



# The Anglican Parish of Glenelg

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

## Weekly News and Pew Sheet



### THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT SUNDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2022 WORSHIP THEME: OPEN INVITATION

*If you are visiting or new to our parish, please see the Welcome section on the back of this pew sheet*

#### Priest's Message

The words from the prophet Isaiah in this morning's first reading are warmly inviting. They are filled with the promise of God's abundant life. We can accept God's open invitation and freely come to God's life-giving waters and receive priceless sustenance without money. This morning's psalm affirms that our souls thirst for God like a dry land thirsts for water and is content with the good marrow that God provides. These passages are beautiful, poetic and deeply inviting.

For you have been my help,  
and in the shadow of Your  
wings I will sing for joy.

Psalms 63:7



The New Testament reading and Gospel bring us down to the gritty reality of life. Bad things can still happen, as we are all too aware at this time. We are still vulnerable to the same testing that is common to everyone (1 Cor 10:13) but with that testing we will receive strength to endure. The Gospel reading presents us with the two realities of human suffering – those inflicted by other humans and those of natural causes. These can come not because they are deserved but because we live in a world where bad things do happen. Jesus' advice is to turn to God (to repent) because that is where we receive new life and God is the one, as the parable of the fig tree reassures us, always gives second chances.

#### \* NOTICE OF ANNUAL VESTRY MEETING \*

All parishioners are invited to attend our combined worship service

**Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> 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 available in the parish office. We have received enough nominations for all positions except Synod Representatives (three year term).

Vestry reports will be emailed Friday 18<sup>th</sup> March. Some hard copies will be available this Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> March so you will have a week to read them ready for Vestry.

## WORSHIP RESOURCES

### Sentence

Everyone who thirsts, come to the waters;  
and you that have no money, come, buy and eat!  
Come, buy wine and milk without money and  
without price. **Isaiah 55:1**



### Prayer of the Day

O God, the fountain of life, to a humanity parched with thirst you offer the living water that springs from the Rock, our Saviour Jesus Christ:  
stir up within your people the gift of your Spirit, that we may profess our faith with freshness and announce with joy the wonder of your love.  
We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

### First Reading

**Isaiah 55.1-9**

#### **A reading from the Prophet Isaiah**

Everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and you that have no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without price. Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread, and your labour for that which does not satisfy?

Listen carefully to me, and eat what is good, and delight yourselves in rich food. Incline your ear, and come to me; listen, so that you may live. I will make with you an everlasting covenant, my steadfast, sure love for David.

See, I made him a witness to the peoples, a leader and commander for the peoples. See, you shall call nations that you do not know, and nations that do not know you shall run to you, because of the Lord your God, the Holy One of Israel, for he has glorified you.

Seek the Lord while he may be found, call upon him while he is near; let the wicked forsake their way, and the unrighteous their thoughts; let them return to the Lord, that he may have mercy on them, and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.

For my thoughts are not your thoughts, nor are your ways my ways, says the Lord. For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts.

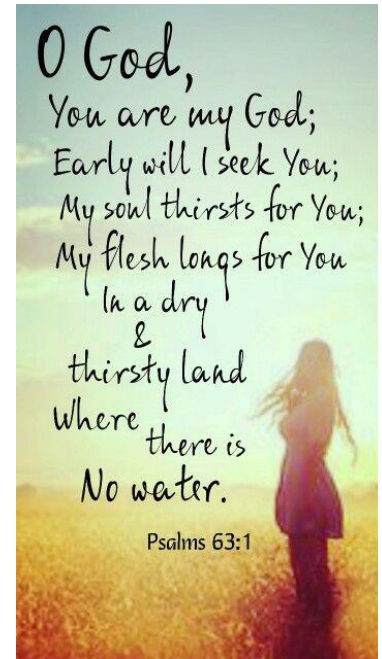
Hear the word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## Psalm 63.1-9

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- 1 O God, you are my God:  
eagerly will I seek you.
- 2 My soul thirsts for you, my flesh longs for you:  
as a dry and thirsty land where no water is.
- 3 So it was when I beheld you in the sanctuary:  
and saw your power and your glory.
- 4 For your unchanging goodness is better than life:  
therefore my lips shall praise you.
- 5 And so I will bless you as long as I live:  
and in your name will I lift my hands on high.
- 6 My longing shall be satisfied as with marrow and fatness:  
my mouth shall praise you with exultant lips.
- 7 When I remember you upon my bed:  
when I meditate upon you in the night watches,
- 8 How you have been my helper:  
then I sing for joy in the shadow of your wings,
- 9 Then my soul clings to you:  
and your right hand upholds me.



## Second Reading

1 Corinthians 10.1-13

### A reading from the first letter of Paul to the Corinthians

I do not want you to be unaware, brothers and sisters, that our ancestors were all under the cloud, and all passed through the sea, and all were baptized into Moses in the cloud and in the sea, and all ate the same spiritual food, and all drank the same spiritual drink. For they drank from the spiritual rock that followed them, and the rock was Christ. Nevertheless, God was not pleased with most of them, and they were struck down in the wilderness.

