

# 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**

**This month’s Services**

Prayer, Praise, Proclamation Nov 18<sup>th</sup>  
 Eucharist Nov 25<sup>th</sup>  
 Christening Dec 2<sup>nd</sup>

**Happy Birthday**

Grace Nov 18<sup>th</sup>  
 Sam Nov 20<sup>th</sup>



**Happy Anniversary**

Norm & Fil Nov 24<sup>th</sup>

**Weekly Prayer Chain**

Several years ago at our church camp we started an initiative to pray each week for a member/ family of our community. This week please take time to pray for Jo & Ron



**Mission Giving 2018**

10% of all offertories will go to missions  
 Jan/Feb – Anglicord \$349.48  
 March – YouthCARE \$142.80  
 April/May - Mission to Seafarers \$362.65  
 June/July – ABM \$342.95  
 Aug/Sept – Boniface care \$330.17

Donation to Medical Kids Bunbury \$200

**Nov and beyond...**

**Canterbury Window**

A sample of the window design with the glass donated by The Archbishop of Canterbury (on his visit some years ago) is available to view. Parish Committee made a contribution to this but tax deductible personal contributions are also welcome to the school building fund.

**Income/expenses October 2018**

Total income \$1929.42  
 Expenses \$1340.47  
 Profit \$ 588.95

**YouthCARE Annual dinner**

Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 6.30pm at St Patrick’s Cathedral hall, cost \$25 – Marion has some tickets available

**Godly Play and Youth leaders Meeting**

After church on 25th Nov, 10.45am; to feed back on 2018, plan for 2019

**BCGS Carol Service**

November 30<sup>th</sup>, all welcome

**Bible Study Groups**

Thursday 2pm – Bett 9795 8771

**Dr. Kerrie Hide presents " Seeing from Oneness : An encounter with Julian of Norwich "**

Monday, 26th November, 2018  
 Church in the Park, 18 Little St, Carey Park.  
 Come and hear the wisdom of one who has lived and taught about the mystical life for over 20 years. Cost: \$40.  
 9.00am for 9.30am start, concludes 4.00pm  
 Register - lync@globaldialcom or 0421 215 139  
 Light Lunch/Tea & Coffee Provided

**Prayer gathering**

Another initiative from our camp was to gather for prayer each month before the service. Please join in. Before the first service of each month at 9am for 10-15 minutes – next 2<sup>nd</sup> Dec

**Next Council Meeting**

Tues Dec 18th 6pm  
 Please make a note in your diary or mark on your calendar.

**Annual Meeting of Parishioners**

February 24th

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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. Your support helps us in our service to others.

**1st Reading - 1 Samuel 1.4-20**

<sup>4</sup> On the day when Elkanah sacrificed, he would give portions to his wife Peninnah and to all her sons and daughters; <sup>5</sup> but to Hannah he gave a double portion, because he loved her, though the Lord had closed her womb. <sup>6</sup> Her rival used to provoke her severely, to irritate her, because the Lord had closed her womb. <sup>7</sup> So it went on year after year; as often as she went up to the house of the Lord, she used to provoke her. Therefore Hannah wept and would not eat. <sup>8</sup> Her husband Elkanah said to her, 'Hannah, why do you weep? Why do you not eat? Why is your heart sad? Am I not more to you than ten sons?' <sup>9</sup> After they had eaten and drunk at Shiloh, Hannah rose and presented herself before the Lord. Now Eli the priest was sitting on the seat beside the doorpost of the temple of the Lord. <sup>10</sup> She was deeply distressed and prayed to the Lord, and wept bitterly. <sup>11</sup> She made this vow: 'O Lord of hosts, if only you will look on the misery of your servant, and remember me, and not forget your servant, but will give to your servant a male child, then I will set him before you as a nazirite until the day of his death. He shall drink neither wine nor intoxicants, and no razor shall touch his head.' <sup>12</sup> As she continued praying before the Lord, Eli observed her mouth. <sup>13</sup> Hannah was praying silently; only her lips moved, but her voice was not heard; therefore Eli thought she was drunk. <sup>14</sup> So Eli said to her, 'How long will you make a drunken spectacle of yourself? Put away your wine.' <sup>15</sup> But Hannah answered, 'No, my lord, I am a woman deeply troubled; I have drunk neither wine nor strong drink, but I have been pouring out my soul before the Lord. <sup>16</sup> Do not regard your servant as a worthless woman, for I have been speaking out of my great anxiety and vexation all this time.' <sup>17</sup> Then Eli answered, 'Go in peace; the God of Israel grant the petition you have made to him.' <sup>18</sup> And she said, 'Let your servant find favour in your sight.' Then the woman went to her quarters, ate and drank with her husband, and her countenance was sad no longer. <sup>19</sup> They rose early in the morning and worshipped before the Lord; then they went back to their house at Ramah. Elkanah knew his wife Hannah, and the Lord remembered her. <sup>20</sup> In due time Hannah conceived and bore a son. She named him Samuel, for she said, 'I have asked him of the Lord.'

