

# Bethlehem

LUTHERAN CHURCH MORLEY

29 Robinson Road, Morley

## Newsletter for the 15th to the 28th of August 2022

### August 21st - 11th Sunday after Pentecost

Entry Psalm: 71: 1 - 6

#### Scripture Readings:

Jeremiah 1: 4 - 10      The Lord calls Jeremiah  
Hebrews 12: 18 - 29      Mount Sinai and Mount Zion contrasted  
Luke 13: 10 - 17      Jesus heals a crippled woman on the Sabbath

#### Prayer of the Day

Almighty and eternal God, help us to grow in faith, hope, and love. Make us love what you command, and give to us what you promise. 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.**

### August 28th - 12th Sunday after Pentecost

Entry Psalm: 81: 1, 10 - 16

#### Scripture Readings:

Jeremiah 2: 4 - 13      God accuses Israel of turning away from him  
Hebrews 13: 1 - 8, 15, 16      Obligations in community, home, and church  
Luke 14: 1, 7 - 14      Humility and hospitality

#### Prayer of the Day

Watch over your church, Lord, with your constant mercy, because without your support we would fall. Keep us from what might hurt us, and lead us to what is good for us. 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.**

### 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.

### *Scripture Readings*

#### WEEK 1

**Mon** August 15th      Romans 8: 1 - 11  
**Tue** August 16th      Romans 8: 12 - 17  
**Wed** August 17th      Romans 8: 18 - 25  
**Thurs** August 18th      Romans 8: 26 - 30  
**Fri** August 19th      Romans 8: 31 - 39  
**Sat** August 20th      Psalm 71: 1 - 6

#### WEEK 2

**Mon** August 22nd      Romans 9: 1 - 18  
**Tue** August 23rd      Romans 9: 19 - 33  
**Wed** August 24th      Romans 10: 1 - 13  
**Thurs** August 25th      Romans 10: 14 - 21  
**Fri** August 26th      Romans 11: 1 - 12  
**Sat** August 27th      Psalm 81: 1, 10 - 16



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**LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
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The Ladies Fellowship Group are collecting recipes for their 'Nostalgia Book'. They are seeking recipes our Mother's made. The one's made from scratch. Also, any saying or trivia from yesteryear. Please get your recipes etc to Susan or Margy ASAP so that they can be collated and printed in time for the 50th Anniversary celebration. Make sure that you have tested your recipe as written to ensure that it will turn out for others cooking it.



### Geraldton Hope Lutheran Church Visitation

A visitation with Hope Lutheran Church is planned for the weekend of the 24th and 25th of September. Please speak to Pastor James if you are interested in joining him or for additional information.



### Soup Sundays

Thanks to the volunteers who are making soup.

A gold coin donation will be collected to support the work of Hanna Shultz and Mick Houser.



#### UPDATE FROM THE TREASURER

OFFERINGS	Actual	Budget	Variance
July	\$9,135	\$10,462	- \$1,327

If this trends continues, we will be almost \$16,000 short of the budget by the end of the financial year.



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#### **14<sup>th</sup> August Anxiety**

**(Interview)**

Anxiety can make you feel like every minute is an eternity. You wonder how you can keep going. Richard talks with Jenny and Steve, who have suffered from anxiety, and Julie, a psychologist.

#### **21<sup>st</sup> August It's Ok to be Anxious**

**(Anna Doecke)**

What's the difference between worry and anxiety and how do we stop being overwhelmed by things we can't control? This week we're talking about worry and anxiety with Anna, a counsellor from Journeez.

#### **28<sup>th</sup> August Fathers and Daughters**

**(Interview)**

How can dads find the balance between protecting their daughters and empowering them towards independence? And what can you do when you, inevitably, get it wrong? Celia talks with Matthew, father of 3 boys and 1 girl!

# **PILGRIMAGE DAY**

**17 SEPTEMBER 2022**

**All people, young and old, are invited to come along for a day of bushwalking, fellowship and worship!**

**Start Time: 11am for opening worship  
3 hour wildflower trail through John Forrest National Park, with breaks for devotion time and snacks.**

**Day concludes with worship and BBQ.**

**For more information and to register your interest, please contact  
Maria Rudolph on 0411 857 924  
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# Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Morley

