



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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PARISH TEAM CONTACTS

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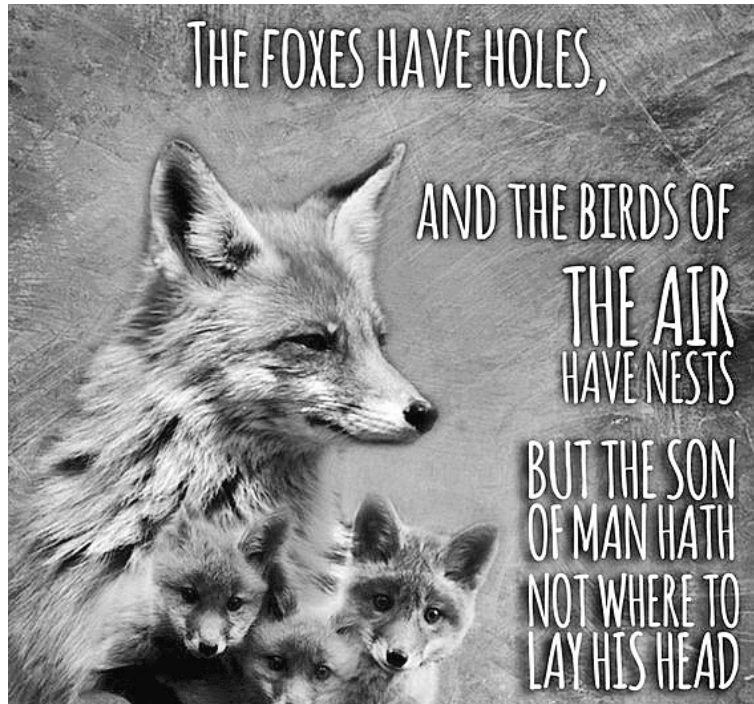
PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL
Peter Laffan (phone 8556 3915)

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

1 Kings 19:16,19-21

The Lord said to Elijah, 'Go, you are to anoint Elisha son of Shaphat, of Abel Meholah, as prophet to succeed you.'

Leaving there, Elijah came on Elisha son of Shaphat as he was ploughing behind twelve yoke of oxen, he himself being with the twelfth. Elijah passed near to him and threw his cloak over him. Elisha left his oxen and ran after Elijah. 'Let me kiss my father and mother, then I will follow you' he said. Elijah answered, 'Go, go back; for have I done anything to you?' Elisha turned away, took the pair of oxen and slaughtered them. He used the plough for cooking the oxen, then gave to his men, who ate. He then rose, and followed Elijah and became his servant.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 15:1-2, 5, 7-11

You are my inheritance, O Lord.

SECOND READING

Galatians 5:1, 13-18

When Christ freed us, he meant us to remain free. Stand firm, therefore, and do not submit again to the yoke of slavery. My brothers, you were called, as you know, to liberty; but be careful,

or this liberty will provide an opening for self-indulgence. Serve one another, rather, in works of love, since the whole of the Law is summarised in a single command: *Love your neighbour as yourself*. If you go snapping at each other and tearing each other to pieces, you had better watch or you will destroy the whole community.

Let me put it like this: if you are guided by the Spirit you will be in no danger of yielding to self-indulgence, since self-indulgence is the opposite of the Spirit, the Spirit is totally against such a thing, and it is precisely because the two are so opposed that you do not always carry out your good intentions. If you are led by the Spirit, no law can touch you.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

1 Sam 3:9, Jn 6:68

Alleluia, alleluia!

Speak, O Lord, your servant is listening; you have the words of everlasting life.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Luke 9:51-62

As the time drew near for him to be taken up to heaven, Jesus resolutely

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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	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 - 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), Françoise and Ken Creevey (8557 6287), Mario Bacchin (8323 9909), Judi Driscoll (0428 310 548).

GALILEE OP SHOP

How Road, Aldinga. Open Wednesday, Thursday, Friday: 9.30am - 3.00pm
Phone: 0474 107 694



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

CEMETERY FEES

The cemetery fees and charges for both St Joseph's at Willunga and St Peter's at Normanville will increase tomorrow (1 July).

If you, or someone in your family, would like to buy a cemetery plot before the prices increase, please contact David Manders or Tony Harding (St Joseph's) or Peter Bohnsack (St Peter's) **TODAY**.

PLENARY COUNCIL

National Themes for Discernment Announced

At Pentecost the national themes for discernment were announced. The six National Themes for Discernment invite people to reflect, to pray and to consider how God is calling the People of God to be a Christ-centred Church in Australia that is:

- Missionary and evangelising
- Inclusive, participatory and synodal
- Prayerful and Eucharistic
- Humble, merciful and healing
- A joyful, hope filled and servant community
- Open to conversion, renewal and reform.

