

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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*We welcome
& thank*

Tim Eckert,
our lay reader
for both our worship
services today.

**We are thankful for all mums
and those who care for us**

*Happy Mother's
Day*



**Men's
Bible Study**

NEW

**Monday
10am
Overflow
Room**



All men are welcome to join

Speak to Lyall Kupke for details

On our board
this week



THE WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sunday 14 May

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

Monday 15 May

10am Men's Bible Study
7pm KYB

Tuesday 16 May

9.30am Craft & Chat
6.30pm Korean Choir practice

Wednesday 17 May

9.30am Playgroup
10.45am Grace over Lunch

Thursday 18 May

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

Friday 19 May

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

Saturday 20 May

10am English Class

Sunday 21 May

9am Worship Service HC
10.30am Worship Service HC
Lighthouse Kids
12.15pm Pastoral Assistants meeting
12.30pm Korean Worship Service
4pm Chinese Worship Service

Pastoral Acts this week

OUR CONDOLENCES

On Friday 5th May,
Gretchen Courtney,
Jenine Boehm's mother died.
She was 94 years old.
Her funeral was held on
Friday 12th March at 2.30pm
at Holy Cross Lutheran Church,
Murray Bridge.
Our thoughts and prayers are with
Jenine & Wayne and their family as
well as everyone close to her.

Congratulations to Ps. Tim Chen
and the Chinese congregation here at
Glynde. The Adelaide Grace Chinese
Christian Church have been
successful in their application to
become a Lutheran church and
is now officially known as
“**Grace Lutheran Chinese Church**”.

The 50th LCA SA-NT District
Convention of Synod will be held from
20-21 May 2023 at Encounter
Lutheran College, Victor Harbor.
Our delegates for this convention are
Sharyn Schubert and Helene Brown.

Please pray for these members of our congregation.

Those with prayer needs:

Boehm family, Val Matters, Dorothy George (Qld), Irene Brown (suffering from breast cancer and has a further upcoming operation), Melva Wachner (LHG Glynde, Nursing Care), Haydon Grigg, Erika Truman, Margaret Hassold (ACH, Hope Valley), Enid Cridland (home), Dee Stock, Lawrie Sjoberg, Mel Hamann

Those on our long-term care list:

Sally & Vic Urch, Fay Rohrlach, Siggy Tils, Ruth McInerney (LHG 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 17:22-31](#) and [1 Peter 3:13-22](#). The gospel reading is [John 14:15-21](#).

The bible reading for the 10.30am worship service is [John 14:15-21](#).

The theme and message for both our worship services today is 'Jesus said to his disciples, "I will not leave you as orphans"' and is based on John 14:18.

There's a word of hope for you and me, to help us finish the race of life. It is God's own word. When we are feeling like orphans to run the race of life in this world—a race we cannot run by our own strength—we have a Father who gives us his strength to keep on going, a Saviour who walks beside us and the Spirit who comforts us, and strengthens us in faith, pointing us to everything Jesus said and still speaks, enabling us to cross the finishing line. We are not abandoned because we have a God who loves us. He says to each of us personally and individually, "I will not leave you as orphans".

Guest Pastor for next week (21 May): Pastor Ross Schultz



Birthdays this week

Aiden Schroeder, Brad Leach, Ema Udagawa

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

GLYNDE COMMUNITY MARKET



SATURDAY 27TH MAY

TIME: 10AM – 2PM

Speak to Helene Brown for details



Jesus leaving the cross

by *Paul Schubert*

People have said this artwork reminds them of many events;

Jesus who was nailed on the cross for our sins and then overcame that death.

Jesus who overcame being buried in a tomb and was then restored to life.

And Jesus ascending into heaven to be reunited with the heavenly hosts, including God the Father and the Holy Spirit and again becoming the three in one.

But for me, this artwork reminds me of how Jesus broke down the barriers that hindered people from having a deep and lasting relationship with God.

There were barriers of our self-centered sinful natures, which could only be atoned for by Jesus willingly dying on the cross for our sake.

There were barriers the Pharisees put up, with their legalistic requirements for purification that hindered many people from having a lasting relationship with God.

There were barriers in place between Jews and Gentiles that prevented Gentiles from being part of the Jewish faith.

And today we still put up barriers that prevent all people from having the same rights and opportunities. Our lack of compassion for the poor. Our disregard of people of different races and cultures who may be in need. Our pursuit of worldly pleasures like leisure and travel and large luxurious houses, while floods and famine and wars take their toll.

