# Fourth Sunday of Easter Gelorup Anglican Community Church The Chapel of St Francis & St Clare Jenour Court Gelorup 6230

Sharing Christ Together

22<sup>nd</sup> April 2018

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

Happy birthday April 27<sup>th</sup> Hellen

Weekly Prayer Chain This week please pray for Joan

ù Mission Giving 2018 10% of all offertories will go to missions Jan/Feb – Anglicord \$349.48 March – YouthCARE \$142.80

**Bible Study Groups** Thursday 2pm - Bett 9795 8771 Wednesday 7.30pm - Rob 0429005807

Articles for next newsletter email barbara.mcdowell@bigpond.com and if you would like the newsletter via email, please send your email address.

#### 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.

#### Income/expenses March 2018

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Less

Total income \$1428.00 Expenses \$7721.75 \$6293.75

NB:-Expenses included \$1000 for St Mark's (Kenya)Appeal following a fire and an annual contribution to YouthCARE of \$5000.



#### Springbok Valley Café

Thank you everyone for supporting this production. The cast, crew, choir and audiences. A grand total of \$1427.65 was raised for YouthCARE.

#### Youth Service & BBQ

Our Youth led service will be held on April 29<sup>th</sup>, followed by a social BBQ – please plan to stay 🙂



#### The Reverend Canon Rosalind Brown

"Integrating Our Lives in the World and With God" Venue: St Nicholas Hall, Australind Parish Date: Thursday, 26th April 2018 Time: 10.30 am—3.00 pm BYO Lunch and conversations while refreshments are provided RSVP: Diocesan Office email: dosupport@bunbury.org.au or Tel: 97212100

#### May and beyond...

#### Prayer gathering Before the first service of each month at 9am for 10-15 minutes – 6<sup>th</sup> May

Next Council Meeting Tues 8<sup>th</sup> May 6pm

#### Men's Cursillo

The weekend will follow the shortened version as per the woman's weekend in 2017. It will be held at BCGS. The dates are:-Friday July 6 — Sunday July 8, 2018

## **Contacts:**

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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!

### 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2018

## Fourth Sunday of Easter

## 1<sup>st</sup> Reading - Acts 4.5-12

<sup>5</sup> The next day their rulers, elders, and scribes assembled in Jerusalem,

<sup>6</sup> with Annas the high priest, Caiaphas, John, and Alexander, and all who were of the high-priestly family.

<sup>7</sup> When they had made the prisoners stand in their midst, they inquired, 'By what power or by what name did you do this?'

<sup>8</sup> Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them, 'Rulers of the people and elders,

<sup>9</sup> if we are questioned today because of a good deed done to someone who was sick and are asked how this man has been healed,

<sup>10</sup> let it be known to all of you, and to all the people of Israel, that this man is standing before you in good health by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead. <sup>11</sup> This Jesus is

"the stone that was rejected by you, the builders;

it has become the cornerstone."

<sup>12</sup> There is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among mortals by which we must be saved.'

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

## Psalm 23

<sup>1</sup> The Lord is my shepherd: therefore can I lack nothing.

<sup>2</sup> He will make me lie down in green pastures: and lead me beside still waters.

<sup>3</sup> He will refresh my soul: and guide me in right pathways for his name's sake.

<sup>4</sup> Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for you are with me, your rod and your staff comfort me.

<sup>5</sup> You spread a table before me in the face of those who trouble me: you have anointed my head with oil, and my cup shall be full.

<sup>6</sup> Surely your goodness and loving-kindness will follow me all the days of my life: **and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.** 

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading – 1 John 3.16-24

<sup>16</sup> We know love by this, that he laid down his life for us—and we ought to lay down our lives for one another. <sup>17</sup> How does God's love abide in anyone who has the world's goods and sees a brother or sister in need and yet refuses help? <sup>18</sup> Little children, let us love, not in word or speech, but in truth and action. <sup>19</sup> And by this we will know that we are from the truth and will reassure our hearts before him <sup>20</sup> whenever our hearts condemn us; for God is greater than our hearts, and he knows everything. <sup>21</sup> Beloved, if our hearts do not condemn us, we have boldness before God; <sup>22</sup> and we receive from him whatever we ask, because we obey his commandments and do what pleases him. <sup>23</sup> And this is his commandment, that we should believe in the name of his Son Jesus Christ and love one another, just as he has commanded us.<sup>24</sup> All who obey his commandments abide in him, and he abides in them. And by this we know that he abides in us, by the Spirit that he has given us.

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John 10.11-18, **Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ**<sup>11</sup>'I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. <sup>12</sup> The hired hand, who is not the shepherd and does not own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away—and the wolf snatches them and scatters them. <sup>13</sup> The hired hand runs away because a hired hand does not care for the sheep. <sup>14</sup> I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, <sup>15</sup> just as the Father knows me and I know the Father. And I lay down my life for the sheep. <sup>16</sup> I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice. So there will be one flock, one shepherd. <sup>17</sup> For this reason the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. <sup>18</sup> No one takes it from me, but I lay it down of my own accord. I have power to lay it down, and I have power to take it up again. I have received this command from my Father.' For the Gospel of our Lord, **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ**