



Welcome to

Noarlunga/Seaford Catholic Parish

St Luke's, Noarlunga and SCC, Seaford

12TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR B

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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

Web: www.noarlunga-seafordparish.org.au

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)

• ASSISTANT PRIEST

Fr Dominick Okwadha
(Fr Domenick will be away on Annual Leave until 15 July)

• PARISH MANAGER NEWSLETTER

Mrs Toni Fishlock - 0417 801 241;
fishlock11@tpg.com.au

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

• SEAFORD

Please contact the Parish Office -
8382 1717

CHILD PROTECTION

Child Protection Unit 8210 8159

REGULAR WEEKEND MASSES

• SATURDAY EVENING

6.30pm - 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

Job 38:1, 8-11

From the heart of the tempest the Lord gave Job his answer. He said:

Who pent up the sea behind closed doors when it leapt tumultuous out of the womb, when I wrapped it in a robe of mist and made black clouds its swaddling bands; when I marked the bounds it was not to cross and made it fast with a bolted gate? Come thus far, I said, and no farther: here your proud waves shall break.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Give thanks to the Lord, his love is everlasting.

SECOND READING

2 Corinthians 5:6-10

The love of Christ overwhelms us when we reflect that if one man has died for all, then all men should be dead; and the reason he died for all was so that living men should live no longer for themselves, but for him who died and was raised to life for them.

From now onwards, therefore, we do not judge anyone by the standards of the flesh. Even if we did once know

Christ in the flesh, that is not how we know him now. And for anyone who is in Christ, there is a new creation; the old creation has gone, and now the new one is here.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia! A great prophet has appeared among us; God has visited his people. Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Mark 4:35-41

With the coming of evening, Jesus said to his disciples, 'Let us cross over to the other side.' And leaving the crowd behind they took him, just as he was, in the boat; and there were other boats with him. Then it began to blow a gale and the waves were breaking into the boat so that it was almost swamped. But he was in the stern, his head on the cushion, asleep. They woke him and said to him, 'Master, do you not care? We are going down!' And he woke up and rebuked the wind and said to the sea, 'Quiet now! Be calm!' And the wind dropped, and all was calm again. Then he said to them, 'Why are you so frightened?

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

SOLEMNITIES

in JUNE

Nativity of St John the Baptist
Monday, 24 June

Sts Peter and Paul
Saturday, 29 June

JESUS CALMS THE STORM

'Peace Be Still'

MARK 4:35-41

Faith on
stormy days

Church Cleaning

For weekend 29/30 June
Cleaning: Pat Harrington
Vacuuming: Bill Aldridge

Finances : June

For weekend 15/16 June
1st Collection \$545.00
Support for Archdiocesan Priests
2nd Collection \$278.00 (18 envelopes)
Open Plate \$604.00

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

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

The Parish Office Hours
Tuesday to Friday
10.00am—2.30pm

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

Noticeboard:

2024 Upcoming Courses
2024 Charis SA Services
22 June: Charis SA Inner Healing
Retreat
20 July: Charis SA Youth Retreat

Roster for weekend 29/30 June

	St Luke's 6:30pm	St Luke's 9:00am	St Luke's 5:30pm	SCC 10:45am
P	Fr Josy	Fr Thomas	Fr Josy	Fr Josy
P1	Denis Jones	Jordan Faulkner	Wade Champion	Anne Craig
P2	Annabelle Fernandes	Angeline D'Cruz	Yvonne Bennett	Angela McDonagh
W	Christine Jones	Espi Tilbrook	Gabrielle Byrne	Kris Lazelle
HC	Raylee Crane	Thomas Harry Elias	Sheralee van Heerde	Judith Botha
	Anton Crane	Maria Thomas	Dave van Heerde	
Children's Liturgy		Maria & Thomas		Dolores McCluskey
Music	6:30pm Sandiwa	9:00am	5:30pm	

Church Volunteers



St Luke's Church has a real need for volunteers for the following areas:

- Church Cleaning
- Altar Linen
- Visiting Nursing Homes
- Visiting Private Homes
- Proclaimers of the Word
- Office Help
- Welcomers
- Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
- Children's Liturgy
- Grounds Maintenance
- Money Counter

If you can serve your Church in any way, please contact the Parish Office on 8382 1717. Your help is greatly appreciated.

Altar Servers and Sacristan Meeting

There will be a meeting in St Luke's Church, on Saturday, 29th June from 9:30-11:00am for **ALL** sacristans, altar servers and those wishing to become altar servers.

Contact Gabrielle Byrne on 0422 804 579 for more information.

Parish Pastoral Council Report: Noarlunga Seaford Parish

On Saturday, 9 March 2024, parishioners, clergy and religious gathered at Cardijn for the Diocesan Regional Assembly-South. This involved people from our parish, Morphett Vale, Willunga, Aldinga, Normanville, Victor Harbour, Kangaroo Island and parish schools. The focus of the day was for us to reflect and discern our call as a faith community and how we can continue to be relevant and attractive enough especially for youth, children and families.