National Theme for Discernment #3

How is God calling us to be a Christ-centred Church that is Prayerful and Eucharistic?

This National Theme for Discernment is inspired by the voices of the People of God who shared how deeply they treasured the Eucharist and the sacramental and liturgical life of the Church. Find out more at www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au

Discernment Facilitator Workshop

The stage two process "Listening and Discernment" of unpacking the Plenary Council themes will commence in July. Communities are encouraged to become further

engaged in the process of the Plenary Council and are invited to a Plenary Council Theme Discernment Facilitator Workshop.

When: Wed July 24, 7pm-9pm

Where: Catholic Education Office Conference Rooms

At this gathering resources will be available to assist people in the next stage. Please note that CISCO facilities will be available so those further away are encouraged to participate. RSVP by July 12 to Merrilyn Bennier (08 8210 8278, mbennier@adealide.catholic.org.au)

ANNIVERSARIES MASS

*Saturday, September 2 - 2pm
St Patrick's Church, Adelaide.*

If you are celebrating a marriage anniversary of 1, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 50, 60 or more years, you are welcome to participate in this special Mass. Please RSVP with your names, year of anniversary and address by Sept 6 to 8210 8220 or events@adelaide.catholic.org.au.

CATHOLICS FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY

*Saturday, August 3: 2pm - 4pm
St Peter Claver Church, Dulwich*

Bishop Greg O'Kelly invites all parishioners of the Adelaide Archdiocese to participate in the Catholics for Christian Unity service and gathering. Fr Philip Marshall will give an address on the importance of ecumenism for Catholics and its connection to renewal.

After the service refreshments will be served in the Dulwich Hall. There will also be an opportunity to share some of our many and varied experiences of living, working and praying with people of other Churches. Please RSVP by Friday July 26 to Archdiocesan Events (8210 8220 or events@adelaide.catholic.org.au)

WALK A MILE IN MY BOOTS

Friday August 9 at 7.30am for a 7:30am start at Victoria Park/Pakapakanthi, Wakefield Road with an 8.00am finish at Peppermint Park/Wita Wirra, with a 'traditional Hutt St Centre BBQ breakfast'.

Register online and fundraise for both events at: www.walkamile.org.au

Bulletin Board



ARE YOU LOOKING BACKWARD OR PLOUGHING FORWARD?

I like visiting the beautiful Darling Downs when I'm on my way to Brisbane. I pass rows and rows of corn when I'm driving. As the season progresses, I watch spring's green sprouts turn into summer's tall stalks. It's a miracle. But it also depends on farmers who know how to plough.

In this week's Gospel, Jesus compares discipleship to ploughing. Christians are like farmers. They bring new life into the world because they plough forward with their faith – something you can't do if you're always looking back to the past.

Should you ignore your past? No.

I have a friend who made a lot of mistakes in life. He wanted to become more Christian but found it difficult. Why? He never learned from his mistakes or apologised to the people he hurt. As a result, he could never plough



Pictured above (left to right): Peter Bohnsack, Mary Kennedy, Pam Kelly and Judy Millington at the inaugural meeting on June 25 of St Peter's Liturgy and Music Group.

forward. By ignoring the past, he actually became stuck in it.

Following Christ doesn't mean forgetting past mistakes and moving ahead. That doesn't work. You can't move forward in life with Jesus until you learn from mistakes and reconcile broken relationships.

Deal with your past mistakes and shortcomings. It will help you set a hand to the plough, move forward, and bring new life into the world.

GPBS eNews

PLEASE KEEP THESE PEOPLE IN YOUR PRAYERS

Sick: Val Gater, Bernie Wilkie, Abbey McIver, Veronica Shortland, Marie Cester, Muriel Smith, Rose Sulda

WHAT'S ON

- Jun 27 St Peter's Choir practice
- Jul 5 Last day School term 2
- Jul 7 NATSICC Appeal
- Jul 14 Apostleship of the Sea Appeal
- Jul 22 First day School term 3
- Jul 25 St Peter's Choir practice
- Aug 8 Solemnity, Mary of the Cross
- Aug 11 Appeal for Vocations
- Aug 15 Assumption Blessed Virgin Mary
- Aug 22 St Peter's Choir practice
- Sep 1 Father's Day
- Sep Catholic Charities Appeal
- 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

22/23 July 2019

First collection	\$510.00
Envelopes	\$363.00
Unpledged	\$343.00
Special Collections	\$531.00

Your support is much appreciated.

