

The Anglican Parish of Glenelg

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

Weekly News and Pew Sheet

SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST SUNDAY 14TH JUNE 2020

WORSHIP THEME: SENT TO HEAL

Parish Priest's Message

Dear Friends,

Healing can mean different things to people. For Abraham and Sarah healing comes in the form of the promise that they will bear a child. For today's psalmist it means the liberation of being loosed from slavery. For Paul it is justification made possible through faith. For the twelve disciples it is the experience of bringing physical and spiritual wholeness to the people they encounter when they are sent out by Jesus.



St Peter was among the twelve who were sent out and so we can see that he was a person who brought healing to others. This is especially poignant in Peter's case, as early on in his relationship with Jesus, Peter's own mother-in-law was healed by Christ. Peter provides a model for us. He is one who is both open to receive the healing of Christ and also to be a bearer of Christ's healing to others.

Our world needs healing in so many ways. Healing from the current pandemic confronting us. Healing from racial prejudice. Healing from inequality. Healing from international tensions. Healing from the cycle of poverty that afflicts to many. As Christians we know the healing love of Christ, yet we may feel very inadequate for the task of being sent to heal in our world. The task seems too great for us to even begin to face.

Earlier this year the movie **Frozen II** came out to great acclaim. There are some words in one of the songs that go like this: "a tiny voice whispers in my mind / You are lost, hope is gone / But you must go on / And do the next right thing". It's a great reminder in our journey of discipleship. What is the "next right thing" we are being called to do? In any situation we find ourselves in, is there a touch of Christ's healing that we can bring? It may not be momentous, but it may make a difference.

May Christ's healing hands touch your life this day. Grace and Peace, Andrew.

SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Sentence

When Jesus saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. Matthew 9:36

Prayer of the day

God of mercy, may we always follow the example of Jesus, seeking seek to be faithful disciples who look at the world with the eyes of compassion. May we find joy and peace in our service and ministry which we carry out in the name of Christ. **Amen.**

First Reading Genesis 18.1-15

A reading from the book of Genesis

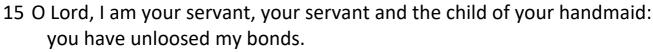
The Lord appeared to Abraham by the oaks of Mamre, as he sat at the entrance of his tent in the heat of the day. He looked up and saw three men standing near him. When he saw them, he ran from the tent entrance to meet them, and bowed down to the ground. He said, 'My lord, if I find favour with you, do not pass by your servant. Let a little water be brought, and wash your feet, and rest yourselves under the tree. Let me bring a little bread, that you may refresh yourselves, and after that you may pass on—since you have come to your servant.' So they said, 'Do as you have said.' And Abraham hastened into the tent to Sarah, and said, 'Make ready quickly three measures of choice flour, knead it, and make cakes.' Abraham ran to the herd, and took a calf, tender and good, and gave it to the servant, who hastened to prepare it. Then he took curds and milk and the calf that he had prepared, and set it before them; and he stood by them under the tree while they ate.

They said to him, 'Where is your wife Sarah?' And he said, 'There, in the tent.' Then one said, 'I will surely return to you in due season, and your wife Sarah shall have a son.' And Sarah was listening at the tent entrance behind him. Now Abraham and Sarah were old, advanced in age; it had ceased to be with Sarah after the manner of women. So Sarah laughed to herself, saying, 'After I have grown old, and my husband is old, shall I have pleasure?' The Lord said to Abraham, 'Why did Sarah laugh, and say, "Shall I indeed bear a child, now that I am old?" Is anything too wonderful for the Lord? At the set time I will return to you, in due season, and Sarah shall have a son.' But Sarah denied, saying, 'I did not laugh'; for she was afraid. He said, 'Oh yes, you did laugh.'

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 116.1-2,11-18

- 1 I love the Lord, because he heard my voice: the voice of my supplication;
- 2 Because he inclined his ear to me: in the day that I called to him.
- 11 How shall I repay the Lord: for all his benefits to me?
- 12 I will take up the cup of salvation: and call upon the name of the Lord.
- 13 I will pay my vows to the Lord: in the presence of all his people.
- 14 Grievous in the sight of the Lord: is the death of his faithful ones.



