

YOUTH ACTIVITIES

INFUSION at TLS Harvest Centre Tonight, December 1 from 6:00 pm
Contact Sophie 0479 095 346 or sophie@younglife.org.au

Consider this as we prepare for the Advent season next week.

“At this Christmas when Christ comes, will He find a warm heart? Mark the season of Advent by loving and serving the others with God's own love and concern.”

Mother Teresa,

Tabor Roster For December 8th

Senior Warden: Phil Neldner
General Prayer: Dianne Semmler
Flowers & Cleaning: Katrina Neldner, Melva Ruediger
Morning Coffee: Ros Samain, Allyson Nicolai
Yard Cleaning: James Bartsch
Money Counting: Chris Bartsch

Bethany Roster for December 8th

Ushers/Greeters: Steve & Sharon Sickerdick, Keith Hoffmann,
Daniel & Gayle Grieger, Christian & Amy Canute
Flowers: Sue Nicolai
Morning Tea: 8.30 Angela Bosenberg, Mary-Ann Doheny
11.00 Dian Goggol
Prayer: 11.00 Nathan Gogoll

PLEASE NOTE: HEARING AID USERS

Bethany Church is fitted with a loop for those with hearing aids. Please turn your hearing aid to 'T' to use this system.



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Bethany/Tabor
LUTHERAN PARISH

OUR MISSION

LIVING FOR JESUS
GROWING IN JESUS
SHARING JESUS WITH OTHERS

Sunday December 1, 2019

The First Sunday of Advent

WELCOME We're meeting together as God's children. God is pleased to see you as we're pleased to see each other. If you're visiting today, thanks for coming. You're invited to stay for a cuppa and chat after worship.

PSALM 122

R: It made me glad to hear them say, Let's go to the house of the LORD!

L: Every tribe of the LORD obeys him and comes to praise his name.

R: We pray that you'll have peace,

L: and all will go well for those who love you.

R: May there be peace inside your city walls

L; and in your palaces.

R: Because of my friends and relatives,

L: I'll pray for peace.

R: And because of the house of the LORD our God,

L: I'll work for your good.

PRAYER

Jesus, Son of God,
you've promised to return
at a time no one knows.
Keep us watchful in prayer
and strong in faith
as we wait for you to come.
For you live and reign
with the Father and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and forever. Amen.

READINGS

Isaiah 2:1-5 God's kingdom of peace

Romans 13:11-14 Our salvation is near

Matthew 24:36-44 No one knows the day or hour

HYMNS B: 1, 490, 731, 819

T: Songs AT: 20, 221, 313, 402

B: Songs

THEME Always ready

WONDER It's Advent - Are we ready? Are we too busy? Pray

ADVENT RESOURCES check out <https://www.lca.org.au/category/daily-devotion/>
or <https://www.upperroom.org/resources/advent-prayers>

Services next Sunday

Bethany 8:30 am HC

Tabor 9:45 am HC

Bethany 11:00 am HC



WE REMEMBER IN PRAYER

the sick	Megan Gierke, Janice Dahlitz, Matthew Roesler, Dudley Kelly, Coral Kennett, MichelleSchulz, Emma Habermann, Edna Schrapel, Ken Hueppauff, Anne Schmidt, Jan Schmidt, Darryl Kruger
mission & unity	The Hub, GOoD Seed, Grow love garden, Young Life, Schools, PCWs, LCC, TLH, Barossa Village, Bible Society, Godly Play, Parish Prayer and Retreat ministry, Nathan & Stacey, Hudson & Emma, BCCM Sandakan
the drought families	Farming families, the land, and animals Selina Schiller Ruth Schmidt Steven & Clare Stiller, Annie, Samuel Stuart & Sandy Swan, Ben, Riley

