

Baptism of Infants: 8382 1717

Children's Faith Formation

Dolores McCluskey 0413 810 049

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

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

Ministry to Sick:

Gabrielle Byrne 0422 804 579

Antioch Co-ordinators:

Sandy & Paul Knobloch 0433 471 077

Child Safe Contact Person:

Dolores McCluskey 0413 810 049

Nick Wright 0456 470 539

Chairperson Parish Pastoral Council:

Kevin Barry

Chairperson Liturgy Group:

Margaret Burns

Parish Schools and Colleges:

Galilee Learning Centre 8557 9000

Principal - Ms J Higgins and
Ms Sharon Doyle

St John the Apostle 8382 2064

Principal - Ms Dee-Anne Peters

All Saints 83270020

Principal - Mrs Liz Keogh

Cardijn College 8392 9500

Principal - Dr P Rijken

Church Cleaning

For weekend 29 Feb/1 March

Cleaning: Sally Stanfield

Vacuuming: Liz Smith

Finances

For weekend 15/16 February

1st Collection \$1236

Support for Archdiocesan Priests

2nd Collection \$569 (48 envelopes)

Open Plate \$831

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

Notice Board

Feb 22 Launch of
Project Compassion

Feb 29 Faith on Fire Seminar:
The Prodigal Son

March 4- Active Lent Talk Series
April 3 for Young Adults 18+

March 19 Charismatic Mass

June Saints of Italy Pilgrimage

**PROJECT
COMPASSION**
GO FURTHER TOGETHER

Caritas
AUSTRALIA

PROJECT COMPASSION SUNDAY 23 FEBRUARY

Please take home a Project Compassion box and/or a set of donation envelopes
and support Caritas Australia this Lenten season themed
"Go Further Together".



As Teresa of Calcutta said, "Not all of us can do great things. But we can do small things, with great love."

You will be helping empower our world's most vulnerable communities to grow stronger and share their strengths with their communities to lift themselves out of poverty.

When we **Go Further Together** in love and compassion, the whole world thrives.

You can donate through Parish boxes and envelopes,
or by visiting www.caritas.org.au/projectcompassion or phoning 1800 024 413.

SOCIAL JUSTICE

20 February—World Day of Social Justice

Social justice is an underlying principle for peaceful and prosperous coexistence within and among nations. The ILO estimates that currently about 2 billion people live in fragile and conflict-affected situations, of whom more than 400 million are aged 15-29.

Job creation, better quality jobs and better access to jobs for the bottom 40 per cent have the potential to increase incomes and contribute to more cohesive and equitable societies and thus are important to prevent violent conflicts and to address post-conflict challenges.

THE SOUTHERN DEANERY LENTEN STATIONAL MASS

7.00pm on Thursday 5 March 2020

St Luke's Church

All parishioners are invited.

The tradition of celebrating Lenten Stational Masses provides an opportunity for the faithful in parishes in each Deanery cluster to come together with Archdiocesan leaders and local clergy to share the Lenten journey. Conscious of walking in the footsteps of Jesus, communities have a chance to meet, to pray, to celebrate the Eucharist and to be mindful of the needs of the wider community as we prepare our hearts and minds for the celebration of Easter.



**Stations of the Cross will be held at St Luke's every
Friday during Lent at 7.30pm.**

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
ST LUKE'S CHURCH - NOARLUNGA
EVERY THURSDAY FROM 8.30AM TO 4.00PM**

Pray for the healing of: Maureen Munday, Ella McFadyen, Angela Young, Bill Tanti, Carlo Robusti, Gentile Monardo, Saul Moreton, Michael Sincock, Mel Smith, Anton Sylvester, Marie MacLoughlin, Michelle Smith, Joe Ecker, Catherine Kelley, Mary Szantyr, Olive Murphy, Briege Hannon



Deceased:

Anniversaries: John McPhail (39 yrs)

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 29 February/1 March

Saturday 6.00pm Sunday 9.00am

Proclaimer 1	Christine Challis	Espi Tilbrook
Proclaimer 2	Annabelle Fernandez	Beverley Ellis
Welcomer	Mary Kralj	Connie Anderson

