



# 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

Almighty God, you have overcome sin and death through the death of your Son, and have brought forgiveness and eternal life through his resurrection. Help us confidently to believe this and always praise you with our whole heart. 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.



**He is risen!  
Blessed Easter to you.**

## Prayer Points

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

- Thanksgiving for the biggest weekend in world history whereby Jesus the son of God gave himself that we might be reconciled to God and know him eternally (John 13:4-5,12; 19:30)
- That as Christ's disciples we wash one another's feet as Jesus washed his disciples' feet and asked of them to do likewise (John 13:12-16)
- That we eat the bread and drink of the cup of Christ's supper in the full awareness and intent of proclaiming His death until he comes (1<sup>st</sup> Cor 11:26)
  - That true repentance, humility and servant resolve would flow when we consider how Christ drank the cup of suffering for us to the bitter dregs (Psalm 75:8)



## Prayer Points Continued....



- For daily living with joy, grace and retelling in new life of Christ's resurrection (John 20:18)
- The Holy Spirit, joy and life for all attending Church services at St Paul this weekend, and wherever else the Gospel is proclaimed in its truth and purity this weekend (1<sup>st</sup> Cor 15:2)
- For congregational families: Kilmier, Khosravani, Kahl, Jones (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)

## Essential Resurrection Listening

Looking for some edifying, gospel based and informative listening on the resurrection of Christ? The latest *Undeceptions* podcast episode is a cracker. Among other things, John Dickson interviews renowned Oxford scholar Richard Bauckham.

Prof Bauckham is equally a historian and New Testament scholar. This makes quite a difference. You won't be disappointed if you take the time:

<https://undeceptions.com/podcast/the-resurrection-2/> or at your favourite podcast provider. Do let Pastor Matt know what you thought, and do share the link with others if you find it helpful. 1 Corinthians 15:1-8/Mark 15.

## Thank You from Pastor Matt

Thanks to all the St Paul members and friends who have volunteered their time, hearts, minds and resources to make this Easter memorable. A special thanks to Kylie, Vicar Sean and Dan for their help and support. *'We always thank God for you and continually mention you in our prayers'* 1 Thess 1:2

## More Thanks

Thanks to St Paul Lutheran School for the lovely flower decorations for Resurrection Sunday.

## Godly Play



Godly Play is not on today due to the Easter weekend.



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 celebrated Easter with special Easter crafts and activities such as making rabbit hats and finding all the fuzzy bunnies hiding in the cotton wool in the sensory play tray. For some more fun we found all the eggs (I hope) hiding in the church. As a mission outreach opportunity each child received a book of the Easter story and a tract from the LTM (plus a chocolate egg).

This week we will be looking at possums with the childhood classic 'Possum Magic' by Mem Fox.

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 **this 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 **this Saturday, 6th April, at 7pm** in the hall.

Cost is \$2. For more info, contact Dan Kitson at [ypfministry@stpaul-church.org.au](mailto:ypfministry@stpaul-church.org.au)

## Celebrations

Let's Celebrate!

- God's blessing to the Tim & Janene Wells and Pauline & Heiner Jeske as they celebrate their wedding anniversary this week.



## Electronic Giving

BSB: 704 942 Account Number: 100083145  
Account name: Enfield St Paul Lutheran Church REG Account

## Rosters and What's On



<b>This Week: 31st March</b>	<b>6.30am</b>	<b>9.30am</b>	
Rosters for services over the Easter weekend are on the back window of the church			

<b>Next Week: 7th April</b>	<b>9.30am</b>		<b>Readings</b>
<b>Ushers</b>	Voigt/Urbon		Acts 4:32-35 Psalm 133 1 John 1:1-2:2 John 20:19-31
<b>Greeters</b>	P&E Shrowder		
<b>Projection</b>	C Freeman		
<b>Readings/Prayers</b>	K Koelman		
<b>Communion</b>	Stafford		
<b>Coffee</b>	Ratsch Family		



**He has risen! He is not here.  
Mark 16:6b**

## Calendar

Sunday 31st March	Tuesday 2nd April	Thursday 4th April	Friday 5th April	Saturday 6th April	Sunday 7th April
6.30am Service 9.30am Service	9am Playgroup	7.30pm KYB	7pm SPY	7pm Senior Youth	9.30am Godly Play

## 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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