

Bethlehem

LUTHERAN CHURCH **MORLEY**

29 Robinson Rd, Morley

January 24th, 2021

Third Sunday after Epiphany

Welcome

We pray God's joy and comfort will be yours this day as you receive God's blessing in worship. If you would like to talk further concerning faith in Christ or about the Church, please speak with our Pastor or one of our members. Visitors are warmly invited to get to know us a little further after the service and to sign our visitors book.

Worship

Sundays 9:30am

Sunday School - 2021 TBA

Contact Details

Pastor:

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**LUTHERAN
CHURCH**

OF AUSTRALIA

where love comes to life

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 our community.

Entry Psalm: Psalm 62:5-12

Scripture Readings:

Jonah 3:1-5, 10

The city of Nineveh repents

1 Corinthians 7:29-31

Living in the last times

Mark 1:14-20

Repent and believe the good news

Prayer of the Day

Let us pray for the freedom of the new life God gives us.

Lord God, set us free from the bondage of our sins, and give us the full life of your kingdom, which you have made known to us in our Saviour Jesus Christ. For he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Prayer Points

- For the protection and strengthening of the church, Christ's body (Ephesians 4:1-7).
- That the light of Christ will shine in our homes and grow our faith, not least our children learning about what Jesus has done for them (Psalm 78:1-4).
- Blessing for those in government and authority: our head of state, national and state leaders and parliaments (1 Tim 2:1-6; Titus 3:1-2)
- God's care for all who are sick and distressed (1 Peter 5:7; Ma 11:28-30).
- That God would remember and comfort those who suffer for bearing his name (Hebrews 11:32-40).
- For the blessing of God on all proper commerce and industry, and all those in proper vocations (Psalm 127:1a).
- Protection for all who travel and all those whose work is difficult and dangerous; thanksgiving for our emergency workers (Psalm 121; 91:9-12).
- For Pastor James and Family as they prepare to move to WA

Please remember in your prayers

Ill or healing members and friends

- Tristram & Helga Van Rooyen, Anneliese Sitarz, Roslyn Zadow, Johanna Videmanis, Elfie Heller and Egon Bielefeldt

Members and friends facing challenging circumstances

- The Zadow Family, the Dube Family and Eric and Shirley Schmidt

For assistance or pastoral care contact John Zadow in the first instance on **9276 2231** or **0455 552 838** or Susan Kroeger, **0413 138 953** while we are without a Pastor

Messages of hope

24th January Uncertain Financial Future (Interview)

When your future's uncertain and you don't know how you're going to pay the next bill, it can feel overwhelming. Karl shares his story of being made redundant at 62.

31st January Bushfire Failure (Interview)

When catastrophe strikes we can never be sure how we will react. Albert shares the moments during and after a bushfire threatened his home and family.

7th February Love and Romance. (Pastor Richard Fox and Celia Fielke)

Feeling loved is one of the best feelings in the world and can make you feel like you're walking on air. Richard and Celia discuss romance and love and how it changes when you have a long established relationship.

Scripture Readings

Jan 25th Revelation 7:1-8:5
Jan 26th Revelation 8:6-9:11
Jan 27th Revelation 10
Jan 28th Revelation 11
Jan 29th Revelation 12
Jan 30th Revelation 13
Jan 31st Revelation 14



Feb 1st Revelation 15
Feb 2nd Revelation 16
Feb 3rd Revelation 17
Feb 4th Revelation 18
Feb 5th Revelation 19
Feb 6th Revelation 20
Feb 7th Revelation 21

Bulletin Editor Required

I can no longer do the bulletin, so there is an opportunity for someone to be creative, to add pictures and puzzles. Use your creative flair! A chance to start with new ideas once Pastor James commences. Average to good computer skills.

