

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)

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WILLUNGA CATHOLIC PARISH CENTRE

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PARISH TEAM CONTACTS

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- Geraldine and Steve Robinson (Finance - Tuesday am)

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

Acts 13:14, 43-52

Paul and Barnabas carried on from Perga till they reached Antioch in Pisidia. Here they went to synagogue on the Sabbath and took their seats.

When the meeting broke up many Jews and devout converts joined Paul and Barnabas, and in their talks with them Paul and Barnabas urged them to remain faithful to the grace God had given them.

The next sabbath almost the whole town assembled to hear the word of God. When they saw the crowds, the Jews, prompted by jealousy, used blasphemies and contradicted everything Paul said. Then Paul and Barnabas spoke out boldly. 'We had to proclaim the word of God to you first, but since you have rejected it, since you do not think yourselves worthy of eternal life, we must turn to the pagans. For this is what the Lord commanded us to do when he said:

I have made you a light for the nations, so that my salvation may reach the ends of the earth.'

It made the pagans very happy to hear this and they thanked the Lord for his message; all who were destined for eternal life became believers. Thus the word of the Lord spread through the whole countryside.

But the Jews worked upon some of the devout women of the upper classes and the leading men of the city and persuaded them to turn against Paul and Barnabas and expel them from their territory. So they shook the dust from their feet in defiance and went off to Iconium; but the disciples were filled with joy and the Holy Spirit.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 99:1-3,5

We are his people, the sheep of his flock.

SECOND READING

Apocalypse 7:9, 14-17

I, John, saw a huge number, impossible to count, of people from every nation, race, tribe and language; they were standing in front of the throne and in front of the Lamb, dressed in white robes and holding palms in their hands. One of the elders said to me, 'These are the people who have been through the great persecution, and because they have washed their robes white again in the blood of the Lamb, they now stand in front of God's throne and serve him day and night in his sanctuary; and the One who sits on the throne will spread his tent over them. They will never hunger or thirst again; neither the sun nor scorching wind will ever plague them, because the Lamb who is at the throne will be their shepherd and will lead them to springs of living water; and God will wipe away all tears from their eyes.'

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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
St John the Apostle
All Saints Primary
Cardijn College
Marcellin Tech College
8557 9000
8382 2064
8327 0020
8392 9500
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 or Ken Creevey (8557 6287), Mario Bacchin (8323 9909), Judi Driscoll (0428 310 548).

GALILEE OP SHOP

How Road, Aldinga. Open Wednesday, Thursday, Friday: 8.15am - 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: 5.30pm -

Normanville: 5.30pm - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament; 6.00pm - Mass (followed by shared meal)

'ENGAGING WITH THE GOSPEL'

Three sessions reflecting on the Sunday Gospels



With Fr Michael Trainor (Adelaide campus, Australian Catholic Uni)

Wednesdays 5, 12 and 19 June 1.30pm - 3.00pm

Galilee Community Room (Cnr How & Quinliven Rds, ALDINGA)

To RSVP or for more information please contact: Sr Margaret Ann (0488 287 552)

ST VINCENT DE PAUL WINTER APPEAL

Please return your St. Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal envelopes in either of the two collections or in the special collection at the end of today's Mass.

The Conference sincerely thanks our parishioners for the tremendous support we receive from the Willunga Parish enabling us to reach out to so many needy people in our area. *Mario Bacchin*

(Willunga Conference)

TO GIVE AWAY

If you have a Canon 521 printer and could use two as-new ink cartridges, contact Peter Laffan (8556 3915).

