



Welcome to

Willunga Catholic Parish

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

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR C

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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

Amos 6:1, 4-7

The almighty Lord says this:

Woe to those ensconced so snugly in Zion and those who feel so safe on the mountain of Samaria.

Lying on ivory beds and sprawling on their divans, they dine on lambs from the flock, and stall-fattened veal; they bawl to the sound of the harp, they invent new instruments of music like David, they drink wine by the bowlful, and use the finest oil for anointing themselves, but about the ruin of Joseph they do not care at all.

That is why they will be the first to be exiled; the sprawlers' revelry is over.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 145:6-10

Praise the Lord, my soul!

SECOND READING

1 Timothy 6:11-16

As a man dedicated to God, you must aim to be saintly and religious, filled with faith and love, patient and gentle. Fight the good fight of the faith and win for yourself the eternal life to which you were called when you made your profession and spoke up for the truth in front of many witnesses. Now, before God the source of all life and before Jesus Christ, who spoke up as a witness for the truth in front of Pontius Pilate, I

put to you the duty of doing all that you have been told, with no faults or failures, until the Appearing of our Lord Jesus Christ,

who at the due time will be revealed by God, the blessed and only Ruler of all, the King of kings and the Lord of lords, who alone is immortal, whose home is in inaccessible light, whom no man has seen and no man is able to see: to him be honour and everlasting power. Amen.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

2 Cor 8:9

Alleluia, alleluia!

Jesus Christ was rich but he became poor; to make you rich out of his poverty.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Luke 16:19-31

Jesus said to the Pharisees, 'There was a rich man who used to dress in purple and fine linen and feast magnificently every day.

And at his gate there lay a poor man called Lazarus, covered with sores, who longed to fill himself with the scraps that fell from the rich man's table. Dogs even came and licked his sores. Now the poor man died and was carried away by the angels to the bosom of Abraham. The rich man also died and was buried. *(Continued page 4)*



Bulletin Board

Mon No Masses - Willunga Parish
9.00am - Noarlunga
Tue 9.15am - Aldinga
Wed 9.00am - Willunga
Thur 9.00am - Willunga
Fri 9.00am - Willunga
12.00noon - Normanville
1st Fri 9.00am - Willunga
11.30am - Normanville

WEEKEND MASSES

(Times on front page of this bulletin)

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

All that you have done to us, O Lord, you have done with true judgment, for we have sinned against you and not obeyed your commandments. But give glory to your name and deal with us according to the bounty of your mercy.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES

The Catholic Charities Appeal takes place throughout the month of September.

For more information visit Catholic Charities pages on the Archdiocesan website: <http://www.adelaide.catholic.org.au/charity-and-giving/catholic-charities/about-catholic-charities->

COLUMBAN CALENDARS

Calendars for 2023 are now available for \$10 each. There is a new design for the 2023 calendar with more space on the date pad. To order your calendar please contact Sr Margaret Ann.

To view the featured art, go to: www.columban.org.au/artguide

IS LOVE ENOUGH?

A relationship education course for couples preparing to marry or in a long-term relationship.

This group is based on current research about what makes long term relationships successful. A variety of topics are explored including communication and problem solving.

When: Saturday 29 October
9.30am - 4.30pm

Where: Centacare, Level 2 – 45
Wakefield St, Adelaide

Bookings are essential - please contact

Centacare (8215 6700) or email your details to: registrations@centacare.org.au

You are invited to attend a talk by the

AGED RIGHTS ADVOCACY SERVICE (ARAS)

Tuesday, 4 October
2.00pm - 3.30pm

Aldinga Community Centre,
Symonds Reserve, 7 Stewart Ave,
Aldinga Beach

For bookings please call or email the Centre (ph 8488 2075: email aldinga.communitycentre@gmail.com)

Free afternoon tea. Everyone welcome.

WILLUNGA ROSTERS

Marie has almost completed the roster until the end of March next year. However, she is desperate for more people to do flowers. Please contact Marie (0423 302 746) if you can help.

CHRISTIAN CARE & SUPPORT CENTRE

CC&SC was established in 1994 as an inter-denominational organisation with volunteers from each of the local Christian Churches involved in the management and staffing of the organisation.

