



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)

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD - YEAR C

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OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday: 10.00am - 12.00noon
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NOARLUNGA DOWNS CATHOLIC PRESBYTERY

Phone: 8382 1717

PARISH TEAM CONTACTS

Fr Charles Gauci (Parish Priest)
Fr Saminathan [Sam] Arockiasamy
(Associate Pastor)
Fr Tony Telford-Sharp (Assoc Pastor)
Fr Tom Gleeson (Resident Priest)
Sr Margaret Ann (Pastoral Associate -
phone 0488 287 552)
Geraldine and Steve Robinson
(Finance/Parish Office - Tuesday)

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

David Manders (phone 8556 5667)

PARISH YOUTH MINISTRY

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PARISH NEWSLETTER

Gael Maloney
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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)



GOSPEL

(Read at Procession with Palms)
Luke 19:28-40

Jesus went on ahead, going up to Jerusalem. When he drew near to Bethphage and Bethany, at the mount that is called Olivet, he sent the disciples, saying, 'Go into the village opposite, where on entering you will find a colt tied, on which no one has ever yet sat; untie it. and bring it here. If anyone asks you, "Why are you untying it?" you shall say this, "The Lord has need of it"'. So those who were sent went away and found it as he had told them. And as they were untying the colt, its owners said to them., 'Why are you untying the colt?' And they said, 'The Lord has need of it'.

And they brought it to Jesus, and throwing their garments on the colt they set Jesus upon it. And as he rode along, they spread their garments on the road. As he was drawing near, at the descent of the Mount of Olives, the whole multitude of the disciples began to rejoice and praise God with a loud voice for all the mighty works that they had seen, saying,

'Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord!
Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!'

And some of the Pharisees in the multitude said to him, 'Teacher, rebuke your disciples. He answered, 'I tell you, if these were silent, the very stones would cry out'.

FIRST READING

Isaiah 50:4-7

The Lord has given me a disciple's tongue.

So that I may know how to reply to the wearied he provides me with speech.

Each morning he wakes me to hear, to listen like a disciple.

The Lord has opened my ear.

For my part, I made no resistance, neither did I turn away.

I offered my back to those who struck me, my cheeks to those who tore at my beard; I did not cover my face against insult and spittle.

The Lord comes to my help, so that I am untouched by the insults.

So, too, I set my face like flint;

I know I shall not be shamed.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 21:8-9, 17-20, 23-24

My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?

SECOND READING

Philippians 2:6-11

His state was divine, yet Christ Jesus did not cling to his equality with

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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

EASTER MASSES - 2016



- **HOLY THURSDAY (24 March)**
6.00pm - Mary of Galilee, Aldinga
6.00pm - St Peter's, Normanville
7.30pm - St Joseph's, Willunga
- **GOOD FRIDAY (25 March)**
3.00pm - Mary of Galilee, Aldinga
3.00pm - St Peter's, Normanville
3.00pm - St Joseph's, Willunga
- **HOLY SATURDAY (26 March)**
7.00pm - Mary of Galilee, Aldinga
7.00pm - St Joseph's, Willunga
- **EASTER SUNDAY (27 March)**
10.30am - St Peter's, Normanville
8.30am - St Joseph's, Willunga

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Stations of the Cross will be prayed at Mary of Galilee Church, Aldinga at 7.00pm each Wednesday during Lent and on Good Friday at 10am. All welcome.

REGIONAL RECONCILIATION (Confession)

A Regional Reconciliation will be held at St Luke's, Noarlunga on Tuesday, 22 March at 7.30pm. There will be eight Priests attending and an opportunity for everyone to participate in the Sacrament of Confession. All parishioners are most welcome to attend.



DHANIRAM'S STORY - INDIA ADVOCATING FOR CHANGE

Dhaniram is driven to help create change in his village. Through the grass-roots Hamara Haq ('Our

Rights') project, run by Caritas India and supported by Caritas Australia, he's gained the skills to help his community claim what's rightfully theirs and develop their plan for a better future.

