

June 29, 2025

Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly, teaching and admonishing one another in all wisdom, singing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, with thankfulness in your hearts to God.





Thank you for joining us today.

We would love you to join us
for a cuppa and fellowship
after the service.



Our church is committed to promoting and prioritising child safety

Love joy peace patience kindness goodness faithfulness gentleness self control

Loxton Church of Christ ABN 88020286691

www.livingwatersloxton.com.au

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

What's on at Living Waters

Monday June 30	Morning Prayer	7-8 am
Tuesday July 1	Library Neighbourhood Watch Think Tank	11am-3pm 130-4pm 7-830pm
Wednesday July 2	Morning Prayer KYB group 2	7-8 am 10-12 noon
Thursday July 3	Midweek prayer Worship practice ALL CHURCH PRAYER	9 am-11am 730pm 730pm
Friday July 4	Morning Prayer Library	7-8 am 11 am – 3pm
Saturday July 5	Narrow Road mens group	1-6pm
Sunday July 6	Church service SHOE BOX COLLECTING BEGINS	10 am

DO YOU HAVE ANY ITEMS FOR THE NEWSLETTER?
SUBMIT YOUR ITEMS TO THE OFFICE PRIOR TO WEDNESDAY
AFTERNOONS FOR INCLUSION IN THE NEWSLETTER.

PRAYER POINTS

Psalm 34:8 Taste and see that the Lord is good; blessed is the one who takes refuge in Him.

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 the:

- · 13 Christians killed every day
- · 12 churches or Christian buildings attacked on average
- · 5,600 Christians murdered
- · More than 6,000 detained or imprisoned
- · More than 4,000 kidnapped
- · More than 5,000 churches and other religious facilities destroyed

In the following countries, Christians face the most persecution: Burma, China, Eritrea, India, Iran, Nigeria, North Korea, Pakistan, Russia, Saudi Arabia, Syria, and Vietnam.

Pray for the sick, unwell or isolated in our church, that God will bring not only healing, but also joy and peace. **Pray** for Peter, Colin, Sandra, Annette, Ann and Bob Sheffield, Aub, Jenny and Jenny's family. Pray for their health and health professionals.

Pray for continued and complete healing.

Pray for Lesley as she adjusts to life in Queensland.

Pray for Israel and the current conflict in the Middle East and surrounding countries and territories. **Pray** that all hostilities cease.

Pray for India and Pakistan. Pray for peace.

Pray that Putin will cease hostilities with Ukraine. **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 do what is right.

Pray for the many countries that are enduring natural disasters such as floods, earthquakes, wildfires and conflicts. 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 2025.

Pray for countries with non-democratic elections/governments.

Pray for the 2025 top 10 Emergency Watchlist territories and countries:

Haiti, Mali, Lebanon, Afghanistan, Sudan, Somalia, Palestine, Myanmar, Syria, Burkina Faso.

DON'T EAT ALONE...

Join the

M&M Group in 2025

for Meals with Mates

@ the Loxton Club



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

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

Special General Meeting

Sunday, July 13 at Living Waters 12 noon

The Living Waters Board will provide an update on the current, unaudited, financial position of the church and present the draft Budget for 2025-2026

Notice is hereby given for a Special General Meeting to be convened as per the Living Waters Christian Community (Loxton Church of Christ) Constitution, with 28 days notice duly provided.

Sunday Night Service

at Living Waters, 14 Edward St, Loxton

August 17 from 6 pm

for a fellowship tea followed by Interdenominational, streamed sermon

**please note there is no Sunday Night
Service in July**

ALL WELCOME

Enquiries to Denis

Feelin' Crafty

All welcome to FREE craft mornings
Friday, fortnightly
10 am – 12 noon

For more information contact Emma, 0410 898 921

Term 1 2025

• February 7, 21. March 7, 21. April 4.
Term 2

May 2, 16, 30. June 13, 27.
Term 3

July 25. August 8, 22. September 5, 19.
Term 4

October 17, 31. November 14, 28.
December 12.