- 16 I will offer you a sacrifice of thanksgiving: and call upon the name of the Lord.
- 17 I will pay my vows to the Lord: in the presence of all his people,
- 18 In the courts of the house of the Lord: even in your midst, O Jerusalem. Praise the Lord.

Second Reading

Romans 5:1-8

A reading from the letter to the Romans

Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. Indeed, rarely will anyone die for a righteous person—though perhaps for a good person someone might actually dare to die. But God proves his love for us in that while we still were sinners Christ died for us.

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.



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Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia! Alleluia!
Open our hearts, O Lord,
to listen to your Son.
Alleluia!



Gospel

Matthew 9:35 - 10:8

★ The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ

Then Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom, and curing every disease and every sickness. When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. Then he said to his disciples, 'The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest.'

Then Jesus summoned his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to cure every disease and every sickness. These are the names of the twelve apostles: first, Simon, also known as Peter, and his brother Andrew; James son of Zebedee, and his brother John; Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax-collector; James son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus; Simon the Cananaean, and Judas Iscariot, the one who betrayed him.

These twelve Jesus sent out with the following instructions: 'Go nowhere among the Gentiles, and enter no town of the Samaritans, but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. As you go, proclaim the good news, "The kingdom of heaven has come near." Cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse the lepers, cast out demons. You received without payment; give without payment.

The Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

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Next Week: 21st JUNE 2020 – THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Theme: Have No Fear

Genesis 21:8-21; Psalm 86:1-10, 16-17; Romans 6:1-11; Matthew 10:24-39

DIARY DATES

This week in the Parish

Sun 14th June 2nd Sunday After Pentecost (on Facebook)

Tue 16th June 7:30pm Parish Council (*Via ZOOM*)
Fri 19th June 7:00pm Youth Group (*via ZOOM*)

Sun 21st June 3rd Sunday After Pentecost (on Facebook)

8:45am St Martin's (for St Martin's parishioners only)



PARISH NOTICES

VIRTUAL SUNDAY MORNING TEA ON ZOOM

Our Sunday morning tea is a chance to catch up with people over Zoom. Just click on the link and follow the prompts. If you have problems connecting please phone Michele.

Why not just drop in for 10 minutes or stay for the hour. We'll talk about the same things we normally talk about at morning tea. It's been a great opportunity to get to know people we may not have spoken to before COVID. Anybody can join in and be part of the chat, don't worry if you haven't zoomed in before, it's never too late.

Sunday June 14, 2020 10:30-11.30 AM Adelaide

Link to join Zoom Meeting

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84376119967?pwd=TFVWMm14bTNiK2c0OVAyM1EvVUtGQT09

SUNDAY KIDS@HOME

For the rest of June we are going to be thinking and learning about Jesus' disciples, especially Peter because the last Sunday in June is when we celebrate St Peters Day at our church – St Peters Glenelg!

Today we'll think about how Jesus gave his disciples directions to go out and look after people in the same way as He did.

The materials you'll need are

- * Your imagination and thinking caps,
- * Paper and pencils/texta/crayons and scissors,
- * Your jar of names (containing names of people you have a concerned for)

For more detail see the following link for the Sunday Kids activities on our Parish Website. http://www.glenelganglican.org.au/?p=1417

ST PETER'S YOUTH GROUP – FRIDAY 19TH JUNE 7PM ON ZOOM

Youth Group will meet this month on Zoom on Friday 19th June from 7-8.30pm. Michele will email Zoom meeting details. This month we'll have a quiz night on zoom. There will be games between rounds of quiz questions. Each child is to email to Michele their questions on their speciality area of knowledge such as Port Power, Real Madrid, Harry Potter, Rhiannon, places in South Australia starting with the letter A. Please contact Michele for more information.



