



Good Shepherd Lutheran Church Sutherland NSW

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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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Welcome to Good Shepherd Lutheran Church. We pray that you are blessed as you worship God in this place. A special welcome to any visitors that are with us today.

Our worship services include Holy Communion. We use a continuous style of communion. Come receive the body and blood and return to your seat. The congregation is given the post-communion blessing after we have all communed. You are invited to join us for a cuppa and fellowship time after the service.

If you would like to find out more about Jesus, if you are searching for something in life, feeling lonely or maybe confused and not to sure about the future holds - feel free to send our Pastor an email on pastor@gslcs.com or drop past our office for a friendly chat. More information can be found on our website: www.gslcs.com

Monthly Activities

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| 1st Sun: | Ministry Team Meeting |
| 2nd/4th Sun: | Children's Ministry |
| 3rd Sun: | Ladies Fellowship |
| 4th Wed: | Young At Heart (10:30am) |
| Last Thursday: | Playgroup (10am-12) |

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

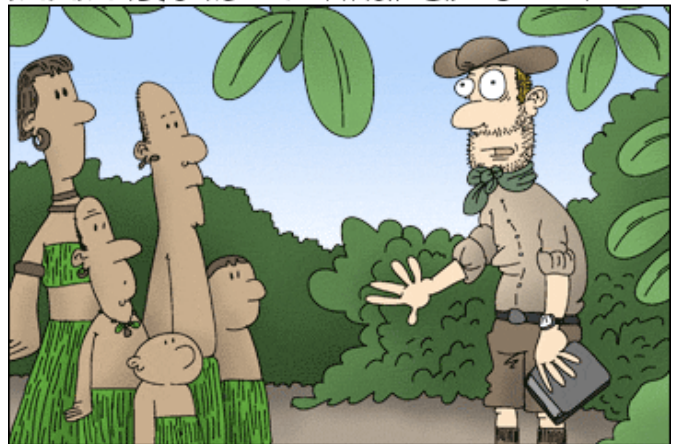
Announcements

1. **Congratulations.** Steve and Aurelia are excited to announce the birth of their Son Thomas Arthur Martin. Thomas was born at St George Hospital at 10am, Thursday 12th July last week. Both Mum, Dad and Thomas are doing well. Please keep this family in your prayers.
2. **Welcome to Good Shepherd Lutheran Church.** We pray that your time of worship today has been a blessing as you've met the Lord God in Word, prayer, praise, bread and wine. You are invited to join us for a cuppa after the service. Thank you to all those who have contributed to making this time of worship possible today. Have a great week and God bless you richly!
3. **Upcoming Sermon Series.** Over the next few months, beginning on the 29th of July, we will be beginning a sermon series entitled 'LifeKeys'. LifeKeys shows you how to discover your God given gifts and talents, and will help you develop them so that the church can fulfill its role to the world. We encourage you to be present for this sermon series, and the studies that we be held after worship on a selected few Sunday's of the month.
4. **AGM today.** Our AGM will be held on this morning after a brief morning tea. Please note that this day coincides with the 'Sutherland to Surf' which means you will need to adjust your travel to the church in the morning accordingly.
5. **Rosters.** We are still looking for people to fill the roster. Please put your name down on the kitchen door roster if you can help out.
6. **Pastoral Visits.** Pastor Luke and members of our pastoral care team continue to regularly visit the sick and shut-ins, however, if you would like a general visit to talk, receive prayer and to be blessed, please email or talk to Pastor Luke or Ann Robertson to arrange a visit.
7. **Prayers.** Pastor Luke regularly schedules time to pray for the community and our individual needs. If you would like a special prayer request added to this list then please contact Pastor Luke or a member of our Pastoral Care Team.

Prayer Points

- for Steve and Aurelija at the birth of their son Thomas Arthur Martin.
- for conflict around the world especially in Syria and Sudan.
- For broken families and homes.
- For our AGM, our congregation, all who have served over the last year, and all who will serve during this coming year.
- Members and friends of our community: **Mauri Korpi, Piroska & Steve Turcsanyi, John Grantins, Edna Kuehne, David Harris, Sam & Anneli Skippari, Helene Schaefer (Karen Brooks' mother), Shirley Tullock, Eesa Witt, Rita Zalcmans. We also pray for those traveling at this time: Rod & Sharon Tullock, Elizabeth Robertson, and Jill & Michelle Goodhew.**

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IT TOOK SO LONG TO GET TO 'ALL THE WORLD' THAT, ONCE THERE, HE TOTALLY FORGOT WHAT HE WAS GOING TO SAY