

# Bethlehem Morley

Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 29 Robinson Rd, Morley  
**Seventh Sunday after Pentecost**  
**July 3rd, 2016**

## Welcome

We warmly welcome all of you here today for our worship. If you would like to talk further about faith in Christ or the Church, please contact our Pastor. After worship you are invited to stay for a cuppa and meet our members or Pastor. You are also warmly invited to sign our visitor's book.

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### Worship:

Sundays at 9.30am  
Sunday School at 9:45am  
fortnightly in term time —  
**ON TODAY**



## Our Mission

Being fed with the grace of the Triune God through His Word and Sacraments, Bethlehem Lutheran Church is called to share this Bread of Life with the spiritually hungry of our community

## Entry Psalm: Psalm 30

*Leader: I praise you, Lord, because you have saved me and kept my enemies from gloating over me.*

**People: I cried to you for help, O Lord my God, and you healed me;**

*You kept me from the grave. I was on my way to the depths below, but you restored my life.*

**Sing praise to the Lord, all his faithful people! Remember what the Holy One has done, and give him thanks!**

*His anger lasts only a moment, his goodness for a lifetime. Tears may flow in the night, but joy comes in the morning.*

**I felt secure and said to myself, "I will never be defeated."**

*You were good to me, Lord; you protected me like a mountain fortress. But then you hid yourself from me, and I was afraid.*

**I called to you, Lord; I begged for your help;**

*"What will you gain from my death? What profit from my going to the grave? Are dead people able to praise you? Can they proclaim your unfailing goodness?"*

**Hear me, Lord, and be merciful! Help me, Lord!**

*You have changed my sadness into a joyful dance; you have taken away my sorrow and surrounded me with joy.*

**So I will not be silent; I will sing praise to you. Lord, you are my God. I will give you thanks for ever.**

## Prayer of the Day

Let us pray that we live for the good of others.

**Ever living God, all life flows from you. Fill us with your Spirit, and lead us to do good to all people, whenever we can, especially to those who belong to the family of faith. 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.**

## Scripture Readings:

**2 Kings 5:1-14**

The healing of Naaman

**Galatians 6:1-16**

Do good to all

**Luke 10:1-11,16-20**

Jesus sends out the seventy





Today we finish hearing God's message to us from Galatians. It is the sixth and final chapter. There Paul gets a little more specific about our role in the Christian life. He speaks of gentle restoration, of bearing each other's burdens and much else.

Importantly, God equips us through the Spirit to not become weary in doing good (Gal 6:9) but instead to serve our neighbour (Gal 5:13b) and to witness what it is to be clothed in Christ and to be one with him (Gal 3:27-28). In this way we always need to remember that our service is a response to the Gospel (Gal 5:1). For we can easily get caught up in making it about us. This is why we need to join with Paul in saying 'May I never boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ' (Gal 6:16). By the way... if you haven't yet sat down to read the six chapters of Galatians through from start to finish, now is as good a time as ever. It won't take as long as you think, but will bless you more than you know!

From Wed July 6 to Sunday July 10 I am at the LYWA YAC camp as camp pastor. Moreover, it is a blessing that the congregation can also serve our district's youth and their friends through providing the catering. Please keep this camp and its ministry in your prayers! For we thank God for your donations and for all who are volunteering from Bethlehem to assist in this important intergenerational ministry. Modelling service to our youth is an important part of teaching discipleship. And I thank those who will lead our service at Bethlehem on Sunday 10 July 2016 while I am on camp.

I will be on leave with family from 11 July to 17 July 2016. I thank all those who will lead our service in my absence on Sunday 17 July 2016.

For pastoral emergencies while I am on leave and at YAC camp, please contact John Zadow in the first instance should the need arise. Arrangements are in place to 'escalate' as required.



