



Jubilee Year
of Mercy
2015/16

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-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR C

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WILLUNGA CATHOLIC PARISH CENTRE

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OFFICE HOURS

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PARISH TEAM CONTACTS

Fr Charles Gauci (Parish Priest)
Fr Saminathan [Sam] Arockiasamy
(Associate Pastor)
Fr Tony Telford-Sharp (Assoc Pastor)
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phone 0488 287 552)
Geraldine and Steve Robinson
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PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

David Manders (phone 8556 5667)

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Shanna Ridings (phone 0400 038 709,
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PARISH NEWSLETTER

Gael Maloney (Parish Office - Friday am)
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MASS CENTRES

Mary of Galilee, cnr Quinliven and
How Roads, ALDINGA - Galilee
Community Room (phone 8557 9018)
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)

FIRST READING

2 Kings 5:14-17

Naaman the leper went down and immersed himself seven times in the Jordan, as Elisha had told him to do. And his flesh became clean once more like the flesh of a little child.

Returning to Elisha with his whole escort, he went in and stood before him. 'Now I know' he said 'that there is no God in all the earth except in Israel. Now, please, accept a present from your servant.' But Elisha replied, 'As the Lord lives, whom I serve, I will accept nothing.' Naaman pressed him to accept, but he refused. Then Naaman said, 'Since your answer is "No," allow your servant to be given as much earth as two mules may carry, because your servant will no longer offer holocaust or sacrifice to any god except the Lord.'

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 97:1-4

The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power.

SECOND READING

2 Timothy 2:8-13

Remember the Good News that I carry, 'Jesus Christ risen from the dead, sprung from the race of David'; it is on account of this that I have my own hardships to bear, even to being chained like a criminal – but they cannot chain up God's news. So I bear it all for the sake of those who are chosen, so that in the end they may have the salvation that is in Christ Jesus and the eternal glory that comes with it.

Here is a saying that you can rely on:
If we have died with him, then we

*Your faith
has made
you well.*



shall live with him.
If we hold firm, then we shall reign with him.
If we disown him, then he will disown us.
We may be unfaithful, but he is always faithful,
for he cannot disown his own self.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

1 Thess 5:18

Alleluia, alleluia!

For all things give thanks to God, because this is what he expects of you in Christ Jesus.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Luke 17:11-19

On the way to Jerusalem Jesus travelled along the border between Samaria and Galilee. As he entered one of the villages, ten lepers came to meet him. They stood some way off and called to him, 'Jesus! Master! Take pity on us.' When he saw them he said, 'Go and show yourselves to the priests.' Now as they were going away they were cleansed. Finding himself cured, one of them turned back praising God at the top of his voice and threw

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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 8.10am
 - Willunga: to be organised
- Reconciliation always available at St Luke's, Noarlunga every Saturday at midday.

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

First Friday Mass: Willunga at 9.00am; Normanville at 6.00pm

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-ordinators - Miss Little and Miss Gould (8557 9000)

ST VINCENT DE PAUL

Meetings held twice monthly - every second Tuesday of month at 10am and the Tuesday, two weeks later at 3pm. All meetings are held at the rear of 9 Austin Place, Port Willunga. Contact: svdp.aldinga@gmail.com

GALILEE

HOUSEKEEPING TEAM

Feel free to contact any member of the committee about issues in the Aldinga community - Fr Charles (8382 1717), David Manders (8556 5667), Françoise or Ken Creevey (8557 6287), Mario Bacchin (8323 9909).

GALILEE OP SHOP

How Road, Aldinga. Open Mon, Wed, Thur, Fri 9.00am - 3.00pm



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WEEKDAY MASSES (or COMMUNION SERVICES)

Mon	No Masses in Willunga Parish 9.00am - Noarlunga
Tues	9.15am - Aldinga
Wed	9.00am - Willunga
Thur	9.00am - Willunga
Fri	9.00am - Willunga
1st Fri	6.00pm - Normanville (followed by shared meal)

FIRST COLLECTION

The funds we contribute to the first collection each week are the primary means of sustaining our Priests, Deacons and retired Priests in our 58 Parishes. Together with stole offerings - that is, the payments made to clergy for weddings, funerals and baptisms - all funds are paid in the Diocesan Presbytery Fund. This fund provides our priests' stipends, medical benefits, motor vehicles and continuing education. The fund also provides support for our retired and sick priests and the Priests and Deacons working in the Archdiocese.

