# St Paul Lutheran Church, Blair Athol Living Jesus' Love

Welcome!

We are blessed to worship together at St Paul today and hope you know of God's nourishment as you receive His good gifts.

St Paul Lutheran Church, as part of the Lutheran Church of Australia, is committed to providing a safe church environment for children and young people.

#### **Prayer of the Day**

Lord, as we honour Christ the King by carrying these branches today, increase our faith and listen to our prayers, so that we may honour you every day, by living always in him. For he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.



The disciples answered as Jesus had told them to, and the people let them go. - Mark 11:6

#### **Prayer Points**

Please contact the church office to have your prayer point included below.

- That we rejoice and be glad on this Palm Sunday, which celebrates Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem (Psalm 118:24).
- Thanksgiving that the LORD's steadfast love endures forever (Psalm 118:1, 29).
- That the LORD would shine his face and pour out his steadfast love on all who grieve and suffer from illness, poverty, or sorrow (Psalm 31:16).
- That we prepare our hearts for Jesus' second coming, as the people prepared the way for him into Jerusalem (John 12:13).
- That we exalt the name of Jesus above every name in all our thoughts, words, and deeds (Philippians 2:9–11).
- That all who attend our Easter services next weekend will 'Taste and see that the Lord is good' and renew their hope in the resurrection of Jesus Christ. (John 20:18)
- For congregational families: Lamonby, Kostiw, Koelman, Kitson (Acts 16:31)
- For the sick or unwell and their carers, including Robert Coombe, Graeme Elphick, Marlene Kahl, Ron Koelman, Roma Linke, Pam Mibus, Gina Mielke, Karina Musimbi, Nick Urbon, Dale Voigt, Robert Walden, and Cheryl Zucker (Isaiah 41:10)

## Holy Week Bible Readings

	First Reading	Psalm	Second Reading	Gospel
Monday (25/3) Isaiah 42:1-9 Psalm 36:5-11 Hebrews 9:11-15		John 12:1-11		
Tuesday (26/3)	Fuesday (26/3) Isaiah 49:1-7 Psalm 71:1-14 1 Corinthians 1:18-31 John 12:3		John 12:20-36	
Wednesday (27/3)	dnesday (27/3) Isaiah 50:4-9a Psalm 70 Hebrews 12:1-3 John 13:		John 13:21-32	
Maundy Thursday	aundy Thursday Exodus 12:1-14 Ps 116:1-2, 12-19 1 Corinthians 11:23-26 John 13:1-		John 13:1-17, 31-35	
Good Friday	ood Friday Isaiah 52:13-53:12 Psalm 22 Hebrews 10:16-25 John 18:		John 18:1-19:42	
Saturday Job 14:1-14 Ps 31:1-4, 15-16 1 Peter 4:1-8 Matt		Matthew 27:57-66		



## **Godly Play**



Godly Play is on today during the 10am service for children aged 4-Grade 4. Children will leave worship during the service and return in time for Holy Communion on the weeks it is offered, or before the end of the service if it is not. For information, questions or concerns contact Nicole Hall or the Church Office.

#### Holy Monday Tenebrae Service

Bethlehem Lutheran Church are holding a Tenebrae service of Music and Silence on *Monday 25th March at 8pm.* All are invited to attend. As an additional point of interest, Dan and Ebony Kitson will be performing during the service.



#### Playgroup @ St Paul

Playgroup @ St Paul is for children aged 0-5 and a parent/caregiver. Join us for a coffee, playtime, story time and songs from 9-10.30 each Tuesday during school terms. Cost is \$2 per family.

This week we will be celebrating Easter with special Easter crafts and Activities, plus our annual Easter Egg Hunt.

If you would to join in the fun at Playgroup, talk to Kylie in the Office.

## SPY



Youth for school years 6-8, meets on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday during school terms. The next date for SPY is *Friday, 5th April at 7pm*.

Cost is \$2. For more information, please contact Dan Kitson or Tom Hall.

## **Senior Youth**

Senior Youth will be on again *Saturday, 6th April, at 7pm* in the hall. Cost is \$2. For more info, contact Dan Kitson at <u>ypfministry@stpaul-church.org.au</u>

# LLL Banking

There has been a lot of information circulating regarding the LLL's transition to their Religious Charitable Development Fund (RCDF) status, how they can still support the LCA and how it will affect you and your community. The LLL is holding a district-wide congregational meeting, where Scott Ross, Chief Relationship Officer, will provide the latest information about this transition, and provide you with the opportunity to ask questions. This meeting will be held *Tuesday 26th March, 7pm* at the upstairs\* of the LLL, 175 Archer St, North Adelaide. *Everyone is welcome to attend.* For more information and to RSVP, please email <u>events@Ill.org.au</u> or phone 1800 556 457.

\*Please note, that this venue is not accessible by wheelchair. The LLL encourage you to contact us to discuss how we can support your attendance.

## Let's Gelebrate!

## Celebrations

• God's blessing to the following people as they celebrate their birthday this week: Bethany Hall, Jono Heath and Margie Stewart

# **Electronic Giving**

BSB: 704942 Account Number: 100083145 Account name: Enfield St Paul Lutheran Church REG Account



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This Week: 24th March	8.30am	10am	Readings
Ushers	Burls/Wells	Ziegeler	Mark 11:1-11
Greeters	Timms, Stewart	Lamonby, Urbon	Isaiah 50:4-9
Projection	M Stewart	G Ratsch	Psalm 118:1-2,
<b>Readings/Prayers</b>	C Freeman	D Clark	19-29
Communion	Brettig	NA	Philippians 2:5-11
Coffee	J&M Williams	J Mead	Mark 14:1-37

Next Week: 31st March	6.30am	9.30am		
Rosters for services over the Easter weekend are currently being compiled				



				Calendar
Sunday 24th March	Tuesday 26th March	Thursday 28th March	Friday 29th March	Sunday 31st March
10am	9am	7pm Maundy	9.30am Good	6.30am Service
Godly Play	Playgroup	Thursday Service	Friday Service	9.30am Service

## **Contact Us**

Here at St Paul we welcome feedback, especially from children, young people and members of the Lutheran Church.

If you would like to share feedback or contact us for more information on our safe church activities, please visit the contact page on our website

http://www.stpaul-church.org.au/contact.html

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