# Word Search Puzzle - (2 Kings 5:9-14)

from [www.geocities.com/lectionarypuzzles/](http://www.geocities.com/lectionarypuzzles/)

words in a straight line in all directions

D C L E A N H I M S E L F N A D R O J  
E F M R E T T E B V M S D E N R U T I  
H O R S E S R W D S E O H H P O E E M  
C R E H T A F R E R H M A W H L L T M  
A H O U S E S E D N T E L H A D I E E  
O F L E S H T G N O T T T L R A S H R  
R S E V E N O N A V B H E E P M H P S  
P S W A S H I E M E O I D A A A A O E  
P T O N I A R S M R Y N O R R S S R D  
A N S G H V A S O O A G W S L C T P S  
Y A E R N E H E C M S G N I K U A Z H  
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C E P C U R E Y E K I L E P R O S Y L  
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A B E C A M E Q T G S R E T A W A Y D  
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T H A T I M G N I D R O C C A B A N A  
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E C O U L D O N E V A W D S R E V

## Word List

APPROACHED SOMETHING MESSENGER DIFFICULT COMMANDED ACCORDING  
SERVANTS RESTORED IMMERSUED ENTRANCE DAMASCUS CHARIOTS THOUGHT  
PROPHET PHARPAR LEPROSY HIMSELF WATERS TURNED SURELY SAYING  
RIVERS NAAMAN JORDAN ISRAEL HORSES HALTED FATHER ELISHA BETTER  
BECAME YOUNG WOULD TIMES STAND SHALL SEVEN KINGS HOUSE FLESH  
COULD CLEAN ANGRY ABANA YOUR WORD WITH WHEN WENT WAVE WASH  
THEM THAT THAN SPOT SENT SAID RAGE OVER NRSV NAME MUCH MORE  
LORD LIKE HAVE HAND DOWN DONE CURE COME CALL AWAY OUT NOT HOW  
HIS HAD GOD FOR BUT BOY ARE

# This week in your LCA



## Story of the Week PAWS FOR THOUGHT

At Tatchilla Lutheran College, south of Adelaide, there's no doubt who the most popular staff member is. It's Odie, a 14-year-old golden retriever. His 'supervisor' Pastor Jon Goessling says Odie teaches the students some things about God and grace. Read the story or watch the video on your LCA website

[www.lca.org.au](http://www.lca.org.au)

## Ladies Fellowship Fund Raising

### Trading Table - 'bring & buy'

**4 weekly – July 17<sup>th</sup>, Aug 14, Sept 11, Oct 9, Nov 6 and Dec 4<sup>th</sup>**

Cakes, jams, handy crafts, good plants, fruit & veg

Unsold items that need to be eaten within a week must also be taken home again by their owner.

Further information from Roslyn



# The "I AM" sayings of Jesus Christ

Has anybody ever asked you what you believe about Jesus? Often, people will claim that Jesus was just a good man, or maybe a great teacher... but not the son of God. It is important to know exactly what Jesus taught about Himself. The answers from this crossword puzzle are from the gospel of John, in the Bible. Do the puzzle and find out who Jesus claimed to be!



Across

Down

2. Ruler of a country. ( \_\_\_\_\_, John 10:37) (4)
4. Not false, "I am the \_\_\_\_\_ vine." (John 15:1) (4)
6. Jesus said, "I am the \_\_\_\_\_ of Life."  
(John 6:35,41,48) (5)
7. Greek word for Messiah. ( \_\_\_\_\_, John 4:25-26) (6)
9. "The \_\_\_\_\_ lays down His life for the sheep."  
(two words, John 10:11) (12)
10. "I am \_\_\_\_\_ the truth and the life."  
(two words, John 14:6) (6)
11. Opposite of death. ( \_\_\_\_\_, John 11:25) (4)

1. Not a lie. ( \_\_\_\_\_, John 14:6) (5)
3. God is Christ's Father. Therefore, Jesus is \_\_\_\_\_.  
(two words, John 10:36) (7)
5. Given physical life after death. ( \_\_\_\_\_, John 11:25) (12)
8. It shines bright in darkness. ( \_\_\_\_\_, John 8:12) (5)
9. A place to enter, like a door. ( \_\_\_\_\_) (4)

## Calvary Kids Pages

[www.calvarywilliamsport.com/kids-index](http://www.calvarywilliamsport.com/kids-index)

( ) = The amount of letters in the word.

