

# Welcome to Willunga Catholic Parish

Mary of Galilee, Aldinga; St Peter's, Normanville; St Joseph's, Willunga (Part of the Fleurieu and Kangaroo Island Cluster of Catholic Parishes)

## TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR C

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# WILLUNGA CATHOLIC PARISH CENTRE

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## **OFFICE HOURS**

Tuesday and Friday: 9.00am - 11.00am (*Outside these hours, please contact* 0447 421 948 or 0488 287 552)

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# PARISH TEAM CONTACTS

- Fr Josy Sebastian (Parish Priest -8382 1717; emergency 0452 524 169)
- Fr Selva Raj (A/Priest 8382 1717; selvarajpani@gmail.com)
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- Fr Tom Gleeson (Resident Priest 8557 1072)
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#### PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL Peter Laffan (phone 8556 3915)

## **MASS CENTRES**

- Mary of Galilee, cnr Quinliven and How Roads, ALDINGA Galilee
- St Peter's, Cape Jervis Road, NORMANVILLE
- St Joseph's, St Judes St, WILLUNGA

## **MASS TIMES**

- SATURDAY EVENING 5.30pm Aldinga Beach (Mary of Galilee)
- FIRST, THIRD, FIFTH SUNDAYS 8.30am Willunga (St Joseph's) 10.30am Normanville (St Peter's)
- SECOND, FOURTH SUNDAYS 8.30am Normanville (St Peter's 10.30am Willunga (St Joseph's)

If you have faith the size of a mustard seed, nothing will be impossible for you.



# FIRST READING

*Habakkuk 1:2-3, 2:2-4* How long, Lord, am I to cry for help while you will not listen; to cry 'Oppression!' in your ear and you will not save?

Why do you set injustice before me, why do you look on where there is tyranny?

Outrage and violence, this is all I see, all is contention, and discord flourishes.

Then the Lord answered and said,

'Write the vision down, inscribe it on tablets to be easily read, since this vision is for its own time only eager for its own fulfilment, it does not deceive; if it comes slowly, wait, for come it will, without fail. See how he flags, he whose soul is not at rights, but the upright man will live by his faithfulness.'

## **RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

**Psalm 94:1-2, 6-9** If today you hear his voice, harden not vour hearts.

# SECOND READING

2 Timothy 1:6-8, 13-14 I am reminding you to fan into a flame the gift that God gave you when I laid my hands on you. God's gift was not a spirit of timidity, but the Spirit of power, and love, and self-control. So you are never to be ashamed of witnessing to the Lord, or ashamed of me for being his prisoner; but with me, bear the hardships for the sake of the Good News, relying on the power of God.

Keep as your pattern the sound teaching you have heard from me, in the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. You have been trusted to look after something precious; guard it with the help of the Holy Spirit who lives in us.

# GOSPEL ACCLAMATION 1 Pet 1:25

Alleluia, alleluia! The word of the Lord stands for ever: it is the word given to you, the Good News. Alleluia!

# GOSPEL

### Luke 17:5-10

The apostles said to the Lord, 'Increase our faith.' The Lord replied, 'Were your faith the size of a mustard seed you could say to this mulberry tree, "Be uprooted and planted in the sea," and it would obey you.

"Which of you, with a servant ploughing or minding sheep, would say to him when he returned from the fields, "Come and have your meal immediately"?

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# **BAPTISMS AND MARRIAGES**

Please contact the Parish Office

## RECONCILIATION

- Aldinga: Saturday 5.00 5.20pm
- Normanville: Second and fourth
- Sundays at 8.10amWillunga: to be organised

Reconciliation always available at St Luke's, Noarlunga every Saturday at 9.00am.

# ROSARY

10.00am before 10.30am Masses at Normanville. 9.30am on Fridays in the Chapel at Galilee, Aldinga.

# **QUIET PRAYER**

Each day at Willunga for 30 minutes at 7.00am and 5.00pm. All welcome.

