



# Sunday Bulletin

Grace Lutheran Church

**OUR MISSION: To know Christ and to make Him known**

**3<sup>RD</sup> JUNE 2018 - 2ND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

**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**

Lord, You never fail to help and guide  
those You bring up in Your love.

Lead us always

to worship and love Your holy name.

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.

<b>Monday</b>	Phyllis Hope
<b>Tuesday</b>	Garth Hunt
<b>Wednesday</b>	Kathy Hahl
<b>Thursday</b>	Gillian Middleton
	Bernd Gorenflo
<b>Saturday</b>	June Fenwick



**DATE CLAIMER**

<b>Fri</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>June</b>	<b>9:30am</b>	Kindy Chapel (Grace Kindy)
<b>Sun</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>June</b>	<b>8:30am</b>	Together with Year 5 (GL Church)
			<b>10:30am</b>	Country Drive
<b>Mon</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>June</b>	<b>7:00pm</b>	Luminate Open Night (St Paul's Lutheran Church, Nundah)
<b>Tue</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>June</b>	<b>9:30am</b>	Kindy Chapel
			<b>6:30pm</b>	Mission & Vision Team Meeting
<b>Wed</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>June</b>	<b>10:00am</b>	Care Morning Tea (GL Church Hall)
			<b>5:00pm</b>	Ministry Team Meeting (GL Church Hall)
<b>Sat</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>June</b>	<b>9:30am</b>	CYFM Team Meeting
<b>Sun</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>June</b>	<b>9:30am</b>	LLL Visit to congregation
<b>Wed</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>June</b>	<b>9:30am</b>	Ladies Fellowship (Church Hall)

## PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

God has said, "Let light shine out of darkness," and He has shone in our hearts to give us the light of the knowledge of His glory in the face of Jesus Christ. As His life is at work in us, we pray for the world, the church, and local needs.

*In our prayers:*

- \* thanksgiving to God our Father that He created us, and that He gave His Spirit who knit us together in our mother's womb;
- \* all in government that they are guided by God's law, and seek to help those who are distressed and perplexed, with a desire to protect life from conception to old age all who are (as we also remember the inquiry on abortion within QLD);
- \* all agencies of care (government, NGO, church, etc) who seek to help people in need, that they seek to help in accord with God's Word;
- \* troubled places (including Middle East; North and South Korea; South Sudan);
- \* the overworked and overburdened that they the true rest that God desires for them;
  
- \* thanksgiving to God the Son that He gives true rest for the soul in Word and Sacrament;
- \* the church on earth that we seek to reflect God's gracious presence in lives of faith and service;
- \* troubled, perplexed and persecuted Christians that they know God's strength;
- \* all who serve in the church including missionaries overseas, that we know God's protection and blessing;
- \* the Lutheran Church of Australia, that the Spirit may guide us into all truth including in various Synods;
- \* local Christian Congregations (including Axis Peninsula and Church on the Bay) and local ministries (including Combined Churches Chaplaincy Support service at Grace Lutheran College; Redcliffe Church Leaders Network meeting 6<sup>th</sup> June);
  
- \* thanksgiving to God the Holy Spirit that He has gave us life in body, and true life in faith in Christ Jesus;
- \* 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; blessing on 'Together With Year Five' next Sunday (10<sup>th</sup> June); GLPS Musical 15-16 June;
- \* the sick, the housebound, those recovering from surgery or illness;
- \* all who mourn the death of loved ones that together we rejoice in our life in Christ;

**Focus on God**  
**and regain perspective.**

**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.

**SPECIAL RETIRING OFFERING 17<sup>TH</sup> JUNE** to support Religious Instruction (RI) in public schools. This offering will go in support of 'Redcliffe Church Leaders Network' with the aim of supporting RI in employing a person to assist in this area. Many other areas in Queensland are now employing people to assist, and it is the desire of RCLN that this work may be maintained and grow. The aim is to raise \$10,000. Already more than \$2,000 has been raised with one congregation giving \$1,000, another \$1,100. Please consider how you may support this work.

**MAINLY MUSIC TRAINING WORKSHOP** This year's mainly music area Workshop is being held on June 9<sup>th</sup> from 10am to 2:30pm with a thirty minute BYO lunch break at Grovely Christian Community Church, 38 Woking Street, Mitchelton. The cost of the workshop is \$15 per person with every fifth person free for registrations made prior to June 1<sup>st</sup> and \$30 thereafter. Costs will be covered by the mainly music budget. Whether you're a background person or someone the families would know because you were in a more visible position, this workshop will aid you in your thinking and processing of how to love the families more. Please RSVP to Danielle ASAP.

**LUTHERAN WOMEN OF QLD BIENNIAL CONVENTION** Invite you to 'Have a Whale of a Time' with them Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> and Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2018 at St James Lutheran Church Pantlins Lane, Hervey Bay. Online registration form is now available (<https://kimmybryce.wixsite.com/lwqwbb/event-details>) or ask Elke in the church office.

**LUTHERAN MEDIA** Please include Lutheran Media in your worship prayers. Through your prayers, encouragement and donations you are a witness of Jesus to people in Australia and beyond.

**THE ORDINATION OF MEN AND WOMEN** will be discussed at next General Synod of the Lutheran Church of Australia. Draft Doctrinal Statements have been produced, and these will be discussed at General Synod. To obtain copies please go to <http://www.convention2018.lca.org.au/business/ordination-women-men/> Some copies of these will also be available in the entrance of the church building. We pray for God's guiding as we consider these documents in the light of His Word. If more copies are required please contact the church office.

**MOVIE NIGHT** 4<sup>th</sup> August, in Support of RI Redcliffe Church Leaders' Network will be holding a movie night, 4<sup>th</sup> August to support Religious Instruction in our area. Movie is the insightful documentary: "For the love of God: The Church is better and worse than you ever imagined". More details will follow (re time, place, bookings, etc.).

**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\\_III/regular\\_electronic\\_giving\\_reg](http://www.lll.org.au/giving_through_the_III/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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<b>Church Office</b>	Elke Gorenflo	Ph: 3883 1144 (work) (Wed—Fri: 9am –2pm) church@glps.qld.edu.au

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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](http://www.lca.org.au/lca-standards-of-ethical-behaviour.html) and by viewing the following video [www.vimeo.com/203404541/72dd00349e](http://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](http://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](mailto:report.abuse@safeplace.lca.org.au) or mail LCA Safe Place PO Box 519 Marden SA 5070.