SOUTH AUSTRALIA'S HISTORY FESTIVAL

(27 April - 31 May)

Bishop Sheil's visit to Yankalilla The Express and Telegraph in 1869 recounts an exciting day for the Normanville Catholics:

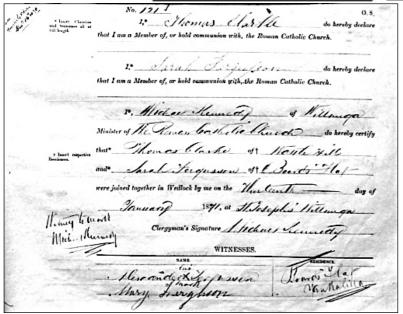
"On Saturday evening, June 12, His Lordship Bishop Sheil arrived in Yankalilla, having been previously met near Myponga by a large number of well mounted horsemen, including Messrs. John Clarke, Richard Walsh, James Honour, Thomas Ahearn, Patrick Ahearn, Cornelius Hannan, Michael Smyth, Michael Leonard, Michael McCarthy and many others. His Lordship made a short stay at the residence of Mr. Clarke, Wattle Hill, then started for Yankalilla. Near the township the crowd of men, women, and children greatly increased, and there was a number of gentlemen of various creeds. On Sunday, 13th, His Lordship gave confirmation to 59 people of all ages, then proceeded to *lay the foundation stone of the new* schools, on the cornerstone over £34 (since augmented) was collected. The Bishop then proceeded to Wattle Hill, made a short stay at Mr. Clarke's, then with Father Kennedy started for Willunga, all wishing him well on his remaining journeys." (Express & Telegraph 12 July 1869 p 2)

In 1871, St Peter's Normanville had monthly masses conducted by Fr Kennedy, who travelled from Willunga. The surviving Marriage Registers at St Joseph's Willunga record Thomas Clarke, of Wattle Hill, marrying Sarah Ferguson on a Friday in 1871. While they did not marry at St Peter's Normanville, the registers record many other marriages in St Peter's. Thomas and Mary have marked graves in St Peter's cemetery.

In December 1871, a few years after his visit, Bishop Sheil moved to Willunga in an effort to improve his poor health. At the time, he was attending to the issues arising from the excommunication of Saint Mary McKillop. A week before he died, Mary was travelling to Willunga to see him. The bishop, wanting to lift the censure of excommunication, sent a priest to meet her and absolve her at Our Lady Help of Christians in Morphett Vale. Bishop Shiel died in the Willunga Presbytery on 1 March

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1872 and is buried in Adelaide's West Terrace cemetery.

Sheil's episcopacy had been one of great expansion. By 1871 twenty-one new missions had been established. nineteen new churches built and the number of priests had increased from seventeen to thirty. By 1871 there were sixty-eight Catholic schools in the diocese; thirty-five of them conducted by Josephite nuns.



Michelle Cormack (Archivist)

	ROSTERS	
ALDINGA	Saturday 11 May	Saturday 18 May
Welcome	McIver family	Christina VK, Mike Lord
Commentator	Christina Tiedge	Michelle Cormack
Readers	Rachel Bishop	Chris McWiliams
	Christina Tiedge	Robert Daly
Eucharistic Ministers		Dennis Jones
	Brian Younie	Christine Jones

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NORMANVILLE	Sunday, 12 May
Welcome	Tim Fleming
Commentator/Prayers	Peter Bohnsack
Reader	Trish Bohnsack
Eucharistic Minister	Thia Van Kuyk
Church Cleaning	David & Jacqui Salkeld
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WILLUNGA	Sunday, 12 May
Welcome	Marie Andrews
Commentary	Anna Rogers
First Reader	Vanda Farrall
Second Reader	Francesca Zagajewska
Eucharistic Ministers	Norman Lee
	Viv Zagajewska
Church Cleaning	Rebecca Pace
Church Linen	Pauleen Hounslow
Counting	Chris McWilliams

Sunday, 19 May Mary Kennedy Thia Van Kuyk **Antoinette Fleming** Pat Hardy

David & Jacqui Salkeld

Sunday, 19 May
Joe Rasera
Marie Andrews
Pauleen Hounslow
Wayne Best
Mary Fitzpatrick
Andrew Beach
Rebecca Pace
Volunteer please
Rose Sulda

PLEASE KEEP THESE PEOPLE IN YOUR PRAYERS

Sick: Val Gater, Bernie Wilkie, Abbey McIver, Veronica Shortland, Marie Cester, Mary Moore, Muriel Smith