Call me or drop me a line for further information:

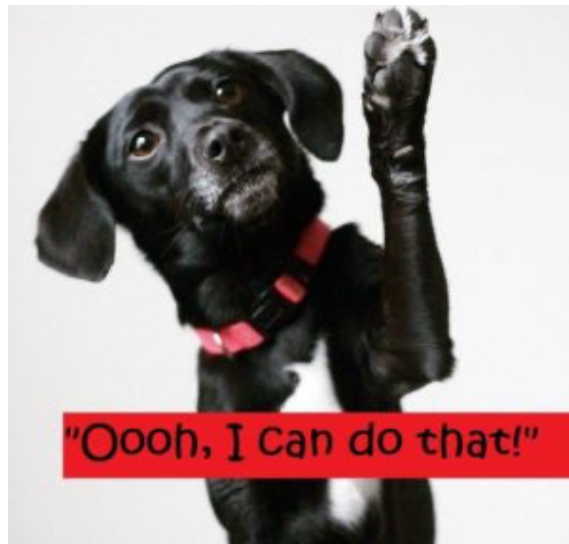
lschutz99@gmail.com or 0439 196 000

I am happy to work with the person for the first couple, so you won't be left in the deep!

If there are no takers, ultimately there will be no bulletin!

I can't do it from Adelaide!

Thanks Lorraine



Word Search Puzzle - 1 Corinthians 7:29-31

words in a straight line in all directions

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

Word List

POSSESSIONS CORINTHIANS REJOICING APPOINTED MOURNING
DEALINGS BROTHERS SISTERS REJOICE PRESENT PASSING
THOUGH WORLD WIVES THOSE SHORT GROWN WITH WERE
TIME THIS THEY NRSV NONE MEAN HAVE FROM FORM
EVEN AWAY WHO NOW NOT LET HAS HAD BUY AND BE

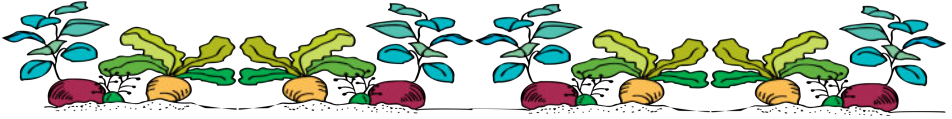
The Back Pew – Jeff Larson

and Jesus chose Simon.. and
um.. Theodore,
Alvin.. and
9 other..
chipmunks?



Bobby had memorized who were Jesus disciples, BUT watching cartoons before attending Sunday School appears to have cluttered his little mind. **Mk 1:14-19ish**

The Garden of Daily Living



FOR THE GARDEN OF YOUR DAILY LIVING PLANT THREE ROWS OF PEAS:

1. Peace of mind
2. Peace of heart
3. Peace of soul

PLANT FOUR ROWS OF SQUASH:

1. Squash gossip
2. Squash indifference
3. Squash grumbling
4. Squash selfishness

PLANT FOUR ROWS OF LETTUCE:

1. Lettuce ne faithful
2. Lettuce be kind
3. Lettuce be patient
4. Lettuce really love one another

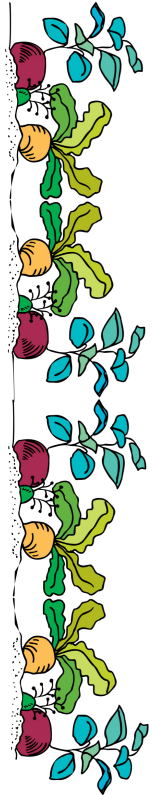
NO GARDEN IS WITHOUT TURNIPS:

1. Turnip for meetings
2. Turnip for service
3. Turnip to help one another

TO CONCLUDE OUR GARDEN WE MUST HAVE THYME:

1. Thyme for each other
2. Thyme for family
3. Thyme for friends

WATER FREELY WITH PATIENCE AND CULTIVATE WITH LOVE. THERE IS MUCH FRUIT IN YOUR GARDEN BECAUSE YOU REAP WHAT YOU SOW.





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; and,
- as a witness who gladly joins in this public confession of the death of Christ until he comes (1 Corinthians 11:26).

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.

Visit us on the web at: morley.wa.lca.org.au

Bookings: email us at bookings.morley.wa@lca.org.au

COMING UP OVER THE NEXT FEW WEEKS

Sunday Jan 24th	9:30am Worship Service
Sunday Jan 31st	9:30am Worship Service
Sunday Feb 7th	9:30am Worship Service +Baptism+Holy Communion

WORSHIP SERVICE - 31st January, 2021

Flowers: Helga
Cleaners: Styants Family

All items for the 'Bethlehem Bulletin', please email to Lorraine (bulletin.morley.wa@lca.org.au) by Wednesday afternoon.