



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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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

Genesis 14:18-20

Melchizedek king of Salem brought bread and wine; he was a priest of God Most High.

He pronounced this blessing: 'Blessed be Abraham by God Most High, creator of heaven and earth, and blessed be God Most High for handing over your enemies to you.' And Abraham gave him a tithe of everything.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 109:1-4

You are a priest forever, in the line of Melchizedek.

SECOND READING

1 Corinthians 11:23-26

This is what I received from the Lord, and in turn passed on to you: that on the same night that he was betrayed, the Lord Jesus took some bread, and thanked God for it and broke it, and he said, 'This is my body, which is for you; do this as a memorial of me.' In the same way he took the cup after supper, and said, 'This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Whenever you drink it, do this as a memorial of me.' Until the Lord comes, therefore, every time

you eat this bread and drink this cup, you are proclaiming his death.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Jn 6:51-52

Alleluia, alleluia!

I am the living bread from heaven, says the Lord; Whoever eats this bread will live forever. Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Luke 9:11-17

Jesus made the crowds welcome and talked to them about the kingdom of God; and he cured those who were in need of healing.

It was late afternoon when the Twelve came to him and said, 'Send the people away, and they can go to the villages and farms round about to find lodging and food; for we are in a lonely place here.' He replied, 'Give them something to eat yourselves.' But they said, 'We have no more than five loaves and two fish, unless we are to go ourselves and buy food for all these people' For there were about five thousand men. But he said to his disciples, 'Get them to sit down in parties of about fifty.' They did so and made them all sit down.

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Pray for the healing of: Angela Young, Cherie Morrison, Ivor Thomson, Catherine Kelley, Alex MacDonald, William Tanti, Gentile Monardo, Ian Hamilton, Gerry Rice, Suzanne Pearce, Joan Lavender, Jack Murphy, John Stanley, Gene Field, Pauline Gilbert, Pat & Jack Vaughan, Astrid Houareau, Mick Wood



Deceased: Chris Morton

Anniversaries:

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 25/26 June

	6.00pm	9.00am
Proclaimer 1	Christine Challis	Espi Tilbrook
Proclaimer 2	Adele Revina	Beverley Ellis
Welcomer	Mary Kralj	Erica Badics

ALTAR SERVERS TRAINING DAY

The training day for all altar servers, those currently serving and those interested in becoming servers, will be on Saturday 25 June from 2.00-3.30pm.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS TRAINING DAY

The training day for all Eucharistic Ministers, current and new, will be on Saturday 13 August from 2.30-5.30pm.

This is for both Noarlunga and Seaford communities.

Please reserve this date.

IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARY MACKILLOP

An Australian Pilgrimage led by a Sister of Saint Joseph & the inaugural Director of the Mary MacKillop Heritage Centre Melbourne— 18—29 October—Melbourne-Adelaide-Sydney. Brochures are available on the information desk.

HOME VISITING

Can you spare one hour every week or two to visit with a parishioner? We have many elderly and infirm parishioners who would benefit from having someone visit from our parish.

For more information please contact Gabrielle in the Parish Office.

***READERS ROSTERS ARE AVAILABLE ON THE INFORMATION DESK ***

WHAT'S ON

- Mon June 20 Mass at 9.00am—St Luke's
Tues June 21 Feast of St Aloysius Gonzaga
Mass at 9.00am—St Luke's
Confirmation for St John's & All Saints -7pm
Wed June 22 Feast of Sts John Fisher & Thomas More
Mass All Saints/SCC—9.15am
Craft Group—10.00am
Mass at 7.30pm—St Luke's
Thurs June 23 Mass at 9.00am—St Luke's
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Prayer Meeting—10am
Benediction at 12.30pm
Rosary at 6.45pm
Fri June 24 Feast of The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus
Rosary at 9.30am—St Luke's
Mass at 10am—St Luke's/Lombard House
Youth Meeting—6.00pm
Sat June 25 The Nativity of St John the Baptist
Reconciliation St Luke's—9.00am
Mass at 6.00pm—St Luke's
Sun June 26 Mass at 9.00am & 5.30pm —St Luke's
Mass at 10.45am—SCC

INVITATION TO ALL PARISHIONERS

To attend the Confirmation of Parish children on Tuesday 5 July at 7.00pm followed by supper.

Please keep them in your prayers.



Fr Josy will be celebrating the confirmation of 18 children from St John's School and All Saints School, at St Luke's Church

on Tuesday 21 June, 2021, at 7.00pm.

Please keep these children in your prayers also.

SCC ECUMENICAL SERVICE FOR MIGRANTS AND REFUGEES

10.30 am

Tuesday, June 21st

Followed by a cuppa and cake in the Café.

All are welcome.

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.

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

0404 297 930

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 83270020

Principal - Mrs Liz Keogh

Cardijn College 8392 9500

Principal - Dr P Rijken

Heads of Campus:

Cardijn College—Ms Danielle Greig

Galilee—Mr Nick Wright 8557 9000

Marcellin—Mr Gianni Petrucci

Church Cleaning

25/26 June:

Cleaning: Sally Standfield

Vacuuming: Bill Aldridge

Finances 11/12 June

1st Collection \$400

Support for Archdiocesan Priests

2nd Collection \$417 (20 envelopes)

Open Plate \$490

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:

July 2 Faith on Fire Seminar

July 21 Charismatic Mass

October In the Footsteps of Mary

18—29 MacKillop—An Australian
Pilgrimage

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

THANK YOU FROM KANGAROO ISLAND



The Kangaroo Island community are grateful for the donation received from St Luke's Parish after the devastating fires. This money has been used to regenerate the Parndana school grounds and build a new playground for the students.



