LIGHT LUTHERAN CHURCH INC

Sunday 22nd November
Last Day of the Church year

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

WORSHIP THEME:

"Sheep & Goats... What's the Difference?"

Sheep and goats often graze together, but a shepherd knows the difference. In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus describes a day when all nations will stand before him and the final separation will take place. What does distinguish the sheep from the goats? Is it something we can see, something we do, or something much deeper? As we come to the end of another church year, we'll explore what Jesus teaches us about faith, our relationship with him and how we respond to those in need while we wait for his return.



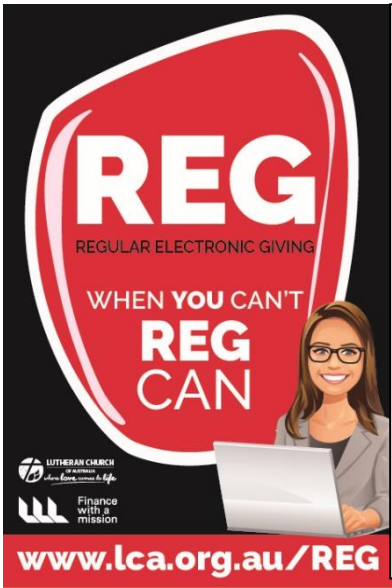
Pastor Paul Ridley

Bible Readings

Sunday 22nd November
Ezekiel 34:11-16,20-24
Ephesians 1:15-23
Matthew 25:31-46

Sunday 29th November
Isaiah 64:1-9
1 Corinthians 1:3-9
Mark 13:24-37





REG DETAILS

Banking details for EFT offerings are: Light Lutheran Church Inc BSB: 105-055 Account Nb: 047405040 Or Light Lutheran Church Inc BSB: 704-942 Account Nb: 100961959

Women's Fellowship

November

**Honey Biscuits for Lutheran Care:
If you can bake or donate Honey Biscuits for Lutheran Care can you please give them to Sue by the end of November. **

Kid's Club

Kids Club Sunday 29th November, 9am at the Freeling Church Hall with an invitation to school aged children Kindy- year 7 to join. We will be starting on our Christmas Eve play.

Care and Share

Friday 4th December 9:30am in the St Mark's Supper room. All welcome to join in fellowship

Lutheran Care~ Christmas Hampers:

This year, we are again reaching out to kind-hearted individuals like you seeking donations toward a hamper for a local family, giving them a blessed Christmas they might not otherwise have. You can contribute by collecting items from the attached list within your congregation and delivering them to the following location before the end of November: • BAROSSA - Shop 7/8, 109-111 Murray Street, Tanunda (hampers will be packed on Monday 7th December at St Petri Church Hall). If it is more convenient for you to make a monetary donation, you can make a financial contribution to Lutheran Care's Christmas Appeal. More information can be found at our website at www.lutherancare.org.au/donate-now.

Name: _____

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"I myself will search for my sheep. I will look after them."

— EZEKIEL 34:11 —

Church Announcements

PLEASE READ

Hi to all of Light Lutheran Congregation,
This is to advise everyone that our long-standing arrangement with Pastor Jim for extra services in Light will be concluding at the end of December.
Pastor Jim has provided much valued ministry to our congregation for a few years now and we will be holding a farewell for him at a Congregational Service at Freeling, on 20th December with a pooled luncheon after service.
This will mean a few changes to our service planning into 2027, but we look forward to the plans Pastor Paul has for shaping our worship and leading our Congregational ministry into the future.
Your Committee of Management.



We are looking for volenteers to help in the Church office so we are able to have the office open and staffed during the week from 9am-4pm, if you are able to assist please let the office know via email lightlutheran@gmail.com with you availability and any questions. If you would like to have a chat regarding the office work/hours Karrissa is in the office on Tuesdays and Fridays 9:30am-2pm and Pastor Paul is avaliable Wednesday-Friday 9am-4pm.





Light Lutheran Church AGM is coming up in March next year we are putting the call out for anyone who would like to express your interest in being apart of the nominations committee to speak to our current Chairperson Leighton Schuster 0428 939 502.

SPIN camp for year 4-6



The Light Lutheran Church would like to encourage our young people to attend a camp. With this in mind Light Lutheran Church will sponsor 1 camp per child this year. Please speak with your worship centre rep if your child would like to attend.