JULY SPECIAL APPEALS

The July Special Appeals are the NATSICC Appeal on July 7 and Apostleship of the Sea on July 14. We will take up both appeals on July 14 in all three Centres.



ALDINGA

Welcome
Commentator
Readers

Eucharistic Ministers

Saturday 29 June

Georgina Sard
Chris McWilliams
Lilia Parkinson
Leo Dundon
Robert Daly
Maria Jarvis-Maack

Saturday 6 July

McIver Family
Christina Tiedge
Chris McWilliams
Dennis Jones
Christine Jones
Judi Driscoll

NORMANVILLE

Welcome
Commentator/Prayers
Reader
Eucharistic Minister
Church Cleaning

Sunday, 30 June

Mary Kennedy
David Salkeld
Jacqui Salkeld
Pat Hardy
Walter & Patricia Litvensky

Sunday, 7 July

Margaret Burrough
Ena Harvey
Ann Henriksen
Mary Kennedy
Park and Joan Fogarty

WILLUNGA

Welcome
Commentary
First Reader
Second Reader
Eucharistic Ministers

Sunday, 30 June

Marie Andrews
John Hounslow
Jim Smith
Liz Pitcher
Steve Maglieri
Viv Zagajewska
Christina Rasera
Margaret Guley
Andrew Beach

Sunday, 7 July

Joe Rasera
Anna Rogers
Norman Lee
Sue Thompson
Jim Smith
Margaret Guley
Rebecca Pace
Pauleen Hounslow
Andrew Beach

Church Cleaning
Church Linen
Counting

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

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took the road for Jerusalem and sent messengers ahead of him. These set out, and they went into a Samaritan village to make preparations for him, but the people would not receive him because he was making for Jerusalem. Seeing this, the disciples James and John said, 'Lord, do you want us to call down fire from heaven to burn them up?' But he turned and rebuked them, and they went off to another village.

As they travelled along they met a man on the road who said to him, 'I will follow you wherever you go.' Jesus answered, 'Foxes have holes and the birds of the air have nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay his head.'

Another to whom he said, 'Follow me', replied, 'Let me go and bury my father first.' But he answered, 'Leave the dead to bury their dead; your duty is to go and spread the news of the kingdom of God.'

Another said, 'I will follow you, sir, but first let me go and say goodbye to my people at home.' Jesus said to him, 'Once the hand is laid on the plough, no one who looks back is fit for the kingdom of God.'

DID YOU KNOW?

- A very central theme in Luke's writings is that of journey. In Luke's Gospel, Jesus' journey to Jerusalem is the vehicle for his preaching and for the formation of the disciples in what it means to be a follower of Christ.
- Luke's second volume is The Acts of the Apostles. In this book, the journey continues with the message of Jesus being taken by the church outward from Jerusalem to the ends of the earth.
- There existed an ancient rivalry between the Samaritans and the Jews, which caused each group to be suspicious of the other. The area of Samaria lay between Galilee in the north and Judea in the south.

EXPLORING THE WORD

This gospel text marks a turning point in Luke's story of Jesus. He has made a momentous decision. When he is rejected by the very first village he approaches, the disciples want to punish them. But Jesus refuses violence and coercion as a means of conversion. He wants willing disciples!

The following three brief exchanges outline what is needed for discipleship: it won't necessarily be comfortable; there is a sense of urgency, and it requires single-mindedness and sometimes difficult choices. Comfort or family relationships cannot take priority over the kingdom of God, and once one becomes a follower of Christ, there can be no turning back. This gospel is not only about Jesus; it is about all those who seek to follow the road God has laid out for them.

- *One of the characters in this text says, 'I will follow you wherever you go.' What made you embark on this journey? Has the road been difficult?*
- *What are the things you have had to turn your back on to continue on this journey? Are there still hurdles to overcome?*

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

(01 - 07 July)

- **Monday, 1:** Weekday, Ordinary Time 13 (Gen 18:16-33; Mt 8:18-22)
- **Tuesday, 2:** Weekday, Ordinary Time 13 (Gen 19:15-29; Mt 8:23-27)
- **Wednesday, 3:** St Thomas (Eph 2:19-22; Jn 20:24-29)
- **Thursday, 4:** Weekday, Ordinary Time 13 (Gen 22:1-19; Mt 9:1-8)
- **Friday, 5:** Weekday, Ordinary Time 13 (Gen 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-7, 62-67; Mt 9:9-13)
- **Saturday, 6:** Weekday, Ordinary Time 13 (Gen 27:1-5, 15-29; Mt 9:14-17)
- **Sunday 30:** FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (Is 66:10-14; Gal 6:14-18; Lk 10:1-12, 17-20)

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).