SUNDAY MORNING TEAS AFTER MASS

Morning tea is being served after the Sunday morning Mass.

All welcome.

DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO WOULD LIKE SOME COMPANY?

Are you aware of any parishioners who may be lonely, ill or infirm and would benefit from a visit by someone, perhaps for an hour every week or two?

If you do then please let Gabrielle know in the Parish Office.

FAITH ON FIRE SEMINAR

Guest Speaker & Celebrant

Fr Selva RAJ

Be a Witness

Acts 4:20 We can not stop proclaiming what we have seen and heard

Saturday 2 July, 10.30am to 3.30pm

St Peter Clavert Church, 8 Stuart Rd, Dulwich.

Coffee & Tea provided: Bring your own lunch.

Includes Teaching, Reflection, Mass & Adoration.

Your donation appreciated.

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
ST LUKE'S CHURCH - NOARLUNGA
EVERY THURSDAY FROM 9.00AM TO 12.30PM**

COMPLIANCE WITH COVID-19 REGULATIONS

(Current from 15/06/22)



- 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.
- Masks are highly recommended by the Archdiocese.
- 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).

DID YOU KNOW?

- The twelve baskets full of remaining food signify that the Eucharist can meet all our needs. The abundance of the Eucharist is enough, indeed more than enough, to fill and sustain us.
- The abundant feast is an image associated with the coming of the Messiah, the advent of God's kingdom. In this gospel text, Jesus is bringing an experience of God's reign in the present time to those whom he fed in such abundance.

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Then he took the five loaves and the two fish, raised his eyes to heaven, and said the blessing over them; then he broke them and handed them to his disciples to distribute among the crowd. They all ate as much as they wanted, and when the scraps remaining were collected they filled twelve baskets.

SYMBOLS AND IMAGES

'The lonely place' where this action occurs is a symbol of our own longing to be filled, our yearning to belong. Jesus welcomes all who come and he cures those in need of healing. For Christians, the Eucharist satisfies all the needs of those who come to the table of the Lord. They are fed and nourished by the Body and Blood of Christ.

A LITTLE GOES A LONG WAY

But Jesus went ahead and directed his disciples, "Sit them down in groups of about fifty". They did what he said, and soon had everyone seated. He took the five loaves and two fish, lifted his face to heaven in prayer, blessed, broke, and gave the bread and fish to the disciples to hand out to the crowd. After the people had all eaten their fill, twelve baskets of leftovers were gathered up. (Luke 9: 14 - 17)

Dorothy Day's 1963 book *Loaves and Fishes* chronicled the founding and early decades of the Catholic Worker Movement, which Day started with French worker-scholar Peter Maurin in 1933. Day's story is dramatic and inspiring, with her radical roots, religious awakening, unpopular but steadfast pacifism, and courageous defence of civil rights and of all those who find themselves marginalised. It might be easy to conclude that she was an extraordinary person, a saint. But Day herself would have none of it, rejecting any talk of her sainthood with the reply, "Don't call me a saint. I don't want to be dismissed so easily".

Today, more than 40 years after Day's death, Catholic Worker communities remain committed to nonviolence, voluntary poverty, prayer, and hospitality for the homeless, exiled, hungry, and forsaken, according to the website CatholicWorker.org. Catholic Workers continue to protest injustice, war, racism, and violence of all forms. It's easy to feel overwhelmed by the problems the world faces. But we can take solace, and guidance, in these words of Dorothy Day: "What we do is every little, but it's like the little boy with a few loaves and fishes. Christ took that little and increased it. He will do the rest".

The Commissioning: Loving God, help us to give to you, in the Spirit you have given to us with a generosity beyond imagining, with a sense of justice that will not rest, with a desire to forgive that is unrelenting, with a breath of vision that is global, and with a love that you made clear to us in Jesus. Amen.

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THIS WEEK'S READINGS

(20 - 26 June)

- **Monday, 20:** Weekday, Ord Time 12 (2Kg 17:5-8, 13-15, 18; Mt 7:1-5)
- **Tuesday, 21:** St Aloysius Gonzaga (2 Kg 19:9-11, 14-21, 31-36; Mt 7:6, 12-14)
- **Wednesday, 22:** Sts John Fisher, Thomas More (2 Kg 22:8-13, 23:1-3; Mt 7:15-20)
- **Thursday, 23:** Weekday, Ord Time 12 (2 Kg 24:8-17; Mt 7:21-29; Lk 15:3-7)
- **Friday, 24:** The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus (Ezek 34:11-16; Rom 5:5-11)
- **Saturday, 25:** The Nativity of St John the Baptist (Is 49:1-6; Acts 13:22-26; Lk 1:57-66, 80)
- **Sunday 26:** 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time (1Kg 19:16, 19-21; Gal 5:1, 13-18; Lk 9:51-62)

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.