* LATEST NEWS ABOUT RE-OPENING FOR SERVICES *

St Martin's Church is now registered as a COVID safe venue for re-opening. So we resume our regular services at **8:45am from 21**st **June**. Social distancing will apply and communion will be by bread only. **The maximum allowed attendance is 20 people** plus officiants. As the congregation there is about this number we request that others do not attend. **PLEASE NOTE for St Martin's regular attendees only.**

We expect **St Peter's worship** to re-commence at the next increase of allowable numbers which could be as soon as July. As there are more attendees at St Peter's, our planning for this is a little more complicated as it will likely involve multiple services (perhaps three services of up to 50 people at each) and more complicated cleaning procedures. Please be patient, we're working on it. It is possible that Thursday services will resume sooner than our Sunday services so stay tuned for news on that.

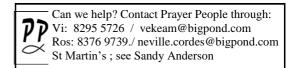
COMMUNITY MURAL PROJECT

There are still some pieces available for our next community colouring-in mural. Come and collect a piece from the parish office if you'd like to join in the fun.



PRAYER REQUESTS

Prayer requests can still be rung through to the parish office or emailed and we can add the person to the prayer list in the pew sheet. Private prayers can also be offered through contacting the Parish Prayer People.





Kingsley Oakley, Kel Pittman, Rosalie & Phil Brown, Nicole Cain, Pat Donnelly, Melanie Lyons, Daniel Roach, Jeremy Johnson, Nicky Heal, Sheryl Anne Cox, Tony Tamblyn, Helen Williams, Kent Andrew, Ruth Allen

PLANNED GIVING AND PARISH FINANCES

Thank you to all those parishioners are keeping up with planned giving. Your support for our parish community is inspiring. Please know too that if you are experiencing extreme hardship it is understood that you may not be able to maintain your current level of giving. Please keep in touch, and **remember that the parish emergency food ministry is also available for parishioners in times of need.**

Regular planned giving can be directed to

Parish of Glenelg (AFSA) BSB 705-077 Account Number 00041211

(please use your surname and initial SMITHJ PGP).

One off/occasional donations that are not part of regular PGP can be made to

Anglican Parish of Glenelg BSB 705-077 Account No.00000033

ANGLICAN PARISH OF GLENELG - HERITAGE CONSERVATION FUND

For many parishioners and people in our community these are hard economic times and that is certainly acknowledged. However, if you are in the fortunate position of wanting to make some tax-deductible donations before the end of the financial year then please remember our Parish Heritage Conservation Fund with the National Trust. Donation forms are available at the parish office.

Online donations can be made at https://www.nationaltrust.org.au/donate-sa and please make sure you select "St Peters Anglican Church Glenelg Appeal" in the field that asks where you would like the donation to go to.

Alternatively cheques can be posted directly to:

National Trust Anglican Parish of Glenelg Heritage Conservation Fund Appeal,
The National Trust of South Australia, Beaumont House,
631 Glynburn Road, Beaumont, SA 5066

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Jesus Sends Out the Twelve

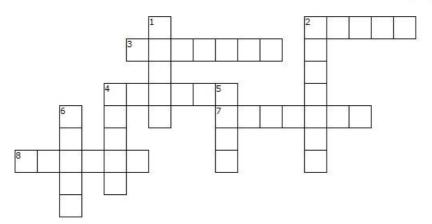
These were his instructions: "Take nothing for the journey except a staff—no bread, no bag, no money in your belts. Mark 6:8 (NIV)

Based on Mark 6:6-13 (NIV)



Calling the Twelve to him, he sent them out two by two.

Mark 6:7 (NIV)



ACROSS

- A stick or cane carried as an aid in walking or climbing
- 3. A trip over a great distance
- 4. The number of disciples Jesus chose
- A community where people live that is smaller than a town or city
- 8. To deliver a sermon; to proclaim the Word of God

DOWN

- 1. Coins or bills used to buy things
- Shoes consisting of a bottom part held onto the foot by straps
- To instruct, train, or give knowledge to others
- Something that is bad or wrong; wicked
- A basic food made from flour, water, and yeast mixed together and baked