Volunteers are always needed and welcomed. The duties are currently being fulfilled by a small number of mainly older people and we would be delighted if more volunteers could offer help, either at the Centre on Monday or Wednesday mornings or collecting bread each Wednesday from Bakers Delight, Noarlunga. The more help we have, the lighter the burden on those few currently working to provide for those in need.

Please consider becoming involved and supporting this outreach work.

For more information please contact Victoria McKee (Volunteer Coordinator - phone 0497 164 210)

MIGRANT AND REFUGEE SUNDAY

Pope Francis has chosen the theme *“Building the Future with Migrants and Refugees”* for the 108th World Day of Migrant and Refugees to be commemorated in Australia on **Sunday, 25 September 2022**. The Archdiocesan celebration of World Migrant and Refugee Sunday will take place on Sunday, 25 Sept at St Francis Xavier Cathedral at 2.00pm with the annual Multicultural Mass. All are welcome to participate in the celebration.

NOTICE TO PARISHIONERS ATTENDING MARY OF GALILEE CHURCH

Because of necessary work to be carried out in the car park and entrance to Mary of Galilee Church during the school holidays, access from the usual car park to the Church will be restricted for a period commencing Saturday 1 until Saturday 22 October.

Parishioners attending Church on and between these dates, will need to park in the school staff car park on Quinliven Road and walk on the paved path through the school to access the Church. This is a clear, safe, paved path which will be well lit for access.

IT TAKES A VILLAGE TO RAISE A CHILD

This is the theme of an exciting Community Family Day hosted by the Yankalilla District Inter Church Council. This unique event is happening on 30 October and links in with SA Children's Week.

It takes a village ... is a day to acknowledge, participate in and celebrate the close connections between School chaplaincy, local Christian Churches, Yankalilla District Council, school communities and broader community.

The day promises something for all ages. Amongst the many activities, there will be a jumping castle, teddy bear's picnic, face painting, BIG games, cake stall, pop up Op Shop, children's art display and competition, live music and a DJ. There will be food and coffee available to purchase or BYO your picnic.

It's all happening at the Lions Youth Skate Park between 11.00am and 3.00pm on Sunday 30 October.

For further enquires please contact Wendy Lindsay at Yankalilla Area School.

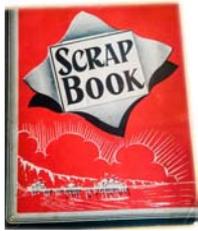
ADELAIDE YOUNG WOMEN'S RETREAT DAY For young women aged 15-35 years

A day of prayer, talks and fellowship to deepend in relationship with Jesus and the call He is placing on the lives of women.

Saturday, 8 October from 10.00am until 4.00pm at St Martin's Catholic Church, cnr Muller and Hampstead

Roads, Greenacres. For info and registration: trybooking.com/CBRNJ

MEMORY SCRAPBOOKS



At one time, I worked with dementia residents and we made very good use of simple scrap books of anything to do with the Kennedy clan (US President

Kennedy's family).

Workers and residents spent lots of time sitting around looking through the books. They provoked memories, recognition and conversations with the more chatty residents.

With help from the Galilee Art teacher and students, we are hoping to make up some similar memory scrapbooks featuring the Royal Family, for residents of Lifecare.

We can use any photos / pictures of members of the Royal Family (including duplicates) during current



times, over the years, weddings, coronations, births, funerals, marriages, whatever.

If you have anything you think we might be able to use, please put it in the box provided at St Joseph's or Galilee. Mary Kennedy has kindly agreed to collect material at St Peter's.

Chris McWilliams

COUCHES OF IVORY

When you're given the choice between couches of ivory and the bosom of Abraham, choose wisely! Abraham cultivated a very special relationship with God, and he would be a very good friend to have. But many of us have cultivated a much closer communion with our couches. We like our creature comforts. Abraham can wait!

