



Welcome to

Noarlunga/Seaford Catholic Parish

St Luke's, Noarlunga and SCC, Seaford

TWENTY-EIGHTH 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 - *(Fr Josy is on leave until mid-October)*

• ASSISTANT PRIEST

Fr Dominick Okwadha
(8382 1717; 0421 074 212
okwadha@yahoo.com)

• 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

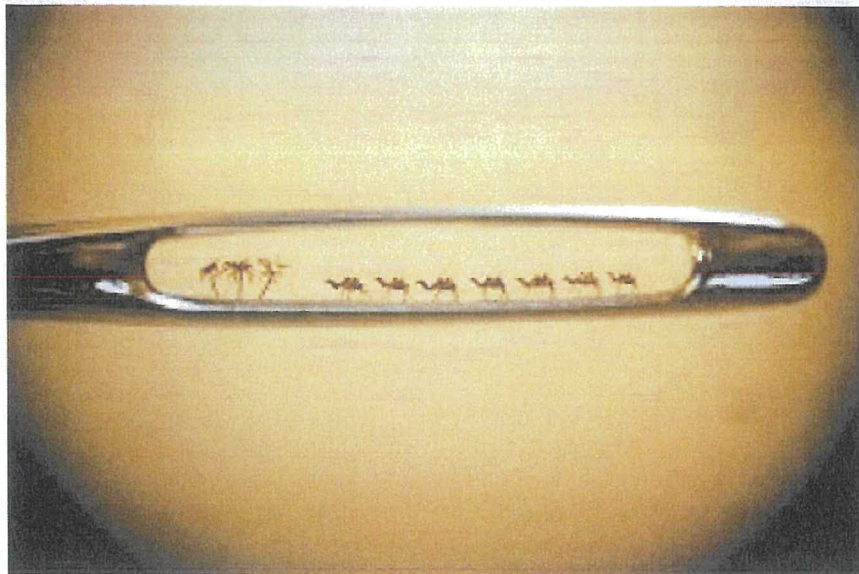
REGULAR WEEKEND MASSES

• SATURDAY EVENING

6.00pm - 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

Wisdom 7:7-11

I prayed, and understanding was given me; I entreated, and the spirit of Wisdom came to me.

I esteemed her more than sceptres and thrones; compared with her, I held riches as nothing.

I reckoned no priceless stone to be her peer, or compared with her, all gold is a pinch of sand, and beside her silver ranks as mud.

I loved her more than health or beauty, preferred her to the light, since her radiance never sleeps.

In her company all good things came to me, at her hands riches not to be numbered.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 89:12-17

*Fill us with your love, O Lord,
and we will sing for joy!*

SECOND READING

Hebrews 4:12-13

The word of God is something alive and active: it cuts like any double-edged sword but more finely: it can slip through the place where the soul is divided from the spirit, or joints from the marrow; it can judge the secret emotions and thoughts. No created thing can hide from him; everything is uncovered and open to the eyes of the one to whom we must give account of ourselves.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Mt 5:3

Alleluia, alleluia!

*Happy the poor in spirit;
the kingdom of heaven is theirs!*
Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Mark 10:17-30

Jesus was setting out on a journey when a man ran up, knelt before him and put this question to him, 'Good master, what must I do to inherit eternal life?' Jesus said to him, 'Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone. You know the commandments: You must not kill; You must not commit adultery; You must not steal; You must not bring false witness; You must not defraud; Honour your father and mother.' And he said to him, 'Master, I have kept all these from my earliest days.' Jesus looked steadily at him and loved him, and he said, 'There is one thing you lack. Go and sell everything you own and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me.' But his face fell at these words and he went away sad, for he was a man of great wealth.

Jesus looked round and said to his disciples, 'How hard it is for those who have riches to enter the kingdom of God!' The disciples were astounded by these words, but Jesus insisted,

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SOLEMNITIES

in NOVEMBER and
DECEMBER 2024

All Saints' Day
Friday, 1 November

Our Lord Jesus Christ
King of the Universe
Sunday, 24 November

The Immaculate Conception of
the Blessed Virgin Mary
Monday, 9 December

The Nativity of the Lord
Wednesday, 25 December

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

Roster for weekend 19/20 October

	St Luke's 6:00pm	St Luke's 9:00am	St Luke's 5:30pm	SCC 10:45am
P	Fr Joash	Fr Joash	Fr Dominick	Fr Joash
P1	Tinna Buenviaje	Rhea Thomas	Theresa Tanti	Christianne Sayo
P2	Mel Buenviaje	Ronan Thomas	Dave van Heerde	Reggie Rupinkas
W	Paul Rijken	Jordan Faulkner	Wade Champion	Kris Lazelle
HC	Anton Crane	Thomas Harry	Sheralee van Heerde	Dolores McCluskey
	Raylee Crane	Angeline D'Cruz	Gabrielle Byrne	
Children's Liturgy				Dolores McCluskey
Music	6:00pm	9:00am	5:30pm	

WHAT MUST I DO?

MARK 10: 17 31

What must I do to inherit
eternal life?"

