

July 21, 2024

living waters
Christian Community

BE STRONG
AND COURAGEOUS

⇒ DO NOT BE AFRAID ⇒

DO NOT BE DISCOURAGED
FOR THE LORD

your God

WILL BE WITH YOU

WHEREVER YOU GO

JOSHUA 1:9

Thanks for joining us today. We would love for you to stay for a cuppa and fellowship after the service.



Our church is committed to promoting & prioritising child safety

love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self control

What's on this week?

Monday July 22	Morning Prayer	7-8 am
Tuesday July 23	Library Carers SA	11 am – 3pm 9 – 1030 am
Wednesday July 24	KYB group 1 KYB group 2	10-12 noon 9-12 noon
Thursday July 25	Victory prayer/ Stretch Bible study Worship practice	9 am-12 noon 730-830 pm
Friday July 26	Morning Prayer Resthaven Movie Day Library	7-8 am 10 am-12 noon 130-4pm 11 am – 3 pm
Saturday July 27		1-5 pm
Sunday July 28	Church service Shoebox collecting week 4	10 am

Note change of date

Missed a sermon?

Have you read Ps. Jeff's blogs?

Want to know about our church ministries?

...and much more....

**Check out the church website
livingwatersloxton.com.au**



PRAYER POINTS



Hebrews 13:15: "Through Him, then, let us continually offer up a sacrifice of praise to God, that is, the fruit of lips that acknowledge His name."

Pray for the 360 million Christians world wide who are denied access to jobs and education, are arrested or attacked for following Jesus. Pray for the families of those who are killed for their faith. Pray for the victims of violence and injustice.

Pray for our church family in 2024, that we will be a fruitful church for His kingdom
Pray for the upcoming SGM, that the Lord will give us wisdom in the electing of Deacons.

Pray for the sick, unwell or isolated in our church, that God will bring not only healing, but also joy and peace. Pray for Sue, Peter, Colin, Frank & Lesley. Pray for Sandra. Pray for Annette. Pray for Jane. Pray for Ann and Bob Sheffield. Pray for Kathy. Pray for John, Amy and baby Leo. Pray for their health and health professionals. Pray for continued and complete healing.

Pray for Israel and the current conflict with Hamas. Pray for those who have been captured and families who do not know where their loved ones are and for those who mourn. Pray that all hostilities cease. Pray that the Middle East does not descend into all-out war.

Pray that Putin will cease hostilities with Ukraine and other world countries will not be affected by the ceasing of gas supplies, food shortages, water shortages, sanctions or threats of war from Russia. Pray for the Ukrainian people: those who have fled to other countries and those who can not leave and those who choose to stay and fight.

Pray for our state and federal governments, that the Lord will give them wisdom to govern wisely and to listen to the people and do what is right.

Pray for the many countries that are enduring natural disasters such as floods, earthquakes, wildfires. Pray that those who mourn will be comforted.

Pray for the 100 million+ people on the run from conflicts and disasters, and the 340 million+ who will require some form of humanitarian assistance in 2024.

Pray for countries with non-democratic elections/governments.

Pray for the 2024 top 10 Emergency Watchlist countries: Mali, Niger, Sudan, Somalia, Ethiopia, South Sudan, Democratic Republic of Congo, Burkina Faso, Myanmar, Occupied Palestine territory .

We believe in the power of

PRAYER

Please come forward
after the service
if you would like someone
to pray with you

It is evident that angels
do not wash dishes.....
Until that changes,
we will wash our own.
Thanks for
cleaning up
after yourselves.



Disclaimer

Please be advised that we record our services for use on our website. Your image may be included as a result.

If you do not consent to your image being used in this way, please contact the secretary on 8584 5044

Privacy Register Forms are available from the office or on our website www.livingwatersloxton.com.au



WHITMORE
— BBQ —

The Whitmore Square BBQ is a free breakfast provided to the homeless and those in need each Saturday.



Would you like to know more?
Would you like to donate?
Check out the link below
(they're also on Facebook!)

https://donorbox.org/whitmore-square-breakfast-bbq?fbclid=IwAR3Z7yxzOUHApYld1V1j7dvnjV1S_ydmj96fP2WW5c7FGk90wihQ5-1vk2k

Envelopes are also available in the foyer if you do not wish to use internet banking

Think Tank



First & third Tuesday
each month
7:00pm – 8:30pm

Victory prayer & STRETCH Bible study

9:00 am – 12 noon
each Thursday

Prayer meeting Every month

First Thursday each month
from 7:30 pm

Join in a time of praising
and seeking God

The Lord will
fight for you;
you need only to
be still.”

