

## COMMUNITY VISITORS SCHEME CAN YOU SPARE AN HOUR, TO SHARE AN HOUR?



Would you be able to spare an hour, once a fortnight to visit a resident at a local Aged Care facility. We continue to need volunteers to bring friendship and companionship to lonely people. We visit four local facilities at *Glenelg, Glenelg South, Morphettville and Lockleys*. If you would like to find out more about this parish outreach please speak to Wendy in the Parish Office, phone 8295 2382. Brochures are also available from the churches.



The demand for food parcels is constant. When you next go shopping, can you buy an extra tin of food? Items in our food parcels include - tinned meals (spaghetti, baked-beans, meal in a can, fish), soup, tinned fruit, cereal, pasta & pasta sauce, long-life milk, biscuits, noodles, teabags etc



Kingsley Oakley, Kel Pittman, Rosalie Brown, Beryl Nash, Norah Jones, Wendy McIntosh, Mae Johnson Phylis Washington, Leonie Castle, Nicole Cain, Bob Ingram, Helen Williams, Reuben Leonardo and Karryn Fletcher.

#### THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF GLENELG

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# Welcome to The Anglican Parish of Glenelg

A vibrant, welcoming and inclusive community growing in faith and love

## PENTECOST 19

(30TH SEPTEMBER 2018)

THEME: Our Help is in the name of the Lord

#### Reflection

The book of Esther explains why Jews in the Persian period began celebrating the new festival of Purim. The law of Moses had earlier described how God's mighty acts of deliverance lay behind holidays such as Passover and Tabernacles. The book of Esther shows how God intervened once again the save the Jews, leading to the commemoration of this great rescue in the feast of Purim.



This fast moving story occurs during the reign of the Persian King Xerxes or Ahasuerus (possibly Xerxes I, 486-465 BC). It relates the adventures that take place when a Jewish exile named Esther and her cousin and guardian, Mordecai, work to rescue their people from a plot to destroy them.

Whilst the book of Esther, strangely, makes no mention of God by name, the presence of God's protection underpins the story. The words of today's psalm sum up the faith of Esther and Mordecai: "Our help is in the name of the Lord" *Ps 124:6* 

Today we acknowledge God's help for us in all situations of life, and inspired by Jesus' words in the Gospel, we know that God's help can also work through us, even in the smallest deeds of kindness.

From Esther's Prayer (Additions to the book of Esther 14:14—O.T. Apocrypha)

Save us by your hand, and help me,
who am alone and have no helper but you, O Lord.

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# Welcome to Worship

Please join us for morning tea after all services

## **Today's Services**

The order of service can be followed on the screen at the front of the church or on Page 119 of the Prayer Book.

#### St Peter's

7.45am Holy Eucharist

Celebrant & Preacher: Andrew

10.00 am Holy Eucharist:

With prayers for healing

Celebrant & Preacher: Andrew

#### St Martin's

8.45 am Holy Eucharist

Celebrant & Preacher: Andrew

#### **Archbishop Geoff's Prayer for the Diocese**

Living God, we thank you for your vision for the whole creation and that you call us to share in your mission.

We pray that you grow your church:
Bring more people to faith in Jesus;
Deepen our trust in you and knowledge of you;
Help us to serve and bless our community;
And strengthen us to be generous with
the money and resources you give us.
May we grow as disciples of Jesus and make
disciples of others for the blessing of the world
you love. In Jesus name we pray. Amen.

## Next Sunday, 30th September

Theme: Receive the Kingdom like a child

Job 1:1, 2:1–10 Psalm 26:1-8 Hebrews 1:1 – 9 Mark 10:13–16

### **This Week**

#### Wed 3rd October

**2:15pm** Allambi Aged care service **7:00pm** OASIS dinner

**Thurs 4th October** 

**10.00am** - Eucharist & Morning Tea

2:00pm - Charles Young Aged Care service

#### Fri 5th October

 $\textbf{6.00pm} \ \textbf{Youth Group Sleepover at St Peter's}$ 

Church

## **Future Diary Dates**

#### Wed 10th October -

2.00pm - CVS Network Meeting

**4.00pm** - Finance Committee meeting in the Community Centre.

**6.00pm** - Gardening Group Dinner at Morphett Arms Hotel

#### Sun 14th October

2.00pm - Army Band Concert

Fri 19th-Sun 21st - Diocesan Synod

Tues 13th November - Speakers Corner

Thursdays 18th & 25th October and 1st & 8th November - Bible Study with Michele

Can we help? Contact Prayer People through: Vi: 8295 5726 / vekeam@bigpond.com Ros: 8298 5308 / neville.cordes@bigpond.com Sandy: 8298 5175 / sandyandy@esc.net.au

## Transport to and from St Peter's or St Martin's is available by private vehicles. If you can assist with transportation by bringing someone to church please contact the Parish Office.

## **NOTES AND NEWS**

#### **AUSTRALIAN ARMY BAND IN CONCERT**

AT ST PETER'S GLENELG, 2PM SUNDAY
14TH OCTOBER. Come along and enjoy a
fantastic afternoon of music and entertainment with the musicians of this excellent
band. Adults \$20, Concession \$15, Children
free. Proceeds will go to SoldierOn and St
Peter's Heritage Preservation fund.



## **Bookings Trybooking: https://www.trybooking.com/YBLY**

#### TONY WHITEHILL'S RETIREMENT

Today we give special thanks for the dedicated service of our parish organist and director of music, Tony Whitehill, who is stepping down from this role after 47 years of service. Tony's beautiful playing and amiable temperament have been appreciated by so many, and we are incredibly grateful for all he has done. Please remain in your places following the service for a special presentation to Tony. Then please stay for a celebratory morning tea for Tony and for birthday Sunday.

#### MUSIC ARRANGEMENTS

Please see the Spring edition of our Parish Update (emailed this past week) for details of worship music for the coming month.

#### **FAREWELL ALAN AND SHEREE SMITH**

Today at 7:45am service we say farewell to Alan and Sheree Smith who are moving back to New Zealand. Alan has served as the parish treasurer for a number of years, as well as being a reader and lay assistant. We give thanks for this wonderful contribution and we wish them both well for this new chapter in their lives.

#### **OASIS DINNER**

OASIS a group for the younger women of the parish will be meeting for a dinner at the Strand (Jetty Road) at **7:00pm Wednesday 3rd October.** Please speak to Jo Mintern.

#### PARISH UPDATE - Spring 2018

The latest parish update was emailed during the week. If you didn't receive it, please check with Wendy that we have your correct email address. Limited print copies are available.

#### **REV'D ANDREW ON AIR!!**

Andrew, along with the Archbishop and Katherine Dellit, were interviewed recently about their trip to London. That interview will go to air at 7:00pm on TONIGHT on Lyn Arnold's radio show on Life FM (107.9)

#### **GARDENING GROUP DINNER**

The end of year gathering of the St Peter's Gardening Group will be held at the Morphett Arms Hotel on **Wednesday 10th October**, 6.00pm for 6.30pm.

#### **BIBLE STUDY WITH REV'D MICHELE**

Michele will lead a Bible study Thursday
18th & 25th October and 1st and 8th
November at 7.30pm in the Community
Centre. The group will explore how God's
grace engages, restores, sustains, guides and
comforts. Put your name on the sign up
sheet if your interested. The Study Booklets
are \$12 and will be ordered by Michele 2
weeks prior.