

The Anglican Parish of Glenelg

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

Weekly News and Pew Sheet

TWENTY FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST SUNDAY 22ND NOVEMBER 2020

WORSHIP THEME: THE REIGN OF CHRIST

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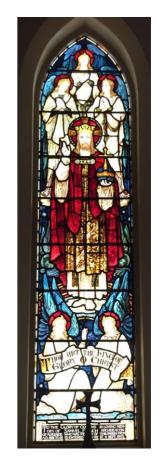
The Church and Parish office will be closed and unattended until at least Wednesday 25th November

Parish Priest's Message

Dear Friends,

You will note that many upcoming events including this Sunday's Services have been cancelled. We are under the obligations of the six day lockdown being experienced by our State. We applaud the measures taken by the Government, Police and SA Health in ensuring the safety and protection of our community. Whilst we cannot gather for church or a number of the events we had planned for coming days, we can still pray and indeed we must. More than ever it is the vocation of Christians to be people of prayer at this time.

In many ways this will seem a sad pew sheet with all the cancelled events but also in many ways a hopeful one too. That is quite fitting for the feast of Christ the King. For Christ our saviour is the one whose kingship is seen most vividly in the cross — in suffering, in trials and hardship, and in vulnerability. The window depicted here is from the sanctuary of St Peter's and hopefully it serves to remind us that even in difficulty, even in times of fear and uncertainty, Christ is reigning. And Christ reigns over this current situation and over our lives.



God bless you all and, if you are able, please join me on Sunday morning for Facebook worship as we reflect more on the Reign of Christ.

Fr Andrew

Worship Resources

Sentence

O shout to the Lord in triumph all the earth. Serve the Lord with gladness and come before his face with songs of joy. **Psalm 100.1**

Prayer of the day

God of power and love, who raised your Son Jesus from death to life, resplendent in glory to rule over all creation: free the world to rejoice in his peace, to glory in his justice, and to live in his love. Unite the human race in Jesus Christ your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

First Reading Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24 A reading from the book of Ezekiel

For thus says the Lord God: I myself will search for my sheep, and will seek them out. As shepherds seek out their flocks when they are among their scattered sheep, so I will seek out my sheep. I will rescue them from all the places to which they have been scattered on a day of clouds and thick darkness. I will bring them out from the peoples and gather them from the countries, and will bring them into their own land; and I will feed them on the mountains of Israel, by the watercourses, and in all the inhabited parts of the land. I will feed them with good pasture, and the mountain heights of Israel shall be their pasture; there they shall lie down in good grazing land, and they shall feed on rich pasture on the mountains of Israel. I myself will be the shepherd of my sheep, and I will make them lie down, says the Lord God. I will seek the lost, and I will bring back the strayed, and I will bind up the injured, and I will strengthen the weak, but the fat and the strong I will destroy. I will feed them with justice.

Therefore, thus says the Lord God to them: I myself will judge between the fat sheep and the lean sheep. Because you pushed with flank and shoulder, and butted at all the weak animals with your horns until you scattered them far and wide, I will save my flock, and they shall no longer be ravaged; and I will judge between sheep and sheep.

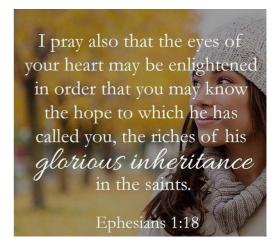
I will set up over them one shepherd, my servant David, and he shall feed them: he shall feed them and be their shepherd. And I, the Lord, will be their God, and my servant David shall be prince among them; I, the Lord, have spoken. Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

- O shout to the Lord in triumph, all the earth: serve the Lord with gladness, and come before his face with songs of joy.
- 2 Know that the Lord he is God: it is he who has made us and we are his; we are his people and the sheep of his pasture.
- 3 Come into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise: give thanks to him, and bless his holy name.
- 4 For the Lord is good, his loving mercy is for ever: his faithfulness throughout all generations.

Second Reading Ephesians 1:15-23 A reading from the Letter to the Ephesians

I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love towards all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope



to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia! Alleluia!

Blessings on him who comes in the name of the Lord!
Blessings on the coming kingdom of our ancestor David!
Alleluia!

Gospel Matthew 25:31-46

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

Jesus taught his disciples, saying:
'When the Son of Man comes in his
glory, and all the angels with him,
then he will sit on the throne of his
glory. All the nations will be
gathered before him, and he will
separate people one from another
as a shepherd separates the sheep
from the goats, and he will put the
sheep at his right hand and the



goats at the left. Then the king will say to those at his right hand, "Come, you that are blessed by my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world; for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, I was naked and you gave me clothing, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me."

Then the righteous will answer him, "Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry and gave you food, or thirsty and gave you something to drink? And when was it that we saw you a stranger and welcomed you, or naked and gave you clothing? And when was it that we saw you sick or in prison and visited you?" And the king will answer them, "Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me."

Then he will say to those at his left hand, "You that are accursed, depart from me into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels; for I was hungry and you gave me no food, I was thirsty and you gave me nothing to drink, I was a stranger and you did not welcome me, naked and you did not give me clothing, sick and in prison and you did not visit me."

Then they also will answer, "Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not take care of you?" Then he will answer them, "Truly I tell you, just as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to me." And these will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life.'