# **REFLECTION GROUPS**

*Willunga Thursday Group* meets weekly to reflect on Gospel for the following Sunday. Parish House, 7.00pm. Fr Tom (8557 1072)

## **FIRST FRIDAY MASSES**

Willunga at 9.00am Normanville at 12noon

# FAMILY MASSES

Aldinga: 2nd Saturday - 5.30pm

# CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Galilee Learning Centre	8557 9000
St John the Apostle	8382 2064
All Saints Primary	8327 0020
Cardijn College	8392 9500
Marcellin Tech College	8186 9700

# PLAYGROUP

Monday mornings 9.00am - 10.30am in Shared Space, Stage 1, Galilee School, Aldinga. Co-ordinator - Melanie Wilson (8557 9000)

# ST VINCENT DE PAUL

Meetings held twice monthly - every second Monday of month and the Monday, two weeks later, both at 9.30am. Meetings: Aldinga Community Centre, Stewart Road, Aldinga. Contact: Vinnies-Willunga@svdpsa.org.au

## GALILEE HOUSEKEEPING TEAM

Feel free to contact any member of the committee about issues in the Aldinga community - Fr Josy (8382 1717), David Manders (8556 5667), Francoise and Ken Creevey (8557 6287), Mario Bacchin (8323 9909), Judi Driscoll (0428 310 548).

# **GALILEE OP SHOP**

How Road, Aldinga. Open Wednesday, Thursday, Friday: 9.30am - 3.00pm Phone: 0474 107 694



## REGULAR WEEKDAY MASSES (or COMMUNION SERVICES)

Mon	No Masses in Willunga
	Parish 9.00am - Noarlunga
Tue	9.15am - Aldinga
Wed	9.00am - Willunga
Thur	9.00am - Willunga
Fri	9.00am - Willunga
1st Fri	Normanville: 11.50am
	Adoration; 12noon - Mass
	(followed by shared lunch)

## WHAT AUSTRALIAN CATHOLICS ARE SAYING ABOUT OUTREACH

In response to the Plenary Council consultation's question, What is God calling us to at this time? a number of people proposed ways to reach out to those not currently members of the Church, or not practising their faith. These ideas included:

- striving for greater acknowledgement of and connection with Aborigines and Torres Strait Islanders
- reaching out to non-practising Catholics to reawaken their faith again
- welcoming those who identify as Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual or Transgender as a witness to the allencompassing love of God
- engaging more actively with people of whatever persuasion, whether non-Catholic Christians, people of other faiths or people of no faith
- actively seeking to reach young people and ensure the relevance of Church liturgies and practice to them.

You can find out more about what people said by viewing the Full Report of the Plenary Council online at https://plenarycouncil.catholic. org.au/resources/reports Each week we will be summarising a different topic from the First Phase of the Plenary Consultation. We will then be organising groups for the Second Phase of consultation, the Listening and Discernment Phase. For more information contact Peter Laffan (impe@internode.on.net or 8556 3915) Peter Laffan

#### PLENARY COUNCIL CONSULTATION

There will be a meeting on Thursday 17 October at 7.00pm at Galilee

Community Room, Aldinga, to prepare for the next phase of consultation, Listening and Discernment, leading up to the Plenary Council in October next year.

This meeting will consider the findings of the First Phase, Listening and Dialogue, which you have seen over recent weeks in the Bulletin. In addition, we will also discuss how to involve as many parishioners as possible in the next stage. Whether you participated in the previous discussions or not, you will be very welcome to attend. For further information contact Peter Laffan (impe@internode.on.net or 8556 3915) Peter Laffan

## **COFFEE AND CHAT**

Come along and meet informally with other parishioners at St Joseph's Hall on Friday October 18 from 2.00pm - 3.00pm. Everyone most welcome.



Saturday, 12 October 9.00am - 1.00pm

Double sites \$15.00

#### **FLEURIEU FROLIC** Galilee Catholic School

Cnr Quinliven and How Roads Saturday October 19 11.30am - 4.30pm

Cubby building, entertainment, games and races, nature crafts, propagation, Circus Elements workshop, mud kitchen, woodworking, Galilee Ninja Warrior, Thinking CaPS Science Show, low cost food, drinks, market stalls. \$10 per child (2 and over).

Tickets from: www.eventbrite.com.au/e/fleurieufrolic-tickets-72184532881

### Can you help?

For the Fleurieu Frolic, Galilee School needs donations of jars, old books for a second hand book stall, plants for a plant sale, wool, seed pods, gum nuts, old costume jewellery for craft, tablecloths, old pots and pans, cushions, milk crates,





old gumboots for planting in, plastic pot plant containers, lemons, plant cuttings and donations of scones also greatly received!

Please leave all donations at the school office or speak to Kerri Gould (phone 0439 877 563)



Tuesday, 5 November 11.30am onwards 35Lurline Blvd, Sellicks Beach

Complimentary glass of bubbly on arrival, light lunch, dessert, tea and coffee, \$2 and \$1 sweeps, door prize, prize for best-dressed person.

Tickets \$12 are on sale after 5.30pm Mass and also available from Chris McWilliams (0451 144 776), Sr Margaret Ann (0488 287 552) and Cathy Daly (0414 466 165).

