

South Burnett Lutheran Parish

22 November 2020

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Day of Fulfilment

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Mission & other Prayer Points for this week:

- Pray for rain.
- Families struggling with finances.
- Christian witness in Advent and Christmas 2020.

Lutheran Tract Mission "Journey through Advent" is the new Advent Devotional for 2020. It can be downloaded, edited and printed or used as a flipbook on your electronic device. Go to ltm.org.au and scroll down to the downloadable PDF. If you would like a printed copy, please let Pastor Mark know or contact Belinda at kroy.luth@gmail.com

Prayer This Week for the following members:

- Pastor August, in and out of Wesley hospital for on-going treatment.
- Rob and Dot Eisenmenger (Murgon), as Rob heals slowly from radium treatment and other continuing complications from his cancer treatment.
- Trevor Schulz (Murgon) home after undergoing radiation treatment.
- Chris Marks (Kingaroy) recovering from eye surgery.

If there are any members needing our prayers, please let Pastor Mark or Jordan know, or email Belinda at kroy.luth@gmail.com

Bible Readings		
Sunday 22nd November Day of Fulfilment (Green)	Sunday 29th November 1st Sunday of Advent (Purple)	Sunday 6th December 2nd Sunday of Advent (Purple)
Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24 Psalm 100 Ephesians 1:15-23 Matthew 25:31-46	Isaiah 64:1-9 Psalm 80:1-7, 17-19 1 Corinthians 1:1:3-9 Mark 13:24-37	Isaiah 40:1-11 Psalm 85:1,2,8-13 2 Peter 3:8-15a Mark 1:1-8

What's happening this week ...

- Sunday 22** **Worship for all Congregations.**
4-6pm **Youth Group** back at the Church! See over for details
- Monday 23**
- Tuesday 24**
- Wednesday 25**
- Thursday 26** **9.00am Murgon Ladies Guild**
- Friday 27** **9.30-10.30am Kingaroy Bible study** recommences on "Revelation" led by Pastor Lou.
- Saturday 28** **6.30-8.00am Men's Breakfast** (See details over)
- Sunday 29** **Worship for all Congregations.**

Pastor Mark has extended his leave for at least another week, so will not be returning to work tomorrow. Pastor Leo Doecke will be taking services at Yarraman and Nanango today (Nov. 22). Pastor Lou will be leading the Kingaroy Bible study on "Revelation" on Friday 27th.

St John's Kingaroy Lutheran Ladies Friendship Circle Membership Fees of \$30.00 (this includes 1 year's subscription to Lutheran Women Magazine) are due by 3rd December. Please see our treasurer Evelyn Dunemann.

St John's Kingaroy Lutheran Ladies Friendship Circle will be meeting on **Thursday, 3rd December** in our Church Hall Supper Room at 10.30am for Bible Study being led by Jordan. **This will be followed by our Christmas Break up Lunch (own cost) at Kingaroy RSL.** All women of our Parish and their Partners and friends are invited to join us. We would love to have your company. If you would like to participate in Secret Santa please bring a wrapped gift to the value of no more than \$5.00

RSVP - Friday 27th November to Joan Yappa Phone 4162 1332

Connections

It's time to put your thinking caps on as the Advent/Christmas issue is just around the corner! (**November 29**).

Please submit your items and pictures to Aaron no later than **November 23**. Phone 0488 793 175 or email to aaronandmarion1@gmail.com or by mail to 3 Neville Place, Kingaroy 4610.

Did you receive an email copy of Connections last time?

To all parish members who received the Easter Connections issue by email, please let us know by November 23 if you would prefer a printed copy this time.

Phone 0488 793 175 or email: aaronandmarion1@gmail.com.

If you don't contact us you will be sent an email copy.

*** The next **Men's Breakfast** will be Saturday, November 28th, 6.30-8am at Geoff Thamm's. Guest speaker is Nev Jorgensen.

Youth Group: Today! Sunday 22nd November 4.00-6.00pm Kids Games @ Youth Group! We're back at the Church (across the road from Aldi) for another round of kid's games! Hide & Seek, Kick the Can, Sardines, all the silly things that we stopped doing in grade 1 but still secretly want to do. No cost, BYO drink. All are welcome! Any questions, let me know! Jordan.

Summer Camps 2020/21 – Blast and Kid's Camps – check out LYQ website. Leaflets back of hall at Kingaroy. Parish subsidies available \$100 per head. Senior Blast is booked out! Other camp's registration closing soon.