The Diocesan Presbytery Fund is currently running at a substantial deficit, something that needs to be turned around as a matter of urgency if we are to continue to adequately support those who do so much for and with us. At present the average first collection gift across the Archdiocese is less than two dollars per mass attendee - less than the cost of a cup of coffee or a small chocolate bar. Please give prayerful consideration to how you might support this campaign.

Our Parish and all Parishes throughout the Diocese are setting goals to increase our level of giving so we can continue to provide adequately for our clergy - now and into the future. Our aim is to increase the first collection beyond a 'loose change' level by doubling our Parish contribution over the new two years to a level closer to \$5 per mass attendee - the target required to meet the real need.

MARY OF GALILEE SCHOOL NEWS

Soup Day

The Parents and Friends Coordinating Group provided lunch time soup with rolls from Home Grain Bakery, Aldinga and Aldinga Country Bakehouse for a gold coin donation. This raised \$409.05 towards The Vinnies Winter Appeal. This is in addition to approximately \$3000 worth of non-perishable

food already given. Well done and a big thank you.

Market Day

On Friday 23 September senior students ran a Market Day. Altogether \$2263.90 was raised. All of this money will be donated to various Catholic Charities. Thank you to everyone for participating in the day and to the local businesses, families, staff members and Galilee Op Shop who donated goods for the stalls and prizes. An awesome effort, senior students and everyone.

Galilee School Administration Building - Opening

Galilee Catholic Learning Community invites everyone to "Come Let Your Light Shine" and celebrate the opening of the new Administration Building which includes the Mary of Galilee Parish Office.

The Blessing and Official Opening will be celebrated at 10am by Archbishop Philip Wilson for the whole school community, family, friends, parishioners and invited guests. Following this there will be light refreshments at a gathering on the lawn in front of the Administration Building. At the same time you will be welcome to explore. Please RSVP to Natalie njwalters@galilee.catholic.edu.au or 8557 9000 by Friday, October 21. RSVP's are essential for catering.

Curry and Quiz Night

This event will be held on Saturday 19 November in the Hall adjoining Mary of Galilee Church. Maureen Percival is organising a table and we hope to have one or two others. Last time Maureen's table was narrowly beaten by the Teachers, so we are keen! If you would like to take part, please let Sr Margaret Ann, Maureen or Trish Dundon know.

If you can't eat curry we can negotiate an alternative in advance. Everyone is welcome and as we are not having a Parish Dinner this year, it could be a FUN Night. It will be BYO with a Silent Auction. Tickets are \$20 and it is 6.30pm for a 7.00pm start.

Please think about it!

Little Galileans

For Term 4 of this school year the GALILEE PLAYGROUP will now be conducted in the Shared Space in Stage one at Galilee School. (It was previously run in the Parish Community Room). Miss Little and Miss Gould from the school, will coordinate the program for pre-schoolers, and it will

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run every Monday morning from 9.00am to 10.30am, beginning on 17 October. Please bring a water bottle and \$2 per family.

It is anticipated that this new initiative will help to promote new enrolments for Galilee School, as the school moves towards developing an Early Learning Centre on the Galilee site. Please contact the school (8557 9000) for more information.

PLANNED GIVING

New envelopes are available for the next twelve months Planned Giving Programme, commencing in November.

If you are new to the Parish, or have not previously participated in the Planned Giving programme and wish to, please contact Steve Robinson (Parish office Tuesday mornings), or send an email with your name and address to admin@willungaparish.org.au and a set of envelopes will be sent to you.

Steve Robinson

Southern Vales Schools Ministry Inc NOVEMBER CONCERT

Come and enjoy a community concert at the Lutheran Church (Aldersey Street), McLaren Vale) on Sunday November 6 from 2.00 until 4.00 pm.

Listen to our local talent and support our Pastoral Care workers in our local schools. Tickets \$10 per person or \$20 a family. Tickets are available from CPS workers in Southern Vales schools, the SVDSM Inc Committee or at the door. For further information please contact Ted Sandercock (sandwt@bigpond.com)

POT LUCK SUPPER

The next supper is on Saturday 29 October after 5-30 Mass at Galilee. Please contact Chris McWilliams for more information (phone 8556 3357 or 0451 144 776).