Now these things occurred as examples for us, so that we might not desire evil as they did. Do not become idolaters as some of them did; as it is written, 'The people sat down to eat and drink, and they rose up to play.' We must not indulge in sexual immorality as some of them did, and twenty-three thousand fell in a single day. We must not put Christ to the test, as some of them did, and were destroyed by serpents. And do not complain as some of them did, and were destroyed by the destroyer.

These things happened to them to serve as an example, and they were written down to instruct us, on whom the ends of the ages have come. So if

you think you are standing, watch out that you do not fall. No testing has overtaken you that is not common to everyone. God is faithful, and he will not let you be tested beyond your strength, but with the testing he will also provide the way out so that you may be able to endure it.

Hear the word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

### **Gospel Acclamation**

**Alleluia! Alleluia!**

Repent, turn back to God, says the Lord,  
for the kingdom of heaven is close at hand.

**Alleluia!**

### **Gospel Reading**

**Luke 13.1-9**

✠ The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

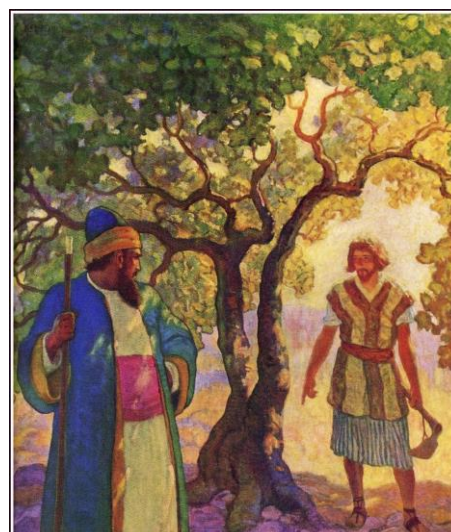
**Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ**

There were some present who told Jesus about the Galileans whose blood Pilate had mingled with their sacrifices. He asked them, 'Do you think that because these Galileans suffered in this way they were worse sinners than all other Galileans? No, I tell you; but unless you repent, you will all perish as they did.

Or those eighteen who were killed when the tower of Siloam fell on them—do you think that they were worse offenders than all the others living in Jerusalem? No, I tell you; but unless you repent, you will all perish just as they did.'

Then he told this parable: 'A man had a fig tree planted in his vineyard; and he came looking for fruit on it and found none. So he said to the gardener, "See here! For three years I have come looking for fruit on this fig tree, and still I find none. Cut it down! Why should it be wasting the soil?"

He replied, "Sir, let it alone for one more year, until I dig round it and put manure on it. If it bears fruit next year, well and good; but if not, you can cut it down." '



**For the Gospel of the Lord.**

**Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.**

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## Readings for Next Sunday

**27<sup>th</sup> March: Fourth Sunday of Lent – Welcoming Grace**

Joshua 5:9-12 Psalm 32:1-8 2 Corinthians 5:16-21 Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32

## Parish Calendar

Fri 18 <sup>th</sup>	9:00am – 12noon New Bishops' Conference, St Peter's 12noon-5pm Pasty Pie-Plate cooking 3:00-5:00pm pick up Pasty Pie-plates.
Sat 19 <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>	<b>7:45am Holy Communion at St Peter's</b> <b>8:45am Healing service and Holy Communion at St Martin's</b> <b>10:00am Have-a-go Musicians at St Peter's</b> <b>12:30pm Baptism Service for Roberts family postponed</b>
Tue 22 <sup>nd</sup>	2:00pm GALS, St. Peter's
Wed 23 <sup>rd</sup>	10:00am Playgroup, St. Peter's 2:00pm Wellbeing Class, St. Peter's 2:00pm Heritage Committee Meeting, Choir Vestry, St. Peter's 6:00pm wedding rehearsal, St. Peter's
Thu 24 <sup>th</sup>	10:00am Holy Communion in St Michael's Chapel, St Peter's 7:30pm Lenten Study at Rev. Michele's
Fri 25 <sup>th</sup>	6:00pm Youth Group, St. Peter's
Sat 26 <sup>th</sup>	1:30pm Wedding of A. Peddler & J. Kantilaftas, St. Peter's
Sun 27 <sup>th</sup>	<b>9:30am Combined Communion Service &amp; Annual Vestry Meeting</b> At St Peter's <b>5:00pm Ukulele Church</b>
Tue 29 <sup>th</sup>	7:00pm Men's Petanque evening at Novar Gardens (tbc)
Wed 30 <sup>th</sup>	10:00-11:30am Playgroup, St Peter's 1.30pm Mothers' Union, St. Martin's 7:00pm OASIS
Thu 31 <sup>st</sup>	10:00am Eucharist
Sat 2 <sup>nd</sup> April	Stations of the Cross (Glenelg Parish visit to St Michael's Mitcham)
Sun 3 <sup>rd</sup>	<b>7:45am Holy Communion at St Peter's</b> <b>8:45am Holy Communion at St Martin's</b> <b>10:00am All-age Family Service at St Peter's</b>

## 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, Gill, Dorothy Popplewell.



## PARISH NOTICES

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

**One combined service at St Peter's at 9:30am followed by Vestry Meeting.** Copies of all reports were emailed on Friday. A small number of hard copies are available this morning for those who do not have access to email. Please read this week in readiness for next Sunday's vestry meeting.