Our parish was represented by over 40 participants with over half being our younger parishioners from the youth group.

The PPC has established three action committees comprised of PPC members and parishioners to do the planning of these actions. They will meet regularly in the next few months and we hope to provide an update of these actions by the end of August 2024.

Copy of full report at the information desk. Thank you.

- Paul Rijken
Chairperson, PPC

Pray for the healing of: Catherine Kelley, Anthony Shaw, Greg Cahill, Maresa Sylvester, Jade Robusti, Mary and Tom Worden, Paul Badics, Neville and Heather D'Cruz, William Tanti, Gentile Monardo, Terry Cahalan, Cate Lavelle, Shelley Heard, Astrid Houareau



Deceased:

Anniversaries:

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

PLEASE TAKE NOTE:

- ♦ **Change of Mass times in June and July.**
- ♦ **Mass on Thursday, 27 June, will be celebrated at 8:30am.**

Holy Father's Appeal

Next weekend, at the Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul, Catholic parishes around the world will take up the **St Peter's Pence Collection**. The Appeal is for the works of the Holy Father and helps him provide funds for emergency assistance to those in need, in particular the victims of war, oppression and natural disasters.

Thank you for your generosity.

ONKAPARINGA PRAYER BREAKFAST

Date & Time: Friday, 30 August from 6:45am

Where: Serafino Winery, McLaren Vale

Guest Speaker: Georgie Thomas, founder of "Mustard Seed Family Project"

For further details: Kevin Barry 8382 3773

kevinjbarry@professionals.com.au

Charis SA

Youth Retreat: 2 Tim 1:7

Stir up that gift of God which is in you through me.

When: Saturday, 20 July 9:30am to 4:00pm

Where: St Peter Claver Church
8 Stuart Rd, Dulwich

For more enquiries: call 0450 651 900



Please Note: Baptisms will be held on the first and third Saturday of the month at 9:30am and on Sundays during the Mass.

CHILD PROTECTION



Children who have any kind of disability should receive special care and support so that they can live a full and independent life.

Children have the right to good quality health care, clean water, nutritious food and a clean environment so that they will stay healthy.

CHILDRENS' MASS WILL BE CELEBRATED ON THE FIRST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH AT 9:00AM AND 5:30PM.

NEXT MASS WILL BE ON 7 JULY.

WHAT'S ON

Mon	24 June	Mass at 9:00am - St Luke's
Tues	25 June	Mass at 8:30am - St Luke's
Wed	26 June	Mass at 9:15am - SCC Craft Group at 10:00am Mass at 7:30pm - St Luke's
Thurs	27 June	Mass at 8:30am - St Luke's Prayer Meeting at 10:00am Rosary at 6:45pm
Fri	28 June	Rosary at 9:30am - St Luke's Mass at 10:00am - St Luke's
Sat	29 June	Reconciliation at 9:00am - St Luke's Altar Server/Sacristan Meeting 9:30am Mass at 6:30pm - St Luke's
Sun	30 June	13 th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B Mass at 9:00am - St Luke's Mass at 10:35am - SCC Mass at 5:30pm - St Luke's



Seaford Christian Churches

611 Grand Boulevard (Corner of Main Street)

SCC NEWS

The Catholic Community at Seaford invites you to join them for lunch. Bookings and payments can be made in person at the SCC Café Tuesday-Friday 9:30-2:00pm or following the 10:45am Mass at SCC.

Day and Date: Wednesday, 3 July

Where: SCC Café

Time: 12:30pm

Cost: \$12.00 per person

Mains: Beef Stroganoff or Stuffed Chicken Breast

Dessert: Apple Crumble

PLEASE TAKE NOTE:

- ♦ **Change of Mass time in SCC on Sunday, 30th June to 10:35am.**

Caritas Australia's PNG Landslide Appeal

Remote communities in Papua New Guinea have been devastated by the catastrophic landslide that struck at 3am on May 24. The United Nations estimates that at least 670 people may have lost their lives and many more are displaced. Your urgent support is needed now.

Donate at www.caritas.org.au/png or phone 1800 024 413.



Charis SA: Catholic Charismatic Renewal Services

**St Peter Claver Church
8 Stuart Road, Dulwich**

every 4th Thursday of the month 7:00 - 9:00pm

27 June, 25 July, 22 August, 26 September,
24 October, 28 November

Contact 0407 060 715 for more information.