Your hosts -Cathy and Bob Daly

#### WILLUNGA CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL



The theme for this year's Christmas Tree Festival hosted by the Uniting Church in St Judes Street, Willunga is: 'Your Christmas Story'.

Janet Burbridge is taking on the organising of our entry again for this year and she would like to collect as many photos as possible of parishioners - past and present individual or family groups – so that they can be hung on our tree. In the interests of Privacy Legislation the photos can be handed to Janet or to Sr Margaret Ann so we can identify the owner and return them after the Festival. Names will not be placed on the photos, which will be attached to the tree. Photos will need to be limited to 'head and shoulders' so that we can fit as many as possible on our tree.

Entries are due by 7 November. Thank you or your support of this community event.

Janet Burbridge

**COLOGNE PHILHARMONIA ORCHESTRA** St Joseph's Church, Willunga Saturday, January 18, 2020 - 3.00pm and 8.00pm

**ALDINGA** Welcome Commentator Readers Eucharistic Ministers Judi Driscoll Brian Younie

Welcome

Church Cleaning

**WILLUNGA** 

Commentary

First Reader

Second Reader

Church Cleaning

Church Linen

Counting

Welcome

Reader

Saturday 05 October Christina VK, Mike Lord Grimwood girls Peter Laffan **David Manders** Ken Creevey

Sunday, 06 October NORMANVILLE Ann Henriksen Commentator/Prayers Peter Bohnsack Trish Bohnsack Eucharistic Minister Judy Hore Trish & Peter Bohnsack

Sunday, 06 October **Tony Harding** Wavne Best Margaret Guley Sue Thompson Eucharistic Ministers Norman Lee Mary Fitzpatrick May Dunn, Tony Harding Christina Rasera Anna Rogers Chris McWilliams

Saturday 12 October **Rachel Bishop** Leo Dundon Angela Trembath **Brigid Grimwood** Kerri Gould

Sunday, 13 October **Tim Fleming** Walter Litvensky Antoinette Fleming Patricia Litvensky Trish & Peter Bohnsack

Sunday, 13 October Pauleen & John Hounslow Marie Andrews Anna Rogers Michael Hynes Denny Ford Steve Maglieri Margaret Guley Chris McWilliams

**PEOPLE IN YOUR PRAYERS** Sick: Val Gater, Bernie Wilkie, Abbey McIver, Veronica Shortland, Muriel Smith, Rose Sulda



PLEASE KEEP THESE

## WHAT'S ON

Oct 6	Daylight Saving starts
Oct 7	Labour Day public holiday
Oct 14	First day School term 4
Oct 15	St Peter's Music/Liturgy-10am
Oct 18	Coffee and Chat - St Joseph's
	Hall - 2.00pm - 3.00pm
Oct 24	St Peter's Choir practice
Nov 12	St Peter's Music/Liturgy-10am
Nov 21	St Peter's Choir practice
Nov 24	Spring Picnic in Kelly Grove,
	Willunga after 10.30am Mass
Dec 3	St Peter's Music/Liturgy-10am
Dec 12	St Peter's Choir practice
Dec 13	Last day School term 4
Jan 18	Cologne Philharmonia
	Concerts - 3pm and 8pm
Jan 26	Tour Down Under - Willunga
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# COLLECTIONS

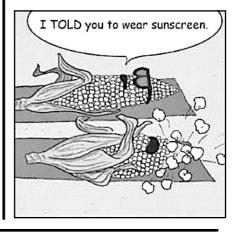
28/29 September 2019		
First collection	\$616.00	
Envelopes	\$625.00	
Unpledged	\$267.00	

Your support is much appreciated.



**OUOTES** 

- *Never go to a doctor whose office* plants have died. (Erma Bombeck)
- Smartness runs in my family. When I went to school I was so smart my teacher was in my class for five years. (George Burns)
- I can win an argument on any topic, against any opponent. People know this and steer clear of me at parties. Often, as a sign of their great respect, they don't even ask me. (Dave Barry)



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#### REGULAR MASS TIMES IN OUR CLUSTER CHURCHES ALDINGA

Mary of Galilee, the First Disciple cnr Quinliven and How Roads Saturday 5.30pm Tuesday 9.15am