CLUB SUNDAY TERM 2

Date	Memory Verses	Key Passage	Key Message
Week 1 May 4	Proverbs 9:10 If you want to become wise,	Proverbs 1:1-7 Wisdom is good	The fear of the Lord is the beginning of Wisdom.
Week 2 May 11	you must begin by respecting the Lord.	Proverbs 31, Thank God for Faithful Mums	We should appreciate wise, loving, Godly mums. They have a really tough job and can teach us so much.
Week 3 May 18	To know the Holy One is to gain understanding.	Proverbs 11:2 Pride - Fall. Proverbs 16:18-19	It is wise to be humble before God and others, not full of pride.
Week 4 May 25		Proverbs 4:6-9 Seel. Wisdom	Wisdom is your friend.
Week 5 June 1	Proverbs 3:5-6 Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and don't lean on your own understanding. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FUR1ufexry0 https://www.youtube.com/shorts/D5n7HevtM9I	Proverbs 17:14, 24:17, 12:16 & 19:20	God's wisdom for stopping arguments, building plans, not losing your temper and listening to others.
Week 6 June 8		Proverbs 6:16-19	6 things God hates, and we should keep away from.
Week 7 June 15		Proverbs 18:21 <i>Words.</i>	Use your words wisely, not to hurt but to help others.
Weel, 8 June 22	In all your ways acknowledge Him and He will make your paths straight.	Proverbs 1:8-19	Don't blindly follow others into bad behaviour.
Week 9 June 29		Proverbs 3:5-6	Trust God and He will direct your paths

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July 6	SOMETHING TO LOVE: soft toy, small teddy	
July 13	HYGIENE ITEM: toothbrush, , flannel	
July 20	HAIR HYGIENE: brush, comb, hair ties, clips etc	
July 27	SOMETHING TO WEAR: underpants, singlet, tshirt, cap, beanie, socks, shorts, leggings	
August 3	GAMES/TOYS: marbles, cars, jacks, skipping rope, yo-yo	
August 10	SOMETHING SPECIAL: stickers, sunnies, hacky sack, costume jewellery, puzzle	
August 17	STATIONERY: pencils, writing paper, textas, eraser, chalk, sharpener	
August 24	CRAFT ITEMS/MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS	
August 31	Donate \$12 to assist with postage	
TBC	PACKING OF SHOE BOXES	

IT'S ON AGAIN

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

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

SHOEBOX COLLECTING STARTS JULY 6





WEEK ONE
July 6
Something to love

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.



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.



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



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-

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We believe in the power of

PRAYER

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

Memory Verse

Psalm 109:30

With my mouth I will give great thanks to the Lord; I will praise him in the midst of the throng.

REACHARGE YOUTH

REACHarge Youth is a Loxton Churches Youth Group WHAT IS IT? based at Living Waters Church. It's once a month on Saturday nights from 6-8pm.



WHO CAN COME? Anyone in Years 6 to Year 12

WHAT DO I NEED?

To come you'll need:

- An online consent form filled out by a parent/caregiver (link on our website)
- Read & sign our Behaviour Policy document
- \$2 per session
- To be signed in/out by a parent/caregiver

WHAT DOES THE **NIGHT INVOLVE?**

The Night kicks off at 6pm where there are a variety of themed games and activities for around 80 mins. Next is yummy food & drinks followed by a devotion. This year we are looking at a number of key themes through the Youth Alpha Life Essentials series.

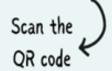




DON'T FORGET TO FILL OUT THE REGISTRATION **FORM FOR** YOUTH GROUP....

https://forms.office.com/r/y5WNiOrJJO











ECHNOLOGY



Saturday, 21st June, 6-8pm Living Waters Church, Edward Street, Loxton

For Year 6 to Year 12 students

RSVP to the event via the Facebook page, fill out on the online consent forms prior or on the night via our Facebook page.

Including an Alpha Youth Life Essentials short video filmed and produced in Australia, designed for teenagers to spark faith convos with friends & to chat about things impacting them today.

For more details contact us via our Facebook page

REACHarge Youth





Fire Pit & BBQ

CHARCOAL & CH

Saturday, 26th July, 6-8pm

Living Waters Church, Edward Street, Loxton

For Year 6 to Year 12 students

RSVP to the event via the Facebook page, fill out on the online consent forms prior or on the night via our Facebook page.

Including an Alpha Youth Life Essentials short video filmed and produced in Australia, designed for teenagers to spark faith convos with friends & to chat about things impacting them today.