is celebrating it's 50th Anniversary

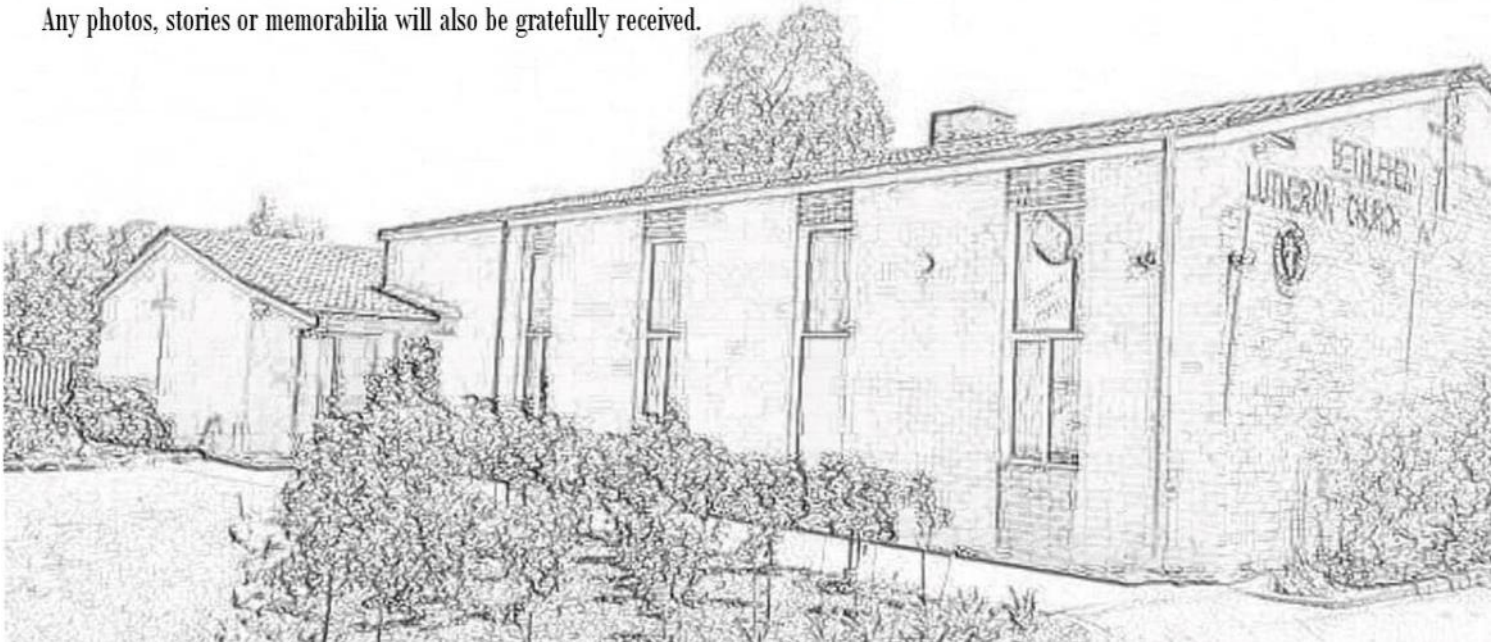
On the 28th of August

9.30 am Church Service followed by a time of Fellowship and Thanksgiving.

A light lunch will be provided.

If you would like to join us in celebrating, please email Emma at [Emma.Down@lca.org.au](mailto:Emma.Down@lca.org.au) with the number of people planning on attending.

Any photos, stories or memorabilia will also be gratefully received.



*It would be appreciated if people could nominate an item to bring from the food list in the foyer. These are suggestions to ensure that there is a good mix of savoury and sweet foods. If you would like to bring something else, please write it in next to something similar with your name. If you would prefer to make a monetary donation towards the luncheon please speak to Emma.*

*We are also looking to make up a list of people who are willing to billet visitors . Please let us know if you have a spare room and are willing to have a guest stay with you.*

*The Celebration Committee are also seeking photo's and memorabilia of the Church to have on display on the day. If you have anything to share, please speak to Emma Down or email to [downbiarriver@aapt.nat.au](mailto:downbiarriver@aapt.nat.au)*

## **Bible Study** - Led by Pastor James

- 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of the month at 7pm via Zoom  
The link to the Zoom meeting will be send out by email prior. All are welcome to join.
- 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the month at 9.30am at the Church



**Please remember in your prayers -**

**Ill or healing members and friends**

Margarete and Ernst Klenner, Anneliese Sitarz, Roslyn and John Zadow, Elfie Heller, Renate Sandersen and Johanna Videmanis.

**Members and friends facing challenging circumstances**

Grant Shennan, Helga Van Rooyen, The Kuchel Family, The Theodorsen Family, The Zadow Family, Joanna Arkoi and the Dube Family.

*Printed copies of Pastor James' Sermons are available on Sunday at the rear of the Church. Please feel free to take one to read if you wish to do so.*

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**Bookings:** email us at: [bookings.morley.wa@lca.org.au](mailto:bookings.morley.wa@lca.org.au)

***Upcoming Services and Events***

Sunday August 14th	9.30 am Worship Service
Sunday August 14th to Thursday August 18th	Pastor James in Adelaide for the Graduate Pastors Program
Wednesday August 17th	7 pm Bible Study - via Zoom - TBC
Sunday August 21st	9.30 am Worship Service
Sunday August 21st	Sunday School
Tuesday August 23rd	9.30 am Bible Study - at the Church
Thursday August 24th	4pm Step Up to Communion Class
Saturday August 27th	10 am Setup for 50th Anniversary - helpers needed
Sunday August 28th	9.30 am Worship Service
Sunday August 28th	BLCM 50th Anniversary Celebration 9.30am - 2pm

If you wish to have anything included in the 'Bethlehem Newsletter', please email Emma on [bulletin.morley.wa@lca.org.au](mailto:bulletin.morley.wa@lca.org.au)

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