



The Anglican Parish of Glenelg

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

Weekly News and Pew Sheet

TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST SUNDAY 9TH AUGUST 2020 WORSHIP THEME: DREAMING BIG

Parish Priest's Message

Dear Friends,

The story of Joseph the dreamer from Genesis reads like a Hollywood blockbuster and indeed Andrew Lloyd-Webber's "Joseph and his Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat" continues to be an extremely popular musical for professionals and amateurs alike. You can brush up on the Joseph story by reading Genesis chapters 37 – 50. This Sunday and next Sunday have a couple passages from the story.

Joseph was a dreamer. His dreams about his brothers bowing down to him lead to his being sold into slavery in Egypt. His ability to interpret Pharaoh's dreams enable him to save not only the Egyptians but also his only family with whom he is eventually reconciled. Joseph the dreamer, who is ridiculed and hated by his brothers for his uselessness, becomes their salvation. These twelve brothers become the twelve tribes of Israel and so there at the founding of a nation salvation comes through a dreamer.

In our new testament reading Paul's dream is for the salvation of all. And in the Gospel reading the dream-like encounter with Jesus on the water inspires us to dream that Christ lifts us above all the storms that assail us.

Our world needs dreamers - those who can imagine the world in new and creative ways; those who can imagine solutions to unsolvable problems; those who, through their dreams, can hear the whispers of God to live in faithful ways. Today as we hear of Joseph's big dreams we pray that God will give us good dreams for our world and that we may live always in the wonderful dream that Jesus gives us in the vision of God's Kingdom.



Grace and peace to you all.

Rev. Andrew

Please stay COVID safe vigilant. Details in this pew sheet. Please social distance where possible. This is not unfriendly, it is us caring for each other.

Worship Resources

Sentence

They cried out in fear, but Jesus spoke to them and said,
'Take heart, it is I; do not be afraid.'

Matthew 14:26-27

Prayer of the day

Mighty God and ruler of all creation, give new strength to our faith, that we may recognise your presence even when all hope seems lost. Help us to face all trials with serenity as we walk with Christ through the stormy seas of life and come at the last to your eternal peace. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

First Reading

Genesis 37.3-8, 12-14, 18-28

A reading from the book of Genesis

Now Israel loved Joseph more than any other of his children, because he was the son of his old age; and he had made him a long colourful robe with sleeves. But when his brothers saw that their father loved him more than all his brothers, they hated him, and could not speak peaceably to him.

Once Joseph had a dream, and when he told it to his brothers, they hated him even more. He said to them, 'Listen to this dream that I dreamed. There we were, binding sheaves in the field. Suddenly my sheaf rose and stood upright; then your sheaves gathered around it, and bowed down to my sheaf.' His brothers said to him, 'Are you indeed to reign over us? Are you indeed to have dominion over us?' So they hated him even more because of his dreams and his words.

Now his brothers went to pasture their father's flock near Shechem. And Israel said to Joseph, 'Are not your brothers pasturing the flock at Shechem? Come, I will send you to them.'

Joseph's brothers saw him from a distance, and before he came near to them, they conspired to kill him. They said to one another, 'Here comes this dreamer. Come now, let us kill him and throw him into one of the pits; then we shall say that a wild animal has devoured him, and we shall see what will become of his dreams.' But when Reuben heard it, he delivered him out of their hands, saying, 'Let us not take his life.' Reuben said to them, 'Shed no blood; throw him into this pit here in the wilderness, but lay no hand on him'—that he

might rescue him out of their hand and restore him to his father. So when Joseph came to his brothers, they stripped him of his robe, the long robe with sleeves that he wore; and they took him and threw him into a pit. The pit was empty; there was no water in it.

Then they sat down to eat; and looking up they saw a caravan of Ishmaelites coming from Gilead, with their camels carrying gum, balm, and resin, on their way to carry it down to Egypt. Then Judah said to his brothers, 'What profit is there if we kill our brother and conceal his blood? Come, let us sell him to the Ishmaelites, and not lay our hands on him, for he is our brother, our own flesh.' And his brothers agreed. When some Midianite traders passed by, they drew Joseph up, lifting him out of the pit, and sold him to the Ishmaelites for twenty pieces of silver. And they took Joseph to Egypt.