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Saturday, 9th August, 6-8pm

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Including an Alpha Youth Life Essentials short video filmed and produced in Australia, designed for teenagers to spark faith convos with friends & to chat about things impacting them today.



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The Narrow Road
Event Calendar 2025

Still Proudly

Destiny Rescue



Private Tractor Collection via a spud farm

tour. BYO smoke.

Departing 14 Edward St, Loxton.

Saturday May 10: 830am-330pm

Abandoned railway tour, finishing at

Karoonda Pieneer Park BYO lunch.

Departing 14 Edward St, Loxton.

Saturday July 5: 1pm-6pm

Farm tours finishing with BBQ & bonfire.

Departing 14 Edward St Loxton.

Saturday September 13: 830am-3pm

Private Car Collection and conversations with an

'old timer.' BYO lunch.

Departing 14 Edward St, Loxton.

Saturday November 1: 1pm-6pm

Boat trip up the Murray. BBQ tea to follow.

Departing Murtho (location TBA)

Each event is ½ day – full day adventure in the Riverland & Mallee, for blokes of all ages. Bring along a mate and help our mental health. Events have no set entry cost; however, we ask that you contribute to our fundraising efforts with Destiny Rescue to destroy the human trafficking trade and save children from illegal exploitation and slavery.

RSVP is 1 week prior to event date.

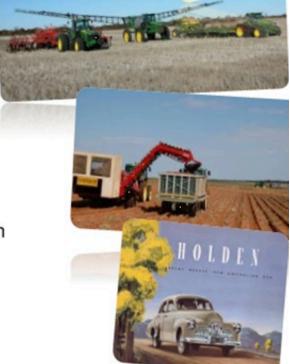
-Helping Men's Mental Health, while combating Slavery-

-RSVP /Enquiries Will Minney 0448 893 860



Rescued over 16,000+ individuals

Arrested 930+ perpetrators Conducted 800+ raids



RIGHT OUT AMEAD!





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



For the early birds..

Morning prayer

Monday, Wednesday & Fridays

7:00 am - 8:00 am

Prayer meeting Every month

First Thursday each month

from 730 pm

Join in a time of praising and seeking God

Please remember to wear your mask

McGregor's Home Group

Second and fourth Thursday of each month 7pm - 830 pm

Commencing May 8

Limited spaces –

see Ps Jeff or Emma with any queries



February 7
March 7
May 2
June 6

August 1
September 5
November 7
December 5

7pm

at Living Waters, 14 Edward St Loxton

God's word shared, testimonies, prayer ministry, supper. ALL WELCOME

Contact Christine for further information, 0411 209 895

Attention ladies!



You're invited to celebrate our 60th birthday with us!

St Peter's Women's Fellowship Thursday, July 10





COMMUNITY SINGING, RECITATIONS
Free will offering to Riverland Life FM
RSVP Cathy Crambrook:
8584 6577 (BY JULY 6)

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

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

1007 regional Good music. Positive talk.

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

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



Have you read a great book from our library?

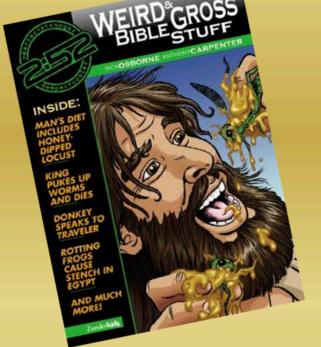
Share with others!

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

Please see Karina or Kym for details

LIBRARY BOOK of the MONTH

One for the kids



Library opening hours

Tuesday 11:00-3:00 **Friday** 11:00-3:00

Sunday

after the service until 12 noon



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 NOV 2, 2025

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

This means:

ANYONE TAKING RESTRICTED FRUIT FROM THE CHURCH CAN BE FINED



Roster June 2025 Cynthia 8 Dani **Door welcomer 15** Kate 22 Bill Angie/ Kevin 29 Richard W 1 Ps Jeff 8 **Communion message** Leanne 15 22 Chioma 29 Karina Karina/ Emma 1 8 Saunders **Hospitality 15** Karina / Kate 22 Denis / Richard **Amaechi family** 29 1 Craig 8 Ps Jeff Message **15** Ps Jeff Ps Jeff 22

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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Will

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