Welcome to



Noarlunga/Seaford Catholic Parish

St Luke's, Noarlunga and SCC, Seaford

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NOARLUNGA/SEAFORD CATHOLIC PARISH CENTRE

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(Please leave a message outside office hours and we will get back to you as soon as we can)

Email: nswcp@tpg.com.au

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OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday - Friday 10.00am - 3.00pm

PARISH TEAM CONTACTS

PARISH PRIEST

Fr Josy Sebastian - (8382 1717; in an emergency 0452 524 169; jponnambal@gmail.com)

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PARISH MANAGER **NEWSLETTER**

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(Please submit newsletter items to the Parish Office by 11.30am each Wednesday)

SEAFORD

Sr Bernie Sontrop SGS – SCC (Catholic Community Coordinator - 0400 035 462)

CHILD PROTECTION

Child Protection Unit 8210 8159

REGULAR WEEKEND MASSES

- SATURDAY EVENING 6.00pm - St Luke's, Noarlunga
- SUNDAYS

9.00am - St Luke's, Noarlunga 10.45am - SCC, Seaford 11.00am - 1st Sun - St Luke's: Spanish 2.00pm - 2nd Sun - St Luke's: Filipino 5.30pm - St Luke's: Youth Mass

FIRST READING

Acts 5:27-32,40-41

The high priest demanded an explanation of the Apostles. 'We gave you a formal warning' he said 'not to preach in this name, and what have you done? You have filled Jerusalem with your teaching, and seem determined to fix the guilt of this man's death on us.' In reply Peter and the apostles said, 'Obedience to God comes before obedience to men: it was the God of our ancestors who raised up Jesus, but it was you who had him executed by hanging on a tree. By his own right hand God has now raised him up to be leader and saviour, to give repentance and forgiveness of sins through him to Israel. We are witnesses to all this, we and the Holy Spirit whom God has given to those who obey him.' They warned the apostles not to speak in the name of Jesus and released them. And so they left the presence of the Sanhedrin glad to have had the honour of suffering humiliation for the sake of the name.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 29:2, 4-6, 11-13

I will praise you, Lord,

SECOND READING Apocalypse 5:11-14

for you have rescued me.

In my vision, I, John, heard the sound of an immense number of angels gathered round the throne and the animals and the elders; there were ten thousand times ten thousand of them and thousands upon thousands, shouting, 'The Lamb that was sacrificed is worthy to be given power, riches, wisdom, strength, honour, glory and blessing.' Then I heard all the living things in creation – everything that lives in the air, and on the ground, and under the ground, and in the sea, crying, 'To the One who is sitting on the throne and to the Lamb, be all praise, honour, glory and power. for ever and ever.' And the four animals said, 'Amen'; and the elders prostrated themselves to worship.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia! Christ is risen; the Lord of all creation; he has shown pity on all people. Alleluia!

GOSPEL

John 21:1-19

Jesus showed himself again to the disciples. It was by the Sea of Tiberias, and it happened like this: Simon Peter, Thomas called the Twin. Nathanael from Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee and two more of his disciples were together.

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Baptism of Infants: 8382 1717

Children's Faith Formation

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Each Saturday 9.00am - 9.30am and Half an hour before all weekend masses

Pastoral Coordinator:

Gabrielle Byrne

0422 804 579

Child Safe Contact Person:

Nicoline Henderson

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Chairperson Parish Pastoral Council:

Dr Paul Rijken

Chairperson Liturgy Group:

Margaret Burns

Parish Schools and Colleges:

St John the Apostle

8382 2064

Principal - Ms Lee-Anne Johansen

All Saints

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Principal - Mrs Liz Keogh

Cardijn College

8392 9500

Principal - Dr P Rijken

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Marcellin-Mr Gianni Petrucci

Church Cleaning

7 May:

Cleaning:

Vacuuming: Denise Bachman

Finances 23/24 April

1st Collection \$514

Support for Archdiocesan Priests

2nd Collection \$395 (26 envelopes)

Open Plate \$489

Thank you for your ongoing support and commitment to the community.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

10.00am—3.00pm

Tuesday—Friday

For any emergencies please contact Fr Josy on 0452 524 169 or Toni Fishlock on 0417 801 241.

Noticeboard:

May

Mary MacKillop Precinct's

Festival Events

May 10 Online Marian Lecture

May 19 Charismatic Mass

CHANGES TO COVID RULES ARE LISTED ON THE BACK OF THIS NEWSLETTER.

COUNT OF MASS ATTENDANCE

During May the Archdiocese of Adelaide will be conducting a count of attendance (divided into age groups and gender) at all Masses commencing on the weekend of 7/8 May. Forms will be at the Church entrance to record numbers. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST

For those current Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist who wish to continue and for those who wish to become a Minister, would you please contact the Parish Office and leave your name and contact details before the end of May.

