



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)

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OFFICE HOURS

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PARISH TEAM CONTACTS

Fr Charles Gauci (Parish Priest)
Fr Saminathan [Sam] Arockiasamy
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Geraldine and Steve Robinson
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PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

David Manders (phone 8556 5667)

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PARISH NEWSLETTER

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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

Genesis 18:1-10

The Lord appeared to Abraham at the Oak of Mamre while he was sitting by the entrance of the tent during the hottest part of the day. He looked up, and there he saw three men standing near him. As soon as he saw them he ran from the entrance of the tent to meet them, and bowed to the ground. 'My lord,' he said 'I beg you, if I find favour with you, kindly do not pass your servant by. A little water shall be brought; you shall wash your feet and lie down under the tree. Let me fetch a little bread and you shall refresh yourselves before going further. That is why you have come in your servant's direction.' They replied, 'Do as you say.'

Abraham hastened to the tent to find Sarah.' 'Hurry,' he said 'knead three bushels of flour and make loaves.' Then running to the cattle Abraham took a fine and tender calf and gave it to the servant, who hurried to prepare it. Then taking cream, milk and the calf he had prepared, he laid all before them, and they ate while

he remained standing near them under the tree.

'Where is your wife Sarah?' they asked him. 'She is in the tent' he replied. Then his guest said, 'I shall visit you again next year without fail, and your wife will then have a son.'

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 14:2-5

The just will live in the presence of the Lord.

SECOND READING

Colossians 1:24-28

It makes me happy to suffer for you, as I am suffering now, and in my body to do what I can to make up all that has still to be undergone by Christ for the sake of his body, the Church. I became the servant of the Church when God made me responsible for delivering God's message to you, the message which was a mystery hidden for generations and centuries and has now been revealed to his saints. It was God's purpose to reveal it to them and to show all the rich glory of this mystery to pagans.

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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 - 11.00am at Galilee Community Room, Aldinga.
Co-ordinator - Lisa Pullens
(0426 715 546).

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



Bulletin Board

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
1 st Fri	6.00pm - Normanville <i>(followed by shared meal)</i>

WORLD YOUTH DAY



We keep Fr Charles and the young Australians travelling to Krakow in Poland for World Youth Day, in our prayers. We also wish Fr Charles a much-deserved break with family in Malta and other places prior to returning home.

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

The Parish Finance Council will meet this coming Thursday (21 July) at 9.30am in the Parish House. If you have any items you would like discussed at this meeting, please contact your community rep so that it can be included in the Agenda.

CLOSED BUT STILL COLLECTING

Galilee Op Shop is closed for the two weeks of winter School Holidays. However, we are still accepting donations - and in need of many more. Trish Dundon (trishleo2@internode.on.net) and Sr Margaret-Ann will be happy to receive contributions.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

The local St Vincent de Paul group is short of members, money and food supplies. If you can help, Mario Bacchin (8323 9909) or Rosemary Chamberlain (8556 6696) would love to chat with you.

Can you help make the food donation baskets overflow on the next three weekends of July? Every item counts so please help if you can.

YANKALILLA

INTER-CHURCH COUNCIL

The AGM will be held on August 2 at 7.30pm in Sanders Hall, Uniting Church, Yankalilla. Supper will follow the meeting. All are most welcome. If you would like more information, please contact Marj Flynn.

COLOGNE PHILHARMONIA

The Cologne Philharmonia will be performing on Saturday, 14 January at 8.00pm in St Joseph's Church, Willunga. Put this date in your calendar now.

MARY LEARNED FROM JESUS - CAN WE?

There are many young women in this nation who see themselves as ministers because of my friend Karen.

I worked with Karen as a youth minister for four years. She worked hard for all students. But she particularly took pride in helping young women develop confidence as leaders.

Jesus also valued women disciples highly. And this Gospel shows it. In Jesus' time women were little more than property. They had few rights. They certainly weren't allowed to study at the feet of religious teachers. But Jesus saw things differently. He encouraged women to learn from him and follow him. He appeared to a woman first at his Resurrection. He defied stereotypes and sexism of his day.