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

**The Song of Hannah**

My heart exults in the Lord: **my strength is exalted in my God.**

My mouth derides my enemies: **because I rejoice in your salvation.**

There is no Holy One like you, O Lord: **nor any Rock like you, our God.**

For you are a God of knowledge: **and by you our actions are weighed.**

The bows of the mighty are broken: **but the feeble gird on strength.**

Those who were full now search for bread: **but those who were hungry are well fed.**

The barren woman has borne sevenfold: **but she who has many children is forlorn.**

Both the poor and the rich are of your making: **you bring low and you also exalt.**

You raise up the poor from the dust: **and lift the needy from the ash heap.**

You make them sit with the rulers: **and inherit a place of honour.**

For the pillars of the earth are yours: **and on them you have set the world.**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Reading – Hebrews 10.11-14, 19-25**

<sup>11</sup> And every priest stands day after day at his service, offering again and again the same sacrifices that can never take away sins. <sup>12</sup> But when Christ had offered for all time a single sacrifice for sins, 'he sat down at the right hand of God', <sup>13</sup> and since then has been waiting 'until his enemies would be made a footstool for his feet.' <sup>14</sup> For by a single offering he has perfected for all time those who are sanctified. <sup>19</sup> Therefore, my friends, since we have confidence to enter the sanctuary by the blood of Jesus, <sup>20</sup> by the new and living way that he opened for us through the curtain (that is, through his flesh), <sup>21</sup> and since we have a great priest over the house of God, <sup>22</sup> let us approach with a true heart in full assurance of faith, with our hearts sprinkled clean from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water. <sup>23</sup> Let us hold fast to the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who has promised is faithful. <sup>24</sup> And let us consider how to provoke one another to love and good deeds, <sup>25</sup> not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day approaching.

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**The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark 13.1-11, Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ**

<sup>1</sup> As he came out of the temple, one of his disciples said to him, 'Look, Teacher, what large stones and what large buildings!' <sup>2</sup> Then Jesus asked him, 'Do you see these great buildings? Not one stone will be left here upon another; all will be thrown down.' <sup>3</sup> When he was sitting on the Mount of Olives opposite the temple, Peter, James, John, and Andrew asked him privately, <sup>4</sup> 'Tell us, when will this be, and what will be the sign that all these things are about to be accomplished?' <sup>5</sup> Then Jesus began to say to them, 'Beware that no one leads you astray. <sup>6</sup> Many will come in my name and say, "I am he!" and they will lead many astray. <sup>7</sup> When you hear of wars and rumours of wars, do not be alarmed; this must take place, but the end is still to come. <sup>8</sup> For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom; there will be earthquakes in various places; there will be famines. This is but the beginning of the birth pangs. <sup>9</sup> 'As for yourselves, beware; for they will hand you over to councils; and you will be beaten in synagogues; and you will stand before governors and kings because of me, as a testimony to them. <sup>10</sup> And the good news must first be proclaimed to all nations. <sup>11</sup> When they bring you to trial and hand you over, do not worry beforehand about what you are to say; but say whatever is given you at that time, for it is not you who speak, but the Holy Spirit.

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