



Barossa North Lutheran Parish

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SUNDAY BULLETIN

Second Sunday in Lent

16th March, 2025

**Strait Gate, Light Pass; Holy Trinity, Nuriootpa; Pilgrim, Neukirch;
St John's, Ebenezer; St John's, Dutton; Immanuel, Truro;
St Thomas, Stockwell; Immanuel, Light Pass.**

Christ's Church of Living Stones.

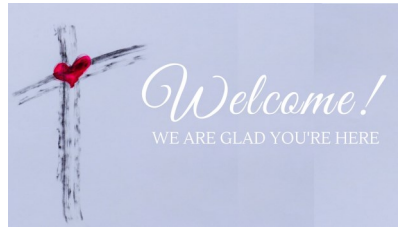


A parish of the Lutheran Church of Australia



Welcome to all those who are worshipping this week either at home or face to face. The following documents will be emailed or delivered to help you with your worship time;

- * A service order including bible readings and a sermon
- * The weekly Bulletin



This Week's Bible Readings

Genesis 15:1-12,17,18
Psalm 27
Philippians 3:17 - 4:1
Luke 13:31-35

Next Week's Bible Readings

Isaiah 55:1-9
Psalm 63:1-8
1 Corinthians 10:1-13
Luke 13:1-9

In Your Prayers Remember

Those who have been hospitalised or are recuperating at home:
Amanda Hampel, Trevor Boyce, Shirley Koch

Our aged members at home and in places of care:
Val Graetz, Norm Hahn, Val Handke, Eileen Laubsch,
Phyllis Linke, Trudy Lorenz, Elaine Nietschke,
Malcolm Paech, Dorothy Rohrlach, Audrey Schmidt,
Mavis Schrapel, Barry Steinborner



Additional Prayer Points

- For those who are struggling with doubts and uncertainty
- For Lent - draw us closer to you and lead us into deeper faith & devotion
- For the care of the earth so that it will be a healthier place for our children and the generations to come
- For those awaiting surgery or the results of medical tests
- For those dealing with the aftermath of the storms & floods in New South Wales and Queensland
- For our musicians in the Parish - bless them & praise God for their talents
- For those who have recently lost a loved one or are sick or injured

SAFE CHURCH - Safe People, Safe Programs, Safe Places

If you have witnessed or been informed of poor behaviour from someone working for the church or connected with it, it is important that you report it. This includes both inside and outside of our Parish.

LCA Complaint Contact Details: Email: complaints@lca.org.au
Phone: 1800 644 628

Find out more: www.childsafe.org.au

For any Child Safe or Safe Place concerns, please contact the Parish Office on 0491 764 651 or Dave Biar on 8267 5211.

Parish

Parish Office Hours: The office will be occupied on Wednesdays and Thursdays from 9:30am until 3:00pm. The Parish has a mobile number that is to be used to contact the Parish Office and the number can be found on the front page of the bulletin.

Carmen Falkenberg: On Friday the 28th of February, Carmen Falkenberg was called to her heavenly home. Carmen's funeral will be conducted by Pastor Damien on Friday the 21st of March at Strait Gate Lutheran Church commencing at 11:00am. We pray for our Lord to walk with and give comfort and strength to all those who mourn her death and especially on her family.

Parish AGM: The Parish AGM is being held TODAY in the **STRAIT GATE CHURCH HALL starting at 2:00pm. Please note the change of venue due to the hot weather and the Strait Gate Hall having air conditioning.** Hope to see you all there to help make decisions on how the Parish can best move forward.

Governance Workshop: The Parish have organised for Angela Rogers from Adelaide to come and run a Governance Workshop on Saturday the 29th of March in Kavel Hall, Immanuel Light Pass. All Congregational Chairs and Parish Council Members are asked to attend, plus anyone else in leadership positions is welcome to attend if they wish to.

Parish Service: Can all members of the Parish who plan on attending the Parish Service on Sunday the 30th of March at 10:00am at Holy Trinity, please bring a plate of morning tea to share after the service with a cuppa for some time of fellowship. Thank you.

From the Parish Exec

Parish AGM is TODAY. Please plan to attend.

