



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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MASS CENTRES

- Mary of Galilee, cnr Quinliven and How Roads, ALDINGA - Galilee
- St Peter's, Cape Jervis Rd, 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

Jeremiah 31:31-34

See, the days are coming – it is the Lord who speaks – when I will make a new covenant with the House of Israel (and the House of Judah), but not a covenant like the one I made with their ancestors on the day I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt. They broke that covenant of mine, so I had to show them who was master. It is the Lord who speaks. No, this is the covenant I will make with the House of Israel when those days arrive – it is the Lord who speaks. Deep within them I will plant my Law, writing it on their hearts. Then I will be their God and they shall be my people. There will be no further need for neighbour to try to teach neighbour, or brother to say to brother, 'Learn to know the Lord!' No, they will all know me, the least no less than the greatest – it is the Lord who speaks – since I will forgive their iniquity and never call their sin to mind.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 50:3-4, 12-15

Create a clean heart in me, O God.

SECOND READING

Hebrews 5:7-9

During his life on earth, Christ offered up prayer and entreaty, aloud and in silent tears, to the one who had the power to save him out of death, and he submitted so humbly that his prayer was heard. Although he was Son, he learnt to obey through suffering; but having been made perfect, he became for all who obey him the source of eternal salvation.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Jn 12:26

Glory to you, Word of God, Lord Jesus Christ!

If you serve me, follow me, says the Lord; and where I am, my servant will also be.

Glory to you, Word of God, Lord Jesus Christ!

GOSPEL

John 12:20-33

Among those who went up to worship at the festival were some Greeks. These approached Philip, who came from Bethsaida in Galilee, and put this request to him, 'Sir, we

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Bulletin Board

PARISH MASSES WEEKDAY MASSES

(During Lent)

Mon	No Masses - Willunga Parish 9.00am - Noarlunga
Tue	6.00pm - Aldinga <i>(Lenten prayer followed by Mass)</i>
Wed	9.00am - Willunga 5.30pm - Normanville <i>(Lenten prayer followed by Mass)</i>
Thur	9.00am - Willunga
Fri	9.00am - Willunga

WEEKEND MASSES

(Times on front page of this bulletin)

Please Note

We are still required to comply with the 1:2sqm restriction. St Joseph's can accommodate 75 for Mass, St Peter's 26 and Mary of Galilee 45 (plus approx 90 in the adjoining Hall). Bookings are essential for St Peter's - please phone Peter Bohnsack (0400 525 690).



EASTER MASS TIMES

• Holy Thursday - 1st April •

Mass of the Last Supper

5.30pm	Mary of Galilee, Aldinga
5.30pm	St Peter's, Normanville
7.30pm	St Joseph's, Willunga

• Good Friday - 2nd April •

Stations of the Cross

10.00am Mary of Galilee, Aldinga

Passion of the Lord

3.00pm	Mary of Galilee, Aldinga
3.00pm	St Peter's, Normanville
3.00pm	St Joseph's, Willunga

• Holy Saturday - 3rd April •

Easter Vigil

5.30pm	Mary of Galilee, Aldinga
7.30pm	St Joseph's, Willunga

• Easter Sunday - 4th April •

Mass of the Resurrection

8.30am	St Joseph's, Willunga
10.30am	Club Fleurieu, Yankalilla.

EASTER BOOKINGS

Bookings are essential for all services at both **St Peter's, Normanville and St Joseph's, Willunga**. Normanville bookings - phone Peter Bohnsack (0400 525 690); Willunga bookings - phone Tony Harding (0488 330 748).

Bookings won't be necessary for Aldinga, as the wall between the Church and the adjoining Hall will be opened, if required.

Easter Sunday Mass at Normanville will be held at Club Fleurieu, 140 Main South Road, Yankalilla.