MARIAN PROCESSION 2022

The 2022 Marian Procession will be held on Sunday May 22 at the Adelaide Showgrounds. This year, in support of the Ukrainian community, the image that will lead our procession is Vyshhorodska - Mother of God. The Procession will commence at 2pm and all are invited to attend with their parish or community. Group assembly will begin from 1:30pm. The Procession will take place in the Main Arena however if the weather is inclement, it will be moved to the Wayville Pavilion. There will be car parking available onsite. For more information, please contact Archdiocesan Events on P: 8210 8220.



PRAYER MEETINGS

Will resume on Thursday 5 May from 10am-12 noon with some fellowship afterwards.

Everyone welcome.

2022 ONLINE MARIAN LECTURE

Human Dignity—An Aussie Value? A conversation with Jesuit Priest and human rights lawyer Fr Frank Brennan

6.00pm—7.15pm on 10 May

See noticeboard for further information—registration required

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT ST LUKE'S CHURCH - NOARLUNGA **EVERY THURSDAY FROM 9.00AM TO 12.30PM** Pray for the healing of: Angela Young, Cherie Morrison, David Healey, Helen Byrne, , Margaret Mottram, Joe Busuttil, Ivor Thomson, Ian Hamilton, Lucas Reekes-Parsons, William Tanti, Carlo Robusti, Gentile Monardo, Pauline Wheeldon, Jack and Pat Vaughan, Catherine Kelley,

Alex MacDonald

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Deceased: Valerie Wallis, Byrnece Cobiac, Philip Peppin

Anniversaries: Hanna Saada, Naqiya Joher, Najeeb Baho, Saidy Aziz, Brian Hemming

We keep in mind and our prayers those who have died and those who grieve.

(Names will remain on the Prayer for Healing list for one month).

Rosters for weekend 7/8 May

	6.00pm	9.00am
Proclaimer 1	Christine Jones	John Van Der Linden
Proclaimer 2	Denis Jones	Julie Lindur
Welcomer	Paul Knobloch	Mary Barrow

HOME VISITS

Do you know of someone in the Parish who is housebound or sick who would like to receive Communion or a blessing from a priest?

For Covid sufferers Communion can be left on the doorstep in a pyx.

If so could you please give their details to the Parish Office on 8382 1717 so a visit can be arranged.



Ladies Coffee & Cake Morning 10.30am—Friday 6 May Gold coin donation All welcome



MOTHERS DAY RAFFLE

Raffle tickets will be available after each Mass on the next 2 weekends.

FEDERAL ELECTION – AUSTRALIAN CATHOLIC BISHOPS CONFERENCE

Read the Australian Catholic Bishops' 2022 election statement *Towards a Better Kind of Politics* to help you reflect on the good you can do for the community by using your vote for the common good of all.

Copies are available on the Information Desk or from the Parish Office.

WHAT'S ON

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Mon	May 2	Feast of St Athanasius	
		Mass at 9.00am—St Luke's	
Tues	es May 3 Feast of Sts Philip & James		
		Mass at 9.00am—St Luke's	
Wed	May 4	Mass SCC—9.15am	
		Craft Group—10.00am	
		Mass at 7.30pm—St Luke's	
Thurs May 5		Mass at 9.00am—St Luke's	
		Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	
		Prayer Meeting—10am	
		Benediction at 12.30pm	
		Rosary at 6.45pm	
Fri	May 6	Rosary at 9.30am—St Luke's	
		Mass at 10am—St Luke's	
		Ladies Coffee & Cake—10.30am	
		Youth Meeting—6.00pm	
Sat	May 7	Reconciliation St Luke's—9.00am	
		Mass at 6.00pm—St Luke's	
Sun	May 8	Fourth Sunday of Easter	
		Mass at 9.00am & 5.30pm —St Luke's	
		Mass at 10.45am—SCC	

Mary MacKillop Precinct's Festival Events Part of SA History Festival—Reimagine

Sunday 1 May: Celebrating the 1st Birthday of the Mary MacKillop Walk

Sunday 22 May: Mary MacKillop's Josephites ... 156 years of *Reimagining*

These events are open to the public Bookings are essential for planning and catering purposes

Contact Mary MacKillop Museum to add your name to the lists. Phone 8130 5910 or email: info.mmprecinct@sosj.org.au

Full details of these events are available on the Mary MacKillop Precinct website:

www.marymackillopadelaide.org.au—see Events and Latest News.



Congratulations and
God's Blessings
to all who are celebrating
a Birthday or Anniversary
in May.

As there are parishioners who have not been vaccinated for various reasons we ask you to please ensure you abide by the Government guidelines regarding social distancing when attending Church services.

