



Good Shepherd

Lutheran Church - Noosa

Gathered to Grow - Sent to Serve



Youth Ministry Program

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Good Shepherd Lutheran Church is committed to make three things become reality for young people:

- that young people have a relationship with Jesus Christ and they be **established** in the Christian faith;
- **nurtured** in the Christian community;
- and **equipped** to serve all God's people.

This commitment includes working with families, congregation, and leaders that form the Christian contexts of the lives of young people. Currently, we have several different options to help establish, nurture and equip our young people in the faith. These options are outlined in this program. All are welcome to join us on our journey of faith in Christ.

Enquires can be made to GSLC Ministry Centre - 07 5455 8645 or by visiting our webpage: www.noosalutheran.org.au



Mainly Music *(Starting Term 3, 2022)*

Babies through to School age (0-5 year old)

Time for babies, toddlers, parents and caregivers to join in fellowship with others, through play, craft, stories and community building.

Faith Milestones *Occasions throughout the year*

Faith passage moments in the life of a child; Baptism, 1st Communion, and Confirmation. Each of these moments are occasions for spiritual growth and mentorship in the life of the family.

Bible Song *3-5pm Friday's (Fortnightly)*

Arts-based Children's Ministry for School Years 3-5

Bible Song™ is an arts-based/brain-based immersion into key Bible verses and stories. Each session is mixed with music, art, craft, drama and games which help engage the students with the lesson for the day.

Head to the Heart *6-8pm Friday's (Fortnightly)*

Junior Youth Ministry for School Years 6-8

Head to the Heart (H2H) is a relational, small group ministry system that celebrates the faith with art, music, skits, gameshows and caring relationships.

4U *7-9 pm Friday's (Monthly)*

Senior Youth Ministry for School Years 9-12

4U seeks to help teenagers grow a balanced life that is centred in Jesus Christ. We take our time discussing hot topics of the day in a safe, caring, biblically-centred environment.



Babies, Toddlers, Pre-schoolers



Babies, toddlers, pre-schoolers, and parents will be treated to music and story, activity, and interaction, structured and unstructured fun. Each session is designed for the child and parent to participate together. You'll experience a rich learning environment.

Weekly sessions are full of songs and rhymes, actions, and movement, designed to engage you and your child. Not only will your little one be delighted by the one-to-one attention you give, but you'll love the way they respond and develop. You'll be creating memories together.

The structured 30-minute music session will be followed by 30-minutes of eat/play/chat. Snacks and refreshments will be served, followed by a time of unstructured play. At the same time, you'll be able to connect with others.

Mainly Music is for 0–5-year-old children and their carer, held on Tuesday mornings from 9-10am.
(Starting Term 3, 2022)

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Term 3

Wk	Day	Date	Time	Programme	Location
1.	Tues	July 12	9-10am	mainly music	GSLC Lower Room
2.	Tues	July 19	9-10am	mainly music	GSLC Lower Room
3	Tues	July 26	9-10am	mainly music	GSLC Lower Room
4	Tues	Aug 2	9-10am	mainly music	GSLC Lower Room
5	Tues	Aug 9	9-10am	mainly music	GSLC Lower Room
6	Tues	Aug 16	9-10am	mainly music	GSLC Lower Room
7	Tues	Aug 23	9-10am	mainly music	GSLC Lower Room
8	Tues	Aug 30	9-10am	mainly music	GSLC Lower Room
9	Tues	Sept 6	9-10am	mainly music	GSLC Lower Room
10	Tues	Sept 13	9-10am	mainly music	GSLC Lower Room

Term 4

1	Tues	Oct 4	9-10am	mainly music	GSLC Lower Room
2	Tues	Oct 11	9-10am	mainly music	GSLC Lower Room
3	Tues	Oct 18	9-10am	mainly music	GSLC Lower Room
4	Tues	Oct 25	9-10am	mainly music	GSLC Lower Room
5	Tues	Nov 1	9-10am	mainly music	GSLC Lower Room
6	Tues	Nov 8	9-10am	mainly music	GSLC Lower Room
7	Tues	Nov 15	9-10am	mainly music	GSLC Lower Room
8	Tues	Nov 22	9-10am	mainly music	GSLC Lower Room
9	Tues	Nov 29	9-10am	mainly music	GSLC Lower Room

FAITH Milestones

Baptism 1st Communion Confirmation

Faith Milestones are faith passage moments that foster spiritual growth in one's relationship to God, self, others and all creation. These moments result from the intentional family commitment to faith growth for every member of the household. Currently, Good Shepherd has identified 3 moments in the life of a child that are emphasized in the life of our congregation: **Baptism, First Communion, and Confirmation**. All three of these moments of faith development are encouraged to be journeyed as a family. Each of these moments will be preceded by a time of instruction with parents as the main support and mentor for their own child.