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Ps 94:6-7

O come, let us worship God and bow low before the God who made us, for he is the Lord our God.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

The Feast of **Divine Mercy Sunday** will be celebrated at Mary of Galilee Church (corner How and Quinliven Roads, Aldinga) on Sunday, 11 April from 2.00pm with Benediction, Holy Mass at 3.00pm and solemn blessing of the image of Divine Mercy.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be offered from 2.00pm. All welcome.

PROJECT COMPASSION



Halima is raising her two children in a refugee camp in Bangladesh while caring for her mother, who has a disability. Widowed at 21, Halima fled violence in Myanmar's Rakhine State and arrived at the camp with nothing. Caritas Australia, through Caritas Bangladesh, helped Halima out with a shelter, cooking equipment, hygiene and sanitation training. She took on the role of community trainer herself, organising the cleaning of washrooms, wells and toilets.

Halima aspired to 'Be More'. She is proud that she is now able to earn a small income while maintaining the health of her family and the cleanliness of the camp community.

Please donate to Project Compassion 2021 to so this transformational program can continue to empower vulnerable women, men and children, and strengthen the communities around them.

You can donate through Parish boxes and envelopes, by visiting www.caritas.org.au/projectcompassion or phoning 1800 024 413.

LENTEEN EVENING PRAYER "Rebuild my Church"

Willunga Parish Lenten Prayer
Mary of Galilee Church, Aldinga
6.00pm on Tuesday evenings.

PALM SUNDAY PEACE WALK

SA Council of Churches and Churches Together SA invites your community to share in the Palm Sunday Peace Walk on Sunday March 28. The Palm Sunday March is held in the heart of the city, and has been reflecting South Australia's voice on matters of Justice and Peace for nearly 40 years.

This Peace Walk is an intergenerational event. It is a gentle walk down beginning at Tarntanyangga (Victoria Square), along King William Road to (Tarntanya Wama) Elder Park, where there will be three short presentations on the key foci and an invitation to all to stroll in prayerful presence along the banks of the Karrawirra Pari (Torrens River).

For more information contact: Rev Anne Hewitt (0475 016 789 or eo@churchestogethersa.org.au)

WON'T SEE

STUDY FINDS PARENTS CAN DO 1/3 OF THEIR KIDS' MATHS, BUT STRUGGLE WITH THE OTHER 2/3

ST JOSEPH'S ROSTERS

The new roster for the ministries associated with the Mass is currently being prepared. Please contact Michael Hynes (0490 677 314 or mhynes@baptistcaresa.org.au) if you are not currently on the roster, but would like to help out. We especially need a few new names for the Church linen roster.

WILLUNGA NATIONAL TRUST HERITAGE WALKS

The South Australian History Festival 2021 will be held in May this year. This is particularly exciting as the Festival was cancelled last year. This year the Willunga National Trust's History Walks program consists of:

Uniting Church Heritage Walk

10 April at 10.00am to 12noon.
Bookings open on 15 March, <https://www.trybooking.com/BPDSQ>

St Joseph's Catholic Precinct

8 May at 2.00pm to 4.00pm
Bookings open on 8 April at <https://www.trybooking.com/BHYSW>

St Stephen's Anglican Cemetery

Saturday 15 May, 2.00pm to 4.00pm
Bookings open on 8 April at <https://www.trybooking.com/BHYTI>

CONSULTATION FOR WOMEN

Catholic women are being invited to participate in a national consultation via Zoom on March 27. The event invites women to articulate and celebrate their contribution to and vision for the mission of the Catholic Church in Australia. The event is being organised by the Bishops Commission for Evangelisation, Laity and Ministry. Find more information at www.nce.catholic.org.au/catholicwomen.

THE GRAIN OF WHEAT MUST DIE

In New Zealand there are more flightless birds than anywhere on earth. Among these are the kiwi and penguin. Scientists tell us that these birds had wings but lost them. They had no use for them. They had no natural predators on those beautiful islands, and food was plentiful. Since there was no reason to fly, they didn't. Through neglect they lost their wings.

