

The Anglican Parish of Glenelg

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

Weekly News and Pew Sheet

THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY SUNDAY 16TH JANUARY 2022

WORSHIP THEME: ABUNDANT LOVE

Priest's Message

At the beginning of Jesus' public ministry, He is asked by a person, thought to be his mother, Mary, to address an awkward situation that the absence of wine at a feast would create – shame of not providing enough, and disrespect to the wedding guest by the family.

Jesus miracle produces vast quantities of wine, six jars



holding 150 gallons/ 660 litres filled to over flowing with good wine. There is no mention made to whether the other wedding guests are aware of what has happened.

Jesus' lavish response is to a simple human need, it is a vision for us of the abundance of God's kingdom. This lavish response is just a hint of His ministry to come, what the Kingdom of God is, and of salvation for all.

It challenges us to respond generously when confronted with human need today. We respond as best as we can, confident that God can transform our efforts, brining the Kingdom of God to fulfillment amount us.

O God, your desire for creation is abundance. Elevate our vision and give us faith broad and wide enough to see your plenty. Amen.

WORSHIP RESOURCES FOR EPIPHANY

Sentence

Jesus revealed his glory, and his disciples believed in him. - John 2.11

Prayer of the day

Bountiful God, whose Son revealed his glory at Cana of Galilee, help us to believe and obey, so that, as our Saviour promised, we may be filled with the wine of new life and show forth his joy and love; who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. . **Amen.**

First Reading Isaiah 62:1-5

A Reading from the Prophet Isaiah

For Zion's sake I will not keep silent, and for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest, until her vindication shines out like the dawn, and her salvation like a burning torch. The nations shall see your vindication, and all the kings your glory; and you shall be called by a new name that the mouth of the Lord will give.

You shall be a crown of beauty in the hand of the Lord, and a royal diadem in the hand of your God. You shall no more be termed Forsaken, and your land shall no more be termed Desolate; but you shall be called My Delight Is in Her, and your land Married; for the Lord delights in you, and your land shall be married.

For as a young man marries a young woman, so shall your builder marry you, and as the bridegroom rejoices over the bride, so shall your God rejoice over you.

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 36:5-10 A.P.B.A. page 258

- 5 Your unfailing kindness O Lord is in the heavens: and your faithfulness reaches to the clouds.
- 6 Your righteousness is like the strong mountains: and your justice as the great deep; you O Lord save both man and beast.
- 7 How precious O God is your enduring kindness:
 - the children of Adam shall take refuge under the shadow of your wings.
- 8 They shall be satisfied with the good things of your house: and you will give them drink from the river of your delights.

- 9 For with you is the well of life: and in your light shall we see light.
- 10 O continue your merciful kindness toward those who know you: and your righteous dealing to those that are true of heart.

Second Reading

1 Corinthians 12:1-11

A reading from the First letter to the Corinthians

Concerning spiritual gifts, brothers and sisters, I do not want you to be uninformed. You know that when you were pagans, you were enticed and led astray to idols that could not speak.

Therefore I want you to understand that no one speaking by the Spirit of God ever says "Let Jesus be cursed!" and no one can say "Jesus is Lord" except by the Holy Spirit. Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; and there are varieties of services, but the same Lord; and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them in everyone.

To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. To one is given through the Spirit the utterance of wisdom, and to another the utterance of knowledge according to the same Spirit, to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by the one Spirit, to another the working of miracles,

to another prophecy, to another the discernment of spirits, to another various kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. All these are activated by one and the same Spirit, who allots to each one individually just as the Spirit chooses.

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia! Alleluia!

Your words are spirit, Lord, and they are life: you have the message of eternal life.

Alleluia!

Gospel John 2:1-11

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

On the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding. When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." And Jesus said to her, "Woman, what concern is that to you and to me? My hour has not yet come."

His mother said to the servants, "Do whatever he tells you." Now standing there were six stone water jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. Jesus said to them, "Fill the jars with water." And they filled them up to the brim. He said to them, "Now draw some out, and take it to the chief steward." So they took it.