Recently deceased: Kathleen Smith, Patricia Harwood

Anniversary: Mick Fitzpatrick. Cath Roocke

WHAT'S ON

May 12 Vinnies Winter Appeal

May 12 Mother's Day

May 30 St Peter's Choir practice Jun 9 Propagation of Faith Appeal Jun 10 Queen's birthday holiday

Jun 27 St Peter's Choir practice

Holy Father' Appeal Jun 30 Jul 5 Last day School term 2 NATSICC Appeal Jul 7

Apostleship of the Sea Appeal Jul 14

Jul 22 First day School term 3 St Peter's Choir practice Jul 25 Solemnity, Mary of the Cross Aug 8

Aug 11 Appeal for Vocations

Aug 15 Assumption Blessed Virgin Mary

Aug 22 St Peter's Choir practice

Sep 1 Father's Day

Catholic Charities Appeal Sep Sep 19 St Peter's Choir practice

Sep 27 Last day School term 3 Oct 7 Labour Day public holiday Oct 14 First day School term 4

Oct 24 St Peter's Choir practice

Nov 21 St Peter's Choir practice

Dec 12 St Peter's Choir practice Dec 13 Last day School term 4

COLLECTIONS 04/05 May 2019

First collection \$535.00 **Envelopes** \$593.00 Unpledged \$267.00

Your support is much appreciated.



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 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 9.00am

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 1st, 3rd, 5th Sundays 8.30am 2nd, 4th Sundays 10.30am Wednesday 9.00am Thursday 9.00am Friday 9.00am (Continued from page 1)

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Jn 10:14

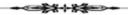
Alleluia, alleluia!
I am the good shepherd, says the
Lord; I know my sheep and mine know
me. Alleluia!

GOSPEL

John 10:27-30

Jesus said:

'The sheep that belong to me listen to my voice; I know them and they follow me. I give them eternal life; they will never be lost and no one will ever steal them from me. The Father who gave them to me is greater than anyone, and no one can steal from the Father.



The Father and I are one.

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DID YOU KNOW?

- The Latin word for shepherd is pastor. It is from this word that we derive many of the terms used in the church for people with a special role: pastor or priest, pastoral care, pastoral associate, pastoral council. These roles always imply a duty of love and care towards those for whom one is responsible.
- The Shepherd King was an ancient image of God used by the Hebrew people.
- In today's gospel text, John is

addressing one of the issues that confronted his community: the heretical voices of those who sought to lead people away from - rather than towards - God.

EXPLORING THE WORD

Today's text in John's Gospel is set in Jerusalem, while Jesus is there for the Feast of Dedication, a feast celebrating the presence of God in the temple. The temple was not just a building for Israel. It was the visible place where God dwelt in the heart of God's people; to go to the temple and worship was to 'approach God'. Jesus is teaching something completely new here. He stands within the temple precinct and declares that it is only through him and through hearing his voice that people can come to the Father. The voice of Jesus is both seen and heard in the events of his life, death and resurrection. It is through all these events that the ways of God are made known to us.

SYMBOLS AND IMAGES

The care that a shepherd showed for his flock remains a powerful image in the church, despite its origins in an ancient agricultural society. In our country, with its vast paddocks and endless fences, the work of a true shepherd has lost some of its meaning, but the intimacy and tenderness of the image still speaks to us of the closeness of Christ's relationship with all who believe in him.

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

(13 - 19 May)

- *Monday, 13:* Monday, 4th week of Easter (Acts 11:1-18; Jn 10:1-10)
- *Tuesday, 14:* St Matthias (Acts 1:15-17, 20-26; Jn 15:9-17)
- Wednesday, 15: Wednesday, 4th week of Easter (Acts 12:24 -13:5; Jn 12:44-50)
- *Thursday, 16:* Thursday, 4th week of Easter (Acts 13:13-25; Jn 13:16-20)
- *Friday, 17:* Friday, 4th week of Easter (Acts 13:26-33; Jn 14:1-6)
- *Saturday, 18:* Saturday, 4th week of Easter (Acts 13:44-52; Jn 14:7-14)
- *Sunday 19:* FIFTH SUNDAY of EASTER (Acts 14:21-27; Apoc 21:1-5; Jn 13:31-35)

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).