Baptism (all ages)

Baptism is all about grace and is a huge gift from God. Good Shepherd offers a series of baptism discussion sessions and pledges to

support and equip parents to mentor and teach their children as they plant the seeds of faith in their children.

Baptism Classes are booked by appointment with the Pastor prior to scheduling a baptism.



1st Communion

(for those age 10 +)

This milestone in the faith life of the child is designed to help young people, together with the support and mentoring of their parents, prepare for the sacrament of Holy Communion.

First Communion classes are for those who are baptised aged 10 or greater. It is designed with parental involvement. Please speak to Pastor if interested.

Term 1

Wk	Day	Date	Time	Programme	Location
9.	Sun	Mar 20	5-7pm	Step up to Communion #1	GSLC Hall
10.	Sun	Mar 27	2-4pm	Step up to Communion #2	GSLC Holtz Room
	Sun	April 3	2-4pm	Step up to Communion #3	GSLC Holtz Room
.	Sun	April 10	9:30am	First Communion Sunday	GSLC Church



Confirmation (School Year 8/9)

Confirmation is an opportunity for young people to give a public confession of faith in which they were baptised. Our parents began the confirming process as they taught us to pray, told us who Jesus was and brought us to worship. The church assists by its instruction in BibleSong, H2H and in supplementary instruction given by the pastor and in youth groups, adult groups etc.

Confirmation classes are for those who are baptised in Year 8/9 and have completed at least 1 year of H2H. These classes are designed with parental involvement. Please speak to Pastor if interested.

Term 2

Wk Day	Date	Time	Programme	Location
7. Sun	Aug 21	2-4pm	Confirmation #1	GSLC Holtz Room
8. Sun	Aug 28	2-4pm	Confirmation #2	GSLC Holtz Room
9. Sun	Sept 4	2-4pm	Confirmation #3	GSLC Holtz Room
10. Sun	Sept 11	2-4pm	Confirmation #4	GSLC Holtz Room
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1. Sun	Oct 2	2-4pm	Confirmation #5	GSLC Holtz Room
2. Sun	Oct 9	2-4pm	Confirmation #6	GSLC Holtz Room
3. Sun	Oct 16	2-4pm	Confirmation #7	GSLC Holtz Room
4. Sun	Oct 23	2-4pm	Confirmation #8	GSLC Holtz Room
5. Sun	Oct 30	9:30AM	Confirmation Sunday	GSLC HPE Centre





School Year 3-5

Bible Song is an active, hands-on, arts-based immersion into key Bible verses and Bible stories.

A Lead Instructor plans and coordinates the Bible Song sessions, which involve learning a central Bible verse and Bible story enhanced with music, art, and hands-on craft projects. A group of adult helpers serve as group leaders and assistants.

BibleSong is for Year 3-5 students held on Friday evenings (Fortnightly) from 3-5pm @ Good Shepherd Lutheran Church Hall.

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Term 1

Wk	Day	Date	Time	Programme	Location
4	Fri	Feb 18	3-5pm	BibleSong PL#1	GSLC Hall
6	Fri	Mar 4	3-5pm	BibleSong PL#2	GSLC Hall
8	Fri	Mar 18	3-5pm	BibleSong PL#3	GSLC Hall
10.	Fri	April 1	3-5pm	BibleSong PL#4	GSLC Hall

Term 2

Wk	Day	Date	Time	Programme	Location
2.	Fri	April 29	3-5pm	BibleSong PL#5	GSLC Hall
4.	Fri	May 13	3-5pm	BibleSong PL#6	GSLC Hall
6.	Fri	May 27	3-5pm	BibleSong PL#7	GSLC Hall
8.	Fri	Jun 10	3-5pm	BibleSong PL#8	GSLC Hall
10.	Fri	Jun 24	3-5pm	BibleSong PL#9	GSLC Hall