When the steward tasted the water that had become wine, and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), the steward called the bridegroom and said to him, "Everyone serves the good wine first, and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk.

But you have kept the good wine until now." Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee, and revealed his glory; and his disciples believed in him

The Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

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Next Sundays' Readings

16th January: The Second Sunday after Epiphany – Spirited Voice

Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10 Psalm 19 1 Corinthians 12:12-31a Luke 4:14-21

This Week

Sun 16th 7:45am Holy Communion at St Peter's 8:45am Holy Communion at St Martin's

10:00am Eucharist with Have A Go Musicians

Thu 13th 10:00am Holy Communion at St Peter's

Sun 23rd 7:45am Holy Communion at St Peter's

8:45am Holy Communion at St Martin's

10:00am Eucharist with Hymns (no sung mass setting)

PARISH NOTICES

REVEREND ANDEW RETURNS

Reverend Andrew Mintern returns from a holiday break this Tuesday.

REVEREND DR MARGARET ANNELLS ROLE IS CHANGING

As of February 1, Rev'd Dr Margaret's role is changing to persuse further tertiary study in Ministry at St Barnabas College North Adelaide. We will continue to see her on the $\mathbf{1}^{\text{st}}$ and $\mathbf{3}^{\text{rd}}$ Sunday's of the month. Stay tuned for further information.

THURSDAY 10AM SERVICE

The midweek Thursday service at 10 am continues.

CAN YOU BAKE A CAKE FOR BIRTHDAY SUNDAYS' AT ST PETER'S?

After the 10am service on Sunday 30th of January is the first Birthday Sunday morning tea of the year celebrating people who had birthdays in December and January. If you're interested in baking the birthday cake for January 30th, or any of the other months please write your name on the sheet by the office.

CVS UPDATE — HAVE YOU HAD YOUR COVID BOOSTER YET?

Murray Mudge at Glenelg ask that all CVS volunteers to have the COVID-19 booster shot when due in order to enter their facitily. It is expected other Aged care facilities may follow suit.



THANK YOU TO ALL OUR VOLUNTEERS

A huge thank you to everyone who helped over the all the Christmas Services. Especially those who filled in at a moment's notice due to other parishioners isolating awaiting COVID test results. These are times when we often have to change things at the last minute, your willingness to help is much appreciated.

PRAYER REQUESTS - PUBLIC AND PRIVATE

Prayer requests for Sunday intercessions can be given to the clergy or parish office. Confidential prayers can also be offered by the clergy and a small prayer group.



Kingsley Oakley, Kel Pittman, Rosalie & Phil Brown, Pat Donnelly, Harding Family, Melanie Lyons, Yvonne Thomas, Samuel, Jean, Peta, James, Dawn, Jim Small, Pat Carter, Di Besson, Paris D'Souza, Amelia Stevens, Joanna Muspratt, Jennifer Elbe, Brian Johnson, Matthew Small

The Anglican Parish of Glenelg acknowledges that we are meeting on the traditional country of the Kaurna people of the Adelaide Plains. We recognise and respect their cultural heritage, beliefs and relationship with the land. We acknowledge that they are of continuing importance to the Kaurna people living today.

It's always great to welcome visitors to our churches at St Peter's, Glenelg and St Martin's, Glenelg South.

At **7:45am** (St Peter's) you will need this news sheet and a green prayerbook (p.119). At **8:45am** (St Martin's) you will be greeted with a news sheet, prayer & hymnbooks to use. At **10am** (St Peter's) you only need this news sheet as the service is on the powerpoint screen.



Feel free to sit anywhere - there are no specially reserved seats.

Toilets are located, at St Peter's, along the passageway, under the projector screen. At St Martin's, they are in the corridor adjacent to the worship space.

Feel free to join in with all aspects of worship as you feel comfortable. Please be aware that visitors are warmly welcome to receive communion with us.

We love to meet new people so you are very welcome to stay for a cuppa after the service, but don't feel bad if you need to get away - there's always next time.

We hope you find inspiration and blessing in your time spent here.

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 deductible): Ensure the donation is designated for

The Anglican Parish of St Peters Glenelg. https://www.nationaltrust.org.au/donate-sa



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