Blueprint ministries

https://blueprintministries.org.au/camps/spin/



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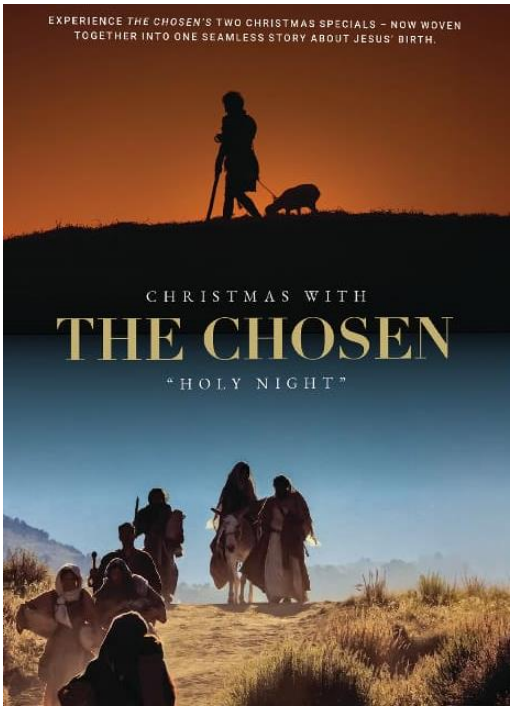
1300 763 407 alws.org.au/grace

Australian Lutheran World Service

ALWayS for those forgotten

Our Communities

MOVIE: Join us Sunday 6 December for our final movie at Holy Trinity Church Hall in Nuriootpa. *"Christmas with the Chosen: Holy Night"* is a special remastered and re-scored story that blends "The Messengers" and "The Shepherd." It features a never-before-seen performance from Andrea and Matteo Bocelli, highlighting seven musical performances and two beautiful new monologues. The narrative is told through the eyes of a young mother labeled impure and a shepherd boy considered "unclean," providing a unique perspective on the birth of Jesus. The movie starts @ 7 PM and is still just $5. This will be our final movie for a while as we take a break and catch our breath. We hope to show the occasional movie, but it will not be a monthly event. Thanks to everyone who has supported us over the past 14 years. We will miss you all but trust that you continue to be blessed in other ways! Merry Christmas to you all and we look forward to seeing you on the 6th.



SERVICE TIMES					
Sunday 29th November Advent 1					
	Allen's Creek	Bethel	Freeling	Kapunda	Rosedale
Service Times	Congregational Advent Service at Freeling 10.30am HC. With special guest Josie Wundersitz from Australian Lutheran World Service. followed by a pooled luncheon please bring a sweet and savoury dish to share.				
Pastor					
Sunday 6th December Advent 2					
Service Times	No service	10:45am	9am	9am	10:45am
		HC	HC	HC	HC
Pastor		Paul Ridley	Jim Bryan	Paul Ridley	Jim Bryan

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.



Prayer Points

 Give thanks that through Jesus Christ, our Good Shepherd, God has made us his children and given us the hope of eternal life.

 Pray that God would open our eyes to those who are lonely, struggling, or in need, and make us generous in sharing Christ's love.

 Pray that God would guard us from becoming comfortable in our faith, lives and congrefations and help us see and serve those who need Christ's love and care.

 Ask God to give us generous hearts, willing hands, and a servant spirit as we care for others without seeking recognition or reward.

 Ask God's blessing on the five worship points of Light Lutheran, especially the families who have recently joined our church community.

 Pray for those serving in mission and ministry throughout Australia and around the world.

 Remember the family of Rev. Pahala Simanjuntak, especially Basaria and their children, that God would comfort them in their grief and strengthen them through his promises.

 Pray for students, teachers, and educators as the academic year comes to an end, giving thanks for opportunities to learn and grow.

 Ask God to keep us faithful as we await Christ's return and help us share his love, forgiveness, and reconciliation with others.

This Week Bible Readings

Mon 23rd Genesis 19:15-29
Tue 14th Romans 2:1-16
Wed 25th 2 Corinthians 4:16 – 5:10
Thurs 26th Revelation 2:1-11
Fri 27th Revelation 20:11 – 21:1
Sat 28th Psalm 80:1–7, 17–19

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Bulletin Notices to Freeling Office by end of Wednesday

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Pastor Paul Ridley
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