



# Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, Horsham

24 March 2024—Palm Sunday



## Bible Readings for 24 March 2024

### FIRST READING

Isaiah 50:4-9a *The obedience of the Lord's servant*

### SECOND READING

Philippians 2:5-11 *Christ humbled Himself, God exalted his Son*

### THE HOLY GOSPEL

Mark 11:1-11 *Jesus triumphal entry into Jerusalem*

## Church in March 2024

All Sunday services will begin at 9.30am

24 March, 9.30am Palm Sunday Service, HC

28 March, 7.30pm, Maundy Thursday, HC

29 March, 9.00am, Good Friday, HC

31 March, 6.30am Easter Sunrise Service, HC

9.30am Holy Communion with a *BBQ breakfast at the church between the two services.*

Sunday morning services will be available live on our YouTube channel (Holy Trinity Lutheran Church Horsham) or later in the day/week at [lutheranhorsham.org](http://lutheranhorsham.org). The 9am Good Friday service will be televised as well as the 6.30am Easter Service.

## Retiring Offering

On Easter Sunday for Pastor Hans' brother-in-law for HIV children support in India.

## Delegates to Vic/Tas District Synod 12-14 July at Tarnet.

Please advise the church office by 11 April if you are interested in serving. 4 delegates are needed.

## An Easter Journey—Wed, 27 Mar Holy Trinity Lutheran College

**3:15 to 5pm** Stations of the cross walking tour

**5:00pm** Passion Play

**5:20pm** Communion & Message by Pr Hans

**5:40pm** Supper

Begin at the Junior School Bus Shelter.

## Rosters

**Lawn Mowing** beginning **24 March** Glenn Pietsch

**Treasury Stewards 31 Mar** M Driller, J Walter, J Jones

**Flowers 31 March:** Worship Team

**Cuppas : 31 Mar,** K & C McDonald, N & B Janetzki

## COMING EVENTS AT HOLY TRINITY

### This Week

**Sun, 24 Mar, after service** update on 'Way Forward' Ed Ctr

**Tue, 26 Mar, 9.30am** Guild Executive in Board Room

**Wed, 27 Mar, 9.30am** Wed Wildflowers in Ed Centre

**Wed, 27 Mar, 5.30pm** Eat and Chat in the Hall

**Thurs, 28 Mar, 7.30pm** Maundy Thurs service in the church

**Fri, 28 Mar, 9.00am** Good Friday service in the church

### Next Week

**Mon, 1 Apr, 4.00pm** Rest in Prayer, Education Centre

**Tue, 2 Apr, 1.30pm** Ladies Guild, SLRV Community Centre

**Wed, 3 Apr, 1.15pm** Fun & Fellowship, Education Centre

**Fri, 5 Apr, 7-9pm** Unique Movie Night at the Education Centre

## A Time for Meditation

**When?** Maundy Thurs, "Passion of Christ" 4pm to 7pm  
Easter Sun "He is Risen" Between services & until 1pm.

**What?** An encounter with Jesus through visual slides, photos and images on the screen, a faith walk on the labyrinth and a rest in the prayer lounge.

**Where?** Education Centre. Open to the public.

**Cost?** This is a free event! Because Jesus paid the cost!



**EAT + CHAT**  
BLESSED TO BLESS

**Eat and Chat** meets again on Wed 27 March at 5.30pm, but will then have a break until April 17.

**All are welcome** to come and enjoy a meal and chat.

## Find out more about Scripture Union

Guest, Chris Battistuzzi is offering a meeting at 5pm on Sunday, 24 March at Horsham Church of Christ, 91 River Rd, to help you discover how Scripture Union can support multid denominational outreach in Horsham. You are invited.

## Jacob's Well

## Canoes, Crocodiles and Christ



The Story of Haru Hariva

By David McClintock \$25.00

This is the story of Haru Hariva, who pioneered God's message, bringing the light of Jesus and His love to many remote villages in Papua New Guinea. Facing challenges and dangers, he witnessed miracles as God made hidden crocodiles visible, sent His angel to prepare the hearts of remote villagers, and fulfilled His promise that "when you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and through the rivers, they shall not overflow you" (Isaiah 43:2)

LCA/NZ PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS  
*Reflecting God's Love*

## KEEPING CHILDREN SAFE

If you think a child is at risk of harm ...

- In an emergency, call 000 (Australia) or 111 (New Zealand).
- If it is not an emergency, call your local police and child protection authority.