Charlie Braunack – Parish Chairperson
Roger Frahn – Vice Chairperson

Janet Grosser - Secretary
Andrew Kleinig - Treasurer

Birthday Celebrations

Norm Hahn's 100th Birthday
is being celebrated with an Open House

On Sunday the 23rd of March

From 2:00pm to 4:30pm

In the Strait Gate Hall

Friends are Welcome

Please bring a plate of afternoon tea to share

No presents please



Parish

Additional AGM PROPOSAL - other business

From the Parish Review Committee report it is apparent that we will likely need to continue with only one Pastor and no paid lay-worker for the foreseeable future. This however, doesn't mean we can't move forward, but instead it's up to us to step up, support the work of our Pastor by using the talents God has given us and be the change we want to see. Personal faith development and a deeper knowledge of God's word are vital for a healthy future for the church. Could small group ministry play a part in this? We believe this can be a positive change for the Barossa North Lutheran Parish to reignite the fire for Christ within our members.

So the following proposal has been added to the Parish AGM agenda for consideration and voting;

Small Group Ministry:

There is a motion to form a small team to instigate, promote and coordinate small group ministry across the Parish.

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

I want to express my deepest gratitude for your prayers, support and the generous offering (\$986) at the combined Immanuel and Strait Gate service for my commissioning for volunteer service at Lutheran Highlands Seminary (near Mt Hagen) in Papua New Guinea. Your kindness and encouragement mean so much to me as I embark on this journey of service.

In a week I will be arriving on the campus of Lutheran Highlands Seminary located in a large fertile valley at an elevation of 1,677m (5,502 ft), with mountains surrounding. See the attached photo on campus about 10 years ago.

Please continue to keep me in your prayers as I work to partner with the staff and community at the Seminary. Thank you again for being such a vital part of this calling.

Blessings,
Greg Schiller
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General

News From The Barossa Ark

A missionary journey is looming!

On Sunday the 6th of April at 3:00pm, **Pastor Richard and Ruth will be commissioned** for their next (and quite possibly their last) overseas trip at a special service to be held in the courtyard of the Ark.

Part of this commissioning service will be the practice of 'laying on of hands' led by Pastor Andy Kowald, as well as the singing of two well known hymns unaccompanied. If you are moved to attend, you are encouraged to bring a Bible promise to share with Richard and Ruth. These scriptures will be carried through their journey and "referred to at low points like Popeye's spinach" according to Richard.

Boys and girls love the soothing sound of rhyme.

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	Open Hours
	TUE-FRI 9.30 AM - 5 PM
	SATURDAY 9.30 AM - 12 NOON
	PH: 8562 4631 barossaark@gmail.com
47 Murray Street Nuriootpa Barossa Ark CLOSED Mondays	



LADIES NIGHT

Our guest speaker, Heidi Hansen will share about her life.

Glass of bubbles on arrival and concluding with supper.

7pm Friday March 21
St Petri Lutheran Church Hall
21 Second St, Nuriootpa



For more information please contact: Kaylene Rohrlach 0409 287 869

Lutheran Care Needs Your Help...

Emergency Relief is a program that supports a large number of locals with food, bedding & toiletries.

We would love your support to replenish our stock with items that we are in need of. Thank YOU for helping US to help OTHERS.

All donations can be dropped off at the Tanunda Office (109-111 Murray Street).

For the month of **March** we would love your support to replenish our Emergency Relief with:

**Toothpaste
Men's and Women's Deodorant
Shampoo & Conditioner**

Next visit to.....

Wanera

65 Murray St Angaston

Cyclists
Langmeil Carpark
9.30 Thursday
March 20

**10.00am
Tuesday March 18**

10.30 at Wanera

What's on this week?