Compare them to the eaglet that somehow ended up in a chicken yard. The eaglet was raised with the chickens, pecking at corn and strutting around the chicken coop. One day a mountain man, passing by, recognised the bird, now a fully grown eagle, and asked the farmer if he could work to rehabilitate it. The farmer said, "Go ahead, but it's useless. All that eagle knows is pecking corn like a chicken".

The mountaineer began weeks of rigorous training with the eagle, forcing it to run after him so that it had to use its wings. Many times the eagle fell out of the limbs of trees onto its head. One day, finally, the mountaineer took the eagle to the top of the mountain and held it above his head on his wrist. Giving an upward thrust to his arm, he sent the eagle into the sky with a "Fly!"

The eagle circled and wheeled upward, straining, till soon it took off in a majestic sweep and looked directly into the sun. It was gone. It has recognised its nature. It was an eagle once more.

We have the choice of remaining kiwis or penguins, or of going through the pain of becoming the eagles God has called us to be. What is our choice? How do we make decisions?

GPBS eNews

PLEASE KEEP THESE PEOPLE IN YOUR PRAYERS

Sick: Val and George Gater, Abbey McIver, Veronica Shortland, Muriel Smith, Jeff Gray, Judy Hore, Arthur Jones, Violet Gilli, Colin and Roma Whitford, Deanne Bostock, Vence Sulda, Anne and Michael Fox, Rita Trimboli

Recently deceased: Leonie Zeven, Toni Manfield (*Toni's funeral will be held at St Joseph's on Tuesday, 23 March*)

Anniversaries: Anne Crosbie, Robert Guley, Graeme Kennedy, Schwerdt family

Please pray for all our faithful departed and may all our sick parishioners, relatives and friends know the healing love of Christ through our actions and His healing presence.

DATES

- Lent 2021 - Project Compassion
- 24 Mar Reconciliation - St Peter's, 5pm
 - 1 Apr Holy Thursday
 - 2 Apr Good Friday
 - 3 Apr Holy Saturday
 - 4 Apr Daylight Saving ends 3am
 - 4 Apr Easter Day
 - 5 Apr Easter Monday
 - 9 Apr Last day School Term 1
 - 25 Apr ANZAC Day
 - 26 Apr ANZAC Day public holiday
 - 27 Apr First day School Term 2
 - 14 Jun Queen's birthday holiday
 - 4 Oct Labour Day holiday

ROSTERS

ALDINGA
Commentator
Readers

Saturday 20 March
Robert Daly
Brian Younie
Chris McWilliams

Saturday 27 March
Michelle Cormack
Heidi D, Leon D; Rod B, Chris Mc, Michelle C, Bob D

NORMANVILLE
Welcomer
Commentator
Reader
Altar/Cleaning

Sunday, 21 March
Jan Plum
Judy Millington
Nigel Pile
P Lloyd, P Clifford

Sunday, 28 March
John Smith
Jim Fitzpatrick
Antoinette Fleming
P Lloyd, P Clifford

WILLUNGA
Commentator
Reader
Church Cleaning
Church Linen

Sunday, 21 March
Marie Andrews
Norman Lee
May D, Mary M, John V
Anna Rogers

Sunday, 28 March
Michael Hynes
Chris Dzamko
Rebecca Pace
Margaret Guley



COMPLIANCE WITH REGULATIONS

(Current for 23/24 January)

