



Sunday Bulletin

Grace Lutheran Church

OUR MISSION: To know Christ and to make Him known

15TH JULY 2018 - 8TH 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

Holy and merciful God,
give us a clear vision
to see what is right and true,
and the courage to live by it,
whatever the cost may be.
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.

Monday	Gael Itzstein
	Samantha Hunt
Wednesday	Duke Lutter
Friday	Fay Janz



Tue	17	July	6:30pm	Mission & Vision Team Meeting
Wed	25	July	9:30am	Ladies Fellowship (Grace Lutheran Church Hall)
Fri	27	July		Grandparents Day (GLPS)
Sun	29	July	10:00am	Generations Brunch (GLC Hall)
Wed	1	Aug	5:00pm	Worship Team Meeting (GLC Hall)
Sun	5	Aug	8:30am	Together with Year 4
Fri	10	Aug	6:30pm	Men's Shed/Ladies Night
Sun	12	Aug	5:30pm	Acknowledgment of Danielle's service as Chaplain (GLC Chapel)
Tue	14	Aug	6:30pm	Mission & Vision Team Meeting
Sun	19	Aug	8:30am	Together with Year 1
Sun	26	Aug	10:00am	Annual General Meeting

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

God is holy and just and judges righteously. He does all he can to keep his people from falling away. Let us pray to him in the full confidence that he will hear our prayers.

In our prayers:

- * for the people of God, the church, throughout the world, that God's glory be sought and not humanity's;
- * for people of influence, political leaders, all governing bodies, especially those who influence ethical decisions;
- * for the judicial system, the courts, judges, lawyers, barristers, the police, prison workers;
- * for all victims of abuse and crime;
- * for all in prison because of wrong things they have done, that they may turn from the ways of their past;
- * for LYQ Christian Life Week camps;
- * for our Lutheran Schools and Schools in Queensland as young people and staff return to school;
- * those preparing for Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation, or Marriage;
- * the sick, and all recovering from surgery or illness, that they know God's strength and healing;
- * all who mourn the death of loved ones, that we rejoice in the life we have with God through Christ in the power of the Spirit.

**Contentment is found
in Christ alone.**

ATTENTION ALL AGM REPORT COMPILERS Please have reports for the AGM booklet in by 1st August. Send to paul_vitale@glc.qld.edu.au and church@glps.qld.edu.au.

MAINLY MUSIC NEWS The scheduled mainly music planning meeting on 19th July has been postponed. More information on mainly music and its future development are still to come.

FAITH FORMATION ACROSS THE LIFE SPAN - WORKSHOP Congregation members are invited to join our GROW Team in attending the workshop 'Faith Formation Across the Life Span'. At this workshop we will be exploring the seasons and stages of life for children, adolescents, young adults, middle adults, mature adults and older adults to help us identify effective practices and approaches to faith formation across the life span. Please join us so that we can grow in the way we minister to our congregation and beyond. Sat 1st September, 9am to 4pm, Immanuel Lutheran Church, Buderim. For more info or to rsvp contact Fleur Lutter or the church office.

POSITIVE PARENTING PROGRAM Join a free Triple P Positive Parenting Discussion at Grace Creche & Kindergarten, 3 Meredith Street, Redcliffe. Book at www.tripleparenting.net. For more information call 0438 937 633 or email z.karamsimmond@uq.edu.au.

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

MOVIE NIGHT in Support of RI Redcliffe Church Leaders' Network will be holding a movie night, 4th 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.).

BIBLE SOCIETY Free Event for You! Bible Society would like to gift you with a free ticket to the screening of the Centre for Public Christianity (CPX)'s new documentary: For the Love of God: How the church is better and worse than you ever imagined. Monday 20th August, 6:45pm—9:00pm, at Event Cinema, Pacific Fair/Gold Coast. After viewing the film, that you will be inspired to use and promote the documentary and the surrounding resources in your church, school and ministries. Tickets are limited, so please RSVP on the Bible Society event page using password VIP2018 to secure your place.

NEW LYQ GIFT VOUCHERS Give the perfect gift to your grandchildren or children for a birthday, baptismal remembrance, confirmation of Christmas. You can purchase a gift voucher online using your credit card or EFT, or you can call 3511 4080 to purchase by cheque. You can specify the gift voucher amount you would like to purchase. For more information or to purchase an LYQ Gift Voucher, head to the website (www.lyq.org.au/giftvoucher) or call the office on PH: 3511 4080.

VESPER SERVICE Nazareth Lutheran Church, Woolloongabba invites you to join them for an evening Vesper Service the first Wednesday of each month, commencing at 7pm. The service lasts for around half an hour with the Royal Church Music Group Choir joining as Cantors from time to time to enrich the worship.

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 are 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. Photocopies are not acceptable as the ID MUST be sighted by Elke. 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_ill/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/203404541/722dd00349e 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.