Through this project, run by Caritas India and supported by Caritas Australia, Dhaniram learnt about Human Rights, local governance and leadership. Already, Dhaniram has helped to bring electricity to his village and restart a stalled government housing project that will deliver 84 new homes for his village.

"I am passionate because I feel that this village is mine and we all should live a good life," Dhaniram tells. "We are now empowered to speak up and ask for our rights."

PALM SUNDAY RALLY FOR JUSTICE FOR REFUGEES

Join members of Fleurieu Refugee Welcome Group at the Rally this Sunday. Catch the train from Seaford at 1.00pm, wear purple, and get on the front carriage. The Rally starts at 2pm at Parliament House. For further info 8556 3915 or fleurieurefugeewelcomegroup@gmail.com

GALILEE CATHOLIC SCHOOL Cnr Quinliven and How Roads, Aldinga PRINCIPAL'S TOURS 2016

Monday 4 April
from 9.30am - 6pm
Reception - Year 7

Enquiries and bookings - 8557 9000
or info@galilee.catholic.edu.au

WILLUNGA ROSTERS

The rosters for the ministries associated with Mass at St Joseph's are still being prepared for the next six months. Please get in touch with Gael Maloney (0447 421 948) if you are currently on the roster and would prefer not to be, if you aren't on the roster and would like to help out, or if you are planning to be away for some time during the next six months.

Bulletin Board



ST VINCENT DE PAUL FUNDRAISER

A big thank you to the parishioners, conference members and friends who assisted with the Fundraising Sausage Sizzle at the Seaford Bunnings on Saturday 12 March. Thank you also to Seaford Bunnings for giving us the opportunity to run the fund-raising event.

The sausage sizzle took in \$1,042.40

from the sale of sausages and drinks. This will raise \$738.00 for the Willunga Conference of St. Vincent de Paul once the expenses and GST payments are taken into account.

Thank you for everyone's help and effort on a very warm and humid day, without your generous assistance the conference would not have been able to do it.

Mario Bacchin

ROSTERS

(For Mass times refer to page 1)

ALDINGA

Welcome
Commentator
Readers

Eucharistic Ministers

Saturday, 19 March

Christina Tiedge
Chris Sandow
L Parkinson, M Cormack, D Brown, R Bishop, L Dundon
Francois Creevey
David Manders

Saturday, 26 March

No welcomer needed
Leo Dundon
Peter Laffan
Chris McWilliams
Mario Bacchin
Pat Foster

NORMANVILLE

Welcome
Commentator/Prayers
Reader
Eucharistic Minister
Church Cleaning

Sunday, 20 March

Marg Burrough
Ann Henriksen
Ian Gillies
Lyn Wyld
Park & Joan Fogarty

Sunday, 27 March

Sue Gillies
Jacqui Salkeld
David Salkeld
Pat Hardy
Park & Joan Fogarty

WILLUNGA

Welcome
Commentary
First Reader
Second Reader
Eucharistic Ministers
Church Cleaning
Counting
Church Linen

Sunday, 20 March

Barbara Smith
Anna Rogers
Jim Smith
Marie Andrews
Mary Fitzpatrick
Bev Fitzpatrick
Rebecca Pace
Christine McWilliams
Margaret Guley

Sunday, 27 March

EASTER SUNDAY

Commentator, Readers,
Ministers to be advised
Rebecca Pace
Christine McWilliams
Pauleen Hounslow

PLEASE KEEP THESE PEOPLE IN YOUR PRAYERS
Sick: Tracy Radford, Kerry James, Tom Victory, Julie Felts, Margaret and Bill Stevens, Sr Ann Griffin.