Term 3

Wk	Day	Date	Time	Programme	Location
2	Fri	July 22	3-5pm	BibleSong PL#10	GSLC Hall
4	Fri	Aug 5	3-5pm	BibleSong PL#10	GSLC Hall
6	Fri	Aug 19	3-5pm	BibleSong PL#11	GSLC Hall
8	Fri	Sept 2	STUDENT FREE DAY		
10	Fri	Sept 16	3-5pm	BibleSong PL#12	GSLC Hall

Term 4

Wk	Day	Date	Time	Programme	Location
2	Fri	Oct 14	3-5pm	BibleSong PL#13	GSLC Hall
4.	Fri	Oct 28	3-5pm	BibleSong PL#14	GSLC Hall
6.	Fri	Nov 11	3-5pm	BibleSong PL#15	GSLC Hall

H2H

HEAD TO THE HEART

Middle School Year 6-8

Head to the Heart (H2H) is an adolescent small group ministry system. H2H combines current life with Biblical truths. It features art, music, skits, and gameshows, while building lasting caring relationships at church. We combine learning, Christian service and fun & fellowship with our time-tested methods.

H2H is for Year 6-8 students held on Friday evenings (Fortnightly) from 6-8pm @ Good Shepherd Lutheran Church Hall.

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Term 1

Wk	Day	Date	Time	Activity	Location
4.	Fri	Feb 18	6-8pm	Play – Newspaper Night	GSLC Hall
6.	Fri	Mar 4	6-8pm	OT #1	GSLC Hall
8.	Fri	Mar 18	6-8pm	OT #2	GSLC Hall
10.	Fri	April 1	6-8pm	OT #3	GSLC Hall

Term 2

Wk	Day	Date	Time	Activity	Location
2.	Fri	April 29	6-8pm	Play – Murder Mystery	GSLC Hall
4.	Fri	May 13	6-8pm	OT #4	GSLC Hall
6.	Fri	May 27	6-8pm	OT #5	GSLC Hall
8.	Fri	Jun 10	6-8pm	Serve – Food	TBA
10.	Fri	Jun 24	6-8pm	OT #6	GSLC Hall

Term 3

Wk	Day	Date	Time	Activity	Location
2.	Fri	July 22	6-8pm	Play – Musical	
4.	Fri	Aug 5	6-8pm	OT #7	GSLC Hall
6.	Fri	Aug 19	6-8pm	OT #8	GSLC Hall
8	Fri	Sept 2		STUDENT FREE DAY	
10	Fri	Sept 16	6-8pm	BONFIRE	Bartholomaeus'

Term 4

Wk	Day	Date	Time	Activity	Location
2.	Fri	Oct 14	6-8pm	OT #9	GSLC Hall
4.	Fri	Oct 28	6-8pm	OT #10	GSLC Hall
6.	Fri	Nov 11	6-8pm	Play - Water Games	GSLC





Senior School Year 9-12

4U is our ministry to those in High School (yr 9-12). It seeks to help teenagers grow a balanced life that is centred in Jesus Christ. We take our time discussing Christian and hot topics of the day in a safe, caring, biblically-centred environment, and mix in regular service and fellowship activities.

4U is for Year 9-12 students held on Friday evenings (Monthly) from 7-9pm @ Good Shepherd Lutheran Church.

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Term 1

Wk Day	Date	Time	Programme	Activity/Theme	Location
5. Fri	Feb 25	7-9pm	4U	Alpha	GSLC Activities Room
9. Fri	Mar 25	7-9pm	4U	Bowling/lazer tag	

Term 2

Wk Day	Date	Time	Programme	Activity/Theme	Location
3. Fri	May 6	7-9pm	4U	Alpha	GSLC Activities Room
7. Fri	June 3	7-9pm	4U	MKR	

Term 3

Wk Day	Date	Time	Programme	Activity/Theme	Location
3. Fri	July 29	7-9pm	4U	Alpha	GSLC Activities Room
6. Fri	Aug 26	7-9pm	4U	Movie/Pizza	
10. Fri	Sept 16	7-9pm	4U/ FAMfest	Bonfire	Bartholomaeus'

Term 4

Wk Day	Date	Time	Programme	Activity/Theme	Location
3. Fri	Oct 21	7-9pm	4U	Alpha	GSLC Activities Room