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalms 105:1, 5-6, 16-22

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- 1 O give thanks to the Lord and call upon his name:
tell among the peoples what things he has done.
- 5 Call to mind what wonders he has done:
his marvellous acts, and the judgements of his mouth,
- 6 O seed of Abraham his servant:
O children of Jacob his chosen one.
- 16 Then he called down a famine on the land:
and destroyed the bread that was their stay.
- 17 But he had sent a man ahead of them:
Joseph who was sold into slavery,
- 18 Whose feet they fastened with fetters:
and thrust his neck into a hoop of iron.
- 19 Till the time that his words proved true:
he was tested by the Lord's command.
- 20 Then the king sent and loosed him:
the ruler of nations set him free;
- 21 He made him master of his household:
and ruler over all his possessions,
- 22 To rebuke his officers at will:
and to teach his counsellors wisdom.



Second Reading

Romans 10:9-13

A reading from the book of Romans

If you confess with your lips that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For one believes with the heart and so is justified, and one confesses with the mouth and so is saved. The scripture says, 'No one who believes in him will be put to shame.' For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; the same Lord is Lord of all and is generous to all who call on him. For, 'Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.'

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Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia! Alleluia!

Jesus preached the Good News of the Kingdom, and he healed all that were sick.

Alleluia!



Gospel

Matthew 14.22-33

✠ The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ

Immediately he made the disciples get into the boat and go on ahead to the other side, while he dismissed the crowds. And after he had dismissed the crowds, he went up the mountain by himself to pray. When evening came, he was there alone, but by this time the boat, battered by the waves, was far from the land, for the wind was against them. And early in the morning he came walking towards them on the lake. But when the disciples saw him walking on the lake, they were terrified, saying, 'It is a ghost!' And they cried out in fear. But immediately Jesus spoke to them and said, 'Take heart, it is I; do not be afraid.'

Peter answered him, 'Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water.' He said, 'Come.' So Peter got out of the boat, started walking on the water, and came towards Jesus. But when he noticed the strong wind, he became frightened, and beginning to sink, he cried out, 'Lord, save me!' Jesus immediately reached out his hand and caught him, saying to him, 'You of little faith, why did you doubt?' When they got into the boat, the wind ceased. And those in the boat worshipped him, saying, 'Truly you are the Son of God.'

The Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

Next Sundays' Readings

Eleventh Sunday After Pentecost: Restorative Forgiveness

Gen. 45:1-11a,15 Psalm 133 Romans 11:13-15, 29-32 Matthew 15:21-28

This Week

Sunday 9th Aug 7:45am Holy Communion at St Peter's
8:45am Holy Communion at St Martin's
10:00am Sung Eucharist at St Peter's.

Tues 11th Aug 4pm Finance Committee (via ZOOM)
Thu 13th Aug 10am Eucharist in the Chapel

Sunday 16th Aug 7:45am Holy Communion at St Peter's
8:45am Holy Communion at St Martin's
10:00am Sung Eucharist at St Peter's.
12noon Baptism

Sunday reflections are posted on Facebook as well as other prayers and reflections through the week. Let's keep in touch



Upcoming Dates

Tues 18th Aug 7.30pm: Parish Council meeting
Wed 19th Aug 3pm: Wellbeing Class
Fri 21st Aug 7-8.30pm: Youth Group

Sunday 23rd 5pm: Ukulele Church returns
Tues 25th Aug GALS
Wed 26th Aug 1.30pm: Mothers' Union

Parish Notices

REGISTERING FOR CHURCH

Registration of name and contact details are required for all worship and parish events. Attendance sheets are provided for all services (10am attendees can register online). Small Group leaders blank recording forms can be accessed from Hewina in the office.

EVENTBRITE BOOKINGS FOR 10AM SERVICE – THIS SUNDAY 9TH AUGUST

Please use the following link <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/st-peters-10am-service-at-glenelg-registration-112068538014>

BOOKING AHEAD FOR NEXT SUNDAY'S 10AM SERVICE – 16TH AUGUST

Please use the following link <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/st-peters-10am-service-at-glenelg-registration-112068540020>

CONFIRMATION AND RECEPTION INTO THE ANGLICAN CHURCH

Bishop Denise Ferguson will be visiting our 10am Service on Sunday 20th Sept. This is a great opportunity if anyone wants to be confirmed or formally received into the Anglican Church from another denomination as both rites require a Bishop's presence. Please speak to Andrew if you are interested.



ORGAN ROOM SALT DAMP UPDATE

Initial internal works were carried out this week, removing loose plaster and applying a Westox Cocoon Poultice. This will draw out the moisture from the wall and then on 31st August the poultice will be removed and the wall will be re-rendered. Due to protective coverings over the organ to protect it from dust during this process, the organ will be out of action for the month of August and should be back in full voice on Sunday 13th September.