Sunday 16th March:

2:00pm **Parish Annual General Meeting** in the Strait Gate Church Hall

Monday 17th March:

Pastor Damien's Day of Rest



Tuesday 18th March:

1:45pm **Bible Study** in the Meeting Room, Immanuel LP
4:00pm **Confirmation Class** in the Holy Trinity Church Hall

Wednesday 19th March:

9:00am **Prayer Fellowship** in the Meeting Room, Immanuel LP
1:00pm **Holy Trinity Women's Fellowship** in the Holy Trinity Church Hall
Topic: Guest Speaker - Mary Plush, Community Kitchen
Devotion: Janet Krause
Roll Call: Favourite Take Away
Hostesses: Ann Schulz & Joyce Gower
7:30pm **Lenten Service** at Strait Gate Lutheran Church

Thursday 20th March:

9:00am **Pastor's Fraternal** in the Immanuel LP Church Hall

Friday 21st March:

11:00am **Carmen Falkenberg's Funeral** at Strait Gate Lutheran Church
7:00pm **Branching Out** in the St Petri Church Hall

Saturday 22nd March



Thought For The Week

Build your own dreams
or someone else will hire you to build theirs.

Farrah Gray

What's on next week?



Sunday 23rd March:

Third Sunday in Lent - service times are on the back page of the bulletin
9:00am **KLIC (Kids Living in Christ)** in the Ebenezer Hall

Monday 24th March:

Pastor Damien's Day of Rest

Tuesday 25th March:

1:45pm **Bible Study** in the Meeting Room, Immanuel LP
4:00pm **Confirmation Class** in the Holy Trinity Church Hall



Wednesday 26th March:

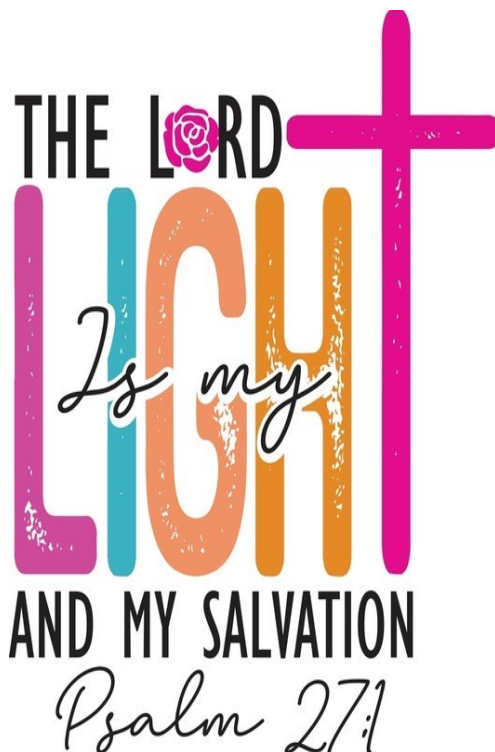
9:00am **Prayer Fellowship** in the Meeting Room, Immanuel LP
7:30pm **Lenten Service** at Stockwell Lutheran Church

Thursday 27th March:

Friday 28th March:

Saturday 29th March:

Governance Workshop in Kavel Hall,
Immanuel, Light Pass





Sunday 23rd March 2025

Third Sunday in Lent (Purple)



LIGHT PASS - SG

Grounds:

At Truro

Ian Grosser & Mick Seelander

HOLY TRINITY

Grounds:

At Stockwell

James Verrall

NEUKIRCH

Readings:

Warden:

10:00am LR

Brett & Yung Nietschke Family

Peter Kleinig

EBENEZER

Readings:

Musician:

Wardens:

10:00am LR

Charlie Braunack

Liz Loffler

Jon, Mandy, Carl Hampel & Cathryn Hampel

Neil Loffler



DUTTON

Visiting

TRURO

10:30am HC

Pastor David Freckelton

STOCKWELL

Cleaning:

Readings:

Stewards:

Church Grounds:

9:00am HC

Cathy Laubsch

Lynette Jaeger

Ken & Lynette Jaeger and Debbie Noack

Mattner Family

Pastor David Freckelton

LIGHT PASS - IM

Musician:

Readings:

Stewards:

Grounds:

9:00am HC

Tim Hage

Cheree Boehm

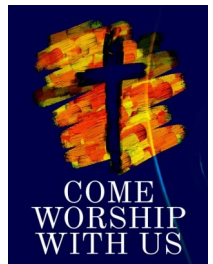
Jason Boehm, Kelly Mattner,

Ross Colbey & Bev Graetz

Dean Atze, Peter Boehm &

Michael Gerhardy

Pastor Mark Kleemann



Deadline for inclusion of notices is **Thursdays at 9:00am** to the Parish email barossanorthlutheran@gmail.com or by hand to the office.