



Welcome to Good Shepherd Lutheran Church.

Please join us for a morning tea after our worship service.

If you are new to the church and would like to find out more information about worship and other activities, please speak to Pastor Luke.

Holy Communion at our church is for all

- baptised believers
- who know their need for forgiveness
- who believe Jesus himself is present with his body and blood in this meal with the bread and wine.

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Sexual abuse is totally unacceptable to the church and to society as a whole. The LCA Safe Place Committee has established a confidential service for responding to complaints of sexual abuse/harassment by church employees and leaders. Trained advisors are available to help.

PHONE FREECALL NUMBER 1800 644 628 or write to: The Supervisor, PO Box 519, Marden SA 5070 or email: report.abuse@safeplace.lca.org.au

- Good Evening -
New Years Day (Christmas 1)
 1st January 2012

A New Year With The Lord

A new year is about to unfold
 With new opportunities to explore
 Doors will open for new experiences
 New adventures with the Lord

Remember not the former things
 The things of this past year
 The Lord will do new things in us
 Much more than we are aware

For He will make a way for us
 As we put our trust in Him
 And He will guide our every step
 By His presence we have within

What God has placed within our hearts
 We find we'll be able to do
 If we look for the opportunities
 We'll see the door to go through

We mustn't let anything hold us back
 But rise up and take our place
 And be all that God wants us to be
 With a fresh touch of His grace!
 - M.S.Lowndes

Announcements

1. **Happy New Year.** Pastor Luke and the leadership of Good Shepherd would like to wish all of our members, friends and visitors a blessed New Year. What a gift that we get a fresh start at the new year, but greater it is that we get a fresh start each day as we are washed in our baptismal waters and rise again as new creations in Christ.
2. **KYB.** Please note that the KYB study weeks for personal study at home begin again today (Jan 1). Please visit the KYB blog (under members section) to check to make sure you are up-to-date with your readings.
3. **New Name Badges.** For those who recently ordered a new name badge, please pick up your badge from a member of Church Council with your payment. Full Cost: \$8.25. Subsidised: \$5. *If you missed out on ordering and would like a newer name badge, please speak to Pastor Luke on his return.*
4. Pastor Luke is on **annual leave** until 25th Jan 2012. Should you require pastoral care during this time please contact a member of our pastoral care team. If you require a Pastor you can contact Pr Fred Veerhuis (02 9820 2375) or Campbelltown or Pr Tim Zanker (02 9821 3879) at Liverpool.



Prayer Points

- **That during this Epiphany Season we would come and see Jesus, follow him and make him known to others.**
- for those who will be born this year, and for those who will die; for those who will be wounded and for those who will need healing; for those who will laugh and those who will mourn.
- for wisdom to see what must be torn down and what must be built up; for the courage to throw away the things we no longer need, and for the strength to gather in the things we need to keep close and dear.
- for times when we may embrace those whom we have refrained from embracing; when we may seek those that we have lost; when we may love those whom we have hated.
- for wisdom to know the time to speak and the time to keep silent; the time for war and the time for peace
- Members and friends of our community: **John Grantins, Karl Haessler, Wolfgang Grollmus, Powell Heuer (and family), David Harris, Steve Turcsanyi, Shirley Tullock, Sam & Anneli Skippari, Edgar Webber, George Gaidos, Daniel Liptak, Tania Kaiser, Karen & Anita Short.**

Date	Sermon	Leader	Prayers	Cleaning	Morning Tea	Bible Readings	Musician
8 Jan	Dianne Wiley	Sharon Tullock	Sharon Tullock	Brooks	Gillian Brooks	Wiley	Raelene
15 Jan	Ann Robertson	Elizabeth Robertson	Elizabeth Robertson	n/a	Gillian Brooks	Brooks	Tullock
22 Jan	Eesa Witt	Tim Goodhew	Eesa Witt	Brooks	Heuer	Witt	Wiley
29 Jan	Pastor Luke	Pastor Luke	Pastor Luke	n/a	Siagian		Tullock