

WILLUNGA CATHOLIC PARISH CENTRE

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OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday: 10.00am - 12.00noon
 Friday: 9.00am - 11.00am
 (If you need to contact the Parish Office outside these hours, please contact 0447 421 948 or 0488 287 552)

NOARLUNGA DOWNS CATHOLIC PRESBYTERY

Phone: 8382 1717

PARISH TEAM CONTACTS

- Fr Josy Sebastian (Parish Priest - 8382 1717; emergency 0452 524 169)
- Fr Roy John (Assistant Priest - 8382 1717)
- Fr Tom Gleeson (Resident Priest - 8557 1072)
- Sr Margaret Ann (Parish worker - 0488 287 552)
- Geraldine and Steve Robinson (Finance - Tuesday am)
- Gael Maloney (Parish Office - Friday am; Newsletter - articles due Wednesday - bahloo2@bigpond.com, 0447 421 948)

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)

FIRST READING

1 Kings 19:4-8

Elijah went into the wilderness, a day's journey, and sitting under a furze bush wished he were dead. 'Lord,' he said 'I have had enough. Take my life; I am no better than my ancestors.' Then he lay down and went to sleep. But an angel touched him and said, 'Get up and eat.' He looked round, and there at his head was a scone baked on hot stones, and a jar of water. He ate and drank and then lay down again. But the angel of the Lord came back a second time and touched him and said, 'Get up and eat, or the journey will be too long for you.' So he got up and ate and drank, and strengthened by that food he walked for forty days and forty nights until he reached Horeb, the mountain of God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 33:2-9

Taste and see the goodness of the Lord.

SECOND READING

Ephesians 4:30 - 5:2

Do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God who has marked you with his seal for you to be set free when the day comes. Never have grudges against others, or lose your temper, or raise your voice to anybody, or call each other names, or allow any sort of spitefulness. Be friends with one another, and kind, forgiving each other as readily as God forgave you in Christ.

Try, then, to imitate God as children of his that he loves and follow Christ by loving as he loved you, giving himself up in our place as a fragrant offering and a sacrifice to God.



GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Jn 6:51

Alleluia, alleluia!

I am the living bread from heaven, says the Lord; whoever eats this bread will live for ever.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL

John 6:41-51

The Jews were complaining to each other about Jesus, because he had said, 'I am the bread that came down from heaven.' 'Surely this is Jesus son of Joseph' they said. 'We know his father and mother. How can he now say, "I have come down from heaven"?' Jesus said in reply, 'Stop complaining to each other.

'No one can come to me unless he is drawn by the Father who sent me, and I will raise him up at the last day.

It is written in the prophets: They will all be taught by God, and to hear the teaching of the Father, and learn from it, is to come to me.

Not that anybody has seen the Father, except the one who comes

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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 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

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-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 10am. Meetings are held at the Galilee Community Room, How Rd, Aldinga. Contact: svdp.aldinga@gmail.com

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), Françoise or Ken Creevey (8557 6287), Mario Bacchin (8323 9909), Judy Driscoll (8557 7068).

GALILEE OP SHOP

How Road, Aldinga. Open Monday, Wednesday, Thursday: 8.45am - 3.00pm
Phone: 0474 107 694



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REGULAR WEEKDAY MASSES (or COMMUNION SERVICES)

Mon No Masses in Willunga Parish
9.00am - Noarlunga
Tue 9.15am - Aldinga
Wed 9.00am - Willunga
Thur 9am - Willunga
Fri 9am - Willunga
1st Fri Normanville: 5.30pm - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament; 6.00pm - Mass (followed by shared meal)

SPECIAL COLLECTION

Saturday 11 / Sunday 12 August

There will be a Special Collection at all our Mass Centres this weekend for the Appeal for Vocations.

FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION

Mass in our area for the feast of Mary's Assumption will be at the following times on Wednesday, 15 August.

- 9:15am – Seaford Ecumenical Mission, Main Road, Seaford.
- 10.00am – Galilee Church, Aldinga
- 7:30pm – St. Luke's, Noarlunga

KEEP 6 OCTOBER FREE

Fr Charles Gauci will be celebrating Mass at St Luke's, Noarlunga at 6.00pm on 6 October, prior to taking up his new role as Bishop of Darwin. All parishioners from the Fleurieu and KI Cluster of Parishes are most welcome. More details will be published prior to the event.

GALILEE CHILDREN AT MASS

This term Galilee children will be attending Galilee Tuesday morning Mass on:

- 28 August (Year 6/7),
- 11 September (Year 1/2)
- 25 September (Year 3/4)

A small group of students will be receiving the sacrament of First Eucharist at the Saturday evening Mass on 8 September. *Kerri Gould*

EUTHANASIA

Write to senators to oppose euthanasia. The Senate will vote this coming week on a Bill which would allow territories to legalise euthanasia and assisted suicide. Please contact your senators TODAY and ask them to protect vulnerable people by voting against the Bill. Visit the HOPE website to send your message:
www.no euthanasia.org.au/sign

MAKE A DIFFERENCE TO SOMEONE'S LIFE (and in your life too)

The St Vincent de Paul Society is always looking for motivated community-minded people to get involved in our programs, events and services.