Many women tell me they think our society still suffers from warped views about a woman's role. Ads seem to argue that women have no value unless they wear the latest fashions. Teachers have said that some young women don't offer answers in class out of fear that boys don't find smart girls attractive. Women are underrepresented in leadership in many parts of society. A frighteningly high number of women suffer abuse each year by men who think women have no right to refuse their physical advances.



My friend is a good example of someone who learned from Jesus about a woman's role. All Christians need to look critically at negative stereotypes of women in our culture and stand up to anything that denies women equal rights in politics, business, or religion.

Mary sat at Jesus' feet to learn. Maybe we should do the same thing if we wonder about a woman's "role".

Identify any stereotypes or policies in our society that you think are contrary to Jesus' view of women.

The Action

Carve out some time to be with God. You can do this in many ways.

- Really listen and participate in the liturgy at Mass this week instead of just going through the motions.
- Take a walk in nature or sit in your room in silence, listening to the messages that God has for you.
- Open up your Bible and read God's Word.

- Take time for prayer or journaling.

However you choose to connect with God, be sure you unplug yourself by taking some time alone, without computers, phones, texting, TV, or even your iPod.

GPBS eNews

THE WORD OF GOD IN THE MASS

This course is designed for all Catholics who want to understand the role of the Scriptures in our Liturgy. It will run for six Tuesdays from 7.00 - 9.00pm, August 9 to September 13 at the Ministry and Liturgy Centre, adjacent to the CEO. Presenter: Mrs Jenny O'Brien. Cost \$50 (includes book of readings).

To enrol, contact Lyn: email - worship@ow.adelaide.catholic.org.au or telephone - 8152 7806.



ROSTERS

(For Mass times refer to page 1)

ALDINGA	Saturday, 16 July	Saturday, 23 July
Welcome	Christina Tiedge	John Pascoe
Commentator	Chris McWilliams	Christina Tiedge
Readers	Christina Tiedge	Heidi Davidson
	Peter Laffan	Chris Sandow
Eucharistic Ministers	Judy Driscoll	Brigid Grimwood
	Maria Jarvis-Mack	Rose Sulda
NORMANVILLE	Sunday, 17 July	Sunday, 24 July
Welcome	Sue Gillies	Lyn Wyld
Commentator/Prayers	Joan Fogarty	Judy Millington
Reader	Park Fogarty	Trish Bohnsack
Eucharistic Minister	Ena Harvey	Judy Hore
Church Cleaning	Sue, Ian Gillies	Sue, Ian Gillies
WILLUNGA	Sunday, 17 July	Sunday, 24 July
Welcome	Pauleen, John Hounslow	Barbara Smith
Commentary	Wayne Best	Jim Smith
First Reader	John Bruschi	Marie Andrews
Second Reader	Margaret Guley	Sue Thompson
Eucharistic Ministers	Norman Lee	Bev Fitzpatrick
	Mary Fitzpatrick	Marie Cester
Church Cleaning	Christina Rasera	Rebecca Pace
Counting	J Hounslow, R Chamberlain	May Dunn
Church Linen	Marie Cester	Margaret Guley

PLEASE KEEP THESE PEOPLE IN YOUR PRAYERS

Sick: Kerry James, Tom Victory, Renelyn Armechin, Maureen Gould, Di Rickard, Celine Parkinson, Dee Harvey, Anne Murphy, Wilma Rollings.

Recently deceased: Wendy Kucera

WHAT'S ON

Jul 21	Parish Finance Council 9.30am
Jul 24	Year of Mercy Prayer - Galilee
Aug 4	St Peter's Choir practice
Aug 13	Aldinga Trading Table
Aug 21	Year of Mercy Prayer - Galilee
Sep 1	St Peter's Choir practice
Sep 18	Year of Mercy Prayer - Galilee
Oct 6	St Peter's Choir practice
Oct 16	Year of Mercy Prayer - Galilee
Oct 28	Galilee Quiz Night
Nov 3	St Peter's Choir practice
Nov 12	Aldinga Trading Table
Nov 13	Year of Mercy Prayer - Galilee
Dec 1	St Peter's Choir practice
Dec 11	Year of Mercy Prayer - Galilee
Jan 14	Cologne Philharmonia concert

COLLECTIONS 09/10 July, 2016

First collection	\$566.00
Envelopes	\$531.00
Unpledged	\$316.00
Special collections	\$507.00
<i>(NATSICC, Apostleship of the Sea)</i>	

Thank you for your support - it is much appreciated.