### NATIONAL BISHOPS' CONFERENCE AT GLENELG

Welcome to Archbishop Geoff Smith who is presiding for us this Sunday at 10am service. Welcome to anyone visiting St Peter's today who is attending the National Anglican Bishops' Conference. We are praying for you and with you for this event.

### GALS OPEN INVITATION, TUESDAY, 22<sup>ND</sup> MARCH AT 2PM

At the next GALS meeting, Janet Simpson will be talking about the history of the stained glass windows in St. Peter's Church. Everyone is welcome to attend.

### 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.

### MEN'S GROUP – SAVE THE DATE TUESDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> MARCH

We are hoping to hold a Petanque evening at Novar Gardens at 7pm on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> March. Details are still being finalised and will be emailed this week. If you are interested please speak to Henry Schafing or Rev Andrew.

### PALM SUNDAY PEACE MARCH – JOIN BEN

**At 2pm on Sunday April 10<sup>th</sup> 2022, Churches Together SA** (formerly SA Council of Churches) along with other justice and peace networks, are organising the **Palm Sunday Peace & Justice Walk**. *(see poster on notice board)*

This march has been a long-standing tradition in South Australia, where the broader community as well as Churches and Faith Communities, walk together in solidarity for peacemaking and justice keeping. As a radical, visible sign of peace-making presence, respect, solace, and harmony, this Walk will be in ***silence***, with our banners as our voice. We walk for many areas of concern.

Gather in at Tarntanyanga/Victoria Square from 1.30 pm for a 2 pm start the walk will travel along King William Road to North Terrace then return to back to Tarntanyanga/Victoria Square

*Ben Williams will be attending and holding a banner for the Anglican Church. He would love to welcome any parishioners who wish to join him.*

## LENTEN GROUP STUDY

Two more sessions to go and you can still join in with our group Lenten Study "Repairing the Breach" prepared by ABM. See Rev Michele if you would like a study book we have a couple left. Also a full version of 'Repairing the Breach' can be viewed online (but not downloaded) at

[https://imags.com.au/published/abm\\_repairing\\_the\\_breach/](https://imags.com.au/published/abm_repairing_the_breach/)

Remaining sessions 24<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> March at 7:30pm at Michele's place.



## PASTY PIE-PLATES FUNDRAISER – THANK YOU

Huge thanks to Henry and Cate Schafing for the wonderful Pasty Pie-plate fundraiser. If you have not yet paid, please do so this morning.

## ELECTION DAY FUNDRAISER – THANK YOU

Thank you to all those who assisted with the Election Day Cake stall at St Martin's by baking or helping on the stall. It is very much appreciated.

## HOW CAN WE HELP?

Anglican Board of Mission currently have appeals running for Ukraine, Eastern States Flood victims, Tonga Tsunami relief as well as their regular Lent and Easter appeal. See <https://www.abmission.org/appeals/>

Alternatively you can donate to Anglicare North Coast to support flood victims at <https://anglicarenorthcoast.org.au/donate/>

## CURRENT COVID RESTRICTIONS

Whilst still hope for a future easing of restrictions. Please be mindful that QR or paper check-in is still required for church services and events. Masks must be worn at all times (unless you have a medical condition). Readers, preachers etc may remove their masks for communication purposes. Building capacity limitations have now been removed so feel free to sit where you feel comfortable.

## EASTER SERVICE TIMES

### ST PETER'S EASTER SERVICES

**Palm Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> April** 4:30-6:00 Children's and Families' Passover

**Maundy Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> April** 10am Eucharist

6:00-8:00pm Adults Passover followed by 8:00-10:30pm Vigil

**Good Friday 15<sup>th</sup> April** 9:30am Liturgy of the Cross

11:00am Kids' Service

**Easter Day 17<sup>th</sup> April** 6:30am Ecumenical Dawn Service on Glenelg Foreshore

7:45am Eucharist

10:00am Sung Eucharist

**ST MARTIN'S SERVICES** 8:45am Good Friday & 8:45am Easter Sunday

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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9.30am – 2.30pm Tuesday to Friday



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**[www.glenelganglican.org.au](http://www.glenelganglican.org.au)**

*The Anglican Parish of Glenelg acknowledges that we are meeting on the traditional country of the Kurna 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 Kurna people living today.*