## Please pray:

- ◆ For the Laverton Slovak Congregation with Pastor Jan Havjar.
- ◆ For leaders and participants at the Easter Camp.
- ◆ For all those who attend Holy Week activities, that they are inspired and renewed in their faith.
- ◆ For parents as they share their faith with their families.
- ◆ For individuals as they read their Bibles and meditate on God's Word.
- ◆ For all those who travel during the coming holiday period that they be kept safe.
- ◆ For our government officials that they make God pleasing decisions.
- ◆ For Tilly Rae Bennett who is being baptized this morning and her parents Ryan & Stephanie.

### Special Birthdays & Anniversaries:

50th wedding anniversary of Brian & Pam Hedt on 23 Mar.

### Sick and recovering:

#### Sunnyside Lutheran Retirement Village Residents & Staff

- ◆ Long-Term Patients, Horsham—Graham Schultz, Cynthia Grosser, Eric George, Dimboola—Elsa Polack Warracknabeal—Phyllis Habel, Jeparit—Marj Werner, Natimuk—Cyril Webb; Edenhope—Dot Effrett

## Latest Link to LCA eNews

<http://lcaenews.online/24031>

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## Way Forward Information

Steve and Rosemary Cramer will give us further information about the 'Way Forward' with Women's Ordination after the finish of the Palm Sunday service on 24 March. We are expecting their presentation to be in the Ed Centre. Come along and find out the progress being made on this important issue.

### GROWING FAITH (1st Communion)

Growing Faith sessions will commence next Term.

Parents and Yrs 6 & 7 children interested in participating, are invited to meet with Pastor Hans and Lynda Henstridge on Wednesday 17th April at 7:00pm in the Ed Centre.

## Worship Roster

The Roster for May, June & July will be prepared soon. If you would like to help or are unavailable to do your usual duty at a particular time, please contact the church office by Tue, 9 April.

## Launch of LCA NZ Pastoral Care Program

The LCA is looking for pastoral carers who are willing to serve the church. We will offer free training and support to equip you to offer pastoral care for church members.

Applications should be submitted by 31 March, 2024. If you are using one of the printable forms please either scan it and email to [pastoralcare@lca.org.au](mailto:pastoralcare@lca.org.au) or post it to LCA Pastoral, PO Box 731, North Adelaide SA 5006.



## HALLS GAP 43rd ANNUAL CWCI CONVENTION

Friday 3rd-Sunday 5th May at 'Silverband Lodge' (formally Norval). Come and enjoy a weekend of building closer relationships with God and each other as we look at the theme 'Just one thing'. Brochures in Church or see Lynda Henstridge. All women welcome.



3 to 5 April at Tandara Lutheran Camp  
Ages 9-12

*Living in the 10 Commandments*  
Registrations close 28 March 5pm

<https://book.venue.life/tandara/register/kids-camp-2024>

## Interested in Bible Translation?

Bible Translator Hanna Schulz and Consultant Keith Benn will be at St John's Lutheran Church Hall, 1 Magarey Cres, Naracoorte on Saturday 20 April beginning at 5:30pm to tell us about Wycliffe Bible Translators and the work they do from a translator's perspective. Further information and to register phone Kay Braendler on 0429 622 140 or email Karina Mills on [mills.karina.emily73@gmail.com](mailto:mills.karina.emily73@gmail.com).

## Readings for this week

24 March, Sunday,	Mark 14:1-15:47
25 March, Monday	John 12:1-11
26 March, Tuesday,	John 12:20-36
27 March, Wednesday,	John 13:21-32
28 March, Thursday,	John 12:1-17, 31b-35
29 March, Friday,	John 18:1-19:42
30 March, Saturday,	Psalms 31:1-4, 15, 16

# Thank You

Dear members and friends of Holy Trinity Lutheran Church and School Horsham

On Saturday 9 March 2024, the synodical convention of the Lutheran Church of Australia – NSW and ACT District, with oversight for New Zealand, elected me as their next Bishop.

God has used my time growing up in Horsham, in the church, school and community, to prepare and shape me for this and the many other adventures with Him and His church.

So, thank you for being part of this journey, so far. I will continue to remember many of you as I serve Him and His church, in His mission.

Please pray for myself, my family, the NSW and ACT District and our congregations of the Lutheran Church of Australia and New Zealand.

I will be installed as the Bishop of Lutheran Church of Australia – NSW and ACT District with oversight for New Zealand on Sunday 28 July 2024 at 3pm, at LifeWay Lutheran Church, Epping NSW. The service will be livestreamed (details to come). You are invited to join us either in person or online.

May God continue to bless and encourage you.

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