Church Cleaning

For weekend 19/20 October
Cleaning: Thomas Family
Vacuuming: Bill Aldridge

Finances : September

For weekend 5/6 October
1st Collection \$759.00
Support for Archdiocesan Priests
2nd Collection \$268.00 (17 envelopes)
Open Plate \$606.00

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

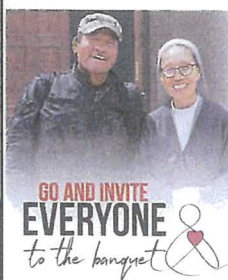
PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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
28 November: Charis SA Retreat



In Mongolia, Chuluunbaatar suffered a life-altering injury while trying to rescue a submerged vehicle, leaving him unable to work and reliant on scarce support services for basic needs. Without shelter and food, Chuluunbaatar faces the real risk of freezing to death. Resources are limited, but the Church in Mongolia is working hard to provide essential services to people in need.

This World Mission Month, we invite you to extend your generosity to help enhance these vital services. Your support can make a significant difference to the lives of many, offering hope and tangible assistance to individuals like Chuluunbaatar.



Freecall: 1800 257 296
catholicmission.org.au/mongolia

SCAN ME



October is Rosary Month

By tradition, the Catholic Church dedicates each month of the year to a certain devotion. The month of October is dedicated to the Holy Rosary and the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary falls on 7 October. The best way to celebrate the month is, of course, to pray the Rosary.

St Luke's Parish will be celebrating Rosary Month with a five day rosary every Wednesday and will be followed by the Holy Mass on the following dates.

Day and Date	Time	
Wednesday, 16 October	7:00pm	Holy Rosary
	7:30pm	Holy Mass
Wednesday, 23 October	7:00pm	Holy Rosary
	7:30pm	Holy Mass
Wednesday, 30 October	7:00pm	Holy Rosary
	7:30pm	Holy Mass

Get
well
soon

Let us keep Fr Josy in our prayers
and hope for his speedy recovery.

Get
well
soon

Pray for the healing of: Rebecca Dawson, Lili Ware, Marlene Hemming, Jaxson Abbie, Catherine Kelley, Dean Davey, Sue Moore, Jennifer Abadilla, Ollie Ebsary, Elijah Ebsary, Rachael Bartolo, Terry Byrne, Joanna Lavelle, Tom and Mary Worden, Margaret Jack, William Tanti, Gentile Monardo, Anthony Shaw, Greg Cahill, Maresa Sylvester, Jade Robusti, Paul Badics, Neville and Heather D'Cruz, Cate Lavelle, Shelley Heard, Astrid Houareau



Deceased:

Anniversaries:

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

Healing Weekend

A Healing Weekend will be held on Saturday, 19 October from 11:00am-4:30pm and Sunday, 20 October from 9:30am-4:00pm at Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Church in 420 Seaview Road, Henley Beach.

The speaker is Fr Manu Kumbidiyamackal MSFS. It will include talks on different kinds of healing, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Anointing, Reconciliation and Sunday Mass. Coffee and tea will be provided but bring your own lunch.

For enquiries and bookings, phone Pauline 0403002240 by 16th October. Cost by cash donation All Welcome!



Prayer Card for Jubilee Year 2025

At the start of the year, Pope Francis declared 2024 the Year of Prayer ahead of the Jubilee and called on the faithful *to intensify your prayers in order to prepare ourselves to live this event of grace well, and to experience the strength of God's hope.*

Get a copy of the Prayer Card from the Information Desk to help pray for Jubilee Year 2025.

PRAYER GROUP

We'd love for more people to join our Prayer group. At our meetings we praise, and pray to God - and learn about Him. We have different topics every week, sharing faith and life together.

Men are very welcome too.

Meeting will re-commence this Thursday, 17 October from 10:00am -12 noon + lunch

Contacts: Theresa on 0401 293 194 and Angie 8382 7257

CHILD PROTECTION



Children have the right to a legally registered name and nationality. Children also have the right to know their parents and, as far as possible, to be cared for by them.

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

NEXT MASS WILL BE ON 3 NOVEMBER.

WHAT'S ON

Mon 14 Oct	Mass at 9:00am - St Luke's
Tues 15 Oct	Mass at 9:00am - St Luke's
Wed 16 Oct	Mass at 9:15am - SCC Rosary at 7:00pm - St Luke's Mass at 7:30pm - St Luke's
Thurs 17 Oct	Mass at 9:00am - St Luke's Prayer Meeting at 10:00am SCC AGM at 4:00pm Rosary at 6:45pm - St Luke's RCIA at 7:00pm
Fri 18 Oct	Rosary at 9:30am - St Luke's Mass at 10:00am - St Luke's
Sat 19 Oct	Reconciliation at 9:00am - St Luke's Baptism of Logan & Charlotte at 9:30am Mass at 6:00pm - St Luke's
Sun 20 Oct	29 th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B Mass at 9:00am - St Luke's Mass at 10:45am - SCC Mass at 5:30pm - St Luke's