Volunteering for Vinnies is a rich and rewarding experience. As a volunteer, you will benefit from:

- The satisfaction of helping others
- Sharing your skills and teaching others
- Learning new skills
- The sense of community and friendship.

The Willunga Conference of St Vincent de Paul Society, needs volunteers to mentor companions who have come in for assistance, to listen to their stories and give them a "hand up" where possible. Four hours per fortnight (approximately), is all that is required. Training will be provided. Please contact Donna Mead (0457 065 508) or Christine Jones (0403 928 525) if you can help out, or would like more information. *Christine Jones*
Fleurieu Regional President

LITURGICAL SINGING AT LAST!

A date is set for Mary of Galilee Catholic Community's first "Sip and Sing" session. We will meet in Galilee Community Room from 2.00pm – 3.00pm on Wednesday 22 August. This is just our community coming together to learn some songs in a reachable key that we can sing at Mass. EVERYONE is welcome.

It is not about great voices but about gathering to learn songs of prayer, celebration and worship. Come and try! (What you sip is up to you – tea, coffee, water provided).

Mary of Galilee Liturgy Team

WELCOMING, PROTECTING, PROMOTING, INTEGRATING MIGRANTS AND REFUGEES

Friends of Francis will reflect on Pope Francis' call to all Catholics to take up the four specific tasks needed to support migrants and refugees. Sunday 12 August, 3.00pm at Galilee Community Room, corner of How and Quinliven Roads, Aldinga.

For more information please contact Peter Laffan (8556 3915 or email impe@internode.on.net). *Peter Laffan*

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FR JACK BOOG'S 50TH JUBILEE

Please join us in celebrating the Golden Jubilee of Fr Jack Boog's Ordination on Sunday, September 9. The celebrations will begin with Holy Mass at 12 noon followed by a BBQ Lunch.

St John XXIII Church, 50 Reservoir Road, Hope Valley. To RSVP please contact Jen Sherlock 8264 7590 or pa@paramodcath.com.au by August 29.



ACRATH Australian Catholic Religious Against Trafficking Humans

The \$125,000 one-year government grant ran out on 30 June, 2018 and has not been renewed. ACRATH is now completely reliant on the generosity of the community to fight modern slavery and forced marriage. There are more slaves in the world now, than at any other time in history. Please go to: www.acrath.org.au to donate, or phone (03) 9654 5986.

ANNIVERSARIES MASS

If you are celebrating a marriage anniversary of 1, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 50, and 60 or more years, please contact Archdiocesan Events with

name, year of anniversary and address by September 7.

Mass will be held at St Patrick's Church, 268 Grote St, Adelaide on Sunday September 30 at 2pm. RSVP by September 7 by contacting Archdiocesan events on 8210 8220 or email: events@adelaide.catholic.org.au.

SAVE THE DATE

Galilee Catholic School Parents and Friends announce our inaugural community event - a family fun day open to the wider community.

FLEURIEU FROLIC "Spring into nature explore our backyard"

SATURDAY, 20 OCTOBER

The day will encourage healthy, active outdoor play, within the Galilee Catholic school grounds with nature stations such as: *mud kitchen, orienteering, knots, fire-pit, wetland investigation, cubby houses, plant propagation, nature craft and more.....*

Please contact the school for more info (8557 9000) or Kerri Gould (kgould@galilee.catholic.edu.au) or Karen Czornohalan (0439 996 119, kazzacz@gmail.com). Further details next week. *Kerri Gould*

ROSTERS

ALDINGA

Welcome
Commentator
Readers

Eucharistic Ministers

Saturday, 11 August

Lorraine & Noah Ellis
Christina Tiedge
Angela Trembath
Rosemary Chamberlain
Brigid Grimwood
Kerri Gould

Saturday, 18 August

Rose Sulda
Robert Daly
Rachel Bishop
Chris Sandow
Brian Younie
Rose Sulda

NORMANVILLE

Welcome
Commentator/Prayers
Reader
Eucharistic Minister
Church Cleaning

Sunday, 12 August

Ena Harvey
David Salkeld
Jacqui Salkeld
Mary Kennedy
Ena Harvey

Sunday, 19 August

Ann Henriksen
Jim Fitzpatrick
Judy Millington
Pat Hardy
Ena Harvey

WILLUNGA

Welcome
Commentary
First Reader
Second Reader
Eucharistic Ministers

Sunday, 12 August

Marie Andrews
Gael Maloney
Francesca Zagajewski
Margaret Guley
Norman Lee
Mary Fitzpatrick
Rebecca Pace
Rose Sulda
Anna Rogers

Sunday, 19 August

Silas Okeke
Vanda Farrall
Sue Thompson
Marie Cester
Steve Maglieri
Andrew Beach
M Hynes, S Okeke
John Hounslow
Margaret Guley

