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

Kyle August 2nd
Norm August 4th



Weekly Prayer Chain

This week please pray for the Kirke family

We also pray and give thanks for all those who give and serve others, without expectation of acknowledgement or reward.



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

Bible Study Groups

Thursday 2pm - Bett 9795 8771

Pray for our Bishop Elect

Please pray for our Bishop Elect, Rev'd Dr Ian Coutts and his wife Anne as they prepare to leave behind their work and home in Canberra to offer ministry amongst us.

Income/expenses June 2018

Total income \$1762.90 Expenses \$1408.02 Profit \$354.88

July and beyond...

Youth Service - TODAY

followed by lunch at Bull & Bush

BCGS Production - "The Wiz"

Some parishioners are planning to attend this production on Wed 1st Aug at The Cube Theatre BREC at 7pm.

Contact Marion to be part of this group on

0428994564.

Prayer gathering

Before the first service of each month at 9am for 10-15 minutes – 5th Aug



Next Council Meeting Tues August 7th 6pm Please make a note in your diary or mark on your calendar.

Mission Day for the Diocese

Saturday 15th September Bunbury Cathedral Grammar School

Year 7 classrooms

9am-3pm

Bring own lunch.

Tea & coffee provided

Sessions include:-

Thy Kingdom come

Alpha

3DM

Messy church

Godly Play

RSVP- Wed 12th Sept

Next Youth Service

Our next Youth Led service – please support our young people Oct 21st - followed by a BBQ

You may now go online to read the magazine edition of the "Messenger" from the Anglican Church in the Diocese of Perth,

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

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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!

1st Reading - 2 Samuel 11.1-15

¹ In the spring of the year, the time when kings go out to battle, David sent Joab with his officers and all Israel with him; they ravaged the Ammonites, and besieged Rabbah. But David remained at Jerusalem. ² It happened, late one afternoon, when David rose from his couch and was walking about on the roof of the king's house, that he saw from the roof a woman bathing; the woman was very beautiful. 3 David sent someone to inquire about the woman. It was reported, 'This is Bathsheba daughter of Eliam, the wife of Uriah the Hittite.' 4 So David sent messengers to fetch her, and she came to him, and he lay with her. (Now she was purifying herself after her period.) Then she returned to her house. ⁵ The woman conceived; and she sent and told David, 'I am pregnant.' ⁶ So David sent word to Joab, 'Send me Uriah the Hittite.' And Joab sent Uriah to David. 7 When Uriah came to him, David asked how Joab and the people fared, and how the war was going. 8 Then David said to Uriah, 'Go down to your house, and wash your feet.' Uriah went out of the king's house, and there followed him a present from the king. 9 But Uriah slept at the entrance of the king's house with all the servants of his lord, and did not go down to his house. 10 When they told David, 'Uriah did not go down to his house', David said to Uriah, 'You have just come from a journey. Why did you not go down to your house?' 11 Uriah said to David, 'The ark and Israel and Judah remain in booths; and my lord Joab and the servants of my lord are camping in the open field; shall I then go to my house, to eat and to drink, and to lie with my wife? As you live, and as your soul lives, I will not do such a thing.' 12 Then David said to Uriah, 'Remain here today also, and tomorrow I will send you back.' So Uriah remained in Jerusalem that day. On the next day, 13 David invited him to eat and drink in his presence and made him drunk; and in the evening he went out to lie on his couch with the servants of his lord, but he did not go down to his house. 14 In the morning David wrote a letter to Joab, and sent it by the hand of Uriah. 15 In the letter he wrote, 'Set Uriah in the forefront of the hardest fighting, and then draw back from him, so that he may be struck down and die.' Hear the word of the Lord, thanks be to God.

Psalm 14

- ¹ Fools have said in their hearts 'There is no God': they have all become vile and abominable in their doings, there is not one that does good.
- ² The Lord looked down from heaven upon the children of Adam: to see if there were any who would act wisely and seek after God.
- ³ But they have all turned out of the way, they have all alike become corrupt: **there is none that does good, no not one**.
- ⁴ Are all the evildoers devoid of understanding: who eat up my people as they eat bread, and do not pray to the Lord?
- ⁵ They shall be struck with terror: for God is with the company of the righteous.
- ⁶ Though they frustrate the poor in their hopes: surely the Lord is their refuge.
- ⁷ O that deliverance for Israel might come forth from Zion: when the Lord turns again the fortunes of his people, then shall Jacob rejoice and Israel be glad.

2nd Reading – Ephesians 3.14-21

¹⁴ For this reason I bow my knees before the Father, ¹⁵ from whom every family in heaven and on earth takes its name. ¹⁶ I pray that, according to the riches of his glory, he may grant that you may be strengthened in your inner being with power through his Spirit, ¹⁷ and that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith, as you are being rooted and grounded in love. ¹⁸ I pray that you may have the power to comprehend, with all the saints, what is the breadth and length and height and depth, ¹⁹ and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, so that you may be filled with all the fullness of God. ²⁰ Now to him who by the power at work within us is able to accomplish abundantly far more than all we can ask or imagine, ²¹ to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus to all generations, for ever and ever. Amen.

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

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John 6.1-21, Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ

After this Jesus went to the other side of the Sea of Galilee, also called the Sea of Tiberias. A large crowd kept following him, because they saw the signs that he was doing for the sick. ³ Jesus went up the mountain and sat down there with his disciples. 4 Now the Passover, the festival of the Jews, was near. 5 When he looked up and saw a large crowd coming towards him, Jesus said to Philip, 'Where are we to buy bread for these people to eat?' ⁶ He said this to test him, for he himself knew what he was going to do. ⁷ Philip answered him, 'Six months' wages would not buy enough bread for each of them to get a little.' ⁸ One of his disciples, Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, said to him, 9 'There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish. But what are they among so many people?' ¹⁰ Jesus said, 'Make the people sit down.' Now there was a great deal of grass in the place; so they sat down, about five thousand in all. 11 Then Jesus took the loaves, and when he had given thanks, he distributed them to those who were seated; so also the fish, as much as they wanted. ¹² When they were satisfied, he told his disciples, 'Gather up the fragments left over, so that nothing may be lost.' ¹³ So they gathered them up, and from the fragments of the five barley loaves, left by those who had eaten, they filled twelve baskets. ¹⁴ When the people saw the sign that he had done, they began to say, 'This is indeed the prophet who is to come into the world.' 15 When Jesus realized that they were about to come and take him by force to make him king, he withdrew again to the mountain by himself. 16 When evening came, his disciples went down to the lake, 17 got into a boat, and started across the lake to Capernaum. It was now dark, and Jesus had not yet come to them. ¹⁸ The lake became rough because a strong wind was blowing. ¹⁹ When they had rowed about three or four miles, they saw Jesus walking on the lake and coming near the boat, and they were terrified. ²⁰ But he said to them, 'It is I; do not be afraid.' ²¹ Then they wanted to take him into the boat, and immediately the boat reached the land towards which they were going. For the Gospel of our Lord, Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