

## Food for thought before the service

The Lord's Supper admonishes and incites us more strongly to recognise the blessings which we have received, and receive daily, from the Lord Jesus, so that we may give to Him the praise which is due.

A great advantage of the Supper is that it draws us away from ingratitude. It prevents us from taking for granted the great gift which our Lord Jesus bestowed on us in dying for us, but leads us instead to pay Him thanks, and to publicly affirm how much we owe to Him.

*from John Calvin Short Treatise on the Lord's Supper*

## Bible Readings

Leviticus 23:15-22  
Acts 2:1-16 and 36-42

## Hymns

Trinity 3 - From all that dwell below the skies

Trinity 121 - O, love, how deep, how broad, how high

Trinity 254 - Come, Holy Spirit, come

Trinity 255 - Spirit of God, that moved of old

Worship today is led by Don Burgess (PRC Wollongong)

## Looking ahead ...

Today	13:30	<b>Lord's Supper</b>
	14:00	<b>Sunday School and Bible Study</b>
Wednesday 6 March	19:45	<b>Prayer Meeting</b>
Sunday 10 March	09:45	<b>Prayer for the Lord's Day</b> and <b>Sunday School</b>
	10:30	<b>Public Worship</b> (Don Burgess)
Sunday 17 March		<b>Public Worship</b> (Luke Scheepers)

## Advance Notice

**Annual General Meeting** - Sunday 21 April 2013  
(Reports to be given to Barry by Sunday 31 March)

## Sermon Notes SHADOWS of Jesus

## THE FEAST OF WEEKS [PENTECOST]

### Introduction

Pentagon, pentathlon, pentane, pentagram, Pentateuch

50 days after the previous feast - Acts 2: 15-16

### 1. THE FEAST of WEEKS [in the Old Testament]

3 different names:

On the day of the feast, grain offering - 2 loaves of bread -

Became linked to the giving of the law at Sinai .....

### 2. THE DAY of PENTECOST [in Acts 2]

Acts 1:4

Acts 1:3

Acts 2:1

Acts 2:2,3

Ex 19:16-18

What harvest was God primarily thinking of?

What gift [promise] were God's people to look for?

Acts 1:4-5

Acts 1:7-8

### 3. THE FULFILMENT in CHRIST

3.1 Who was it that promised the Holy Spirit? *John 16:7-11*

3.2 Who was it that sent the Holy Spirit? *John 16:7*

3.3 Who was it to whom the Holy Spirit testified? *John 16:14,15*

3.4 It was the beginning of the overturning of the curse given at the tower of Babel.

3.5 It was the reverse of what happened at Sinai.

Celebration.....