MUSIC FOR AUGUST

Due to Organ room works explained above, all Sunday 10am worship for the month of August will be accompanied with the Grand Piano.

Accompanists and musicians are as follows:

Sunday 9th August – Tony Whitehill

Sunday 16th August – Have-a-go musicians

Sunday 23rd August – Mark Joyner

Sunday 30th August – David Jackson

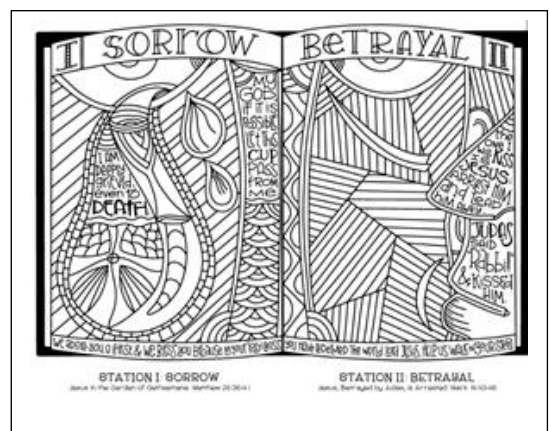
Thank you to all our talented musicians for sharing the gift of music with us.

The choir will sit in the pews near the piano for the 10am services this month.

COLOURING-IN MURAL

Thank you to the colouring-inners who responded to the email asking “should we continue?” The answer was **YES!** Many people didn't have a preference as to what we colour-in. We are going to undertake the Stations of the Cross to which there are 7 murals to complete between now and Easter. We'll colour A4 pieces of paper, and there's 14 pages.

Everyone is welcome to grab a page or two to colour. Pages are available from the parish office. Please return your page by the second Sunday of September. See Michele for more information.



YOUTH GROUP

Meets 7pm Friday 21st August. See Rev. Michele if you are interested.

SUNDAY KIDS@HOME

For those families unable to get to church there are various activities for Kids@Home posted on the Sunday Kids@Home page of our parish website.

<http://www.glenelganglican.org.au/?cat=38>

PARISH FOOD PANTRY UPDATE

We have plenty of teabags at present, even though it is expensive small jars of coffee are always good as well as **tins of baked beans & spaghetti; cereal (small sizes), pasta, pasta sauce, small tins of tuna, rice, small containers of fruit, UHT milk (1 litre size), men's socks and jocks.** *Thanks Hewina & Ros M*

DONATING TO OUR PARISH

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 separate to regular PGP can be made to Anglican Parish of Glenelg BSB 705-077 Account No.00000033

Heritage Conservation Fund (tax deductible). Please ensure the donation is designated for *St Peters Anglican Church Glenelg Appeal*. <https://www.nationaltrust.org.au/donate-sa>



Kingsley Oakley, Kel Pittman, Rosalie & Phil Brown, Nicole Cain, Pat Donnelly, Melanie Lyons, Daniel Roach, Nicky Heal, Sheryl Anne Cox, Ruth Allen, Tim Went, Michael, Marilyn Jackson, Beryl Nash, Tony Tamblyn, Sarah
RIP Mary Nicholson

PRAYER REQUESTS

Prayer requests for Sunday intercessions can phoned or emailed to the parish office and private prayers can also be offered through contacting the Parish Prayer People.



Can we help? Contact Prayer People through:
Vi: 8295 5726 / vekeam@bigpond.com
Ros: 8376 9739 / neville.cordes@bigpond.com
St Martin's ; see Sandy Anderson



Pray as though everything depended on God.
Work as though everything depended on you.

(Saint Augustine)

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OBSERVING COVID SAFE REQUIREMENTS

If you are feeling unwell or have flu-like symptoms – please stay home and use the online resources for private worship (pew sheet and Facebook)

For Church attendance – continue to register your attendance (either online or when you arrive), sanitise your hands as you enter, and when you receive Communion. No hand-shaking or hugs in the greeting of peace. The collection plate will not be passed. Communion will be by bread only.

Morning Tea – designated person(s) to serve coffee and tea, including the addition of milk and sugar (there is no self-service or shared utensils). No shared plates of food, but a designated person can serve individuals. You may choose to stand or sit for morning tea, please be mindful of physical distancing

At the St Peter's Altar rail – Sanitise your hands before communion and observe physical distancing when receiving communion.

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