GEORGE BERNARD SHAW QUOTES

- Both optimists and pessimists contribute to society. The optimist invents the aeroplane, the pessimist the parachute.
- The only way to avoid being miserable is not to have enough leisure to wonder whether you are happy or not.
- England and America are two countries separated by the same language.



"Tonight's news broadcast is available in high-definition. Some political views expressed on this program may still appear fuzzy and out of focus."

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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The mystery is Christ among you, your hope of glory: this is the Christ we proclaim, this is the wisdom in which we thoroughly train everyone and instruct everyone, to make them all perfect in Christ.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Lk 8:15

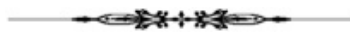
Alleluia, alleluia!

*Happy are they who have kept the word with a generous heart, and yield a harvest through perseverance.
Alleluia!*

GOSPEL

Luke 10:38-42

Jesus came to a village, and a woman named Martha welcomed him into her house. She had a sister called Mary, who sat down at the Lord's feet and listened to him speaking. Now Martha who was distracted with all the serving said, 'Lord, do you not care that my sister is leaving me to do the serving all by myself? Please tell her to help me.' But the Lord answered: 'Martha, Martha,' he said 'you worry and fret about so many things, and yet few are needed, indeed only one. It is Mary who has chosen the better part; it is not to be taken from her.'



BACKGROUND ON THE GOSPEL READING

The story of Jesus in the home of Martha and Mary complements the story of the Good Samaritan, which immediately precedes it in Luke's Gospel. Both stories are unique to Luke. The story of the Samaritan opens with the words "a certain man." Today's reading opens with the words "a certain woman." The Samaritan is an example of how a disciple should see and act. Mary is an example of how a disciple should listen. Mary, a woman, is a marginalised person in society, like the Samaritan. Both do what is not expected of them. As a woman, Mary would be expected, like Martha, to prepare hospitality for a guest. Here again Jesus breaks with the social conventions of his time. Just as a Samaritan would not be a model for neighbourliness, so a woman would not sit with the men

around the feet of a teacher.

Both stories exemplify how a disciple is to fulfil the dual command which begins chapter 10—love of God (Mary) and love of neighbour (the Samaritan). These are the two essentials of life in the kingdom. By using the examples of a Samaritan and a woman, however, Jesus is saying something more. Social codes and boundaries were strict in Jesus' time. Yet to love God with all one's heart and one's neighbour requires breaking those rules. The Kingdom of God is a society without distinctions and boundaries between its members. It is a society that requires times for seeing and doing and also times for listening and learning at the feet of a teacher.

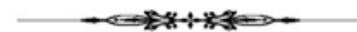
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SYMBOLS AND IMAGES

In this text, Jesus is not rebuking Martha because of her acts of service. Far from it! The real point of his criticism is that she has allowed herself to be distracted by unimportant things instead of concentrating on what really matters: God!

QUOTE

Treat everyone with politeness, even those who are rude to you, not because they are nice, but because you are. *Anonymous*



THIS WEEK'S READINGS

(18 July - 24 July)

- **Monday, 18:** Weekday Ord Time 16 (Micah 6:1-4, 6-8; Mt 12:38-42)
- **Tuesday 19:** Weekday Ord Time 16 (Micah 7:14-15, 18-20; Mt 12:46-50)
- **Wednesday 20:** Weekday Ord Time 16 (Jer 1:1, 4-10; Mt 13:1-9)
- **Thursday 21:** Weekday Ord Time 16 (Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13; Mt 13:10-17)
- **Friday 22:** St Mary Magdalene (Song 3:1-4; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18)
- **Saturday 23:** Weekday Ord Time 16 (Jer 7:1-11; Mt 13:24-30)
- **Sunday 24:** Seventeenth Sunday in Ord Time (Gen 18:20-32; Col 2:12-14; Lk 11:1-13)