



The Anglican Parish of Glenelg

*a vibrant, welcoming and inclusive community
growing in faith and love.*



SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

SUNDAY 14TH JANUARY 2024

WORSHIP THEME: AWAKENING TO GOD'S CALL

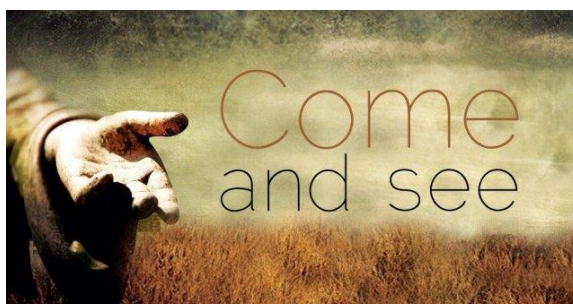
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ASSOCIATE PRIEST'S MESSAGE

A Poem by Andrew King for the Second Sunday
after Epiphany.

THE ONE WHOSE HEART IS SEARCHING

(I Samuel 3: 1-10; John 1: 43-51)



Samuel on his bed beside the lamp, its flame describing in slow pulses
the flickering hope of a lonely, quiet yearning;
the hollow stillness like a silent pond where a searching voice could be heard
like a dropping pebble.

And in the dark and in the emptiness the One who is doing the calling,
the One whose heart is searching, is the unheard God.

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Nathanael on the ground under the fig tree, looking up through its leaves at
an empty sky.

The leaves sift the sunlight, its harshness is filtered, but the shade over his soul
shows little gleam of joy.

His heart nearly closed in its quest for truth, his horizons have dimmed, no corners of
hope discerned.

But there is One who remains watching and looking, and the One who is searching for
him is the unrecognized God.

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You and me on our beds, our couches, you and me by our lamps.

You and me under spreading trees, or peering at the sky through windows; you and me
at our office desks, fingering the plastic of keyboards; you and me in our living-rooms,
or sitting at our kitchen tables; you and me, so yearning for hope, so longing for meaning,
truth, or joy – may we become aware of the One who is searching for us; awake to the
One who knows and calls our names longing for us to listen:

the God of promise and of invitation.

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WORSHIP RESOURCES FOR TODAY

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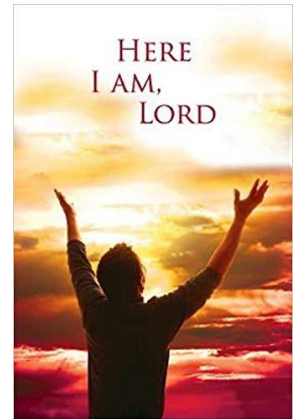
We have found the Messiah:

Jesus Christ, the Son of God, the king of Israel!

John 1.41, 49

Prayer of the Day

Eternal God,
whose Son, Jesus Christ, is now exalted as Lord of all,
and pours out his gifts upon the Church:
grant it that unity which only your Spirit can give,
keep us in the bond of peace,
and bring all creation to worship before your throne;
through Jesus Christ our Redeemer,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. Amen.



First Reading

1 Samuel 3.1-10

A Reading from the First Book of Samuel

Now the boy Samuel was ministering to the Lord under Eli. The word of the Lord was rare in those days; visions were not widespread. At that time Eli, whose eyesight had begun to grow dim so that he could not see, was lying down in his room; the lamp of God had not yet gone out, and Samuel was lying down in the temple of the Lord, where the ark of God was. Then the Lord called, 'Samuel! Samuel!' and he said, 'Here I am!' and ran to Eli, and said, 'Here I am, for you called me.' But he said, 'I did not call; lie down again.' So he went and lay down. The Lord called again, 'Samuel!' Samuel got up and went to Eli, and said, 'Here I am, for you called me.' But he said, 'I did not call, my son; lie down again.' Now Samuel did not yet know the Lord, and the word of the Lord had not yet been revealed to him. The Lord called Samuel again, a third time. And he got up and went to Eli, and said, 'Here I am, for you called me.' Then Eli perceived that the Lord was calling the boy. Therefore Eli said to Samuel, 'Go, lie down; and if he calls you, you shall say, "Speak, Lord, for your servant is listening."' So Samuel went and lay down in his place. Now the Lord came and stood there, calling as before, 'Samuel! Samuel!' And Samuel said, 'Speak, for your servant is listening.'