Extraordinary Ministers

HOSTS

1	Kathy Barry	Liz Smith
2	Norah Byrne	Angie Robusti
3	Anne Byrne	Tony Chaina

CHALICES

1	Sandy Knobloch	John Van Der Linden
2	Brian Hanna	Margaret V D Linden
3	Paul Knobloch	Theresa Tanti
4	Kevin Barry	Sue Sincock

MUSIC ROSTER

Projectionist	Nick	Carmel
Music		Folk Group



**ASH WEDNESDAY
MASS TIMES**

CC Middle School—St Luke's	9.00am
All Saints School	9.15am, 12.30pm
CC Senior Liturgy—St Luke's	10.45am
St John the Apostle School	11.30am
St Luke's	7.30pm

**ANNUAL MYSTERY AUCTION BBQ
FOR VINNIES**

Sunday 29 March

\$5 entry

5 Robertson street, Christies Beach
BYO chairs and drink
Tea and coffee supplied



WHAT'S ON

Mon	Feb 24	9.00am Mass—St Luke's
Tues	Feb 25	9.00am Mass —St Luke's 12 noon Mass—St John's *cancelled*
Wed	Feb 26	Ash Wednesday—see newsletter notice 10.00am—Noarlunga Craft Group 7.30pm Mass—St Luke's
Thurs	Feb 27	8.15am Mass—St Luke's 8.30am Exposition of Blessed Sacrament 10.00am—Prayer Group 4.00pm St Luke's—Benediction
Fri	Feb 28	9.30am Rosary—St Luke's 10.00am Mass—St Luke's
Sat	Feb 29	9.00am Reconciliation—St Luke's

CHANGE OF SCHOOL MASS TIMES

There will be no Mass at St John's on
Tuesday 25 February.

CAKE STALL—YOUTH GROUP

To help cover the cost of retreat expenses.
Before and after Sunday morning and evening Masses on
25 February.

LENTEN CONTEMPLATIVE STUDY GROUP

The Parish as a School of Discipleship

This group will explore the First of the Eight Gospel Pathways—"The Parish is a prayerful community in which each member is called to a personal relationship with Jesus."

At Mary of Galilee Community Room
Cnr Quinliven and How Rds, Aldinga

7.00pm Tuesdays—3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th, 31st March, 7th April
To register contact Peter Laffan at impe@internode.on.net or
8556 3915

SCC NEWS

Lenten Reflection Program

The SEM Catholic community will host the Brisbane Lenten reflection program on Wednesdays and Fridays during Lent, commencing Ash Wednesday 26 February, 10.30 – 12.00 noon. The program theme is 'Compassion' and involves reflection and sharing on the Lenten Sunday gospels and their invitation to us in our daily lives. To enable us to purchase the books (\$8.80), **PLEASE SIGN THE REGISTRATION FORM** on the table at the entrance to St Luke's and the SEM worship space by Sunday 23 February.

REGULAR MASS TIMES IN OUR CLUSTER CHURCHES ALDINGA

*Mary of Galilee, the First Disciple
cnr Quinliven and How Roads*
Saturday 5.30pm
Tuesday 9.15am

GOOLWA

St John the Apostle, 10-14 Gardiner St
Sunday 9.00am
Wednesday 9.30am

KINGSCOTE

*Our Lady of Perpetual Help,
cnr Todd and Giles Streets*
Sunday 9.30am

NOARLUNGA

*St Luke, the Evangelist,
cnr Honeypot Rd and Goldsmith Dve*
Saturday 6.00pm
Sunday 9.00am
1st Sunday 11am (Spanish Mass)
2nd Sunday 2.00pm (Filipino Mass)
Sunday (Youth Mass) 5.30pm
Monday 9.00am
Tuesday 9.00am
Wednesday 7.30pm
Thursday 8.15am (St Luke's)
Thursday 9.15am (St John's - term time)
Friday 10.00am

NORMANVILLE

St Peter, Cape Jervis Road
1st, 3rd, 5th Sundays 10.30am
2nd, 4th Sundays 8.30am
1st Friday
11.50am Adoration, 12.00 noon Mass

