

# The Anglican Parish of Glenelg

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

# Weekly News and Pew Sheet

# FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT SUNDAY 6TH MARCH 2022

VELCOME. Worship Theme: Practise Gratitude (THE WORD IS ON YOUR LIPS AND IN YOUR HEART)

## **Priest's Message**

The verse that strikes me from this morning's gospel is the one immediately after our Gospel reading finishes! Verse 14 reads "Then Jesus, filled with the power of the Spirit, returned to Galilee". The experience of temptation and testing in the wilderness actually strengthens Jesus and he is filled with the power of the Spirit.



Jesus shows that having God's word on his lips and in his heart is a strong defence against the temptations he faces (as St Paul's suggests in this morning's New Testament reading from Romans). In fact, Jesus will often return to deserted places during his ministry (cf Luke 4:42; 5:16; 6:12). Whilst we can be confronted by the experience of Jesus being tempted in the desert, it is clear that the desert is no longer a place of fear for Jesus, indeed it is a place of prayer and refuge that he returns to again and again to be strengthened by the power of the Spirit.

For us, the season of Lent can be that desert experience - a season to seek time to spend in prayer and silence; a time to have the Word of God on our lips and in our heart and be strengthened by the gift of God's Spirit.

## \* NOTICE OF ANNUAL VESTRY MEETING \*

All parishioners are invited to attend our combined worship service

## Sunday 27th March at 9:30am

followed immediately by Annual Vestry Meeting at 10:15am.

Only one morning service in the parish that day.

Nomination forms are now available for People's Warden (St Peter's & St Martin's); Parish Council; Nomination Committee and Synod Representatives (three year term). Parish reports will be circulated by email on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> March and some hard copies will be available on Sunday 20th March.

#### **WORSHIP RESOURCES**

#### Sentence

Worship the Lord your God, and serve only him. Luke 4.8

#### **Prayer**

O saving God, who led your people through the wilderness and brought them to the promised land: so guide us that, following our Saviour, we may walk through the wilderness of this world and be brought to the glory of the world which is to come; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.** 



# First Reading Deuteronomy 26.4-10 A reading from the book of Deuteronomy

When the priest takes the basket from your hand and sets it down before the altar of the Lord your God, you shall make this response before the Lord your God: 'A wandering Aramean was my ancestor; he went down into Egypt and lived there as an alien, few in number, and there he became a great nation, mighty and populous. When the Egyptians treated us harshly and afflicted us, by imposing hard labour on us, we cried to the Lord, the God of our ancestors; the Lord heard our voice and saw our affliction, our toil, and our oppression.

The Lord brought us out of Egypt with a mighty hand and an outstretched arm, with a terrifying display of power, and with signs and wonders; and he brought us into this place and gave us this land, a land flowing with milk and honey. So now I bring the first of the fruit of the ground that you, O Lord, have given me.' You shall set it down before the Lord your God and bow down before the Lord your God.

Hear the word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

### Psalm 91.1-2, 9-12, 14-15 245

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- 1 Those who dwell in the shelter of the Most High: who abide under the shadow of the Almighty,
- 2 They will say to the Lord

'You are my refuge and my stronghold: my God in whom I trust.'

9 The Lord himself is your refuge:

you have made the Most High your stronghold.

10 Therefore no harm will befall you:

nor will any scourge come near your tent.

11 For he will command his angels:

to keep you in all your ways.

12 They will bear you up in their hands:

lest you dash your foot against a stone.

14 'You have set your love upon me,' says the Lord,

'and therefore I will deliver you:

I will lift you out of danger,

because you have known my name.

15 'When you call upon me I will answer you:

I will be with you in trouble,

I will rescue you and bring you to honour.



# Second Reading Romans 10.8b-13 A reading from the letter of Paul to the Romans

What does the scripture say? 'The word is near you, on your lips and in your heart' (that is, the word of faith that we proclaim); because 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.'

Hear the word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

#### **Gospel Acclamation**

#### Alleluia! Alleluia!

Jesus was led by the Spirit through the wilderness and was tempted there.