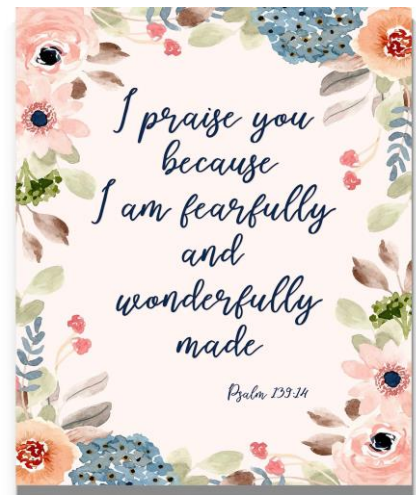
Hear the word of the Lord,

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 139.1-5, 12-18

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1 O Lord, you have searched me out and known me:
you know when I sit or when I stand,
you comprehend my thoughts long before.
2 You discern my path and the places where I rest:
you are acquainted with all my ways.
3 For there is not a word on my tongue:
but you, Lord, know it altogether.
4 You have encompassed me behind and before:
and have laid your hand upon me.
5 Such knowledge is too wonderful for me:
so high that I cannot endure it.



12 For you have created my inward parts:
you knit me together in my mother's womb.
13 I will praise you, for you are to be feared:
fearful are your acts, and wonderful your works.
14 You knew my soul, and my bones were not hidden from you:
when I was formed in secret,
and woven in the depths of the earth.
15 Your eyes saw my limbs when they were yet imperfect:
and in your book were all my members written;
16 Day by day they were fashioned:
and not one was late in growing.
17 How deep are your thoughts to me, O God:
and how great is the sum of them!
18 Were I to count them, they are more in number than the sand:
were I to come to the end, I would still be with you.

2nd Reading

1 Corinthians 6.13-15, 17-20

A Reading from the First Letter to the Corinthians

The body is meant not for fornication but for the Lord, and the Lord for the body. And God raised the Lord and will also raise us by his power. Do you not know that your bodies are members of Christ; anyone united to the Lord becomes one spirit with him. Shun fornication! Every sin that a person commits is outside the body; but the fornicator sins against the body itself. Or do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within

you, which you have from God, and that you are not your own? For you were bought with a price; therefore glorify God in your body.

Hear the word of the Lord

thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia! Alleluia!
Lord, you are the Son of God!
You are the King of Israel!
Alleluia!

The Gospel Reading

John 1.43-51

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to St John

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

The next day Jesus decided to go to Galilee. He found Philip and said to him, 'Follow me.' Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city of Andrew and Peter. Philip found Nathanael and said to him, 'We have found him about whom Moses in the law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus son of Joseph from Nazareth.' Nathanael said to him, 'Can anything good come out of Nazareth?' Philip said to him, 'Come and see.'

When Jesus saw Nathanael coming towards him, he said of him, 'Here is truly an Israelite in whom there is no deceit!' Nathanael asked him, 'Where did you come to know me?' Jesus answered, 'I saw you under the fig tree before Philip called you.' Nathanael replied, 'Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!' Jesus answered, 'Do you believe because I told you that I saw you under the fig tree? You will see greater things than these.' And he said to him, 'Very truly, I tell you, you will see heaven opened and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man.'

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

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Next Sundays' Readings

24th January: Leaving our Nets Behind (Third Sunday After Epiphany)

Jonah 3:1-5,10 Psalm 62:5-12 1 Corinthians 7:29-31 Mark 1:14-20

PLEASE PRAY FOR THEM AND FOR OUR PARISH

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, Rosalie and Phil Brown, Pat Donnelly, Melanie Lyons, Samuel, Di Besson, Peta, Pam Court, Keegan. **RIP** Ray Edwards

This Week



Sun 14th	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)
Thu 18 th	10:00am Eucharist in the Chapel
Sun 21st	7:45am Holy Communion at St Peter's 8:45am Holy Communion at St Martin's 10:00am Sung Eucharist (Have-a-go Singers and musicians)
Thu 25 th	10am Eucharist in the Chapel
Sun 28th	7:45am Holy Communion at St Peter's 8:45am Holy Communion at St Martin's 10:00am Sung Eucharist

PARISH NOTICES

GUEST PRIEST TODAY - 14TH JANUARY

Please make welcome the Rev'd Mara Di Francesco who will be our guest celebrant and preacher for all three Sunday services today.

DATE SAVERS – SHROVE TUESDAY & ASH WEDNESDAY

With an early Lent this year **Shrove Tuesday** is the 13th February when we will hold our annual Pancake meal in the community centre. 5:45pm for 6:00pm serving of the meal.

Ash Wednesday is 14th February – Ash Wednesday service time to be confirmed next week.

