Gelorup Anglican Community Church The Chapel of St Francis & St Clare Jenour Court Gelorup 6230



Sharing Christ Together

"Nothing is so awful that you can't talk with someone about it" Kids helpline 1800 55 1800

Happy Birthday

Trevor

19th March



Weekly Prayer Chain

This week please pray for the O'Brien family



Mission Giving 2018

10% of all offertories will go to missions Jan/Feb – Anglicord \$349.48

Bible Study Groups

Thursday 2pm – Bett 9795 8771 Wednesday 7.30pm - Rob 0429005807

Our Eucharist services have changed to the second and fourth Sunday.

Articles for next newsletter email and if you would like the newsletter via email, please send your email address.

Income/expenses Feb 2018

 Total income
 \$1807.50

 Expenses
 \$2301.37

 Less
 \$493.87

Springbok Valley Café

Performance dates:-Fri April 13th 7.30pm Sat April 14th 7.30pm Sun April 15th 2.30pm In Brooker Pavilion – Palmer Oval BCGS Tickets available 12th March \$10 tickets Gold coin for supper Proceeds to YouthCARE Bookings Lyndon 0447 505 288

lyndon@people.net.au
Poster on notice board

All those who have volunteered to sing need to attend practice with Bett each Sunday after the service please.

Holy Week Services

Maundy Thursday 29th March 7pm – at St Boniface Cathedral Good Friday 30th March 10am Combined churches at Dalyellup Community Centre Easter Sunday 1st April 9.30am at the Chapel with baptism of James (baby of Emily & Michael)

April and beyond....

Prayer gathering

Before the first service of each month at 9am for 10-15 minutes – April 1st (Easter)

Next Council Meeting Tues 10th April 6pm

During the school holidays the Chapel carpet is scheduled for replacement and we will meet in pavilion at Palmer Oval

Men's Cursillo

The weekend will follow the shortened version as per the woman's weekend in 2017. The dates are Friday July 6 — Sunday July 8, 2018.

Prayer at the time of choosing a Bishop

Eternal God, shepherd and guide, in your mercy give your Church in this diocese a shepherd after your own heart who will walk in your ways, and with loving care watch over your people. Give us a leader of vision and a teacher of your truth. So may your Church be built up and your name glorified; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Contacts:

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<u>https://www.facebook.com/gelorupanglicancommunitychurch</u> or website https://gelorupanglican.weebly.com/

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Direct debit offerings: Gelorup Anglican Community Church: BSB & Account Number: 036-810 300031586

Please consider prayerfully the amount you would like to give. Thank you for supporting the church!

Fifth Sunday in Lent 17th March 2018

1st Reading - Jeremiah 31.31-34

³¹ The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and the house of Judah. ³² It will not be like the covenant that I made with their ancestors when I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt—a covenant that they broke, though I was their husband, says the Lord. ³³ But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the Lord: I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts; and I will be their God, and they shall be my people. ³⁴ No longer shall they teach one another, or say to each other, 'Know the Lord', for they shall all know me, from the least of them to the greatest, says the Lord; for I will forgive their iniquity, and remember their sin no more. Hear the word of the Lord, **thanks be to God.**

Psalm 119.9-16

- ⁹ How shall the young keep their path pure: **unless they hold to your word?**
- ¹⁰ I have sought you with my whole heart: let me not stray from your commandments.
- ¹¹ I have treasured your words in my heart: that I might not sin against you.
- ¹² Blessed are you, Lord God: **O teach me your statutes.**
- ¹³ With my lips I have been telling: all the judgements of your mouth;
- ¹⁴ And I find more joy in the way of your commands: than in all manner of riches.
- ¹⁵ I will meditate on your precepts: and give heed to your ways;
- ¹⁶ For my delight is wholly in your statutes: and I will not forget your word.

2nd Reading – Hebrews 5.5-14

- ⁵ So also Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high priest, but was appointed by the one who said to him, 'You are my Son, today I have begotten you';
- ⁶ as he says also in another place, 'You are a priest for ever, according to the order of Melchizedek.'
- ⁷ In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission.
- ⁸ Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered;
- ⁹ and having been made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him,
- ¹⁰ having been designated by God a high priest according to the order of Melchizedek.
- ¹¹ About this we have much to say that is hard to explain, since you have become dull in understanding.
- ¹² For though by this time you ought to be teachers, you need someone to teach you again the basic elements of the oracles of God. You need milk, not solid food;
- ¹³ for everyone who lives on milk, being still an infant, is unskilled in the word of righteousness.
- ¹⁴ But solid food is for the mature, for those whose faculties have been trained by practice to distinguish good from evil.

Hear the word of the Lord, thanks be to God.

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John 12.20-33, Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ

²⁰ Now among those who went up to worship at the festival were some Greeks. ²¹ They came to Philip, who was from Bethsaida in Galilee, and said to him, 'Sir, we wish to see Jesus.' ²² Philip went and told Andrew; then Andrew and Philip went and told Jesus. ²³ Jesus answered them, 'The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. ²⁴ Very truly, I tell you, unless a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains just a single grain; but if it dies, it bears much fruit. ²⁵ Those who love their life lose it, and those who hate their life in this world will keep it for eternal life. ²⁶ Whoever serves me must follow me, and where I am, there will my servant be also. Whoever serves me, the Father will honour. ²⁷ 'Now my soul is troubled. And what should I say—"Father, save me from this hour"? No, it is for this reason that I have come to this hour. ²⁸ Father, glorify your name.' Then a voice came from heaven, 'I have glorified it, and I will glorify it again.' ²⁹ The crowd standing there heard it and said that it was thunder. Others said, 'An angel has spoken to him.' ³⁰ Jesus answered, 'This voice has come for your sake, not for mine. ³¹ Now is the judgement of this world; now the ruler of this world will be driven out. ³² And I, when I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all people to myself.' ³³ He said this to indicate the kind of death he was to die.

For the Gospel of our Lord, Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