Exodus 14:14

- RECHARGE +
Youth

Semester 1 Dates

6-9pm, Saturdays
Living Waters, Loxton

- **August 3**** please note change of date
Bonfire Night



More details can be found here <http://tinyurl.com/3bxyybpX>
or on our Facebook page.

This week's memory verse

Joshua 1:9

Be strong and courageous.
Do not be afraid, do not be
discouraged for the Lord your
God will be with you wherever
you go.

****PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGE IN TIME
WE ARE TRIALLING THE NEW TIME
FOR 4 WEEKS**



For the early birds..

Morning prayer Monday & Friday

****7:00 am – 8:00 am**

Vision Statement

*Following Jesus
in community; teaching
others to do the same.*

Premise:

Great Commandment

Matthew 22:37- 39

Great Commission

Matthew 28:18 - 20

**Loving God
Loving others
Making disciples**

Have
something
to say



A communications & suggestions box is now available in the office.

If you have any queries and concerns about the day-to-day operation of the church, please add these to the communications box.

Pastor Jeff or Karina will contact you to arrange an appointment to discuss your concerns.



August 16

7pm

at Living Waters
14 Edward St, Loxton

**Testimony by Chris King ;
her miraculous health journey
through cancer**

(via video link)

God's word shared, testimonies,
prayer ministry, supper, craft table – ALL WELCOME

**Contact Christine
for further information,
0411 209 895**

**Make a difference this Christmas
for a child living in poverty!**



**Please see Emma or Karina if you have any
questions about the Shoe Box program**

**Each week Living Waters will be collecting items
to go into the Operation Christmas Child shoe
boxes.**

**We have listed the items and the weeks we will
be collecting.**

**Last year we collected over 100 boxes!
Let's see if we can bless even more children
this year!!**



IT'S ON AGAIN



July 7	SOMETHING TO LOVE: soft toy, small teddy
July 14	HYGIENE ITEM: toothbrush, soap, flannel
July 21	HAIR HYGIENE: brush, comb, hair ties, clips etc
July 28	SOMETHING TO WEAR: underpants, singlet, tshirt, cap, beanie, socks, shorts, leggings
August 4	GAMES/TOYS: marbles, cars, jacks, skipping rope, yo-yo
August 11	SOMETHING SPECIAL: stickers, sunnies, hacky sack, costume jewellery, puzzle
August 18	STATIONERY: pencils, writing paper, textas, eraser, chalk, sharpener
August 25	CRAFT ITEMS/MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS
September 1	DONATE \$10 TO ASSIST WITH POSTAGE
Dates TBA	PACKING OF SHOE BOXES

Please note we cannot pack war or pirate related toys, cards, dice, food, toothpaste or crayons. Soft toys and teddies need to be small enough to fit into shoeboxes with other items.

NEW ITEMS ONLY- NO SECOND-HAND ITEMS

LIFE - HOPE NEWS



Bethel Blessing Missions India

To all our family members and our beloved church,
Humble greetings to you all in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord and
Master

Our street Gospel meetings were conducted for the glory of Jesus Christ
our Lord

155 people made confessions and decisions for Lord Jesus .

All glory to Jesus Christ our Lord alone

Our people consistent in praying for you and our family members.
India is for Christ our Lord alone, His kingdom come in our lands, we will
continue to move forward. **We will never give up.**

Humble brother,

Pastor Emmanuel Mandala & Annie





Feelin' crafty

You're invited to our FREE
craft mornings
Friday, fortnightly
10 am – 12 noon

For more information
contact Emma, 0410 898 921

Term 3 dates:
August 2, 16, 30
September 13, 27

UPDATE

FOOD, HAMPERS & HOSPITALITY MINISTRY

**Kym Albrecht is
hanging up
her apron!**



Kym has decided after much prayer and seeking the Lord that she can no longer continue to coordinate the management, cooking or storage of fresh produce for the ministry fridge and freezer.

Kym will continue to source non perishable items from Foodbank for hampers for people in need (regular families and 'walk ins').

We are seeking to build a team to collect, pack, distribute, cook and monitor stocks of fresh produce sourced from Foodbank.

If you are interested in being part of this important ministry please speak to Heather Saunders or Karina as soon as possible so we can coordinate our approach in the coming weeks and months. (Please be aware if you wish to assist with cooking you will need to have, or be willing to obtain, a Food Handling certificate.)