#### GOOLWA

St John the Apostle, 10-14 Gardiner St Sunday 9.00am Wednesday 9.30am

#### KINGSCOTE

Our Lady of Perpetual Help, cnr Todd and Giles Streets Sunday 9.30am

### NOARLUNGA

St Luke, the Evangelist, cnr Honeypot Rd and Goldsmith Dve Saturday 6.00pm Sunday 9.00am 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday 11am (Spanish Mass) 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday 2.00pm (Filipino Mass) Sunday (Youth Mass) 5.30pm Monday 9.00am Tuesday 9.00am Wednesday 7.30pm Thursday 8.15am (St Luke's) Thursday 9.15am (St John's - term time) Friday 10.00am

#### NORMANVILLE

St Peter, Cape Jervis Road 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays 10.30am 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays 8.30am 1<sup>st</sup> Friday 6.00pm

> **PARNDANA** 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday 2.30pm

#### PENNESHAW

St Columba, North Terrace (shared with Anglicans) 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday 2.00pm

### SEAFORD

Seaford Ecumenical Mission, Grand Bvd Sunday 10.45am Wednesday 9.15am

## **VICTOR HARBOR**

St Joan of Arc, 30 Seaview Road Saturday 6.00pm Sunday 11.00am Tuesday 9.00am Thursday 9.00am Friday 9.00am 1st Friday Benediction following Mass

#### WILLUNGA

St Joseph, 12 St Judes Street 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays 8.30am 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays 10.30am Wednesday 9.00am Thursday 9.00am Friday 9.00am

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Would he not be more likely to say, "Get my supper laid; make yourself tidy and wait on me while I eat and drink. You can eat and drink yourself afterwards"? Must he be grateful to the servant for doing what he was told? So with you: when you have done all you have been told to do, say, "We are merely servants: we have done no more than our duty.""



## HABAKKUK (FIRST READING)

Very little is known about the prophet Habakkuk. Even the meaning of his name is uncertain. From his writings some have deduced that he was a member, possibly a leader, of the temple choir. One might date his writings between the defeat of Neco by Nebuchadnezzar at Carchemish (605 BC) and the siege of Jerusalem (597 BC). This places Habakkuk shortly after Nahum and makes him a contemporary of Jeremiah.

#### BACKGROUND ON THE GOSPEL READING

In today's Gospel we hear Jesus teach about faith and service to God. The context is a continuing dialogue between Jesus and his followers about what it means to be a disciple of Jesus. Jesus has just finished an instruction on sin and forgiveness.

There are two related teachings that Jesus offers to his disciples when they cry out for an increase in faith. The first is the familiar reminder that faith, even just a little, will enable the followers of Jesus to do wondrous things. But this uplifting and inspiring teaching is quickly followed by the second teaching, a caution about knowing one's place in God's plans. The disciples of Jesus are to understand themselves as servants to God and his plans. Even when God works wonders through us, with our mustard seed-sized faith, we must not seek praise.

Our participation in God's plans is God's grace to us—nothing more,

nothing less. When we are graced enough to cooperate with God, the work we do is nothing more than our obligation to God as faithful stewards. And yet, our faith enables us to believe that what we have offered in service to God, as his servants, can be made to produce a hundredfold. *Loyola Press website* 

#### **DID YOU KNOW?**

- The mustard seed is one of the smallest of seeds. Even a little faith is able to achieve wondrous things.
- A mulberry tree has a complicated root system which makes it very difficult to move.
- In the New Testament period, servants were totally reliant on the master to provide everything they needed in return for their labour. Their status was really that of a slave.
- Jesus always presents the call to discipleship and belief as a call to service of others.



## THIS WEEK'S READINGS

(07 - 13 October)

- *Monday*, *07:* Our Lady of the Rosary (Jonah 1:1 2:1, 11; Lk 10:25-37)
- *Tuesday, 08:* Weekday, Ord Time 27 (Jonah 3:1-10; Lk 10:38-42)
- *Wednesday, 09:* Weekday, Ord Time 27 (Jonah 4:1-11; Lk 11:1-4)
- *Thursday, 10:* Weekday, Ord Time 27 (Malachi 3:13-20; Lk 11:5-13)
- *Friday, 11:* Weekday, Ord Time 27 (Joel 1:13-15, 2:1-2; Lk 11:15-26)
- *Saturday, 12:* Weekday, Ord Time 27 (Joel 4:12-21; Lk 11:27-28)
- *Sunday 13:* 28<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME (2Kg 5:14-17; 2 Tim 2:8-13; Lk 17:11-19)

## **PASTORAL CARE**

If you (or someone you know) is house-bound, in hospital or in residential care and would appreciate a visit from a Priest or someone from the Parish, please let us know. Contact: Noarlunga/Seaford (8382 1717), Willunga (0488 287 552), Victor Harbor/Goolwa (8552 1084), Kangaroo Island (0418 819 078).