



Barossa North Lutheran Parish

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SUNDAY BULLETIN

Fourth Sunday in Lent

30th 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.



THE LOVING FATHER

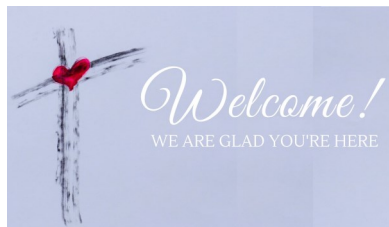
Luke 15:11-32

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

Joshua 5:9-12
Psalm 32
2 Corinthians 5:16-21
Luke 15:1-3,11b-32

Next Week's Bible Readings

Isaiah 43:16-21
Psalm 126
Philippians 3:4b-14
John 12:1-8

In Your Prayers Remember

Those who have been hospitalised or are recuperating at home;
Charlie Braunack, 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 the Lutheran Church around the world
- For some much needed rain and thank you for the small amount that we received
- For harmony within our Country and the wider world and may all Australians feel included, respected and that they belong
- For those with special needs and for those who take care of them
- For those who have been called to defend their country
- For our lay readers in the Parish - bless them & be with them as they share your Word with others
- For those who have recently lost a loved one or are sick or injured

SAFE CHURCH - Safe People, Safe Programs, Safe Places

Have you done your SP3 Safe Church Training? Is it up to date?
This training lasts for 3 years and needs to be renewed before it expires.
Contact the Parish Office or Head Office for any assistance.

Find out more: www.lca.org.au/training-events/safe-church-training/

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.

Parish Service: Can all members of the Parish who plan on attending the Parish Service TODAY 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.

Strait Gate Congregation: The next Strait Gate Church Council meeting will be held on Thursday the 10th of April at 7:30pm in the Church Hall.

Strait Gate Congregation: The Strait Gate Busy Bee that was held on Saturday the 15th of March was a great success. A huge THANK YOU to ALL OUR MEMBERS who attended.

Immanuel LP Women's Fellowship: For our next meeting on Wednesday the 9th of April, please meet at the Light Pass Primary School at 1:00pm. Afterwards we will continue meeting in the Meeting Room at Immanuel LP.

Holy Week / Easter Activity Bags

To celebrate Holy Week and Easter, the Parish have put together Activity Bags for children. There are bags for ages 2-6 and bags for ages 7+. These bags contain activity booklets/sheets, tracts, bookmarks and some stickers.

If you would like some of these bags for your children, grandchildren or as an outreach opportunity for your congregation, please pop into the Parish Office on a **WEDNESDAY** or **THURSDAY** in office hours between 9:30am and 3:00pm to collect them. There are approximately 60 bags (30 in each age group) and once they are gone there will be no more available. There are no pre-orders being taken.

The Activity bags are now available for collection.



From the Parish Exec

The Parish Council met on Tuesday the 25th of March. The Parish Council are continuing to work on the role description of our Parish's sole Pastor and working on ways that the Parish can support our Pastor.

Charlie Braunack – Parish Chairperson
Roger Frahn – Vice Chairperson

Janet Grosser - Secretary
Andrew Kleinig - Treasurer

Parish / General

St. John's Lutheran Church, Ebenezer, South Australia 120th Anniversary of Church Building Dedication

Past and present members and friends of the congregation are all welcome to join in celebrating this special anniversary.

Sunday 6th April 2025

Worship service at 10:00am.

A light lunch will be provided after the service at the ECCA Centre.

If you would like to stay for lunch, please RSVP to Sue Riebke for catering purposes.

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News From The Barossa Ark

'Commissioning Service' for the Ansouls

A worship time is planned for NEXT Sunday the 6th of April at 3:00pm in the Barossa Ark Courtyard. You are welcome to bring and share something from God's Word and to leave this Scripture with them. After these 'formalities' you are welcome to stay for a chat over some light refreshments.

Children's Easter Books

Barossa Ark has a delightful range of children's books helping parents and grandparents tell the story of Easter. This also includes a graded range of Easter Activity Books for ages 2-4, 5-7 and 8-10.