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Next Sundays' Readings

First Sunday of Advent: Reshape, Reclaim, Remember

Isaiah 64:1-9 Psalm 80:1-7, 17-19 1 Corinthians 1:3-9 Mark 13:24-37

This Week

Please note all crossed-out events are cancelled

Thu 19th Nov 10:00am Eucharist in the Chapel

7:30pm Advent Bible Study Commences (via ZOOM)

Fri 20th Nov 6 – 9pm Youth Group (via ZOOM)

Sun 22nd Nov 7:45am: Holy Communion at St Peter's

8:45am: Holy Communion at St Martin's

10:00am: Sung Eucharist at St Peter's

5:00pm Ukulele Carols

Tues 24th Nov 12.30pm: GALS Final lunch for 2020

Wed 25th Nov 10am Play Group

11:30am: MU: Holy Communion at St. Martin's followed by lunch

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7:30pm OASIS meets at the Rectory

Thu 26th 10am Communion in the Chapel
Fri 27th Nov 6:00pm SPW Christmas on the Green

To be confirmed next week whether Sunday 29th Nov morning Services will be held

Sun 29th Nov 7:45am Holy Communion at St Peter's

8:45am Holy Communion at St Martin's 10:00am Sung Eucharist at St Peter's

5:00pm: War Memorial Chapel Anniversary

100TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE WAR MEMORIAL CHAPEL OF ST MICHAEL

This service has been postponed until some time in 2021 when it Can be held safely. Thank you for all those who have shown Interest in the event. We look forward to doing it justice when Restrictions allow.



ADVENT BIBLE STUDY WITH MICHELE THIS THURSDAY, 19TH NOV VIA ZOOM

Commences tomorrow Thursday 19/11 at 7.30pm by this ZOOM link. https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82049696513?pwd=YVBjSElsSjJHWkZyWXgzZXB4R 25udz09

Meeting ID: 820 4969 6513 Passcode: 327718

YOUTH GROUP

Youth Group for this Friday 20th November will not be meeting in the community centre as planned. Michele will be in touch with ZOOM options.

GALS:

The Gals lunch has been cancelled.

MOTHERS UNION

The Mothers' Union service and lunch has been cancelled.

SPW CHRISTMAS ON THE GREEN - FRIDAY 27TH NOVEMBER 6-8PM

This even has been postponed and may be rescheduled depending on restrictions.

OASIS

The planned gathering at the rectory next week has been cancelled.

BISHOP'S COURT OPEN DAY

This event has been cancelled and due to the handover to new owners there is unfortunately no opportunity to reschedule.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Prayer requests for Sunday intercessions can given to the parish office and private prayers can also be offered by 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



Kingsley Oakley, Kel Pittman, Rosalie & Phil Brown, Nicole Cain, Pat Donnelly, Melanie Lyons, Daniel Roach, Nicky Heal, Tim Went, Beryl Nash, Tony Tamblyn, Sarah, Yvonne Thomas, Samuel, Peter Fenech, Trevor Marker and Hewina Jackson RIP Jim Morley

SOME GOOD NEWS

10am parishioners will be delighted to hear that Robin popped into the office today to say hello. He was in good spirits and hopes to be back in his unit later in December. We helped him out with some supplies and he says hello to everyone.

SHARING THIS PEW SHEET

If you are aware of parishioners who do not receive this emailed pew sheet or that you usually deliver a pew sheet to, perhaps you could give them a ring to make sure they are aware of the cancelled services and events.

OUR PARISH'S COVID SAFE PLAN

We received new COVID safe plans last night which were a return to tighter restrictions. Once this six day lockdown is over I will highlight any further restrictions going forward as I imagine further new plans will be sent out at that stage.

PARISH OFFICE CLOSED UNTIL WEDNESDAY 25TH Nov (AT LEAST)

That means that the phone answering machine will not be checked until the lockdown is lifed. We have no way of checking messages remotely. If you need to speak to one of the clergy please ring them direct on their mobiles. Thanks

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DONATING TO OUR PARISH

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

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

www.glenelganglican.org.au

PRAYER RESOURCES

From APBA p.445

Come, O Spirit of God, and make within us your dwelling place and home. May our darkness be dispelled by your light, Our troubles calmed by your peace; May all evil be redeemed by your love, All pain transformed through the suffering of Christ, And all dying glorified by his risen life. Amen.



From Celtic Worship Through they Year by Ray Simpson

Father, in the life of Jesus you have shown us the way
Give us his spirit of self-disciple; lead us more deeply into the way of the cross.
Before his hands were stretched out on the cross,
they were stretched out in love to children, women and men.
May your way of the Cross be our way,
that we, too, may stretch out our hands in love to all.

From Charles Wesley – He Expounded Unto Them (Luke 24:27)

The Scriptures all with Christ are filled,
With Jesus, and His will to save,
His birth and death are there revealed,
His rise and triumph o'er the grave,
His kingdom come in gracious power,
His reign when time shall be no more.

Jesus, divine Interpreter,
To me Thine oracles unseal,
Then shall I find and taste Thee there
Thy truth, and power, and mercy feel,
And nothing know, and nothing see
In all the book of God but Thee

To me that Spirit of wisdom give
Who doth in all Thy members breathe,
Thy sinless life I then shall live
And daily die Thy blessed death,
Fixed in my heart Thy kingdom own,
And rise to Thine eternal throne.