The rich man probably felt that way. At least he was content to live well, consume conspicuously, and ignore the misery of Lazarus at his door. If only the rich man had realised that the way to Abraham's bosom was in forging a relationship with Lazarus! Instead, he allowed Lazarus to fend for himself. We might note carefully that this was all the rich man did, by the way. He didn't hurt Lazarus; chase him off; and he wasn't directly the cause for his poverty or his sores. The dude simply ignored another person's suffering. We don't have to make the same mistake. *GPBS eNews*

**LYON LEADERS
SPEAK UP**

National Wine Centre, Adelaide
Friday October 21 7.00pm - 9.30pm
Senator Alex Antic and Deppa Mathew share about their paths to leadership.
See noticeboard for details.

PLEASE KEEP THESE PEOPLE IN YOUR PRAYERS

Sick: Veronica Shortland, Muriel Smith, Janet Burbidge, Arthur and Carol Jones, Bill and Janet McIver, Rainer Maack, Adrian Andrews

Recently deceased: Margaret McCann, Queen Elizabeth II

DATES

- Sep Catholic Charities Appeal
- 25 Sep Migrant & Refugee Sunday
- 30 Sep Galilee coffee group 10am
- 30 Sep Last day School Term 3
- 3 Oct Labour Day holiday
- 14 Oct Galilee coffee group 10am
- 28 Oct Galilee coffee group 10am
- 1 Nov All Saints Day
- 2 Nov All Souls Day
- 11 Nov Galilee coffee group 10am
- 13 Nov Vinnies Christmas Appeal
- 25 Nov Galilee coffee group 10am - last for 2022
- 27 Nov First Sunday of Advent
- 4 Dec Second Sunday of Advent
- 11 Dec Third Sunday of Advent
- 18 Dec Fourth Sunday of Advent
- 25 Dec Christmas Day
- 25 Dec Aboriginal Catholic Ministry Appeal

COLLECTIONS

(For the last fortnight)

First collection	\$798.00
Second collection	\$488.00
Envelopes	\$830.00
Direct debits	\$940.00
Catholic Charities	\$284.00

Thank you for your support - it is much appreciated.

'MINDFULNESS & MEDITATION'

via Zoom, Saturday 15 Oct 10am-2pm (AEST)

When we are present to the 'now', centredness and relaxation become a natural part of life and we know how to act from a heart of love. We invite you for these few hours of prayer in the practice of mindfulness and meditation, to journey with others and within oneself. Led by Paola Cheng, a qualified meditation teacher, spiritual director and social worker, who brings an inclusive and gentle approach to her sessions.

Cost \$50. Book and pay via website www.heartoflife.melbourne, email info@heartoflife.melbourne or tel 9890 1101.

ROSTERS

ALDINGA	Saturday 24 September	Saturday 01 October
Welcomer	Rose Sulda	Lorraine Ellis
Commentator	Robert Daly	Michelle Cormack
Readers	Christina Tiedge	Chris McWilliams
	David Manders	Ken Creevey
Eucharistic Minister	Judy Driscoll	Lorraine Ellis
NORMANVILLE	Sunday, 25 September	Sunday, 2 October
Welcomer	Rita Steller	Tim Fleming
Commentator	Jim Fitzpatrick	Trish Bohnsack
Reader	Nigel Pile	Antoinette Fleming
Altar/Cleaning	Ann Henriksen + volunteer	Nigel Pile, Leo Montgomery
WILLUNGA	Sunday, 25 September	Sunday, 2 October
Commentator	Vanda Farrall	Marie Andrews
Reader	Marie Cester	Anna Rogers
Eucharistic Minister	Viv Zagajewska	Andrew Beach
Flowers	Rebecca Pace	Vanda Farrall
Church Linen	Viv Zagajewska	Wayne Best

COMPLIANCE WITH COVID-19 REGULATIONS

(Current from 21/09/22)



- If you have tested positive for COVID-19 please follow the instructions as per SA Health in terms of contact tracing and isolating yourself as per government health protocols. Please stay home and do not attend church services until you have fully recovered.
- The density requirement has been updated to full capacity in all churches and also includes funerals and weddings.
- Wearing of face-masks in Church is strongly recommended by the Archbishop.
- Sick and high risk/vulnerable people are requested to stay home and not attend services.
- Hand sanitiser is available at church entrances.
- Communion is given only in hands. Precious Blood will not be distributed.
- Holy Water is not available at the doors of churches.
- Procession of gifts has resumed.
- Collection plates are to be passed around with minimum contact

SHARING THE TRADITION

A closer look at the Scripture of the day, to see how it makes more explicit God's word to us through the teachings of Jesus Christ:

Just as the rich man failed to understand Moses and the prophets, today there are many who question the teaching authority of the Church. This is often based on misunderstanding. The magisterium or teaching authority of the Church is anchored in the 'the task of giving an authentic interpretation of the Word of God, whether it is in its written form (the sacred Scriptures) or in the form of Tradition (how that truth from God has been interpreted and applied over the centuries). Always at the heart of the Church's teaching is the need to guide believers in their moral response to the world and its issues.

