



St James Lutheran Church

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12th December 2021
- Third Sunday of Advent -

SURELY GOD IS MY SALVATION
I WILL

TRUST

AND NOT BE AFRAID.

ISAIAH 12: 2

Welcome!

We're glad you joined us!

Service Arrangements

Service arrangements for the next few weeks are as follows;

	Date	Pastor's Location
2nd Sunday	Dec 12th	Whyalla
3rd Sunday	Dec 19th	Whyalla & Wilmington
Christmas Eve	Dec 24th	Whyalla
Christmas Day	Dec 25th	Pt. Augusta & Wilmington
1st Sunday	2nd January	Pt. Augusta & Wilmington

~ Prayer Care ~

Pam & Gilbert Schupelius.
Helen Oliver. Ian McArthur.

Bible Reading Challenge 2021

Sun	Dec 12	2 Thessalonians 1: 1-12
Mon	Dec 13	2 Thessalonians 2: 1-17
Tue	Dec 14	2 Thessalonians 3: 1-18
Wed	Dec 15	1 Timothy 1: 1-20
Thur	Dec 16	1 Timothy 2: 1-15
Fri	Dec 17	1 Timothy 3: 1-16
Sat	Dec 18	1 Timothy 4: 1-16

~ Today's Bible Readings ~

[Zephaniah 3: 14-20](#)

The Lord will renew us by his love.

[Philippians 4: 4-7](#)

Rejoice, the Lord is near.

[Luke 3: 7-18](#)

What must we do?

* Click on the underlined bible readings to read the full text.



**LUTHERAN
CHURCH**
OF AUSTRALIA

where love
comes to life

~ Contact ~

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Generally available at the Church Office

Tues-Fri 9:30 am to 4:30 pm.

(If calling on Monday's, your call will divert to a Church Council member)

Email Bulletin notices to stjameswhyalla@gmail.com

General Information

- ❖ **CHRISTMAS SERVICES.** There will be a service of *Readings and Carols* on Christmas Eve at 7 pm. On Christmas Day, Pastor will lead services at Pt. Augusta and Wilmington and Whyalla will have a lay reading service. There will be no service on Sunday (Boxing Day).
- ❖ **CHANGE OF ADDRESS:** Please note that Pauline Jones has moved house and is now at 17 Syme Street, Whyalla. All other contact details remain the same.
- ❖ **CEC PAINTING.** A job completed and very well done is the repainting of the CEC. Many hours of preparation and brushwork by Peter Schmidt, Bob Freund, Trevor Zimmermann and Jim Havelberg. The fascia's and window frames are all shiny and good as new.
- ❖ **WELL DONE:** The Women's Fellowship decorated Christmas Tree has won the Westland Shopping Centre 'Best Church Exhibit' for the second year running.



- ❖ **NATIONAL CHURCH LIFE SURVEY:** If you have received an email and a link to this survey please complete it using the link in the email, However if you would like a paper copy, please see Keith but be warned, there are only 15 paper copies as the preferred method is to complete the survey online.



Song of the Week

Grace

(Keith & Kristyn Getty, City Alight)

Your grace that leads this sinner home
From death to life forever
And sings the song of righteousness
By blood and not by merit

Your grace that reaches far and wide
To every tribe and nation
Has called my heart to enter in
The joy of Your salvation

By grace, I am redeemed
By grace, I am restored
And now I freely walk
Into the arms of Christ my Lord.

* Click on the underlined title to listen to this song.

At A Glance

	Worship Assist. Team	Scripture Reader	Cleaning & Flowers	PowerPoint Operator	Kids Church
Dec 12	Michael & Leanne Simpfendorfer Bob Freund	Graeme & Sue Caddy Zephaniah 3: 14-20 Philippians 4: 4-7 Luke 3: 7-18	Maralyn Barratt & Chris Jaensch	Ian McArthur	Chris Jaensch & Di Zimmermann
Dec 19	Bob Freund & Peter Schmidt	Kayelene Cardona Micah 5: 2-5a Hebrews 10: 5-10 Luke 1: 39-45	Dianne & Trevor Zimmermann	Carolyn Ronan	No Kid's Church (School Holidays)
Dec 24	Trevor & Dianne Zimmermann	Various		Graeme Caddy	N/A
Dec 25	Jeff Taylor & Carolyn Ronan Trevor Zimmermann	Martin Gordon Isaiah 62: 6-12 Titus 3: 4-7 Luke 3: 4-7	Dianne & Trevor Zimmermann	Marilyn Sichter	No Kid's Church

Calendar Nov / Dec

	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
12 9:30 am Service	13	14 2:00 p, Bible Study	15 2:00 pm Bible Study	16	17	18	
19 9:30 am Service	20	21 2:00 pm Bible Study	22 2:00 pm Bible Study	23	24 7:00 pm Carols & Readings	25 9:30 am Service	
26 NO SERVICE	27	28	29	30	31	Jan 1	