#### Alleluia!

Gospel Luke 4.1-13

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

Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit in the wilderness, where for forty days he was tempted by the devil. He ate nothing at all during those days, and when they were over, he was famished.

The devil said to him, 'If you are the Son of God, command this stone to become a loaf of bread.' Jesus answered him, 'It is written, "One does not live by bread alone." '

Then the devil led him up and showed him in an instant all the kingdoms of the world. And the devil said to him, 'To you I will give their glory and all this authority; for it has been given over to me, and I give it to anyone I please. If you, then, will worship me, it will all be yours.' Jesus answered him, 'It is written, "Worship the Lord your God, and serve only him." '

Then the devil took him to Jerusalem, and placed him on the pinnacle of the temple, saying to him, 'If you are the Son of God, throw yourself down from here, for it is written, "He will command his angels concerning you, to protect you", and "On their hands they will bear you up, so that you will not dash your foot against a stone."' Jesus answered him, 'It is said, "Do not put the Lord your God to the test." '

When the devil had finished every test, he departed from him until an opportune time.

For the Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

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### **Readings for Next Sunday**

13<sup>th</sup> March: Second Sunday of Lent – God's Promise

Genesis 15: 1-7, 18 Psalm 27 Phillipians 3:17-4:1 Luke 13:31–35

**Parish Calendar** 

Sun 6<sup>th</sup> 7:45am Holy Communion at St Peter's

8:45am Holy Communion at St Martin's

10:00am Family Service at St Peter's 12noon Baptism (Sutton) postponed

8:00pm Fringe show "Come and Get It" at St Peter's

Tues 8<sup>th</sup> 8:00pm "Come and Get It" Fringe show at St Peter's

Wed 9<sup>th</sup> 10:00am Playgroup

2:00pm Wellbeing Class

3:00pm Funeral for Michael Cock

Thurs 10<sup>th</sup> 10:00am Holy Communion in St Michael's Chapel, St Peter's

11:30am Funeral for Rhonda Johns

Sun 13<sup>th</sup> 7:45am Holy Communion at St Peter's

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

2:30pm Paul Robeson Fringe show at St Peter's

Wed 16<sup>th</sup> 10:00am Playgroup

11:30am-6:00pm New Bishops' Conference (St Peter's)

Thurs 17<sup>th</sup> 9:00am – 6:00pm New Bishops' Conference (St Peter's)

10:00am Holy Communion in St Michael's Chapel, St Peter's

(NOTE: no morning tea today)

Fri 18<sup>th</sup> 9:00am – 12noon New Bishops' Conference (St Peter's)

Sat19<sup>th</sup> State election – Polling Booth at St Martin's

3:00pm-5:30pm Australian Bishops' Conference (St Peter's)

Sun 20<sup>th</sup> 7:45am Holy Communion at St Peter's

8:45am Healing service and Holy Communion at St Martin's

10:00am Have-a-go Musicians at St Peter's

12 noon Private baptism (Roberts)

#### **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, Melanie Lyons, Yvonne Thomas, Samuel, Jean, Peta, James, Pat Carter, Di Besson, Paris D'Souza, Joanna Muspratt, Jennifer Elbe, Brian Johnson, Jim, Matthew, Krissa Buhain

#### **PARISH NOTICES**

#### ANNUAL VESTRY MEETING – SUNDAY 27<sup>™</sup> MARCH

Group co-ordinators please have your reports to Hewina by this Friday, 11<sup>th</sup> March.Thank you Pat and Margaret for returning the MU report already!

#### NATIONAL CHURCH LIFE SURVEY - \* RETURN TODAY \*

Please return the National Church Life Survey form today. You can complete the survey at this online link <a href="https://attendersurvey.ncls.org.au/">https://attendersurvey.ncls.org.au/</a>
Church codes are **St Martin's ANA12201** and **St Peter's ANA12202** 

#### FRINGE CONCERTS AT ST PETER'S THIS YEAR

Come and Get It – The Beatles Next Album - 6<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> March at 8pm (Fringe guide page 94) presented by Andrew's band "What About Jeff?" cost \$20, concession \$15. The Life and Songs of Paul Robeson - 13<sup>th</sup> March at 2:30pm (Fringe Guide page 110) presented by Gary Sanderson. Cost \$15

#### **BCA Boxes**

Thank you to those who have returned their Bush Church Aid Collection boxes for supporting ministry in remote areas. Joyleen Brougham.