MELBOURNE CUP LUNCH



A Melbourne Cup Lunch will be held in Galilee Community Room on Tuesday 1 November - two course lunch, door

prize, best hat prize, one free sweep (others available) and a complimentary glass of bubbly during the race.

Tickets (\$10) are available from Chris McWilliams 8556 3357 or 0451 144 776

ROSTERS

(For Mass times refer to page 1)

ALDINGA	Saturday, 8 October	Saturday, 15 October
Welcome	Georgina Sard	Ros Schoumack
Commentator	David Manders	Chris Sandow
Readers	Heidi Davidson	Chris McWilliams
	Brianna McIver	Lillia Parkinson
Eucharistic Ministers	Judy Seward	Rose Sulda
	David Manders	Francoise Creevey
NORMANVILLE	Sunday, 9 October	Sunday, 16 October
Welcome	Sue Gillies	Lyn Wyld
Commentator/Prayers	Trish Bohnsack	Jim Fitzpatrick
Reader	Ann Henriksen	Mary Kennedy
Eucharistic Minister	Ena Harvey	Judy Hore
Church Cleaning	Trish & Peter Bohnsack	Trish & Peter Bohnsack
WILLUNGA	Sunday, 9 October	Sunday, 16 October
Welcome	Andrew Beach	Marie Andrews
Commentary	Anna Rogers	Michael Hynes
First Reader	Birgit Hynes	Norman Lee
Second Reader	Jim Smith	Anne Crosbie
Eucharistic Ministers	Denny Ford	Mary Fitzpatrick
	Steve Maglieri	Birgit Hynes
Church Cleaning	May Dunn, Barb Smith	May Dunn, Barb Smith
Counting	J Hounslow	May Dunn
Church Linen	Pauleen Hounslow	Anne Crosbie

PLEASE KEEP THESE PEOPLE IN YOUR PRAYERS

Sick: Kerry James, Di Rickard, Dee Harvey, Anne Murphy

Recently deceased: Brian Sulda (*Brian's funeral was held at St Joseph's, Willunga on Thursday, 6 Oct*) Giovanni Stra

Anniversary: Kim McArthur

WHAT'S ON

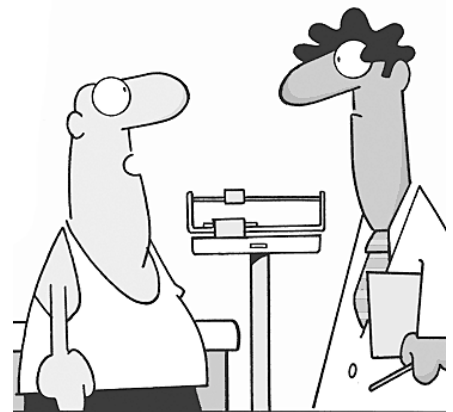
- Oct 13 Parish Finance meeting - 10am
- Oct 16 Year of Mercy Prayer - Galilee
- Oct 17 Little Galileans first session
- Oct 21 Opening Galilee Administration building
- Oct 28 Galilee Quiz Night
- Oct 29 Galilee Pot Luck Supper
- Nov 1 All Saints Day
- Nov 1 Melbourne Cup Day lunch at Galilee
- Nov 2 All Souls Day
- Nov 3 St Peter's Choir practice
- Nov 6 SVDSM Concert 2pm - 4pm
- Nov 12 Aldinga Trading Table
- Nov 13 Year of Mercy Prayer - Galilee
- Nov 19 Curry and Quiz Night - Galilee
- Nov 24 Parish Liturgy meeting
- Nov 27 First Sunday of Advent
- Dec 1 St Peter's Choir practice
- Dec 7 St Joseph's grounds maintenance meeting - 2pm
- Dec 11 Year of Mercy Prayer - Galilee
- Jan 14 Cologne Philharmonia concert

COLLECTIONS

01/02 October, 2016

First collection	\$649.00
Envelopes	\$507.00
Unpledged	\$352.00

Thank you for your support
- it is much appreciated.



"I tried jogging, but all that bouncing up and down made my beer too foamy!"

