

LIGHT LUTHERAN CHURCH INC

A sincere, warm welcome to all our members and any visitors who are worshipping with us today. May God bless our being in His presence and in Christian fellowship with each other.

Sunday 26th July
Pentecost 9



Bethel	Bethlehem	St John's	St Mark's	Trinity
Bethel	Allen's Creek	Kapunda	Freeling	Rosedale

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Listen in mercy to our prayers, Lord. Lead us to ask for whatever pleases you, so that you may grant what we desire. 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.

OFFERING PRAYER

Thank you, Lord, for giving us so many wonderful gifts, especially for calling us into your kingdom. Make us faithful and wise servants, giving of what you have given us to help others. Amen.

[Worship Service YouTube Link](#)

Prerecorded YouTubes are in recess you can still get live stream on Sunday mornings 9am Freeling on our YouTube channel

Bible Readings

Sunday 26th July

1 Kings 3:5-12
Romans 8:26-39
Matthew 13:31-33,44-52

Sunday 2nd August

Isaiah 55:1-5
Romans 9:1-5
Matthew 14:13-21

This Week

Mon 27th Proverbs 2:1-15
Tue 28th Ecclesiastes 11:9 – 12:7
Wed 29th 2 Corinthians 4:3-12

Thurs 30th Colossians 2:1-7
Fri 31st 1 Timothy 6:11b-19
Sat 1st Psalm 145:8, 9, 14–21

STATEMENT OF COMMITMENT– CHILD SAFE

The Light Lutheran Church is committed to providing a safe church environment for children and young people. Light Lutheran Church acknowledges that children are a precious gift from God, with special vulnerabilities, that they require nourishment and nurture in their spiritual development and that they are to be protected from all forms of abuse. Light Lutheran Church also affirms that it has no tolerance for child abuse and that all its people have an important



responsibility to care for children and to keep them safe. The way we care for children reflects our genuineness of faith. It is also a reflection of God's love and his divine protection.

Women's Fellowship

August

Wednesday 12th 2pm Wheatfields
Wednesday 29th TBA Visit to Art Gallery and Museum,
travel by train to Adelaide.

Kid's Club



Kids Club returns Sunday 26th July with Our Morning Tea Fundraiser, 9am for Kid's Club and 10am for Morning Tea at the Freeling Church Hall with an invitation to school aged children Kindy- year 7 to join. Term 3 dates are July 26th, August 9th and 23rd and September 6th and 20th (Church Picnic at Greenock Oval)



Care and Share

Friday 31st July 9:30am in the St Mark's Supper room. All welcome to join in fellowship



Bible Study at Kapunda

Bible study is on Wednesday 5th August at 1pm in the St John's hall.

Lutheran Care~



Looking for support with **Long life milk, Pasta Sauce, Pasta noodles, Tinned spaghetti, 2 minutes noodles**

We gratefully accept donations at our office: Shop 7/8, 109-111 Murray St, Tanunda, (opposite the Clubhouse, behind Amanti Pizza).

Any questions please contact Barossa administration 8562 2688 or barossa@lutherancare.org.au. We appreciate your support.