Seaford Christian Churches

611 Grand Boulevard (Corner of Main Street)

SCC NEWS

- **SCC AGM will be held on Thursday, 17 October at 4:00pm in Inparilla (Large worship space) at SCC. All are invited to attend.**
- **The Annual Report will be available shortly.** Conscious of environmental concerns the report will be available mainly on-line. If you wish to receive the report in this form please leave your email at the information desk.
- SCC invites you to join us every Saturday for **The World Community of Christian Meditation (WCCM)** is held at 9:00am in the Meeting Room at SCC. For further information go to: <https://wccm.org>
- **Meditation for Peace**, with Father Tom, will continue to be held every Saturday at 10:00am, in the Wirra; please bring a chair. This meditation group began as a lead up to the UN International Day of Peace Inter-faith gathering

Embrace Life from Fr Dean Marin Rally for Life

On the steps of Parliament House
Tuesday October 15 from 5-30pm to 6-30pm.

This gathering will support the upcoming **Hon Ben Hood MLC's Termination of Pregnancy (Terminations and Live Births) Amendment Bill 2024** which will be voted in Parliament at the end of October and seek to wind back extreme consequences of late term abortions in South Australia. Since mid-2022, 45 fully formed and healthy babies have been killed at late-stage gestation in SA, when they could have been birthed alive.

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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?

Orthodox Jews believe that Moses
was the author of the first five books
of the Old Testament, known as the
Pentateuch or the Torah, which means
Law. Thus the designation of 'the Law
of Moses'.

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'My children,' he said to them 'how
hard it is to enter the kingdom of God!
It is easier for a camel to pass through
the eye of a needle than for a rich man
to enter the kingdom of God.' They
were more astonished than ever. 'In
that case' they said to one another
'who can be saved?' Jesus gazed at
them. 'For men' he said 'it is
impossible, but not for God: because
everything is possible for God.'

Peter took this up. 'What about us?'
he asked him. 'We have left
everything and followed you.' Jesus
said, 'I tell you solemnly, there is no
one who has left house, brothers,
sisters, father, children or land for my
sake and for the sake of the gospel
who will not be repaid a hundred
times over, houses, brothers, sisters,
mothers, children and land - not
without persecutions - now in this
present time and, in the world to
come, eternal life.'

POSSESSED

*Looking at his disciples, Jesus said,
"Do you have any idea how difficult it
is for people who 'have it all' to enter
God's kingdom?" The disciples
couldn't believe what they were
hearing, but Jesus kept on: "You can't
imagine how difficult. I'd say it's
easier for a camel to go through a
needle's eye than for the rich to get
into God's kingdom. (Mk 10:23 - 25)*

The lie about all of our stuff is this:
We possess it. In fact, our possessions
own us more powerfully than we can
ever hope to claim them. Make a
mental list of what you think you've
got: home, car, lawn, furniture, bank
accounts, education, title, position,
relationships, and responsibilities.
Whatever we have, it also has us. And
what it costs us to maintain all of our
stuff goes much deeper than our
wallets. It takes time and life and
effort and will to keep all the stuff of
our lives in place.

Even the poorest person on the planet
possesses something; the goal isn't to
renounce all resources because we
can't. We'd still be in possession of
our lives. The spiritual goal is to
surrender what we possess, so that it
can't make us less free. If we

surrender our resources to God's
purposes, then no one can take
anything from us. We become
liberated when our worldly wealth is
at the disposal of God's will. Those
who walk off with heavy hearts are
dragging their possessions with them.

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KIDS' CORNER

*Fill us at daybreak with your
kindness, that we may shout for joy
and gladness all our days.
(Psalm 90:14)*

Each morning when you get up, you
have an important choice to make:
What will you think about? You could
think about someone who made you
angry yesterday or about something
unpleasant that you've got to do
today. On the other hand, you could
think about some of the good stuff
you're going to enjoy. You can think
about the friends you're going to see.
You can think about God who loves
you and who will be with you all day
long. Starting your day with happy
thoughts is a lot more fun. It will
bring more joy into your entire day!

God living among us, thank you for
the good things each day brings.
Amen.

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THIS WEEK'S READINGS

(October 14 - 20)

- **Monday, 14:** Weekday, Ord Time
28 (Gal 4:22-24, 26-27, 31- 5:1; Lk
11:29-32)
- **Tuesday, 15:** St Teresa of Jesus (Gal
5:1-6; Lk 11:37-41)
- **Wednesday, 16:** Weekday, Ord Time
28 (Gal 5:18-25; Lk 11:42-46)
- **Thursday, 17:** St Ignatius of
Antioch, (Eph 1:1-10; Lk 11:47-54)
- **Friday, 18:** St Luke, (2Tim 4:10-17;
Lk 10:1-9)
- **Saturday, 19:** Weekday, Ord Time
28 (Eph 1:15-23; Lk 12:8-12)
- **Sunday 20:** 29th SUNDAY in
ORDINARY TIME (Is 53:10-11;
Heb 4:14-16; Mk 10:35-45)

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 0417 801 241.