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**PARISH FOOD CUPBOARD** - The demand for food parcels is constant. Please consider our Food Cupboard next time you are shopping. We are currently low on the following - tinned fruit, cereal (small/med packets), pasta & pasta sauce, long-life milk, 2-min noodles, rice, biscuits (sweet or savoury) and teabags.  
**Please deliver items to the Parish Office, open Tues-Fri, 9am to 2.30pm, commencing Tuesday 7th January.**



Kingsley Oakley, Kel Pittman, Rosalie & Phil Brown, Tim Went, Nicole Cain, Pat Donnelly, Dot, Melanie Lyons, Daniel Roach, Clare, Jean Yuen, Bob Blay, Jeremy Johnson, Nicky Heal, Dawn, Sheryl Anne Cox, Peta McCance and Elizabeth Minagall.

## THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF GLENELG

*St Peter's Church, Torrens Square, Glenelg*  
*St Martin's Church, 45 Hastings Street, Glenelg South*

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**The Anglican Parish of Glenelg**  
A vibrant, welcoming and inclusive community  
growing in faith and love

## THE FIRST SUNDAY AFTER CHRISTMAS

### 29TH DECEMBER 2019

### THEME: PRAISE AND FREEDOM

#### Reflection

The reading of the slaughter of the innocents seems to be very affronting to us coming immediately after the peace and light of Christmas celebrations. It is not a story we want to hear. But it is a reality we have to deal with because that is how the world was for Jesus and that is how the world still is for many of its children. The Christmas Bowl Appeal gives us one way to help the children of the world who face similar threats to their well-being. Your donations will help mothers in Zimbabwe become conservation farmers; Sri Lankan refugees to return to their home and rebuild their lives; Tongans train to cope with looming natural disasters and Syrian refugees to find a safe haven, to name just a few examples. Thank you.

First Sunday after Christmas



**Thank you!**

Thank you for joining with us in sharing God's love through the Christmas Bowl this year.

Your gifts will bring hope, peace, joy and love to families affected by conflict and disaster around the world.

**CALL: 1800 025 101 VISIT: [actforpeace.org.au/christmasbowl](http://actforpeace.org.au/christmasbowl)**

The Christmas appeal of Act for Peace, the international aid agency of the National Council of Churches in Australia. ABN 86 619 970 188



[www.glenelganglican.org.au](http://www.glenelganglican.org.au)

# Welcome to Worship

Please join us for morning tea after all services today

## 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: **Michele**  
Preacher: **Andrew**

10.00 am Sung Eucharist & Baptism:  
Celebrant & Preacher - **Andrew**

### St Martin's

8.45 am Holy Eucharist  
Celebrant & Preacher - **Andrew**

## A prayer for Christmas

Blessed art thou O Christmas Christ,  
that thy cradle was so low  
that shepherds,  
poorest and simplest of earthly folk,  
could yet kneel beside it  
and look level-eyed  
into the face of God. Amen.

## Next Sunday, 5th January 2020 The Epiphany of our Lord Gifts of Hope.

Isaiah 60:1-6  
Psalm 72:1-7, 10-14  
Ephesians 3:1-12  
Matthew 2:1-12

## This week:

**Wednesday 1st January**  
**New Year's Day** - Parish Office Closed until  
**Tuesday 7th January.**

**Thursday 2nd January**  
**10:00am** - Eucharist followed by Morning Tea

**Thursday 9th January**  
**10:00am** - Eucharist followed by Morning Tea

## Regular Weekly Services

### St Peter's

7:45am - Holy Communion  
10:00am - Sung Communion  
**Sunday Kids:** 10:00am  
(Term time only)

**1st Sundays of the month:**  
10:00am - JAM Family Worship  
(not in January)

### St Martin's

8:45am - Sung Communion

### Weekly Service

**St Peter's**  
**Thursdays:**  
10:00am - Holy Communion

*The sacraments of Baptism, Weddings and Funerals are available by arrangement with Fr Andrew or Rev'd Michele.*

## NOTES AND NEWS

**WELCOME** to everybody attending worship in our Churches today  
A very special welcome to those who are visiting our parish. If you are holidaying in the area, we hope you enjoy your stay.  
**We wish everyone a very happy and healthy 2020.**

**FR ANDREW** will be on leave until Friday Tuesday 21st January. The Parish Office will be closed until **Tuesday 7th January** when Rev'd Michele and Rev'd Margaret will be available during office hours which will be **9am - 2.30pm, Tuesday to Friday.**

**WEEKDAY SERVICE** Whilst the Parish office will be closed, there will be a weekday service at St Peter's on **Thursday 2nd January at 10.00am.**

### CHRISTMAS SERMON

Copies available at the back of church.

**FOOD ASSISTANCE** - will be available from **Tuesday 7th January, between 9am and 12noon.** To enable as many people as possible to be helped, food parcels are restricted to one per person. Recipients are asked to provide some personal information which will be kept on record in the office.



## Family Prayer for a New Year

God, thank you for a new year. May everyone in our family be willing to begin anew with a clean slate. We know that you are always ready to forgive us. Help us to be willing to forgive ourselves and to forgive one another.

As we begin a new year, remind us of our truest values and our deepest desires. Help us to live in the goodness that comes from doing what you want us to do. Help us to put aside anxiety about the future and the past, so that we might live in peace with you now, one day at a time.

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.