LYQ Family Camp (6 nights) at Luther Heights, Coolum Beach. Dates available between December 2020-January 2021. Register at www.lyq.org.au/familycamp

November 1st Retiring Offering for Asia Focus raised \$3,440, plus Kingaroy Church Council agreed to give another \$1000 to Asia Focus. Thank you to everyone who contributed to this important work. A reminder to **please keep giving at your congregational level**, as our wider Qld Lutheran Church District is facing major shortfalls. If possible, our Parish would like our congregations of the South Burnett to consider donating additional funds to the District Church to help offset these shortfalls.

PARISH SERVICE December 13th for the commissioning of Jordan Bennett for Word and Sacrament Ministry in the Parish @ St John's School, 9.30am

Bishop Paul will be here to publicly commission Jordan, and to preach. It will also be the Kingaroy children's Christmas programme to which all attending children are invited to assist in. This is an important date for the Parish (and our first full Parish service for a long time), so please put this in your diaries and plan to come. Bring a plate of morning tea to share. (No services in the other congregations on Dec 13th)

South Burnett Lutheran Parish sbluthparish.com St John's Kingaroy 36 Markwell Street Kingaroy 4610 Peace Kumbia/Taabinga Koehler Street Kumbia 4610 St Paul's Murgon 19 Thorn Street Murgon 4605 Immanuel Nanango 41 Drayton Street Nanango 4615 St John Trinity Wondai 37-39 Edward Street Wondai 4606 Calvary Yarraman McDaniel Street Yarraman 4614 St John's Lutheran School Ivy Street Kingaroy 4610 <i>Principal: Karyn Bjelke-Petersen</i> <i>Phone: 4162 3988</i> Orana Lutheran Complex MacDiarmid Street Kingaroy 4610 <i>Chaplain:</i> <i>Pastor Mike Braunberger</i> 48 Cowie Street Kingaroy <i>Phone: 4162 6555</i> Parish Office 36 Markwell Street Kingaroy 4610 <i>Phone: 4162 1336</i> kroy.luth@gmail.com	Worship	Sunday 22 November	Sunday 29 November
	Kingaroy Kumbia Nanango Yarraman Wondai Murgon Orana	9.30am Jordan B 8.00am Jordan B 10.00am HC Pastor Leo D 8.00am HC Pastor Leo D 8.00am Lay Led 9.30am Lay Led	9.30am Pastor Lou P 8.00am Pastor Lou P 9.00am Taped 8.00am Lay Led 8.00am TBA 9.30am TBA
Rosters			
St John's Kingaroy	22 November	29 November	6 December
Welcoming: Usher: PowerPoint: Lector: Communion: Morning Tea: Musician: Flowers: Cleaning: Orana W/C	Evelyn, Madge and Ailsa	Narelle J and Trevenna J	Marion P and Janet W
St John Trinity Wondai	22 November	29 November	6 December
Flowers & Cleaning:	Leanne	Hazel and Lynda	Hazel and Lynda
St Paul's Murgon	22 November	29 November	6 December
Leader: Musician: Reader: Communion: Sound: Powerpoint: Welcoming:	Sue Nola Marilyn - Bruce Nola	Pastor Mark D Dale, Mark D Florence Dennis, Keith Keith Sue Florence	Jordan B Jordan B Veronica - Bruce Beryl Nola
Peace Kumbia/Taabinga	22 November	29 November	6 December
Welcoming: Flowers: Cleaning:	Val Glenda	Val Glenda	Helen Helen



***Jordan Bennett invites all men & young blokes to our 65th Meeting of the
"South Burnett ShedMen"***

Date: Saturday December 5th, 2020 at 5-8 pm

Venue: Nev & Jason Jorgensen's Machinery Shed, 88 Jorgensen's Road, Kingaroy.

Guest Speaker: Russell Lebsanft on his time as a Christian in legal and judicial system

BYO Food and Drinks, BBQs will be available for use, tea and coffee available.

Cost: No cost, though there will be a donation box to go towards running costs and supporting local charity.

Information: Jordan.bennett@lca.org.au Mobile: 0419 130 786 or Don 4162 7130

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Thursday 26th November Wondai Combined Church Ladies Fellowship's Christmas get together at the Baptist hall at 2.30 p.m. Please bring a plate to share for afternoon tea.

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Wondai Combined Churches Christmas Carols Sunday 6 December at 3 p.m. in the Baptist church. Please bring a plate to share.

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Wondai town Christmas Carols Wednesday 9 December at R.S.L commencing at 6 p.m.

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Sunshine Pals

The purpose of Sunshine Pals is to promote a sense of family by making us more aware of each other, to nurture and encourage them in their faith journey, by praying for them and sending notes of love and encouragement throughout the year. You will be allotted a Sunshine Pal to write to and your name will be given to someone who is participating so that you will also receive notes throughout the year. Your Sunshine Pal will remain anonymous and will be revealed at the end of the year. If you would like to be a part of this journey, or would like more information, could you please advise Helen Golley as soon as possible?

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