PLEASE KEEP THESE PEOPLE IN YOUR PRAYERS

Sick: Anne Murphy, Marj Flynn, Val Gater, Bernie Wilkie, Phyllis Ward

Recently deceased: Renelyn Brightly

WHAT'S ON

- Aug 12 Appeal for Vocations
- Aug 12 Friends of Francis meeting
- Aug 12 Mary MacKillop special Mass and morning tea - St Peter's
- Aug 15 Feast of the Assumption
- Aug 22 "Sip and Sing" - Galilee
- Aug 26 Migrant and Refugee Sunday
- Aug 28 Galilee children at Mass
- Aug 30 St Peter's choir practice
- Aug 15 Assumption of Mary
- Sep Catholic Charities Appeal Month
- Sep 1 Pastoral Council - Willunga
- Sep 8 First Eucharist for a small group of Galilee children
- Sep 11 Galilee children at Mass
- Sep 25 Galilee children at Mass
- Sep 27 St Peter's choir practice
- Oct 6 Pastoral Council - Normanville
- Oct 6 Mass with Fr Charles at St Luke's, Noarlunga
- Oct 20 Fleurieu Frolic at Galilee
- Oct 21 World Mission Day Appeal
- Oct 25 St Peter's choir practice
- Nov 1 All Saints' Day
- Nov 3 Pastoral Council - Aldinga
- Nov 11 St Vincent de Paul Christmas Appeal
- Nov 29 St Peter's choir practice
- Dec 1 Pastoral Council - Willunga
- Dec 8 Feast - Immaculate Conception
- Dec 25 Appeal for Aboriginal Catholic Ministry

COLLECTIONS

04/05 August, 2018

First collection	\$585.00
Envelopes	\$541.00
Unpledged	\$260.00

Thank you for your support - it is much appreciated.



"I got tired of begging, so I became an entrepreneur!"

**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
1st Sunday 11am (Spanish Mass)
2nd 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
1st, 3rd, 5th Sundays 10.30am
2nd, 4th Sundays 8.30am
1st Friday 6.00pm

PARNDANA

2nd, 4th Sunday 2.30pm

PENNESHAW

*St Columba, North Terrace
(shared with Anglicans)*
1st 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 (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
Friday 9.00am

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from God: he has seen the Father. I tell you most solemnly, everybody who believes has eternal life.

‘I am the bread of life.

Your fathers ate the manna in the desert and they are dead; but this is the bread that comes down from heaven, so that a man may eat it and not die. I am the living bread which has come down from heaven.

Anyone who eats this bread will live for ever; and the bread that I shall give is my flesh, for the life of the world.”



DID YOU KNOW?

- The Gospel of John contains several ‘I am’ sayings. When God revealed his name to Moses at the burning bush he called himself ‘I am who am’. Jesus’ use of this term is a pointer to his true identity as Son of God.
- The ‘manna’ of the desert experience is indeed a real phenomenon. It is a highly nutritious substance which forms in the early morning possibly from the secretions of beetles which feed on the tamarisk plant.

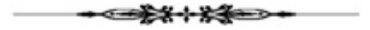
EXPLORING THE WORD

‘The Jews’ of today’s gospel are having great difficulty in accepting Jesus’ origins. They have seen the abundant feast which is promised when the Messiah comes; they have seen the signs that God worked through Jesus and he has told them he is the bread that came down from heaven. But still they are trapped in their earthly reality and cannot move beyond it into the mystery of God present among them. For ‘the Jews’ the gift which God gave is the Law. They cannot move into the new reality that Jesus has surpassed this and offers something greater – his flesh for the life of the world. It is through his death and resurrection

that salvation will be won. The final line of this text is the lead into the climax of the discourse which will shock the crowd in next week’s gospel.

MAKING CONNECTIONS

- ‘To hear the teaching of the Father and learn from it is to come to me’. Reflect on your journey so far. Are you coming closer to Jesus?
- Do some extra spiritual or religious reading this week to help you ‘hear the teaching of the Father’ and come closer to Jesus.
- Was there a time when you were strengthened or nourished by another person? What were your needs at that time? How did this person help fill them?



THIS WEEK’S READINGS

(August 13 - 19)

- **Monday, 13:** Weekday, Ordinary Time 19 (Ezek 1:2-5, 24-28; Mt 17:22-27)
- **Tuesday, 14:** St Maximilian Mary Kolbe (Ezek 2:8-3:4; Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14)
- **Wednesday, 15:** The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Apoc 11:19, 12:1-6, 10; 1 Cor 15:20-26; Lk 1:39-56)
- **Thursday, 16:** Weekday, Ord Time 19 (Ezek 12:1-12; Mt 18:21- 19:1)
- **Friday, 17:** Weekday, Ord Time 19 (Ezek 16:1-15, 60, 63; Mt 19:3-12)
- **Saturday, 18:** Weekday, Ord Time 19 (Ezek 18:1-10, 13, 30-32; Mt 19:13-15)
- **Sunday 19:** 20th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME (Prov 9:1-6; Eph 5:15-20; Jn 6:51-58)



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).