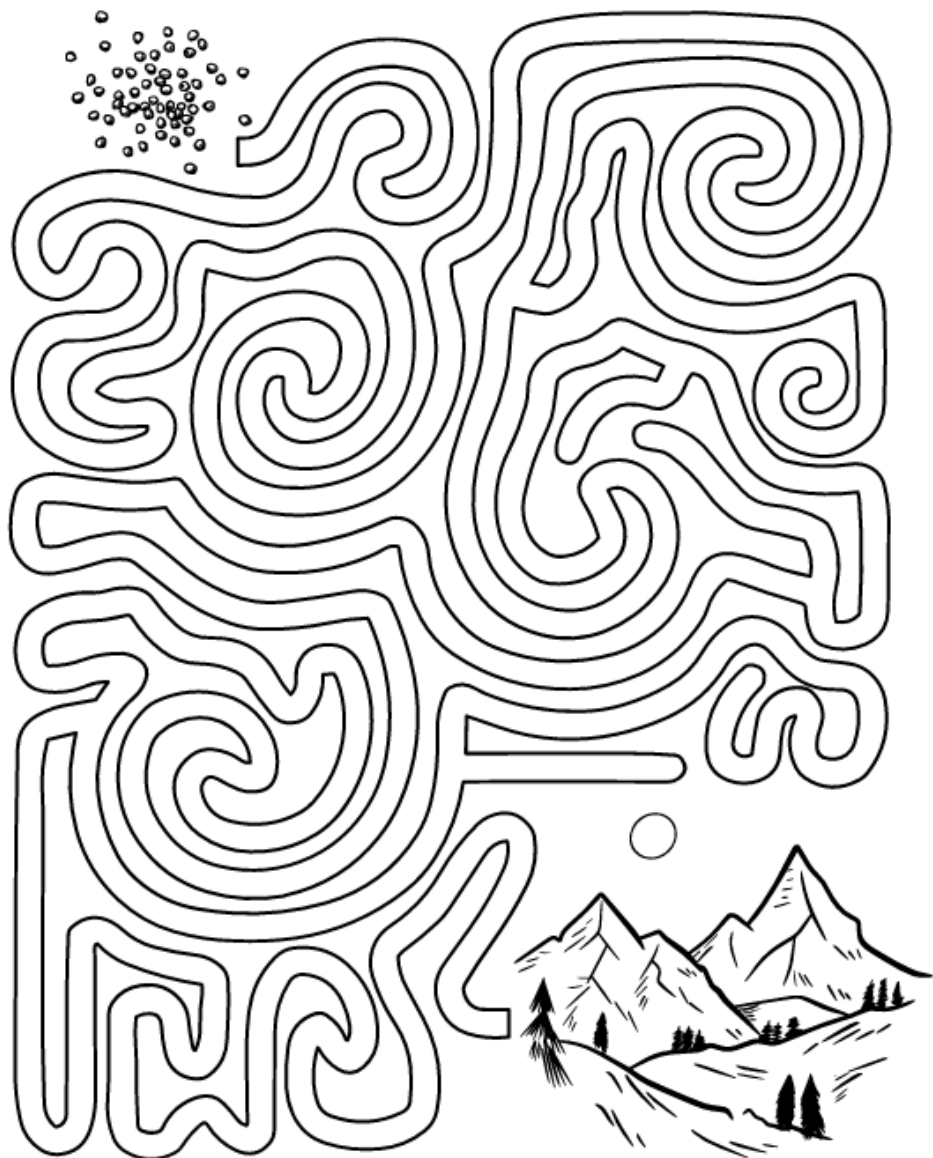
Greenock Youth

Hall Night: Friday 24th July 7-9pm at Greenock Lutheran Hall hosted by

Games Night: Friday 7th August 7-9pm

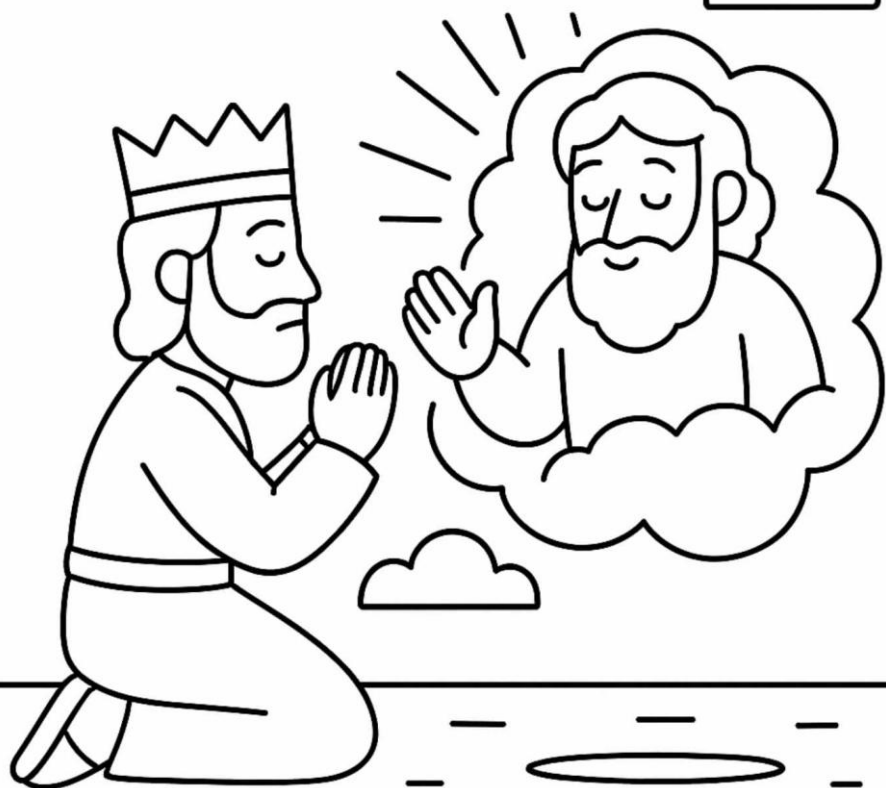
MUSTARD SEED FAITH

JESUS TOLD THEM, "I TELL YOU THE TRUTH, IF YOU HAD FAITH EVEN AS SMALL AS A MUSTARD SEED, YOU COULD SAY TO THIS MOUNTAIN, 'MOVE FROM HERE TO THERE,' AND IT WOULD MOVE. NOTHING WOULD BE IMPOSSIBLE."



