



Sunday Bulletin

Grace Lutheran Church

OUR MISSION: To know Christ and to make Him known

29TH APRIL 2018 - FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

- WELCOME!** A warm welcome to all of you as we worship together today. May God bless and strengthen you in every way.
- VISITORS!** A special welcome to you. We hope that you feel at home with us. Please join in a cuppa and fellowship after the service.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Loving heavenly Father,
 You sent Your Son Jesus Christ
 to reconcile the world to Yourself.
 Strengthen our faith,
 so that we remain united with Him
 and bear the fruit of love.
 We ask this through Your Son,
 Jesus Christ our Lord,
 who lives and reigns
 with You and the Holy Spirit,
 one God, now and forever.
 Amen.

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DATE CLAIMER

Wed	2	May	5:00pm	Worship Team Meeting (GL Church Hall)
Sun	6	May	8:30am	Together with Year 2 Service
Tue	8	May	6:30pm	Mission & Vision Team Meeting
Wed	9	May	5:00pm	Ministry Team Meeting (Church Hall)
Fri	11	May	9:30am	Kindy Chapel (Grace Kindy)
Fri	11	May	6:00pm	GROW Team Meeting (Church Hall)
Tue	15	May	9:30am	Kindy Chapel (Grace Kindy)
Fri	18	May	6:30pm	Men's Shed/Ladies Night (Venue tba)
Sun	20	May		Thanksgiving Sunday
Mon	21	May	6:30pm	Chaplaincy Dinner (Mueller Collee Auditorium)
Wed	30	May	9:30am	Ladies Fellowship (GL Church Hall)

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

Jesus said, "If you remain in Me and My words remain in you, ask whatever is on your heart and it will be done for you." Knowing that God hears our prayers for Jesus' sake, let us pray for the world, the church, and our local needs.

In our prayers:

- * nations of the world, that they strive for peace and for peace in troubled places (including Syria, Middle East, South Sudan, Iraq, Afghanistan);
- * all who rule and govern, that they would enact laws that honour God's will for the protection of life from conception through to old age;
- * the poor of the world, and all in need of refuge, and for God's guiding and blessing on all who seek to genuinely provide care;

- * the church on earth that we boldly proclaim God's word, and God's people to grow in faith and bear much fruit;
- * the Lutheran Church of Australia, in preparations for District and General Synods;
- * missionaries serving overseas, and for those who are suffering and dying for their faith in Christ;
- * local Christian Congregations (including Peace Community and Peninsula Presbyterian Church) and local ministries (including Redcliffe Church Leaders Network and RI in public schools, and God's guiding and blessing on RCLN to employ teachers to assist in the teaching of RI in schools);

- * our Community of Grace including: God's wisdom and guiding on dealing with matters from the past; blessing on discussions arising from the Congregation Forum; GLPS Story Night; GLPS Year Four Camp; 'Together With Year Two' next Sunday; various ministry groups within the congregation including the M & V Team, GROW Coaching Team and Worship Team; mainly music as it recommences this term;
- * all preparing for Baptism, Confirmation or Marriage;
- * all who have recently received their First Communion, and for Samantha Coghlan as she receives her First Communion this day;
- * the sick, the housebound, those recovering from surgery or illness (including Malcolm Williams, Kev Janz);
- * all who mourn the death of loved ones that together we rejoice in our life in Christ;

To trust in Jesus is peace.

BCC NOTICE Please remember those who call on Bayside Community Care in your prayers, your giving of financial aid and non-perishable food items. Perhaps God is calling you to give some of your time to this important ministry. All contributions are greatly appreciated. Thank you, Lord, for allowing us to show love to those living in our neighbourhood, who are less fortunate. Amen.

THANKSLIVING SUNDAY 20TH MAY Members are invited to prayerfully consider how they can use their time and talents in meeting the various needs of the congregation. There are many jobs, both big and small, that need to be done to continue our mission and ministry effectively. Thankyou for your dedication and contribution towards the Grace Community.

BRISBANE APPEAL DINNER LYQ invites you to their Brisbane Appeal Dinner to be held at BTP Conference Centre, Eight Mile Plains at 5:45pm on Saturday, 26th May. Cost is \$89 per person. During the evening, guests will have the opportunity to impact young lives through participation in an auction and through donation. RSVP 18th May. Flyers are available in the narthex. Danielle is a table host and a sponsor of this year's dinner, so please let her know if you would like to join her table.

PUBLIC SCHOOL CHAPLAINCY SUPPORT Monday 21st May "Let Them Shine" Chaplaincy Dinner at Mueller College; 5:30pm — Meet and Greet, 6pm doors open, tickets \$25, tables of 10 people. RSVP by Monday 14th May.