MOVIE DATES for 2024

~~Friday, January 19~~

~~Friday, February 16~~

~~Friday, March 16~~

~~Friday, April 19~~

~~Friday, May 17~~

~~Friday, June 21~~

Friday, July 26

Friday, August 16

Friday, September 20

Friday, October 18

Friday, November 15

NOTE CHANGE
OF DATE

**If for any reason we need
to cancel a date we will
advise as soon as possible**



SUNDAY NIGHT SERVICES

****Third Sunday
of each month from 6 pm
** subject to change**

Streaming on-line inspirational messages
by global leading ministries

This is an excellent opportunity to invite unsaved friends
and neighbours to experience church in a different way

**Contact Denis Tilley
for more details
0418 847 481**

A casual, informal
evening with
opportunity to
fellowship
with a hot meal
after the service

Narrow Road Men's Adventures, supporting

Destiny Rescue
RESCUING CHILDREN



SAT August 10th 8:30- 4:00

RSVP Fri 2nd Aug

*Chowilla Game Reserve, Old Coombool, Todd's Obelisk,
Customs House, Bunyips, Bush rangers & more.....*

**Lunch provided, Bring donation for Destiny Rescue
Further Details: Will 0448893860**

Note: will be an easy 2km scrub walk.

Helping men's mental health, while raising funds to rescue children from exploitation

Destiny Rescue
RESCUING CHILDREN

Gathering for Freedom

Join us at Riverland Central Church and hear from
Destiny Rescue Partnership Manager John Ewers

RIVERLAND CENTRAL
CHURCH

Date: Wednesday 24th July 2024
Venue: Riverland Central Church
11 Mortimer Rd, Berri SA
Time: 7pm - 9:30pm
Cost: FREE! (Light Refreshments served.)

GUEST SPEAKER



John Ewers
Destiny Rescue
Australia

Enquiries: JOHN EWERS

Email: john.ewers@destinyrescue.org

Mobile: 0448 377 949

WORD FOR TODAY

Available at the office

FREE BOOKS IN THE LIBRARY

We encourage you to check out our library's great selection of give away books

See Kym and Aub for details



You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind, and your neighbor as yourself.

Luke 10:27

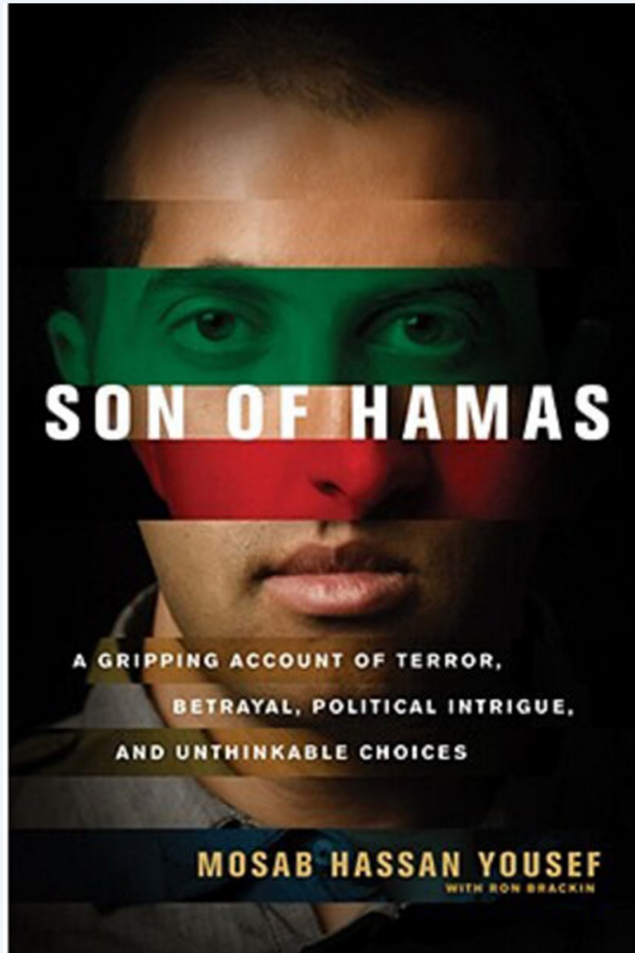


Have you read a great book from our library?
Share with others!

We are seeking library members to submit book reviews to publish in our newsletter.