SOLOMON ASKS FOR WISDOM

1 Kings 3



**SOLOMON PRAYS
TO GOD**

LIGHT FAMILY ACTIVITIES

Kid's Club Morning tea Fundraiser: The annual Kid's Club morning tea will be held on July 26th after Church in the St Mark's hall. Kid's Club are fundraising for backpack for kids.

COM's Meeting Minutes: Minutes from the latest COM's meeting (14/7/26) are available please contact Karrissa Buck at lightlutheran@gmail.com

Funerals – whilst we are in vacancy, please contact Karrissa (lightlutheran@gmail.com or 0427706691) for details of persons available to assist with Funerals or other pastoral requirements.

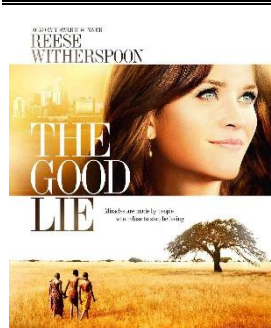
Graduate Pastor Allocated to Light Lutheran

We are very pleased to announce to the members of Light Lutheran that we received a call from Bishop Andrew Brook after the meeting of the College of Bishops on Thursday, 16th July informing us of their decision to allocate the Graduate Pastor, Paul Ridley, to Light Lutheran Church.

This is fantastic news and will save much time in the calling of other ministers. Many thanks must go to the members of the Call Committee and especially Heidi Goers who worked diligently to put together a very professional Call Package which was presented during the process and to all who helped in any way to facilitate our readiness to indicate a Call to a Graduate Pastor.

Timelines are as yet undecided and it may be a couple months before we can welcome Paul as our Pastor but please remember in your prayers all the people who are working towards Paul's arrival and remember Paul and his family as they prepare to serve our Congregation.

COMMUNITY AND CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS`



Movie: Due to a technical issue, we were unable to show this movie in July so we will be showing it in August.

The movies at Holy Trinity Church Hall in Nuriootpa continue Sunday 2 August. We'll be showing the movie "The Good Lie". In 1983, orphans of the civil war in Sudan, known as The Lost Boys, traveled nearly a thousand mile on foot, enduring unspeakable circumstances in

search of refuge. Over a decade later, a humanitarian effort would bring thousands of these survivors to America. The Good Lie is the uplifting, true-to-life tale of four friends' journey from their devastated homeland to the foreign world that is modern America, and the people who help empower them to begin again. Join us for this amazing movie. Movie starts @ 7PM and is still just \$5!

SERVICE TIMES					
Sunday 2 nd August –Tenth Sunday after Pentecost					
	Allen's Creek	Bethel	Freeling	Kapunda	Rosedale
Service Times	No service	10:45am	9am	9am	10:45am
		PR	HC	PR	HC
Pastor		P Ridley	J Bryan	P Ridley	J Bryan

Service Times during vacancy.

Sourcing of fill-in minsters after Pastor Geoff's retirement is proving very difficult (almost none available).

Current suggestion is we only have 2 services on a Sunday when a relieving minister or Pastor Jim is available unless we have 2 ministers that day (to maximise the opportunity for HC and having a minister).

These services will be at Freeling at 9.00am HC and Kapunda 10.45am HC with no LR services that day.

All Sundays when no pastor is available will be Lay Reading or no service depending on your Worship Point.

You will be required to check the bulletin or the website for service times for the following Sunday as times may change often as minister availability is confirmed.

Service times for the FOLLOWING week only, once advertised in the bulletin/website, will not change.

We apologise if this is confusing, but please bear with us, help each other (and pray) as we work together through this period of vacancy. WORSHIP COMMITTEE

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Bulletin Notices to Freeling Office by end of Wednesday

Karrissa Hours: In the Office Most Friday 9am-12pm.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Fridays available via phone, email or SMS.