 Barossa Ark <small>gift & hospitality</small>	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	

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 & Conditioners**

General



NOVO Camp on the
22nd - 25th April

Unity College,
Murray Bridge

For young people in Years 7 - 12

Cost is \$185 per camper
First time campers pay only \$50

Bus transport available at a cost

Registrations close at 12:00pm on
Monday the 7th of April

For more information please visit the
following website

[blueprintministries.org.au/camps/
novo](http://blueprintministries.org.au/camps/novo)



Saturday 3rd May
Australian Lutheran
College,
North Adelaide

3km or 10km routes

For more information,
please visit
alws75@org.au



Cyclists leave Langmeil Carpark
9.30 Thursday April 3
Anyone else 10.30 at
The Greenock

BAROSSA VINTAGE FESTIVAL EVENT

**GRUENBERG LUTHERAN
CHURCH, MOCULTA
CONCERT &
AFTERNOON TEA**

Anzac Day 25th April 2.00pm



featuring
Amicus String Quartet

see website for more details



**Friday 4th April
Shed Happens**

Vaters 77 Samuel Road Nuriootpa
6.30 pm - 9.30 pm BBQ **Cost \$15**
BYO drinks, chairs and coffee mug

More info:

Wayne Rohrlach 8562 1911, Viv Fiebiger 8562 3636
or Greg Schubert 8562 2163

Ministry of St Petri Lutheran Church, Nuriootpa

If you require
transport, phone
Ian Rosenzweig
8562 2213

**Men's
night
out**

What's on this week?



Sunday 30th March:

10:00am **Parish Worship Service** at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, followed by morning tea in the Church Hall

Monday 31st March:

Pastor Damien's Day of Rest



Tuesday 1st April:

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

Wednesday 2nd April:

Strait Gate Women's Fellowship

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

Thursday 3rd April:

Friday 4th April:

6:30pm **Shed Happens** - see previous page for more information

Saturday 5th April:

*I will guide you
along the best pathway
for your life
I will advise you
and watch over you*

Psalm 32:8



Movie Night

Holy Trinity
Church Hall

Sunday
6th April
at 7:00pm

\$5 (includes
popcorn &
a drink)

A young slave girl, Anna, is rescued and adopted by Christians in 2nd Century Smyrna and befriended by their aged bishop, Polycarp. As Anna is taught by Polycarp and her new family, she struggles to reconcile her beliefs with those of the Christians. When the Roman proconsul demands that all citizens worship Caesar to show their allegiance to Rome, Polycarp and the Christians must find courage to stand for their faith against the growing threat of persecution. Anna is forced to come to grips with the truth and choose whom she is willing to live and die for.

What's on next week?



Sunday 6th April:

Fifth Sunday in Lent - service times are on the back page of the bulletin
10:00am **120th Anniversary of the Church Building** at Ebenezer
7:00pm **Movie Night** in the Holy Trinity Church Hall

Monday 7th April:

Pastor Damien's Day of Rest



Tuesday 8th April:

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

Wednesday 9th April:

9:00am **Prayer Fellowship** in the Meeting Room, Immanuel LP
1:00pm **Immanuel LP Women's Fellowship** meeting at the Primary School and then continuing in the Meeting Room, Immanuel LP
Topic: Visit Light Pass Primary School
Offering: Schools Ministry Group
Devotion & Hostess: Lynn Mattner
7:30pm **Lenten Service** at Ebenezer Lutheran Church

Thursday 10th April:

1:30pm **Ebenezer-Neukirch Women's Fellowship**
Topic: Easter
Devotion: Denise Hoffmann
Thought of the Day: Gwen Ruediger
Roll Call: Favourite Easter Hymn
Offering: Wokmeri Trening PNG
Afternoon Tea Hostess: Debbie Borgas
7:30pm **Strait Gate Church Council Meeting** in the Church Hall



Friday 11th April:

Saturday 12th April:

Thought For The Week

Lots of people want to ride with you in the limo,
but what you want is someone who will take the bus
with you when the limo breaks down.

Oprah Winfrey



Sunday 6th April 2025

Fifth Sunday in Lent (Purple)

LIGHT PASS - SG
Grounds:

At Ebenezer
Malcolm Gogoll & Glen Evans

HOLY TRINITY
Readings:
Ushers:
Welcoming:
Grounds:

10:00am LR
Helga Sabel
Bill & Leanne Carter
Elaine Mattschoss
George Radley

George Radley



NEUKIRCH
Readings:
Warden:

10:00am LR
Allan & Tania Norton Family
Ralph Schrapel

EBENEZER

10:00am HC **Pastor Damien Martin**
120th Anniversary of the Church Building
David Freckelton
Matt & Fiona Hampel and Ashley, Ashlee & Charlotte Riebke

Musician:
Wardens:

DUTTON

9:00am **Pastor Damien Martin**

TRURO

Visiting



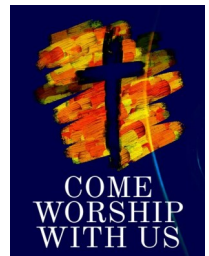
STOCKWELL
Church Grounds:

At Dutton
K Burgemeister & J Burgemeister Family

LIGHT PASS - IM
Musician:
Readings:
Stewards:
Grounds:

9:00am LR
Tim Hage
Jenny Hartwig
Merv, Justin, Rachel John & Isabel, Nicholas Hage
Kym Linke & Tim Linke

Russell Johnson



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