COMPLIANCE WITH COVID-19 REGULATIONS

(Current from 20/04/22)



- If you have tested positive for COVID-19, please follow the SA Health instructions in regard to isolating and other government health protocols. Stay home and do not attend church services until you have fully recovered.
- There are now no density limits for places of worship; Churches can return to full capacity.
- Masks are highly recommended by the Archdiocese.
- R codes or sign-ins are no longer required.
- Attendees at indoor religious services may sing during worship.
- Please keep in mind the importance of social distancing and good hygiene practices.
- Hand sanitizer is available at Church entrances.
- There should be no shaking of hands or holding hands during Mass.
- Offertory procession will be omitted. Communion is given only in hands. Precious Blood will not be distributed.
- Collection plates will not be passed around.
- Holy Water is not available at the doors of churches.
- Sick and high risk/vulnerable people should be encouraged not to attend.
- The Archdiocese recommends Covid vaccinations for all (please check with your GP if you have concerns).



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Simon Peter said, 'I'm going fishing.'
They replied, 'We'll come with you.'
They went out and got into the boat but caught nothing that night.

It was light by now and there stood Jesus on the shore, though the disciples did not realise that it was Jesus. Jesus called out, 'Have you caught anything, friends?' And when they answered, 'No', he said, 'Throw the net out to starboard and you'll find something.' So they dropped the net. and there were so many fish that they could not haul it in. The disciple Jesus loved said to Peter, 'It is the Lord.' At these words 'It is the Lord', Simon Peter, who had practically nothing on, wrapped his cloak round him and jumped into the water. The other disciples came on in the boat, towing the net and the fish; they were only about a hundred yards from land.

As soon as they came ashore they saw that there was some bread there, and a charcoal fire with fish cooking on it. Jesus said, 'Bring some of the fish you have just caught.' Simon Peter went aboard and dragged the net to the shore, full of big fish, one hundred and fifty-three of them; and in spite of there being so many the net was not broken. Jesus said to them, 'Come and have breakfast.' None of the disciples was bold enough to ask, 'Who are you?'; they knew quite well it was the Lord. Jesus then stepped forward, took the bread and gave it to them. and the same with the fish. This was the third time that Jesus showed himself to the disciples after rising from the dead.

After the meal Jesus said to Simon Peter, 'Simon son of John, do you love me more than these others do?' He answered, 'Yes Lord, you know I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my lambs.' A second time he said to him, 'Simon son of John, do you love me?' He replied, 'Yes, Lord, you know I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Look after my sheep.' Then he said to him a third time, 'Simon son of John, do you love me?' Peter was upset that he asked him the third time, 'Do you love me?' and said, 'Lord, you know everything; you know I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my sheep.

'I tell you most solemnly, when you were young you put on your own belt and walked where you liked; but when you grow old you will stretch out your hands, and somebody else will put a belt round you and take you where you would rather not go.'

In these words he indicated the kind of death by which Peter would give glory to God. After this he said, 'Follow me.'

HOW LEADERS FOLLOW

This image of Peter diving out of the boat always makes me smile. The evangelist describes Peter's preparations so discreetly, you might miss what he's saying: "Peter was in first-century underwear when the Lord arrived, so this was not an opportune time for a surprise visit". But Peter took his chances. He'd rather arrive in the Lord's presence in embarrassing disarray than not at all.

Peter follows with his heart and not with his head. Earlier, this led him to surrender to fear and deny his friend. But it also gives him the kind of passion that Jesus finds particularly endearing. If Peter is impetuous, he's also quick to repent and eager for another chance. In this sense he's like King David, who also won a lasting place in God's plan. Leaders with passion make mistakes. But perfection is rarely the quality God looks for in a future hero.

Which is more important to you, your dignity or your service? Consider what ways you're being called to be a "fool for Christ's sake". *GPBS eNews*

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

(02 - 08 May)

- *Monday, 02:* St Athanasius (Acts 6:8-15; Jn 6:22-29)
- *Tuesday, 03:* Sts Philip and James (1 Cor 15:1-8; Jn 14:6-14)
- Wednesday, 04: Wednesday, 3rd week of Easter (Acts 8:1-8; Jn 6:35-40)
- *Thursday, 05:* Thursday, 3rd week of Easter (Acts 8:26-40; Jn 6:44-51)
- *Friday, 06:* Friday, 3rd week of Easter ((Acts 9:1-20; Jn 6:52-59)
- *Saturday, 07:* Saturday, 3rd week of Easter (Acts 9:31-42; Jn 6:60-69)
- Sunday 08: 4th Sunday of Easter (Acts 13:14, 43-52; Apoc 7:9, 14-17; Jn 10:27-30)

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) 8382 1717; or in an emergency 0452 524 169.