Prayer:

Forgive us Lord for these actions and help us to do better, so that we to might have a right and honest relationship with you and all people we interact with, so that more people may know your love. Amen

Only 2 more weeks to our:
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
Sunday 28th May, 1pm

**All congregation
members are invited
to attend**

CROSS-CULTURAL MINISTRY CONFERENCE



Cross Cultural Conference 2023 has been held!

Yes, the conference “**Moving into the neighbourhood**” was held in Melbourne on the 5th – 6th May ... Great title!

It was attended by over 60 people from around Australia and from many cultures. It was great to see Tea Tree Gully, Para Vista and Salisbury representatives there. Just to be able to share and be with so many people of different backgrounds with so many stories and ideas was a privilege.

I was part of a panel discussing “The welcoming church” which has great value not just in cross cultural ministry but simply on any Sunday!... There is a great video on welcoming that goes with the discussion – contact me for the link!

It was great to see that the Lutheran church who has previously listed Cross Cultural Ministry way down on their list of importance, now lists it much higher with churches wanting to move into the neighbourhood of culture.

Did you know – the Commonwealth Government is raising immigration limits to 600,000 per year? So many people to welcome into our neighbourhood.

We left feeling encouraged and enthusiastic for what Glynde is doing but also where we can learn and discover ways of moving into the neighbourhood!

If you want to know more please contact us, phone or email – we would love to share!

Barbara and Grant Mattiske

Sudanese Fundraiser

for Stephen & his children



Don't forget to keep June 17th free!

Can you help with the gift Stephen and his children will take to Gambella in Ethiopia later this year?

Mosquito nets cost around **\$75 each** and we hope to buy **35!**

Could you buy one?

Funds will be held and purchased in Addis Ababa on route.

Please contact Barbara Mattiske (phone or email) or Stephen



"Come to the Banquet"
Art Exhibition
 Sunday August 6th;
 and Tuesday 8th to Saturday August 12th.

Calling all artists.

In conduction with the LCA/NZ, an Art Exhibition at Glynde Church is proposed to be opened on August 6th after a Multicultural Banquet and opened to the general public from Tuesday August 8th to Saturday August 12th from 9 am till 2pm. The Exhibition is entitled, "**Come to the Banquet**".

Artists of all ages, stages and media are invited to participate. Family or other small groups are encouraged to participate. A poster suggesting types of art-works is in the foyer.

Registration of entries to Dot Turner: tdorothy193@gmail.com or to the front desk by Friday July 7th. A resource sheet is available from the front desk.

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 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

Friends of Lutheran Archives (FoLA) – In the Barossa & Beyond: George French Angas, artist & naturalist. Guest Speaker is Dr Philip Jones, historian and ethnographer based at the South Australian Museum, specialising in the historical paths of objects and images across cultural boundaries as in his award-winning *Ochre and Rust*. His latest book is *Illustrating the Antipodes: George French Angas*. Thursday 25th May, 7.30 pm at Immanuel Lutheran Church, Archer Street, North Adelaide, \$5.00 donation, supper & all welcome. Also livestreamed on:

<https://www.youtube.com/@friendsoflutheranarchives9644/live>



Growing FAITH at home

14 May 2023

SIXTH SUNDAY
OF EASTER

THE HOLY
SPIRIT IS
OUR HELPER



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LCA CHILD YOUTH & FAMILY MINISTRY



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CONVERSATIONS

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

1. Who has been helpful to you this past week?
2. In what ways have you helped others?



BIBLE READINGS

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

1st reading

Acts 17:22-31

God commands
people to repent

2nd reading

1 Peter 3:13-22

You are blessed

Gospel reading

John 14:15-21

The promise of
the Holy Spirit

DISCUSS

Jesus called the Holy Spirit our helper or counsellor. What does the Holy Spirit help us to do?



ACTION RESPONSE

The Holy Spirit is our helper. How can we show ways to help others this week? Make a list and put it on the fridge to remind you.



PRAYER

Jesus you are Lord of our hearts, help us to be gentle and respectful of others so they see you alive in us. Amen.



MEALTIME PRAYER

Come Holy Spirit, be our guest and let this food to us be blessed. Amen.



BLESSING

May God give you the Holy Spirit as a helper and guide.

THEN I WILL ASK THE FATHER TO SEND YOU THE HOLY SPIRIT WHO WILL HELP YOU AND ALWAYS BE WITH YOU. THE SPIRIT WILL SHOW YOU WHAT IS TRUE.

JOHN 14:16-17A

VERSE OF THE WEEK