HAPPENING THIS WEEK

TODAY	Bethany AGM, 2:00 pm Tabor after church	
Monday	Inspired writing at the Hub	10.00 am
Tuesday	KYB at the Hub	9:30 am
	Music & Movement for under 5's at the Hub	10:30 am
	Ballet for Adults at the Hub	2:00 pm
	Confirmation	3:30 pm
Wednesday	Bible Study at the Hub - All welcome	9:00 am
	Prayer Time at the Hub - All welcome	10:15 am
	Art with Amy at the Hub	10:30 am
	Yoga with Elaine at the Hub - All Welcome	2:00 pm
Thursday	Grow Love Garden, Menge Road	8:30 am
	My Time at the Hub	9:30 am
Friday	Men's Matters at the Hub	9:30 am
	Christmas Parade	7 pm
	Christmas Craft Workshop \$10 all inclusive	10.00 —12.00 noon

LCC Christmas request for our Parish : medium cereal, 1 LF milk tinned ham. Bring your donations to church by **TODAY** deliver to LCC Nuriootpa by 2/12. Seeking a volunteer/s to take the donated goods to Nuriootpa. Contact Paul or Nathan.

The **Bethany Godly play** ministry wants to make sure that baby **Jesus** is in this year's **Christmas parade**. So, if anyone would like to help (even in a small way) or be a part of this great float please don't hesitate to contact Kate Alexander on 0419422129. All welcome kids big and small.

The GOoD Seed Bookshop will be open on Tanunda Christmas Parade night, Friday Dec 6th. Come in and have a browse at our display of Christmas Nativity scenes, Holy Family and All in ones. Grab a bargain or two on our specials table. Please note: **Closed during the parade**.

Delicious deserts are available this year at **The Hub** on the night of the parade. Come in and buy a sweet treat and support our fundraiser.

Bethany / Tabor Members' Care: If you or someone you know has a need and would like someone to visit or phone, a DVD of the service, prayer, or some other help, please speak to Dennis Canute, Raelene Falland, Kay Kleemann, Marg Martinelli, Geoff Nicolai, Trevor Ratsch, Anne Schmidt, Daph Schmidt or Graham Semmler.



CHRISTMAS TREES from Holy Cross Birdwood. High Quality Trees for \$55 delivered to Hub carpark on the morning of Saturday 14th December at 9.30 am. **All orders have to be in to the Hub by Friday 6/12/ 2019**



Christmas stock has now arrived cards, along with glitter Advent calendars and wooden activity calendar with drawers for treats etc.

Infusion Carols Service Tonight December 1 at Faith College Junior Campus Harvest Centre Carols led by the Infusion Band with guest speaker Sophie Wilksch. Join us for hot milo and honey biscuits afterwards.

CLW Young adults retreat January 16—19 at Tandara Halls Gap. Cost \$230 for full weekend. Student card holder \$215. Contact Hayley 0487 171141 for more information

WANTED bus driver Young Life is planning to take some young people by bus to Summer Camp. Contact Sophie 0479 095346 if you can spare a week to help out. Meals accommodation provided.

Grace for Nepal news from one of the fastest growing churches at St Paul's Tanunda 24/11/19 at 2:00 pm

The organic flavours of Christmas at Barossa Regional Gallery, December 7 at 2:30 pm Tickets at the door \$20.

Hub Christmas Trading Table December 11 at Nuriootpa Foodland. Donations of baked goods, produce etc. appreciated—leave at the Hub by 10/12 or deliver to the stall from 8:30 am on the day. For pick up telephone Jeanette 0403 104633

Tabor Information

Spring Clean - We are planning a spring clean of the church and Tabor hall on November 23 at 9 am. Please come along to help many hands make light work. If there is something you can do but not that day, please let Katrina or Cheryle know.

Positions at Tabor – With the AGM coming up on the 1st December there are a few positions to fill. Church Council Secretary

Someone who can help with Weddings and funeral held at Tabor. This includes open the church, bell ringing and possible PA not necessarily including all. Any help will be most gratefully accepted.

WH&S - This is a position capably held by Anne Schmidt but due to her sudden illness we would be interested to hear from anyone who could fill this position while Anne recovers.