FRINGE FESTIVAL RETURNS TO ST PETER'S

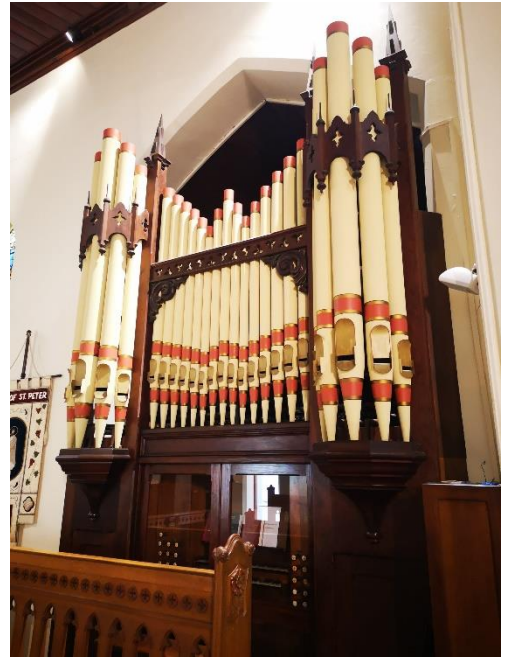
Once again Andrew's band, What About Jeff? will perform two Fringe shows at St Peter's. The show is called "**15 Beatles Songs that Changed the World**" performing some iconic Beatles numbers and the stories behind them. The shows are **8pm Sunday 25th February and 8pm Tuesday 27th February** at St Peter's Church. Information and tickets are available at Fringetix at this link.

<https://adelaidefringe.com.au/fringetix/15-beatles-songs-that-changed-the-world-af2024>

ST PETERS CHURCH (GLENELG), ORGAN ANNIVERSARY

The historic Fincham and Hobday organ at St Peter's Church, Glenelg, celebrates its 135th anniversary in January. First used on Sunday 20th January 1889, it was written up the following morning in the Register newspaper as the first in the state to have tubular pneumatic action and marking an epoch in organ design. Evidently everyone was much relieved on the day that there was sufficient water pressure to operate the hydraulic engine providing the required wind pressure for the double bellows (one for the action).

According to John Maidment of the Organ Historic Trust of Australia it is one of the few relatively unaltered Fincham and Hobday organs in Australia. We are looking forward to Mark Joyner playing for the 10am Service on the last Sunday in January. He will play a most demanding (for both player and organ) Fantasia by Bach as the postlude. Words by Tony Whitehill.



FOOD MINISTRY

As ever thank you for your continued support with our food ministry program. All the extra Christmas items were greatly received. If you would like to donate any items the following always come in handy: **cereals, pasta, pasta sauce, tuna and coffee.** Many Thanks.

MOTHERS UNION COMMENCES IN FEBRUARY 2024

The next Mother's Union meeting will take place on Monday 26th February at 1:30pm at St. Martins. All welcome.

GALS COMMENCES IN FEBRUARY 2024

The next GALS gathering will take place on Tuesday 27th February at 2pm in the community centre at St. Peters. All welcome.

THANK YOU TO OUR WONDERFUL PARISH

Thank you to all of our parishioners for your continued support. Your commitment, energy and enthusiasm is greatly appreciated. From helping with funerals, maintaining the grounds, arranging flowers, counting money, helping in the office, washing linen, catering, services, rosters and everything in between! We could not do it all without you! So a huge thank you! If you

ever wondered about helping out and want to know more contact Jade in the parish office for a chat.

ACVVS (AGED CARE VOLUNTEER VISITORS SCHEME) FORMERLY CVS

Becoming an Aged Care Volunteer Visitor can be a rewarding and life-changing experience. You will make a friend, share ideas and stories and help someone who might be feeling isolated or lonely. Volunteers usually visit for an hour once a fortnight, at a time that suits both the volunteer and the person receiving aged care services. Volunteering in this way will make a huge difference in the life of an isolated person in aged care AND also assist the parish to continue to staff our parish office. If this is something that you would like to learn more about feel free to come into the parish office and have a chat with Jade.


ST. ANDREW’S BY THE SEA HOSTS CLASSICAL CONCERT

Chamber Philharmonia Cologne plays Vivaldi, Mozart & Paganini presented by world class soloists Sergey Didorenko (Violin) and Dmitrij Gornowskij (Violoncello) and Jaime Roda Segrelles (Baritone). Tickets available one hour prior to the concert on the door- cash sales only.

ADELAIDE CHURCH GUARDIAN-ONLINE

A new online publication from the Anglican Diocese of Adelaide can be found here: <https://adelaideguardian.com/> The site is designed to keep track of the goings-on in our Diocese and beyond. It includes everything from parish, local, national and world news and stories.

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WELCOME MESSAGE TO VISITORS TO ST PETER'S AND ST MARTIN'S

We aspire to be a *vibrant, welcoming and inclusive community growing in faith and love*. By growing in discipleship and sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ; Building strong community connections within and beyond our church; Advocating and working together for Gospel-based justice; and Caring for creation and for each other.

7:45am at St Peter's you will be greeted with this news Sheet. A green prayerbook is found in the pews (p.119).

8:45am at St Martin's you will be greeted with a news sheet, prayerbook (p.119) and hymnbook to use.

10am at St Peter's you will be greeted with a news sheet and the service can be followed 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 annex adjacent the worship space.

Please join in with all aspects of worship as you feel comfortable. Be assured 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.



HOW TO DONATE TO OUR PARISH MINISTRY

Regular Planned Giving can be directed to Parish of Glenelg (AFSA) BSB 705-077 Account Number 00041211 (please use your surname and initial e.g. 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 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.

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