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

Eucharist Nov 25th
Baptism Dec 2nd

Happy Birthday

Teresa 25th Nov Joel 1st Dec



Happy Anniversary

Clare & Andrew 30th Nov

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 the Kirke family



Mission Giving 2018

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

Donation to Medical Kids Bunbury \$200

Collecting for Christmas hampers NOW



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 deductable personal contributions are also welcome to the school building fund.

Income/expenses October 2018

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

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 30th, 6.30pm - all welcome

Bible Study Groups

Thursday 2pm - Bett 9795 8771

Wedding

Jo & Rick will be married in Perth on Dec 1st
– we wish them all the best xx

Christmas Services

24th Dec 6.30pm 25th Dec 9.30am

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 2nd 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, nominations needed by Feb 10th, reports by Feb 17th

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

Anglican "Messenger" now available online

Contacts:

Facebook https://www.facebook.com/gelorupanglicancommunitychurch

Website http://gelorupanglican.weebly.com/
Postal address PO Box 42 Gelorup WA 6230

	•		
The Rev. Geoff Chadwick	Priest in Charge	97226130	geoff.chadwick@bcgs.wa.edu.au
The Rev. Marion Prowse	Deacon	97219564/0428994564	tmprowse@iinet.net.au
Diocesan Office	Diocesan Admin	97212100	admin@bunbury.org.au
Barbara McDowell	Warden	0403945912	barbara.mcdowell@bigpond.com
Emily McKelvie	Treasurer	0408747191	emily_91@live.com.au
Cameron Samuels	LLM	0434866305	
Rob McCafferty	LLM	0429005807	
Miriam Golding	Youth Officer		miriamgolding@hotmail.com

Parish Committee: Geoff Chadwick, Marion Prowse, Barbara McDowell, Emily McKelvie, Bett Keyser, Lorie Dawson, Margaret Davies, Jill Seymour-Farley

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.

Christ the King 25th November 2018

1st Reading - 2 Samuel 23.1-7

¹ Now these are the last words of David:

The oracle of David, son of Jesse, the oracle of the man whom God exalted, the anointed of the God of Jacob, the favourite of the Strong One of Israel:

- ² The spirit of the Lord speaks through me, his word is upon my tongue.
- ³ The God of Israel has spoken, the Rock of Israel has said to me: One who rules over people justly, ruling in the fear of God,
- ⁴ is like the light of morning, like the sun rising on a cloudless morning, gleaming from the rain on the grassy land.
- ⁵ Is not my house like this with God? For he has made with me an everlasting covenant, ordered in all things and secure. Will he not cause to prosper all my help and my desire?
- ⁶ But the godless are all like thorns that are thrown away; for they cannot be picked up with the hand;
- ⁷ to touch them one uses an iron bar or the shaft of a spear. And they are entirely consumed in fire on the spot.

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

Psalms 132,1-12

- ¹ Lord, remember David and all his trouble: how he swore an oath to the Lord, and vowed to the Mighty One of Jacob;
- ² 'I will not enter the shelter of my house: **nor climb into the comfort of my bed**;
- ³ 'I will not give sleep to my eyes: or slumber to my eyelids,
- ⁴ 'Till I find out a place for the ark of the Lord: a dwelling for the Mighty One of Jacob.'
- ⁵ Lo, we heard of it at Ephrathah: we found it in the fields of Ja-ar.
- ⁶ Let us go to the place of his dwelling: let us fall upon our knees before his footstool.
- ⁷ Arise, O Lord, into your resting-place: you, and the ark of your might.
- ⁸ Let your priests be clothed with righteousness: and let your faithful ones shout for joy.
- ⁹ For the sake of David your servant: **do not turn away the face of your anointed.**
- ¹⁰ The Lord has sworn to David: an oath which he will not break;
- ¹¹ 'One who is the fruit of your body: **I will set upon your throne.**
- ¹² 'If your children will keep my covenant and the commands which I teach them: **their children also shall sit upon your throne for ever.'**

2nd Reading – Revelation 1.4b-8

- ⁴ John to the seven churches that are in Asia:Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne,
- ⁵ and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth. To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood,
- ⁶ and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion for ever and ever. Amen.
- ⁷ Look! He is coming with the clouds;

every eye will see him,

even those who pierced him;

and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail. So it is to be. Amen.

⁸ 'I am the Alpha and the Omega', says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

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

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John 18.33-37, Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ

³³ Then Pilate entered the headquarters again, summoned Jesus, and asked him, 'Are you the King of the Jews?' ³⁴ Jesus answered, 'Do you ask this on your own, or did others tell you about me?' ³⁵ Pilate replied, 'I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests have handed you over to me. What have you done?' ³⁶ Jesus answered, 'My kingdom is not from this world. If my kingdom were from this world, my followers would be fighting to keep me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not from here.' ³⁷ Pilate asked him, 'So you are a king?' Jesus answered, 'You say that I am a king. For this I was born, and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice.'

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