## Prayer Points



- .. That we may never boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ (Gal 6:14)
- .. For God's help to bear one another's burdens (Gal 6:2)
- .. For the church on earth that it will not become weary in doing good (Gal 6:9)
- .. For the government elect of Australia that we may live quiet and peaceful lives in all godliness and holiness (1 Tim 2:2)
- .. For all missionaries who serve in distant places, including Hannah Schulz as she rests on furlough/home assignment and Mick Hauser as he continues teaching seminarians in Lae PNG (Psalm 127:1).
- .. LYWA YAC camp: That God will lead the participants and leaders as they study God's word and enjoy each others fellowship, and for God's heart of hospitality as our congregation serves the camp through our catering
- .. For our congregation and its leaders that the saints here may be equipped for every good work (2 Tim 3:17)
- .. For all in our congregation who suffer (1 Thess 5:16-18)

### Please remember in your prayers this week:

- .. Baby Mariska and the Yurisich family. Thank God for Mariska's safe arrival. Pray for the continued peace and wellbeing of Mariska and her family as she settles into family life at home
- .. **Those dealing with health issues:** Fred Kroeger, Elfrida Kaszanski, Lisa Sitarz, Jutta Chrulew, Carmen Lawson, Lucinda Osborne, Susan Kroeger, Roslyn Zadow, Basil Nelson and Tristram Van Rooyen.
- .. **Those facing challenging circumstances:** Margaret and Ernst Klenner, Amelia Chrulew and family, Roslyn, Lois and Jye, Carmen's daughter Rihi and family

### **DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS**

<b>Monday 4th</b>	<b>Matthew 26:1-16</b>
<b>Tuesday 5th</b>	<b>Matthew 26:17-25</b>
<b>Wednesday 6th</b>	<b>Matthew 26:26-35</b>
<b>Thursday 7th</b>	<b>Matthew 26:36-46</b>
<b>Friday 8th</b>	<b>Matthew 26:47-56</b>
<b>Saturday 9th</b>	<b>Psalm 82</b>

## Questions about attending Holy Communion in the Lutheran Church?

‘Holy Communion is the true body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ given with bread and wine, instituted by Christ himself for us Christians to eat and drink.’

Come to this sacrament:

- as a sinner who wants God’s forgiveness;
- as a baptised believer who trusts that Jesus died for the forgiveness of sin;
- as a guest who humbly accepts what Jesus gives — his true body and blood with the bread and wine ;
- as a witness who gladly joins in this public confession of the death of Christ.

Should you not wish to receive Holy Communion, you may remain in your pew or come to the altar to receive a blessing - crossing your arms to signify your intention.

## COMING UP OVER THE NEXT TWO WEEKS

<b>Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>9:30am Bethlehem Worship</b>
<b>Sunday 10<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>9:30am Bethlehem Worship</b>
<b>Saturday 16<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>9:30am Ladies Fellowship &amp; Craft morning</b>
<b>Sunday 17<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>9:30am Bethlehem Worship</b>

**Bookings:** Visit us on the Web at [www.morley.wa.lca.org.au](http://www.morley.wa.lca.org.au) or email us at [bookings@morley.wa.lca.org.au](mailto:bookings@morley.wa.lca.org.au)

<b>Bookings—Other Events</b>	
Sun 3rd July	1-5pm Chinese Methodist Church
Mon-Fri 4-8th July	8-4:30pm Youthcare Meeting
Sat 9th July	5-6:15pm Children’s Choir Rehersal
Sun 10th July	1-5pm Chinese Methodist Church
Sun 17th July	1-5pm Chinese Methodist Church

## WORSHIP SERVICE – NEXT WEEK

**Eighth Sunday after Pentecost — July 10th, (Green)**

**Readings: (Amos 7:7-17, Colossians 1:1-14, Luke 10:25-37)**

**Flowers: Pia**

**Cleaners: Styants Family**

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**All Items, etc for the “Bethlehem Bulletin” should be given or emailed to Pastor Matt by Wednesday afternoon**