Please see Karina or Kym for details

love
ONE ANOTHER ♡



BOOK of the MONTH

JULY

Living Waters Christian Community

Library Hours

Tuesday **11-3** pm

Friday **11-3** pm

Sunday after Service until **12** pm



Adult Fellowship



SOCIAL AFTERNOON

2pm Monday, August 5

At Loxton Uniting Church

Guest speaker: Genni Lehmann

Item by Julie Noble

Trading table, afternoon tea and fellowship

ALL WELCOME

RSVP by August 2 to Julie Noble: 0431 044 790 or tjnoble1@bigpond.com



Programme

Friday 26th July

- 6.30pm: BBQ dinner
- 8.00pm: Worship, fellowship around campfire
(Chapel if weather inclement)

Saturday 27th July

- 8.00-9.00am: Carry the Cross to Wetlands & back.
- 10.30am -3.30pm: 4WD Kingdom Tour, (ON THE HUNT to catch our dinner???)
- Nth of Murrayville, approx 150km round trip.
More open country, (good motor bike riding), to Mt Crozier
(nearly Croser!)
- Then to Pink Lakes & back via Mallee Highway.
Includes Kymbo's testimony, Mt Crozier Look Out
- 💧 1st physical challenge: Hill climb at Mt Crozier camp
Ground,
BBQ Lunch at Pink Lakes (Lake Becking) 1-2 songs, sharing
& testimony.
- 💧 2nd physical challenge: run/walk around Lake Becking.
(3-4km)
- 3.30pm: Back at Jacob's Well Retreat Base Camp.
- 4.00-7.00pm: Us blokes prep and cook our own CAMP OVEN DINNER...
- 7.00-8.00pm: Dinner 💧 💧 💧

8.30-10.00pm:

Chapel: Worship & sharing together.

💧 What's God being showing/telling you??? Today!!
What REALLY is it TO BE A MAN OF GOD???
Stripping off religion & tradition....lifting off the VEIL!???
(1 Cor 2: 1-2)

Digging the wells of our hearts. ❤️

Body ministry. (1 Cor 12.... Holy Spirit)

10.00pm:

Campfire.....or stay in chapel...prayer...fellowship.

Sunday 28th July

8.30-9.30am:

Farmer's Breakfast.... bacon & eggs & Lamb's Fry
(sheep's liver cooked in onion & gravy)

10.00am-12.00pm

Chapel. WARRIOR WORSHIP. " CALL TO BATTLE"
TRANSFORMED...MEN OF GOD ARISE, TAKE YOUR
PLACE! YOU WERE MADE FOR A....TIME SUCH AS
THIS! 💧 🙏 💧 🙏

💧 feedback welcome... 🙏

💧 let me know any likely numbers & names interested in rocking up, even if it's maybe..

💧 THIS IS GEARED TOWARDS IGNITING THE WILD/ACTION PART OF BEING A MAN OF GOD...!!!

💧 YOUNG MEN ...THIS IS FOR YOU!!

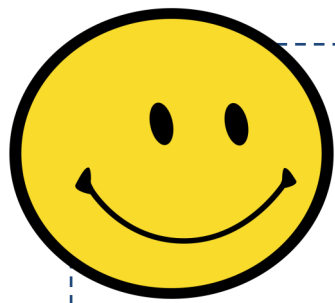
💧 (Fathers and Sons!) 💧 Amazing opportunity for building relationship and making memories at the same time 😊

All our Barefoot Ministry Events have

NO REGISTRATION COSTS but you are WELCOME TO" CHEERFULLY GIVE " a donation &/or donate food.

You will find a list of suitable food donations on the registration form (registration forms on forwarded email)

Power Love and a Sound mind 🙏 👍



We appreciate and thank God for the generosity of church family willing to share produce with other church members.

We ask that you consider the following;

You are probably aware that there have been several fruit fly outbreaks in the Riverland.

When this happens the authorities designate areas around the site of the outbreak with those closest – the “Red” area - being subject to the strictest rules for fruit movement.

