLINDERS STREET, ADELAIDE

This Good Friday, Adelaide Cantata band invites you to experience a deeply moving and utterly beautiful Baroque performance of Pergolesi's Stabat Mater – an 18th-century musical modernisation of the medieval religious text depicting Mary's deep grief at the crucifixion of her son, Jesus.

This reflective meditation welcomes you to sit gently beside the universal experience of grief – while sharing between us a love of music, beauty, and the uniting power of a phenomenal live performance.

For more information and to RSVP, visit
www.bit.ly/goodfriday-acb



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our humble,
gentle King**



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CONVERSATIONS

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

1. Have you ever attended a parade? What do you remember?
2. Why do you think Jesus chose to ride on a donkey? What does this say to you about him?



BIBLE READINGS

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

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| S | Matthew 21:1-11 | Jesus enters Jerusalem |
| M | Matthew 21:42-46 | The stone the builders rejected |
| T | Matthew 26:6-13 | Jesus anointed at Bethany |
| W | Matthew 26:14-16 | Judas agrees to betray Jesus |
| T | Matthew 26:17-30 | The Last Supper |
| F | Matthew 27:1,33-50 | Jesus dies on the cross |
| S | Matthew 27:57-60 | The burial of Jesus |

VERSE OF THE WEEK

Hosanna to the son of David! Blessed is
he who comes in the name of the Lord!
Hosanna in the highest heaven!

MATTHEW 21:9





CREATIVE RESPONSE

Find a bare branch and place it in a pot. Each day of Holy Week, attach a different symbol to the branch and read the associated Scripture passage.

Palm Sunday: Read Matthew 21:1-9. Place twigs and strips of cloth at the foot of the branch to symbolise the cloaks and branches spread on the road as Jesus entered Jerusalem.

Monday: Read Matthew 21:42-46. Place a stone at the foot of the branch to symbolise Jesus, the stone that was rejected.

Tuesday: Read Matthew 26:6-13. Hang a small bottle of perfume from the branch.

Wednesday: Read Matthew 26:14-16. Hang a bag of coins on the branch.

Maundy Thursday: Read Matthew 26:17-30. Place a small plate and cup at the foot of the cross as a reminder of the Last Supper.

Good Friday: Read Matthew 27:1, 33-50. Hammer small nails into the branch and attach a sign reading "This is Jesus, King of the Jews".

Saturday: Read Matthew 27:57-60. Place a black cloth over the branch.

Easter Sunday: Read Matthew 28:1-10. Remove the black cloth and decorate the branch with flowers, paper butterflies or paper streamers.



ACTION RESPONSE

Complete an act of service as a household e.g. contact an elderly neighbour to offer your help with household cleaning or gardening, or prepare food to donate to a food pantry supporting the needy.



MEALTIME PRAYER

Lord Jesus, as we gather this week may we remember all that you have done for us, and all that you call us to do for others. Bless this food to strengthen us in your service. Amen.



PRAYER

Lord Jesus, our King, please come and rule in our lives so that we are humble and gentle like you. Amen.



BLESSING

May Jesus rule as King in your life.