COMBINED CHURCHES CHAPPY SERVICE Sunday, 3rd June at our evening worship at Grace Lutheran College.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO HOST A JAPANESE STUDENT? Grace Primary School is looking for families who would be interested in hosting a Japanese student (aged 9-12 years) from 14 July - 21 July 2018. To find out more please contact Miya Omori, the GLPS Japanese Teacher on miyaomori@glps.qld.edu.au.

LUMINATE OPEN NIGHT! The Luminare Gap Year is an exciting opportunity, and we want to have chances for people to ask questions and find out more about whether this program will be right for them. The open night is an opportunity for potential participants and their parents to come and discover what the program is all about. We are going to be holding the open night on Monday 11th June, 7pm- 8.30pm at the church hall in St Paul's Lutheran Church, Nundah. All of the info is on the poster.

WINTER KIDS CAMP Grades 3 - 6 Monday 2 - Friday 6 July 2018 Earlybird Pricing = \$320 (first 30 bookings) Luther Heights Youth Camp, Coolum KIDS CAMP is a beautiful mix of learning about God, spending time outdoors and enjoying games with friends including stacks of fun and laughter! Every morning we'll spend time in worship and learning about God and then in the afternoons we'll take advantage of the wide open spaces at camp to play some epic games! Register today for Winter Kids Camp at www.lyq.org.au/wintercamps.

WINTER CHRISTIAN LIFE WEEK Grades 7—12 Week 1: Monday 2 - Friday 6 July 2018 Week 2: Monday 9 - Friday 13 July 2018 Earlybird Pricing = \$320 Koojarewon Youth Camp, Highfields & Luther Heights Youth Camp, Coolum Christian Life Week (CLW) is a five day camp for high school aged campers, centred on an unforgettable experience of faith, friendship and fun. In Winter we're offering 4 CLW camps across 2weeks. CLW is a life-changing week filled with daily worship and study time, epic games and life-long friends, led by an inspirational bunch of Christian leaders. Bookings are now open at www.lyq.org.au/clw

CARE TEAM Know someone who needs a little extra tender loving care? The Grace Lutheran Care Team would like to help members when they have a special need. So, if you or someone you know needs some care, just let the Care Team Coordinator, Kay Jaunais, know about it. Ph. 3283 6475, mob: 0409 031 084, email: danesmom@bigpond.com.

10 AM BIBLE STUDY AND PRAYER WITH PASTOR MARK. First and third Tuesday of the month in the Church Hall. Maine Road Clontarf Bring a plate to share, but not compulsory!! Tea, coffee. water provided in turn. We usually come early and start 9-9.30 am with cuppa and chat, 10am Bible study and prayer, finishing around 11 am.

HALL USE AND HALL HIRE Please direct all Hall use requests to the Church Office to ensure availability. You may also check the calendar in the Narthex on Maine Rd. If Hall is booked, please allow reasonable transition time between activities. Thank you.

DO YOU NEED A PAPER COPY OF THE BULLETIN? IF NOT, please place a small sticker on your pigeonhole. (Stickers alongside pigeonholes).

BLUE CARD APPLICATION FORMS available in the church foyer. If your card is due to expire, allow yourself sufficient time for renewal. Please bring the filled form into the church office along with the required ID. Forms are also available on our website.

NAME TAG If you wish to have a name tag, please fill in an application form and put it in the office assistant pigeon hole. Forms are available in the narthex or just visit the church office. The cost is around \$15.

INTRODUCING REG REG stands for Regular Electronic Giving. This facility was introduced by the LLL to provide a way for people to give regularly to the work of the Church using a direct debit facility. Details of transactions are kept totally confidential. The treasurer is only advised of the total amount credited to the account for the month. The details for REG can be found on the LLL website at: http://www.lll.org.au/giving_through_the_lll/regular_electronic_giving_reg
Our Congregation Account at the LLL is: Redcliffe Grace Lutheran Church, BSB 704942 Account Number 65221

CONTRIBUTIONS FOR THE BULLETIN NEED TO BE IN BY WEDNESDAY 12PM.

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The General Church Council of the Lutheran Church of Australia has approved specific standards of ethical behaviour for the Lutheran Church in both Australia and New Zealand.

These standards are applicable to all aspects of the life of the church. For further information please see the Brochure in the Church Foyer: "LCA Standards of Ethical Behaviour". You may also find out more at www.lca.org.au/lca-standards-of-ethical-behaviour.html and by viewing the following video www.vimeo.com/203404541/72dd00349e The church is a safe place responding to sexual abuse complaints.

Copies of the LCA Safe Place are available in the office or visit www.lca.org.au/safe-place--child-safe-2.html to report a complaint, free call 1800 644 628 number, or email: report.abuse@safeplace.lca.org.au or mail LCA Safe Place PO Box 519 Marden SA 5070.