- Attendees at Mass must maintain social distancing of 1:2 sqm.
- Funerals are capped at 200 people, whilst maintaining 1:2 sqm.
- Weddings are capped at 200 people, whilst maintaining 1:2 sqm.
- No beverage or food consumption (ie cup of tea after Mass)
- Singing as a congregation is to be avoided.
- Except for families and household groups, people should socially distance. There should be no physical contact outside one's family or household group.
- There should be no shaking of hands or holding hands during the Mass.
- Every gathering must record contact details - either with the QR code for smart phones, or the handwritten log - both located at the entrance to the Church.
- Hand sanitizer is to be available at church entrances.
- Offertory procession will be omitted. Communion is given only in hands. Precious Blood will not be distributed
- Collection plates will not be passed around but a single drop point is provided at the churches.
- Holy Water is not available at the doors of churches.
- All surfaces should be cleaned at least daily, with special attention given to frequently touched surfaces.
- Sick and high risk/vulnerable people should be encouraged not to attend.
- Care should be taken at the dismissal and on leaving the church to minimise social contact.
- The obligation for Sunday Mass for the laity HAS NOT BEEN RE-INVOKED at this stage.

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should like to see Jesus.' Philip went to tell Andrew, and Andrew and Philip together went to tell Jesus. Jesus replied to them:

'Now the hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. I tell you, most solemnly, unless a wheat grain falls on the ground and dies, it remains only a single grain; but if it dies, it yields a rich harvest. Anyone who loves his life loses it; anyone who hates his life in this world will keep it for the eternal life. If a man serves me, he must follow me, wherever I am, my servant will be there too. If anyone serves me, my Father will honour him. Now my soul is troubled. What shall I say: Father, save me from this hour? But it was for this very reason that I have come to this hour. Father, glorify your name!'

A voice came from heaven, 'I have glorified it, and I will glorify it again.' People standing by, who heard this, said it was a clap of thunder; others said, 'It was an angel speaking to him.' Jesus answered, 'It was not for my sake that this voice came, but for yours.

'Now sentence is being passed on this world; now the prince of this world is to be overthrown. And when I am lifted up from the earth, I shall draw all to myself.'

By these words he indicated the kind of death he would die.

DID YOU KNOW?

- In the gospels, Jesus often refers to himself as the Son of Man, a mysterious expression that both reveals and conceals his identity. It is a term which comes from the Book of Daniel.
- The festival referred to here was the Passover (Jn 12:1). Observant Jews who were able to come from far and wide to celebrate this great festival at the Temple in Jerusalem. The city was over-

flowing with pilgrims from many lands and regions.

- Often, people stayed outside the city because accommodation was very stretched at the times of the pilgrimage festivals. They came into the city each day to celebrate and then returned outside the walls to sleep, either in a nearby village or, often, under the stars.
- This is exactly what Jesus did on his final Passover visit to Jerusalem. After celebrating the meal he was returning to Bethany where his friends Mary, Martha and Lazarus lived. On the way, he stopped to pray at the Garden of Gethsemane and there accepted his fate.
- The Passover is just one of the three great pilgrimage festivals of Judaism.

SHARING THE TRADITION

Death is a part of life. Humans are the only ones of God's creatures who live much of their lives knowing they will die.

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

(22- 28 March)

- **Monday, 22:** Monday 5th week of Lent (Dan 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62; Jn 8:1-11)
- **Tuesday, 23:** Tuesday 5th week of Lent (Num 21:4-9; Jn 8:21-30)
- **Wednesday, 24:** Wednesday 5th week of Lent (Dan 3:14-20, 24-25, 28; Jn 8:31- 42)
- **Thursday, 25:** ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD (Is 7:10-14, 8:10; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38)
- **Friday, 26:** Friday 5th week Lent (Jer 20:10-13; Jn 10:31-42)
- **Saturday, 27:** Saturday 5th week Lent (Ezek 37:21-28; Jn 11:45-46)
- **Sunday 28:** PALM SUNDAY of the PASSION of the LORD (Entrance: Mk 11:1-10; Is 50:4-7; Phil 2:6-11; Mk 14:1-15:47)

PASTORAL CARE

If you need a Priest for anointing of the sick or last rites contact: Noarlunga/Seaford (8382 1717), Willunga (0488 287 552), Victor Harbor/Goolwa (8552 1084), Kangaroo Island (0418 819 078).