Recently deceased: Jonathon Leggee,

Anniversary: Graeme Kennedy, Carmel Fitzpatrick

WHAT'S ON

Mar 24 Holy Thursday
Mar 25 Good Friday
Stations of the Cross - Aldinga at 10.00am
Mar 26 Holy Saturday
Mar 27 Easter Sunday
Apr 7 Parish Finance Council 10.00am - Parish House
Apr 23 Aldinga Pot Luck Dinner
May 14 Aldinga Trading Table
Jun 25 Aldinga Pot Luck Dinner
Aug 13 Aldinga Trading Table
Aug 27 Aldinga Pot Luck Dinner
Oct 29 Aldinga Pot Luck Dinner
Nov 12 Aldinga Trading Table

COLLECTIONS 12/13 March, 2016

First collection	\$746.00
Envelopes	\$614.00
Unpledged	\$457.00

Thank you for your support - it is much appreciated.

*I haven't verified this on Google yet, but it sounds legitimate ...
A recent study found that women who carry a little extra weight live longer than the men who mention it.*



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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God but emptied himself to assume the condition of a slave and became as men are; and being as all men are, he was humbler yet, even to accepting death, death on a cross. But God raised him high and gave him the name which is above all other names so that all beings in the heavens, on earth and in the underworld, should bend the knee at the name of Jesus and that every tongue should acclaim Jesus Christ as Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

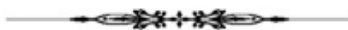
GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

*Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ,
king of endless glory!
Christ became obedient for us even
to death, dying on the cross.
Therefore God raised him on high
and gave him a name above all other
names.
Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ,
king of endless glory!*

GOSPEL

Luke 23:1-49

The Passion of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Luke



GOSPEL BACKGROUND

This Sunday, called Palm or Passion Sunday, is the first day of Holy Week. Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday are called the Triduum, three days that are the highlight of the Church year. There are two Gospels proclaimed at today's Mass. The first Gospel, proclaimed before the procession with palms, tells of Jesus' triumphant entrance into Jerusalem. Riding on a borrowed colt, Jesus was hailed by the crowds as they shouted blessings and praise to God. This event is reported in each of the four Gospels.

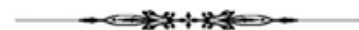
Luke's Gospel is the only one to report the exchange between Jesus and the Pharisees as Jesus enters Jerusalem. Jesus' response shows that this event, and those yet to come, are part of a divine plan. We hear this echoed again in Luke's description of the Last Supper when Jesus speaks of Judas' betrayal, saying that the Son of Man "goes as has been determined."

In Luke's Gospel, Jesus is portrayed

as active and vocal throughout his passion. When one of the disciples strikes the high priest's servant, Jesus heals the man, an event reported only in the Gospel of Luke. Jesus stops the disciples' protest against his arrest by noting that this is the "time for the power of darkness." Jesus engages and responds when brought before the Sanhedrin; his words speak about the "power of God" that will bring about the reign of the Son of Man. When questioned by Pilate, Jesus responds with just one phrase; yet before Herod, Jesus refuses to speak.

When Luke describes the Way of the Cross and Jesus' crucifixion, he calls to our attention many events that are not reported in the other Gospels. In contrast with the Gospels of Mark and Matthew, Luke reports no words of abandonment spoken by Jesus on the cross. Instead, Jesus, in full command until his death, commends his spirit to his Father and takes his final breath.

Throughout Holy Week, we will continue to reflect on the events of Jesus' passion and death. As we meditate on the cross, we ask again and anew what it means to make the statement of faith that Jesus, in his obedient suffering and dying, revealed himself to us as God's Son and brought to fulfillment the Kingdom of God. *Loyola website*



THIS WEEK'S READINGS

(21 March - 27 March)

- **Monday, 14:** Monday of Holy Week (Is 49:1-6; Jn 13:21-33, 36-38)
- **Tuesday, 15:** Tuesday of Holy Week (Num 21:4-9; Jn 8:21-30)
- **Wednesday, 16:** Wednesday of Holy Week (Is 50:4-9; Mt 26:14-25)
- **Thursday, 17:** THURSDAY of the LORD'S SUPPER
- **Friday, 18:** FRIDAY of the LORD
- **Saturday, 19:** HOLY SATURDAY
- **Sunday, 20:** EASTER SUNDAY