REGULAR MASS TIMES IN OUR CLUSTER CHURCHES

ALDINGA

Mary of Galilee, the First Disciple
 cnr Quinliven and Howe 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
 4th Sunday (Youth Mass) 6.00pm

NOARLUNGA

St Luke, the Evangelist,
 cnr Honeypot Rd and Goldsmith Dve
 Saturday 6.00pm
 Sunday 9.00am
 1st Sunday 11.00am (Spanish Mass)
 2nd Sunday 2.00pm (Filipino Mass)
 Sunday (Youth Mass) 5.30pm
 Monday 9.00am
 Tuesday 9.00am
 Wednesday 7.00am, 7.30pm
 Thursday 9.00am (St John's School)
 Friday 10.00am

NORMANVILLE

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

PARNDANA

4th Sunday 4.00pm

PENNESHAW

St Columba, North Terrace
 (shared with Anglicans)
 1st Sunday 2.00pm

SEAFORD

Seaford Ecumenical Mission, Grand Bvd
 Sunday 10.45am
 Wednesday 9.00am

VICTOR HARBOR

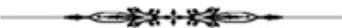
St Joan of Arc, 30 Seaview Road
 Saturday 6.00pm
 Sunday 11.00am
 Tuesday 9.00am
 Thursday 9.00am
 Friday (other than 1st) 9.00am
 1st Friday 11.30am

WILLUNGA

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

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himself at the feet of Jesus and thanked him. The man was a Samaritan. This made Jesus say, 'Were not all ten made clean? The other nine, where are they? It seems that no one has come back to give praise to God, except this foreigner.' And he said to the man, 'Stand up and go on your way. Your faith has saved you.'



BACKGROUND ON THE GOSPEL READING

Today we hear about how Jesus, continuing on his journey to Jerusalem, heals 10 lepers. This story is a lesson about faith and reminds us that faith is sometimes found in unlikely places. Ten people afflicted with leprosy cry out to Jesus. Struck with pity, Jesus heals all 10. However, only one is described as glorifying God and returning to thank Jesus. The one who returns is a Samaritan, a foreigner. In the Jewish circles in which Jesus lived, Samaritans were looked down upon because of the differences between the two communities in their observance of Judaism. It is significant, therefore, that Jesus commends the Samaritan for his faith, which has been his salvation. Throughout Luke's Gospel, faith is found in surprising places.

Another lesson for us in this Gospel has to do with salvation. All 10 of the lepers were given the gift of healing, but in his gratitude to God for this gift, the Samaritan found salvation. Our salvation is found in recognizing the gifts we have been given and knowing to whom we must offer our thanks.

Loyola Press website

DID YOU KNOW?

- The term 'leper' in the biblical material probably referred to people who were suffering from a variety of skin disorders.
- Under Jewish Law, lepers were ostracised and forced to live outside the city limits. It was thought that they would contaminate others in both a physical and religious sense.

- Leprosy was seen as a punishment for sin, therefore lepers were moral outcasts as well as physical outcasts.
- When a leper was 'cured', certain purification rites were performed by the priests (Lev 14). It was only after purification that lepers could again come into contact with friends and relations and once again take part in the religious life of Israel.

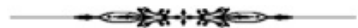
SYMBOLS AND IMAGES

Today's Gospel is another example of Jesus being recognised by an outside - in this case, both a leper and a Samaritan - while those who should know who he is, his own countrymen, do not respond appropriately. We often witness 'acts of faith' from surprising quarters!

QUOTE

When you reach the highest level of human maturity, you will have just one question: How can I be helpful?

St Teresa of Avila



THIS WEEK'S READINGS (10 - 16 October)

- **Monday, 10:** Weekday, Ord Time 28 (Gal 4:22-24, 26-27, 31-5:1; Lk 11:29-32)
- **Tuesday 11:** Weekday, Ord Time 28 (Gal 5:1-6; Lk 11:37-41)
- **Wednesday 12:** Weekday, Ord Time 28 (Gal 5:18-25; Lk 11:42-46)
- **Thursday 13:** Weekday, Ord Time 28 (Eph 1:1-10; Lk 11:47-54)
- **Friday 14:** Weekday, Ord Time 28 (Eph 1:11-14; Lk 12:1-7)
- **Saturday 15:** St Teresa of Jesus (Eph 1:15-23; Lk 12:8-12)
- **Sunday 16:** 29th Sunday in Ord Time (Ex 17:8-13; 2 Tim 3:14 - 4:2; Lk 18:1-8)