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'In his torment in Hades he looked up and saw Abraham a long way off with Lazarus in his bosom. So he cried out, "Father Abraham, pity me and send Lazarus to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue, for I am in agony in these flames." "My son," Abraham replied "remember that during your life good things came your way, just as bad things came the way of Lazarus. Now he is being comforted here while you are in agony. But that is not all: between us and you a great gulf has been fixed, to stop any crossing from your side to ours."

'The rich man replied, "Father, I beg you then to send Lazarus to my father's house, since I have five brothers, to give them warning so that they do not come to this place of torment too." "They have Moses and the prophets," said Abraham "let them listen to them.." "Ah no, father Abraham," said the rich man "but if someone comes to them from the dead, they will repent." Then Abraham said to him, "If they will not listen either to Moses or to the prophets, they will not be convinced even if someone should rise from the dead."



SYMBOLS AND IMAGES

Abraham is an important figure in Judaism. He was the first person mentioned in Scripture who put his complete trust and faith in God (Genesis 12). Abraham became the model of righteousness. To rest in the bosom of Abraham is a metaphor for eternal happiness.

A GOOD KID

I was honoured to be asked to be Kevin's godfather. His parents are long-time friends of the sort that feel like family. And on the day of his Baptism, I listened carefully when the priest asked, "And what do you ask for this child?"

We want Baptism, of course. But what all did that entail? And what would it mean in his life? I wanted to take my role as godparent seriously, but beyond sending birthday cards and Christmas presents and taking an interest in his life from a distance, I still didn't know him that well.

And so, I was delighted when our families joined up for an outing to the city to enjoy the fireworks display. Standing in the throngs of people was a dishevelled man with the look of someone who'd spent many days and nights on the street. He was getting jostled and looked forlorn holding his paper cup, asking for spare change. Kevin, about 10, noticed the man. He dug into his blue jeans for some money. He looked the man in the eyes as he placed the money in his cup. He said, "Hi". I smiled and thought about that day the priest asked what we wanted for this child. I knew then we'd gotten what we came for. This Sunday's gospel warns us what happens to those who have a hard heart when it comes to others. Kevin is blessed with a heart full of love.

The Commissioning: Be ready to speak out for the poor. Be ready to declare your poverty. Be ready to speak to the powerful about ending poverty. Be ready to work with your sisters and brothers for increased social benefits and better housing. Be ready for opposition from those who want to keep what they have in the bank. Be ready to support political parties that have a compassionate approach to wealth. With the help of God, we are ready. *GPBS eNews*



THIS WEEK'S READINGS

(26 September - 02 October)

- **Monday, 26:** Weekday, Ord Time 26 (Job 1:6-22; Lk 9:46-50)
- **Tuesday, 27:** St Vincent de Paul (Job 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23; Lk 9:51-56)
- **Wednesday, 28:** Weekday, Ord Time 26 (Job 9:1-13, 14-16; Lk 9:57-62)
- **Thursday, 29:** Sts Michael, Gabriel, Raphael (Dan 7:9-10, 13-14; Jn 1:47-51)
- **Friday, 30:** St Jerome (Job 38:1, 12-21, 40:3-5; Lk 10:13-16)
- **Saturday, 01:** St Thérèse of the Child Jesus (Job 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17; Lk 10:17-24)
- **Sunday 02:** 27th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME (Hab 1:2-3, 2:2-4; 2 Tim 1:6-8, 13-14; Lk 17:5-9)

PASTORAL CARE

If you need a priest for anointing prior to medical treatment or if you are ill (not necessarily life-threatening) or for last rites please contact: (08) 8556 2132 or 0488 287 552.