LIVING WATERS IS IN THE RED ZONE

FEEL FREE TO FAMILIARISE YOURSELF WITH THE REGULATIONS SURROUNDING THIS GOVERNMENT MANDATED ORDER REGARDING RESTRICTED FRUIT AND VEGETABLES AT THE WEBSITE

<https://fruitfly.sa.gov.au/>

**RESTRICTIONS HAVE BEEN
EXTENDED 'TIL DECEMBER 22, 2024**

**NB: there is up to \$100,000
fines for Non Compliance.**

This means:

**ANYONE TAKING RESTRICTED FRUIT
FROM THE CHURCH CAN BE FINED**

If you wish to continue to financially support Jason and Sara, envelopes are available in the foyer

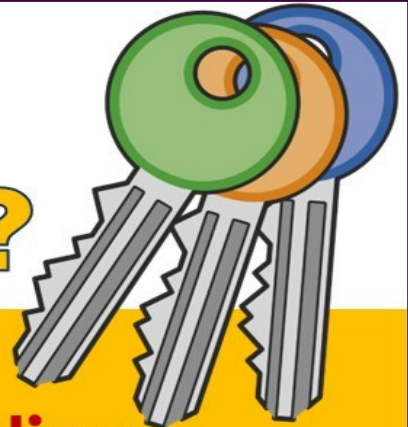


Please help yourself to the produce in the kitchen marked 'GIVEAWAY'

See Kym for details

If you would like to give a monetary donation for goods you take, please use the envelopes provided on the 'GIVEAWAY' table.
Thank you

Do you have church keys?



The board has updated the key policy. Anyone with a church key must also have a WWCC clearance.

Karina will be in touch with those who have a key and will need to do the WWCC check. We will also be revising who has main or restricted access to the church. If you have any questions speak to Karina, Ps Jeff or Richard W.

DON'T EAT ALONE...

Join the
M&M Group in 2024
for **Meals with Mates**
@ the Loxton Club



Join us every third
Thursday of the
month from 6 pm.

January 18
February 15
March 21
April 18
May 16
June 20
July 18
August 15
September 19
October 17
November 21
December 19 (tbc)

A FRIENDLY REMINDER REGARDING CANS OF DRINK IN THE FOYER FRIDGE

Please ***DO NOT*** take cans
of drink without paying!
There is a money box on
the bench for your
convenience!

*we appreciate
your honesty*

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**If anyone needs a Bible,
please see Ps. Jeff.
We are happy to gift you
one!**

Prayer meeting Every month

First Thursday each month
from 730 pm

Join in a time of praising
and seeking God

All welcome

**Do you have any items
for the newsletter?
Submit your items
to the office
Wednesday
afternoons for
inclusion
in the newsletter.**

To the families with young children

Relax! Don't feel that you need to suppress your children.
Active and curious children are welcome at Living Waters!

A dedicated space has been allocated especially for your family,
with tables and chairs just the right size for little people.
We hope they enjoy the activity booklets provided for them.

If you have to leave the service with your child, please feel free to
do so.

Do not be concerned about disrupting the service.

We have a creche available if you or your child needs a quiet space.
A TV is streaming the service, so the parents don't miss out!

During the sermon, your primary school aged children are welcome
to join in with the activities in the Club Sunday room.



To the congregation

The presence of children is a gift to our church and a reminder
that our church is growing.

Please welcome our children and encourage their parents.

Remember: the way we welcome children directly affects the way
they respond to church, to God and to one another.

This shows that God loves them, and they are valued.

Roster		June 2024
Door welcomer	7	Frank
	14	Richard W
	21	Dani
	28	Kate
Communion message	7	Christine
	14	Frank
	21	Chris Mc
	28	Tim S
Servers	7	SELF SERVE
	14	SELF SERVE
	21	SELF SERVE
	28	Nathalie, Karina, Kate, Richard J
Hospitality	7	Heather & Richard
	14	Rae & Mary
	21	Karina & Kate
	28	Leanne & April
Message	7	Ps Jeff
	14	Ps Jeff
	21	Richard S
	28	Ps Jeff



If you're not on the roster
and you would like to help out
on Sunday mornings see Karina ASAP

Ps Jeff is available
to meet with anyone
privately to discuss
personal or
church matters
Please see Ps Jeff any Sunday after
the service or call during the week
to make an appointment

Office hours
Monday 9 am – 4 pm
Thursday 9 am – 5 pm
Friday 9 am – 3 pm

Library hours
Tuesday 11am -3pm
Friday 11am – 3pm
and Sundays after church service until 12 noon

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admin@livingwatersloxtton.com.au

**Need to find a fill-in
for the roster?
Denis: 0418 847 481
Rae: 0473 554 849**



GIVING

Internet tithes and offerings
Bank SA
BSB: 105 059
A/c # 245 024 540

Matt & Rebekah Rodda
(missionaries in Georgia)
Marked envelopes
available in the foyer