PENNESHAW

*St Columba, North Terrace
(shared with Anglicans)*
1st Sunday 3.15pm

SEAFORD

*Seaford Ecumenical Mission,
Grand Bvd*
Sunday 10.45am
Wednesday 9.15am

VICTOR HARBOR

St Joan of Arc, 30 Seaview Road
Saturday 6.00pm
Sunday 11.00am
Tuesday 9.00am
Thursday 9.00am
Friday 9.00am
1st Friday Benediction following Mass

WILLUNGA

St Joseph, 12 St Judes Street
1st, 3rd, 5th Sundays 8.30am
2nd, 4th Sundays 10.30am
Wednesday 9.00am
Thursday 9.00am
Friday 9.00am

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'You have learnt how it was said: You must love your neighbour and hate your enemy. But I say this to you: love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you; in this way you will be sons of your Father in heaven, for he causes his sun to rise on bad men as well as good, and his rain to fall on honest and dishonest men alike. For if you save your greetings for your brothers, are you doing anything exceptional? Even the pagans do as much, do they not? You must therefore be perfect just as your heavenly Father is perfect.'

FIRST COMMUNITY DAY 2020



Grief, the Environment and Jesus

You are invited to a Day of Reflection

Date: Sunday, March 1
Place: St Joseph's Parish Hall, St George's Street, Willunga
Time: 9.30am - 3.00pm
(You may wish to join in the Parish Mass in St Joseph's at 8.30am)

Please bring something to share for lunch and morning tea. Tea and coffee provided. All are welcome.
Any queries, please contact:
Clare - clarealiceh@gmail.com or
Fr Tom - tegleeson@bigpond.com

DID YOU KNOW?

- 'An eye for an eye; a tooth for a tooth.' This notion of justice and retribution from the Old Testament is often misunderstood. Rather than a dire punishment aimed at vengeance, it is in fact a way of limiting retribution. In effect, Old Testament law on this point says that you may not extract more punishment than was inflicted.

PASTORAL CARE

If you (or someone you know) is house-bound, in hospital or in residential care and would appreciate a visit from a Priest or someone from the Parish, please let us know.
Contact: Noarlunga/Seaford (8382 1717), Willunga (0488 287 552),
Victor Harbor/Goolwa (8552 1084), Kangaroo Island (0418 819 078).

- In Jesus' time, a Roman soldier had the right to command any man to carry his kit one mile but no further.
- Tax collectors were reviled by the Jews because they cooperated with the Romans and collected Roman taxes on their behalf. Because of their association with Gentiles, they were considered unclean.

EXPLORING THE WORD

This gospel continues the theme of going beyond what is required by law, but here Jesus takes the teaching much further. More than honouring the spirit of the law over the letter of the law, Jesus advocates what must have sounded like the ravings of a mad man to his hearers: don't just allow a person to strike you once; offer him the other cheek as well. If asked, don't just give away your tunic; give your cloak as well! Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you. What was Jesus thinking?

It is the final verse of this text that gives us the clue to the meaning of this demanding passage. In essence, what Jesus is saying is that believers must emulate God's own actions. God is a God of total self-giving. God is a God of unbounded generosity, even to those who may not seem to deserve such magnanimity. God is a God whose love and self-giving embrace all, both the honest and the dishonest. The offer of the kingdom of heaven is open to all who seek to be God-like in their dealings with others.

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

(24 February - 01 March)

- **Monday, 24:** Weekday, Ord Time 7 (James 3:13-18; Mk 9:14-29)
- **Tuesday, 25:** Weekday, Ord Time 7 (James 4:1-10; Mk 9:30-37)
- **Wednesday, 26:** Ash Wednesday (Joel 2:12-18; 2 Cor 5:20-6:2; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18)
- **Thursday, 27:** Thursday, after Ash Wed (Deut 30:15-20; Lk 9:22-25)
- **Friday, 28:** Friday, after Ash Wed (Is 58:1-9; Mt 9:14-15)
- **Saturday, 29:** Saturday, after Ash Wed (Is 58:9-14; Lk 5:27-32)
- **Sunday 30:** FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT (Gen 2:7-9, 3:1-7; Rom 5:12-19; Mt 4:1-11)