



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

Tuesday: 10.00am - 12.00noon
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PARISH TEAM CONTACTS

Fr Charles Gauci (Parish Priest)
Fr Saminathan [Sam] Arockiasamy
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PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

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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)



May His blessings be upon you
on *Easter* & always!

FIRST READING

Acts 10:34, 37-43

Peter addressed Cornelius and his household: 'You must have heard about the recent happenings in Judaea; about Jesus of Nazareth and how he began in Galilee, after John had been preaching baptism. God had anointed him with the Holy Spirit and with power, and because God was with him, Jesus went about doing good and curing all who had fallen into the power of the devil.

Now I, and those with me, can witness to everything he did throughout the countryside of Judaea and in Jerusalem itself: and also to the fact that they killed him by hanging him on a tree, yet three days afterwards God raised him to life and allowed him to be seen, not by the whole people but only by certain witnesses God had chosen beforehand. Now we are those witnesses – we have eaten and drunk with him after his resurrection from the dead – and he has ordered us to proclaim this to his people and to tell them that God has appointed him to judge everyone, alive or dead. It is to him that all the prophets bear this witness: that all who believe in Jesus will have their sins forgiven through his name.'

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 117:1-2, 16-17, 22-23. R.v.24
*This is the day the Lord has made;
let us rejoice and be glad.*

SECOND READING

Colossians 3:1-4

Since you have been brought back to true life with Christ, you must look for the things that are in heaven, where Christ is, sitting at God's right hand. Let your thoughts be on heavenly things, not on the things that are on the earth, because you have died, and now the life you have is hidden with Christ in God. But when Christ is revealed – and he is your life – you too will be revealed in all your glory with him.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!
*Christ has become our paschal
sacrifice;*
let us feast with joy in the Lord.
Alleluia!

GOSPEL

John 20:1-9

It was very early on the first day of the week and still dark, when Mary of Magdala came to the tomb. She saw that the stone had been moved away from the tomb and came running to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one Jesus loved. 'They have taken the Lord out of the tomb' she said 'and we don't know where they have put him.'

So Peter set out with the other disciple to go to the tomb. They ran together, but the other disciple, running faster than Peter, reached the tomb first; he bent down and saw the linen cloths lying on the ground,

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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

BAPTISM AND WEDDING

Easter Sunday is going to be a busy day for Fr Charles, who has a wedding and a baptism at St Joseph's, Willunga as well as his usual Easter Sunday commitments.

- We pray for God's blessing on *Billie Rose Wade* (daughter of Ben and Kay) who will be baptised on Easter Sunday afternoon.
- Congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy life together, to *Lauren Estabillo and Ian Bennett* who will be married on the same afternoon.

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 available from the Church foyer today. Special thanks to all those people who offered to be on the roster. Please collect your copy as you leave today.

WORLD YOUTH DAY KRAKOW 2016 PILGRIMAGE

Be sure to register for World Youth Day Krakow before the end of March, with final payment due May 20. The archdiocesan pilgrimage is gathering momentum with preparation for this trip taking place. Further information about the Archdiocese of Adelaide pilgrimage can be found at: <https://wyd2016.com.au/pilgrimages/archdiocese-of-adelaide/2016/5700>. For more details, call Sarah Moffatt

8301 6866 or contact via email sarah.moffatt@cesa.catholic.edu.au

SEASONS FOR GROWTH

Seasons for Growth: Exploring the Seasons of Grief - 4 weekly sessions - Thursdays April 7, 14, 21 and 28. Time: 10am - 12.30pm; Venue: Aberfoyle Park Parish House, 26 London Road Aberfoyle Park.

Exploring the Seasons of Grief is a small group program to support adults experiencing emotional difficulty following family breakup, death or other losses.

The program is based on Worden's four tasks of grieving and is designed to provide an in-depth understanding of the impact of loss and grief on an individual's wellbeing. Over time it has proved to be very effective as people discover that "they are not the only one" having problems. Cost \$40 for 4 sessions, including Workbook.

For expressions of interest and bookings please ring Jill Gallio or Pam Priadko (8210 8138) before March 30.

ENTER YOUR TOMB

I have a friend who suffered abuse as a child. As an adult, the abuse caused problems for her relationships. It also led her to self-destructive behaviour, like addiction and promiscuity.

But then she entered her "tomb" and found that God wanted to raise her like God raised Jesus.

We all live with tombs, where parts of us have died. Memories of being hurt. Memories of hurting others. Self-destructive behaviours. Our world has tombs too. Pockets of war and poverty. Nursing homes or hospitals where the old and sick lie alone.

But God removed the rock from Jesus' tomb and raised him. By doing that, God told all humanity that there is new life after the painful things we have suffered through. But you have to enter the tomb to see and believe.

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We do that by facing our painful memories and mistakes. We allow ourselves to cry when recalling how we've been hurt instead of gutting it out. We apologise instead of being proud. We also do that by facing our world's pain. We turn toward the people and places that many people ignore because they are afraid or too busy. We turn toward then whether they live in our homes, neighbourhoods or in different countries.

But we don't have to enter these tombs alone. We can bring God's power with us. We bring it when we pray or seek guidance from the Scriptures about our painful memories or mistakes. We bring it when we seek help from friends, family, or professionals. We bring it when we respond to our world's pain with Jesus' compassion and non-violence.

My friend entered her tomb. She sought help from counsellors and her faith to face the abuse she suffered.

As a result, she is now a stronger and happier person who makes a real difference in the lives of others.

Once again, God rolled back the stone and raised someone to new life. Jesus' Resurrection was only the beginning. I've seen and I believe.

What tomb or tombs in your life or in the world do you need to enter with God?