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Toni Fishlock (0417 801 241)

BAPTISM of INFANTS

Phone 8382 1717

**SACRAMENT of
RECONCILIATION**

Each Saturday 9.00am - 9.30am
or by appointment

PASTORAL CO-ORDINATOR

Gabrielle Byrne
Phone: 0422 804 579
Email: gabrielle1956.gb@gmail.com

CHILD PROTECTION

We are a Child Safe Organisation which is committed to the care, well-being and protection of children and young people.

Contact - Gabrielle Byrne
Phone: 0422 804 579
Email: gabrielle1956.gb@gmail.com

Child Protection Unit: 8210 8159

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Chairperson - Paul Rijken

PARISH LITURGY GROUP

Chairperson - Margaret Burns

**PARISH SCHOOLS and
COLLEGES**

- St John the Apostle (8382 2064)
Principal - Leanne Johansen
- All Saints (8327 0020)
Principal - Nick Wright
- Cardijn College (8392 9500)
Principal - Steve Byrne
Heads of Campus
Marian - Wade Champion
Galilee - Kerri Gould (8557 9000)
Marcellin - Gianni Petrucci

DID YOU KNOW?

'The other side' refers to the eastern shore of the Sea of Galilee, This was known as pagan territory, the region of the Decapolis or the 'Ten cities', which were not part of the traditional lands of Israel.

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How is it that you have no faith?' They were filled with awe and said to one another, 'Who can this be? Even the wind and the sea obey him.'

GOD UNLIMITED

(Mark 4: 35 - 41)

Awake now, Jesus told the wind to pipe down and he said to the sea, "Quiet! Settle down!" The wind ran out of breath; the sea became smooth as glass. Jesus reprimanded the disciples, "Why are you such cowards? Don't you have any faith at all?" They were in absolute awe, staggered. "Who is this, anyway?" they asked. "Wind and sea at his beck and call!" *(Mark 4:39-41)*

Some scholars are fishermen, but it doesn't follow that all fishermen are scholars. Certainly, the guys who followed Jesus since Galilee didn't betray hours of brilliant learning. If they'd studied Scripture much, they might have recognised in Jesus' absolute control of the waters the divine authority displayed in the Old Testament. God sets limits on the waters in Genesis, and ever after the waters are under heavenly control. Think Noah and the ark, Moses and the Red Sea, Elijah and the long famine without rain, Job and the Voice from the Whirlwind, Jonah and the great fish, to name a few. Only God can wield power over the forces of chaos represented by water. If Jesus could do it too, then logic would suggest that Jesus had a special relationship to God.

But we can't really blame the first disciples for not recognising the power of God when they were up to their necks in it. How often do astonishing events come into our lives, and we just say, "What luck!" or "How talented I am!" never acknowledging the true source of grace.

GIVE YOURSELF A TIME OUT

(Mark 4:35-41)

When she was a small child, my niece had a meltdown one day in the middle of the ornate foyer of her paediatrician's office in the city. She did not want to leave, but she didn't want to stay. She had entered the

dreaded toddler contrarian mode that no amount of cajoling can deactivate. Her legs collapsed and she lay prostrate on the rich marble floor being traversed by beautifully clad businesspeople who stared at us with withering "can't you please control that child" looks.

At our wits' end, we dragged my precious darling niece across the foyer and out the door, where we lifted her kicking and screaming and put her into the car. Her Mum and Dad then let out a torrent of words that included phrases like "never so embarrassed," "big trouble," "no TV," "time out." Before their tirade was complete they looked into the rearview mirror and saw that my niece had fallen asleep. "Good God," we thought, "she was just tired. Why didn't we see that? Why didn't we handle the situation better?"

The words from Psalm 46 came to mind: "Be still and know that I am God," which are reminiscent of Jesus' command to the wind and sea in this week's gospel: "Quiet and still." I sat still for a long time, just listening to my niece's steady breathing. I realised I was the one who was in big trouble and in need of time out. I wish the inspiration had come sooner. Maybe next time it will. *GPBS eNews*

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

(24 - 30 June)

- **Monday, 24:** The Nativity of St John the Baptist (Is 49:1-6; Acts 13:22-26; Lk 1:57-66, 80)
- **Tuesday, 25:** Weekday, Ordinary Time 12 (2 Kg 19:9-11, 14-21, 31-36; Mt 7:6, 12-14)
- **Wednesday, 26:** Weekday, Ordinary Time 12 (2 Kg 22:8-13, 23:1-3; Mt 7:15-20)
- **Thursday, 27:** Weekday, Ordinary Time 12 (2 Kg 24:8-17; Mt 7:21-29)
- **Friday, 28:** St Irenaeus (2 Kg 25:1-12; Mt 8:1-4)
- **Saturday, 29:** Sts PETER and PAUL (Acts 12:1-11; 2 Tim 4:6-8, 17-18; Mt 16:13-19)
- **Sunday, 30:** 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Wis 1:13-15, 2:23-24; 2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15; Mk 5:21-24, 35-43)

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.