



# Sunday Bulletin

Grace Lutheran Church

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

**12<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2018 - 12TH 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 Jesus, You are the bread of life from God.  
 Feed us with this heavenly bread.  
 Unite us more closely to Yourself  
 and live within us forever.  
 For You live and reign  
 with the Father and the Holy Spirit,  
 one God, now and forever.  
 Amen.

- Today** Glenis James
- Wednesday** Keith Schultz
- Thursday** Vera Wilson
- Saturday** Peter Kellett  
 Joelene Gledhill (special)



## *Happy Anniversary*

- Monday** Viv & Beth Kuhl
- Saturday** Ross & Maree Pukallus

<b>Tue</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>Aug</b>	<b>6:30pm</b>	Mission & Vision Team Meeting
<b>Sun</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>Aug</b>	<b>8:30am</b>	Together with Year 1
<b>Sun</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>Aug</b>	<b>10:00am</b>	Annual General Meeting
<b>Wed</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>Aug</b>	<b>9:30am</b>	Ladies Fellowship (GLCH)
<b>Sat</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>Sep</b>	<b>9:00am</b>	Grow Training—Workshop (Emmanuel Lutheran Church, Buderim)
<b>Thur</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>Sep</b>	<b>10:30am</b>	Clontarf Chaplaincy High Tea (Clontarf Beach State High School)
<b>Sun</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>Sep</b>	<b>8:30am</b>	Together with Kindy
			<b>10:30am</b>	Country Drive
<b>Wed</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>Sep</b>	<b>10:00am</b>	Care Morning Tea
<b>Sun</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>Sep</b>	<b>8:30am</b>	Together with year 6

## PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

*Even when sin and hardship seem to overwhelm us, God in His love provides what we need. In the name of Jesus Christ and by the Holy Spirit's guidance, let us turn to God in prayer for the world, the church, and our local needs.*

*In our prayers:*

- \* the government (local, state, and federal), that in times of difficulty those in positions of responsibility may look to God in Christ for guidance and direction (as also we pray for God's guiding as Queensland Parliament considers changes to abortion laws);
- \* all people in need, including those in places of war and conflict, those who seek refuge, and all affected by any 'natural disaster', including communities in Australia affected by drought;
- \* people in the local community, that they may hear the gospel and turn to Christ (and for blessing on Ekka, and all involved at this time);
- \* the church, that we do not lose faith in times of difficulty and hardship;
- \* Christians in countries that persecute them for their faith, especially the children who are innocent and don't understand;
- \* the people of God, that we may be a worthy witness so that the devil has no room to work his deception;
- \* the Lutheran Church of Australia, God's guiding and blessings on various Governance reviews within the LCA, as also preparations for General Synod (September);
- \* local Christian Congregations (including Star Christian Church) and local ministries (including Religious Instruction in State Schools and for a Coordinator for 2019);
- \* our Community of Grace including: blessing on Danielle Robinson as we acknowledge her service as Layworker; M & V Team (meeting 14<sup>th</sup>), GLPS 'Winter Wonderland' (18<sup>th</sup>); GLPS Together With Year One (19<sup>th</sup>); Congregation AGM (26<sup>th</sup>);
- \* all who preparing for baptism, First Communion, Confirmation, or marriage;
- \* God's guiding and blessing for Layworker at Grace Lutheran Congregation, and Pastor for Grace Lutheran College;
- \* the sick, the housebound, those recovering from surgery or illness;
- \* all who mourn the death of loved ones (including family and friends of Valissa Behan, memorial service at GLC today, 2pm), that they know God's love and life;

**God is good in both  
the good times and the bad.**

**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'. Please join us so that we can grow in the way we minister to our congregation and beyond. Sat 1<sup>st</sup> September, 9am to 4pm, Immanuel Lutheran Church, Buderim. For more info or to rsvp contact Fleur Lutter or the church office.

**PROFESIONAL STANDARD WORKSHOP** Grace Lutheran Church, Maine Road, Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> September, 9am — 3pm. Registrations are essential. For more information talk to David Spann (0468 968 532 or dgspann@gmail.com) Morning tea provided, byo lunch. Register online at [www.lca.org.au/departments/ministry-support/professional-standards/training-prof-standards](http://www.lca.org.au/departments/ministry-support/professional-standards/training-prof-standards).

**CLONTARF CHAPLAINCY HIGH TEA** Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> September from 10:30am at Clontarf Beach State High School. Pre-paid ticket only \$25pp. Seats are limited. To enquire please ring Julie Duce on 3204 2197 or email [julie.duce@optusnet.com.au](mailto:julie.duce@optusnet.com.au).

**REPLENISH WOMEN'S RETREAT** will run from September 14 - 16 at Luther Heights campsite in Cooloom. This retreat is designed for women aged 18 and over. Accommodation and meals are provided throughout the weekend. Replenish has no set timetable or schedule, so each woman can determine how much - or little - they would like to do throughout the weekend. If you have any questions or would like further information, please contact 3511 4080, or via email at [office@lyq.org.au](mailto:office@lyq.org.au).

**LYQ CHRISTIAN LIFE WEEK** Early bird pricing for Tanyalla Recreation Centre finishes on the 27<sup>th</sup> August. Spring Christian Life Week: Grades 7—12, 24<sup>th</sup>- 28<sup>th</sup> September 2018. CLW is a five day camp for high school aged campers led by an inspirational bunch of Christian leaders. If finance is a barrier to some of your youth attending CLW, chat with us about setting up a subsidy or accessing Buchholz Estate funding. If you have any questions, please contact 3511 4080 or via [office@lyq.org.au](mailto:office@lyq.org.au).

**POSITION VACANT** LYQ is seeking to appoint a full-time 'Events Coordinator' on a 12 month maternity contract to lead our state-wide camping ministry and key events. To find out more about this exciting position visit [www.lyq.org.au/careers](http://www.lyq.org.au/careers). Applications close Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> August 2018.

**FESTIVAL OF PRAISE** Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> October at Redcliffe Uniting Church. Songs of Praise, Interviews, offering for School Chaplaincy. Free Event. Enjoy afternoon tea following our time of praise. Join the combined choir: practise Wed 10<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> Oct, 7pm at Redcliffe Uniting Church.

**BRIDGE TO BRISBANE** Join the SU Qld team on Sunday 26th August for the Bridge to Brisbane run and raise funds for school chaplains. Walk, jog, run, skip or sprint 5km or 10km.

**AGEING WISELY** Free Forum: 23rd August, 9:30am—11:30am at Redcliffe Uniting Church, 1 Richens Street. This event is hosted in partnership with Redcliffe Dementia Alliance. To register email to: [officeassist@dovenetq.net.au](mailto:officeassist@dovenetq.net.au) or phone: 3283 4066

**THE QUEENSLAND CHOIR** presents CHORAL CLASSICS on Sunday, August 19, 3pm, at Wynnum Municipal Hall; Saturday, August 25, 7.30pm at Samford Community Hall; Sunday, August 26, 3pm, at Sandgate Town Hall. Tickets, \$35, concessions: \$30; Children and full-time students, \$15. Book at [www.trybooking.com](http://www.trybooking.com) or phone: 3895 8188.

**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](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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<a href="http://gracelutheran.org.au">gracelutheran.org.au</a>	<a href="http://www.facebook.com/GraceLutheranChurchRedcliffe">www.facebook.com/GraceLutheranChurchRedcliffe</a>	

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.