The Action

Be happy! Seriously. This week is called the Octave of Easter because from Easter Sunday through to next Sunday, we are in a state of rejoicing. This week is intensely filled with praise and prayer. Find ways to proclaim and praise the fabulous news of the Resurrection. If you have never listened to a Christian radio station before, find one and play it for the week. If you really like that music, introduce a friend or family member to the gift of joyful music!

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

Anniversaries: Graeme Kennedy, Carmel Fitzpatrick

Recently deceased: Brian King

WHAT'S ON

- 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 19/20 March, 2016

First collection	\$710.00
Envelopes	\$597.00
Unpledged	\$317.00

Thank you for your support
- it is much appreciated.

ROSTERS

(For Mass times refer to page 1)

ALDINGA	Saturday, 26 March	Saturday, 3 April
Welcome	No welcomer needed	No welcome
Commentator	Leo Dundon	Leo Dundon
Readers	Peter Laffan Chris McWilliams	Peter Laffan Chris McWilliams
Eucharistic Ministers	Mario Bacchin Pat Foster	Mario Bacchin Pat Foster
NORMANVILLE	Sunday, 27 March	Sunday, 4 April
Welcome	Sue Gillies	Sue Gillies
Commentator/Prayers	Jacqui Salkeld	Jacqui Salkeld
Reader	David Salkeld	David Salkeld
Eucharistic Minister	Pat Hardy	Pat Hardy
Church Cleaning	Park & Joan Fogarty	Park & Joan Fogarty
WILLUNGA	Sunday, 27 March	Sunday, 4 April
Welcome	Barbara Smith	Joe Rasera
Commentary	Jim Smith	Gael Maloney
First Reader	Wayne Best	Marie Andrews
Second Reader	Norman Lee	Sue Thompson
Eucharistic Ministers	Volunteers please	Denny Ford Marie Cester Birgit & Michael Hynes Terry Calahan, Rose Sulda Margaret Guley
Church Cleaning	Rebecca Pace	
Counting	Christine McWilliams	
Church Linen	Pauleen Hounslow	

WHAT WAS THAT?

Three year-old Reese in Church:
'Our Father, Who does art in heaven, Harold is His name. Amen.'

One particular four-year-old prayed: 'And forgive us our trash baskets as we forgive those who put trash in our baskets.'



"Tell me more about the Acupuncture Diet. Does it really work?"

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

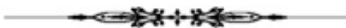
St Joan of Arc, 30 Seaview Road
Saturday 6.00pm
Sunday 11.00am
Tuesday 9.00am
Thursday 9.00am
Friday (other than 1st) 9.00am
1st Friday 11.30am

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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but did not go in. Simon Peter who was following now came up, went right into the tomb, saw the linen cloths on the ground, and also the cloth that had been over his head; this was not with the linen cloths but rolled up in a place by itself. Then the other disciple who had reached the tomb first also went in; he saw and he believed. Till this moment they had failed to understand the teaching of scripture, that he must rise from the dead.



GOSPEL BACKGROUND

Today we begin the Easter Season, our 50-day meditation on the mystery of Christ's Resurrection. Our Gospel today tells us about the disciples' discovery of the empty tomb. It concludes by telling us that they did not yet understand that Jesus had risen from the dead. Thus, the details provided are not necessarily meant to offer proof of the Resurrection. The details invite us to reflect upon a most amazing gift, that is faith in Jesus and his Resurrection.

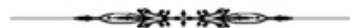
Each of the four Gospels tells us that Jesus' empty tomb was first discovered by women. This is notable because in first-century Jewish society women could not serve as legal witnesses. In the case of John's Gospel, the only woman attending the tomb is Mary of Magdala. Unlike the Synoptic accounts, John's Gospel does not describe an appearance of angels at the tomb. Instead, Mary is simply said to have observed that the stone that had sealed the tomb had been moved, and she runs to alert Simon Peter and the beloved disciple. Her statement to them is telling. She assumes that Jesus' body has been removed, perhaps stolen. She does not consider that Jesus has been raised from the dead.

Simon Peter and the beloved disciple race to the tomb, presumably to verify Mary's report. The beloved disciple arrives first but does not enter the

tomb until after Simon Peter. This detail paints a vivid picture, as does the detail provided about the burial cloths. Some scholars believe that the presence of the burial cloths in the tomb offers evidence to the listener that Jesus' body had not been stolen (it is understood that grave robbers would have taken the burial cloths together with the body).

The Gospel passage concludes, however, that even having seen the empty tomb and the burial cloths, the disciples do not yet understand about the Resurrection. In the passage that follows, Mary of Magdala meets Jesus but mistakes him for the gardener. In the weeks ahead, the Gospel readings from our liturgy will show us how the disciples came to believe in Jesus' Resurrection through his appearances to them. Our Easter faith is based on their witness to both the empty tomb and their continuing relationship with Jesus—in his appearances and in his gift of the Holy Spirit.

Loyola website



THIS WEEK'S READINGS

(28 March - 3 April)

- **Monday, 1:** Monday - Octave of Easter (Acts 2:14, 22-23; Mt 28:8-15)
- **Tuesday, 2:** Tuesday - Octave of Easter (Acts 2:36-41; Jn 20:11-18)
- **Wednesday, 3:** Wednesday - Octave of Easter (Acts 3:1-10; Lk 24:13-35)
- **Thursday, 4:** Thursday - Octave of Easter (Acts 3:11-26; Lk 24:35-48)
- **Friday, 5:** Friday - Octave of Easter (Acts 4:1-12; Jn 21:1-14)
- **Saturday, 6:** Saturday - Octave of Easter (Acts 4:13-21; Mk 16:9-15)
- **Sunday 7:** Second Sunday of the Easter (Acts 5:12-16; Apoc 1:9-13, 17-19; Jn 20:19-31)

The Resurrection
of the Lord