#### **GALS THEATRE AFTERNOON**

Independent Theatre is presenting Chekhov's "Seagull" 2pm, Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> April at the Little Theatre, Adelaide University. If you are interested in joining the group already going, please contact Sue on 0400 578 221 via text or phone call.

#### **NATIONAL BISHOPS' CONFERENCE AT GLENELG**

This month the National Anglican Bishops' conference is being hosted by our diocese, meeting at the Grand Hotel Glenelg. Our parish will be hosting the preconference gathering for new bishops and also one session for the whole conference. See parish calendar for details about when the Community Centre is in use. Many of the bishops will be joining us for worship at St Peter's on Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> March at 10am. Archbishop Geoff Smith will be presiding.

#### PASTY PIE-PLATES FUNDRAISER.

Henry and Cate Schafing will be doing their wonderful Pastie Pie-plates this year for election day. Vegetarian and Meat available. \$10 each. Order now for pick up on the afternoon of Friday 18<sup>th</sup> March. Those not ordered will be sold on our Election Day cake stall at St Martin's. Place you orders today or with the parish office.

#### **ELECTION DAY FUNDRAISER**

Can you help on the morning of the election at St Martin's. By helping on the election day cake stall and/or by cooking cakes. With current COVID concerns we don't expect that it will be as busy as usual and so it seems too difficult to do a BBQ this time, but we plan to sell the excess pasty pie-plates and cakes as an additional fundraiser. Please speak to Andrew for details and see the form at church to put your name down to volunteer.

#### THE SEASON OF LENT IN OUR PARISH

#### **LENTEN GROUP STUDY**

We will be using the Lenten Study "Repairing the Breach" prepared by ABM. "Repairing the Breach examines what it means to be people of healing in a broken world. Written by a community of friends for a people of mission — and illustrated with stunning images painted by acclaimed artist, Carol Aust." A full version of 'Repairing the Breach' can be viewed online (but not downloaded) at



https://imags.com.au/published/abm repairing the breach

Michele will be leading this group on Thursdays 10<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> March at 7:30pm. Sign up on the sheet at church and see **Rev Michele** for a study book.

#### LENTEN JOURNEY WITH LUKE-ACTS – A READING GUIDE

Use the 40 day reading guide to the books of Luke and Acts provided last Sunday to journey through Luke's writings (also on the website). If you would like to receive a daily emailed reflection and prayer matching the set reading for the day, please email me to register your interest. Luke-Acts was dedicated to Theophilus (a name meaning 'Friend of God' or 'Loved by God'). Whilst some suggest Theophilus was a real person others suggest that this was written for any friend of God who cared to read it. Join me, as a friend of God and as beloved by God, as we journey through Lent with this amazing Gospel. **Rev Andrew.** 

#### ANGLICAN NORTH COAST 2022 NORTHERN NSW FLOOD APPEAL

Anglicare North Coast has opened a flood appeal for tax deductible donations. They will be using their emergency relief processes to provide direct and efficient support to affected households. There are 3 ways to donate: go to <a href="www.anglicarenorthcoast.org.au">www.anglicarenorthcoast.org.au</a> and click 'donate here' OR transfer funds to Anglicare North Coast, BSB 705-077 A/C 00041320



OR you can use this QR code:

PLEASE REFERENCE YOUR DONATION AS "LISMORE 2022"

#### **CURRENT COVID RESTRICTIONS**

QR or paper check-in still required. Masks must be worn at all times (unless you have a medical condition). Readers, preachers etc may remove their masks for communication purposes. We should maintain physical distancing where possible.

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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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.