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PARISH NEWSLETTER

Please forward items for the newsletter to the Parish Office - ph 8552 1084, fax 8552 3439 or catholicvhg@bigpond.com)
(All items for the newsletter must be received no later than Wednesday evening)

PARISH TREASURER

Mrs Margaret Meade

MASS CENTRES AND TIMES

ST JOAN OF ARC

30 Seaview Road, Victor Harbor

MASS TIMES

Saturday 6.00pm

Sunday 11.00am

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 11.00am - 11.30am

Saturday 5.30pm - 5.50pm

ST JOHN THE APOSTLE

10-14 Gardiner Street, Goolwa

MASS TIMES

Sunday 9.00am

(1st Sunday of the month - Family Mass)

RECONCILIATION

Sunday 8.30am - 8.50am

CHILD PROTECTION UNIT

Sally Wellington (Manager)

Phone: 8210 8268



**Jubilee Year
of Mercy
2015/16**

FIRST READING

Acts 5:27-32,40-41

The high priest demanded an explanation of the Apostles. 'We gave you a formal warning' he said 'not to preach in this name, and what have you done? You have filled Jerusalem with your teaching, and seem determined to fix the guilt of this man's death on us.' In reply Peter and the apostles said, 'Obedience to God comes before obedience to men; it was the God of our ancestors who raised up Jesus, but it was you who had him executed by hanging on a tree. By his own right hand God has now raised him up to be leader and saviour, to give repentance and forgiveness of sins through him to Israel. We are witnesses to all this, we and the Holy Spirit whom God has given to those who obey him.' They warned the apostles not to speak in the name of Jesus and released them. And so they left the presence of the Sanhedrin glad to have had the honour of suffering humiliation for the sake of the name.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

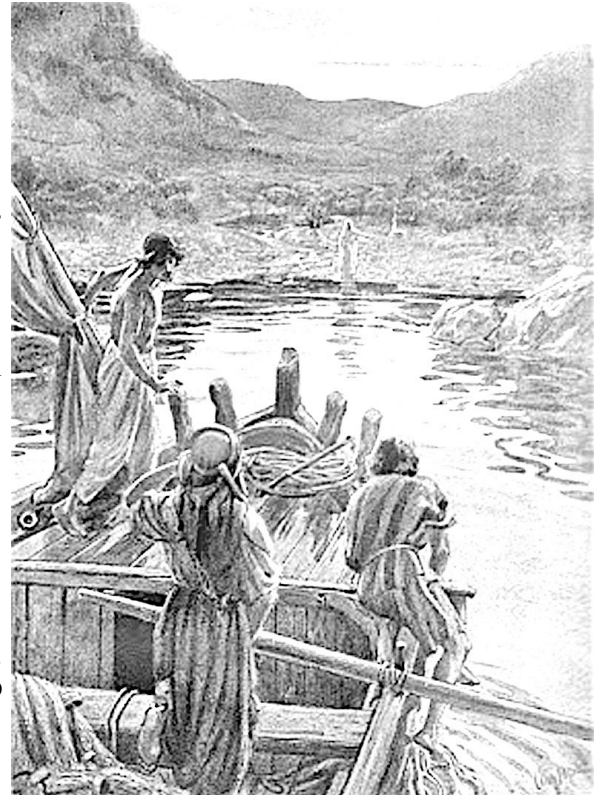
Ps 29:2, 4-6, 11-13 R.v.2

*I will praise you, Lord,
for you have rescued me.*

SECOND READING

Apocalypse 5:11-14

In my vision, I, John, heard the sound of an immense number of angels gathered round the throne and the animals and the elders; there were ten thousand times ten thousand of them and thousands upon thousands, shouting, 'The Lamb that was sacrificed is worthy to be given power, riches, wisdom, strength, honour, glory and blessing.' Then I heard all the living



things in creation – everything that lives in the air, and on the ground, and under the ground, and in the sea, crying, 'To the One who is sitting on the throne and to the Lamb, be all praise, honour, glory and power, for ever and ever.' And the four animals said, 'Amen'; and the elders prostrated themselves to worship.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!

Christ is risen; the Lord of all creation; he has shown pity on all people.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL

John 21:1-19

Jesus showed himself again to the disciples. It was by the Sea of Tiberias, and it happened like this: Simon Peter, Thomas called the Twin, Nathanael from Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee and two more of his disciples were together. Simon Peter said, 'I'm going fishing.' They replied, 'We'll come with you.'

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Bulletin Board

SPECIAL INTENTIONS

John Hassick, Julie Bradley,
Barbara Bond, Tony Sheehan,
Mark Kelly, Simon Slagter, Father
John Langtry, Paul Cullen, Frank
Refchange, Gail Menner,
Pat Proctor, Reilly Smith.

ANNIVERSARIES

Fr. Peter Monopoli, Kevin Higgins,
Kevin McMahon, Fr. Michael
Rodger, Muriel Joras-Lafsky,
Joan Kelly

RECENTLY DECEASED

Diane Beale, Mary Moyle, Carmen
Spiteri, Carmel Page, Judy Harrap,
Sue Tomlinson.

PARISH COLLECTION

2nd & 3rd April

1st (Presbytery) \$ 890.70
2nd (Parish) \$1,519.00
Holy Places: \$1,157.00

VICTOR MORNING TEA ROSTER

April 10th & 17th

M. Cunningham, A. Wright
April 24th & May 1st.
W. & J. Baker

VICTOR ALTAR ROSTER

April 8th—15th

M. Davis & F. Harris

VICTOR MEET & GREET

April Saturdays

L. & M. Peake & M. Farmer

April Sundays

H. Sampson

ST. JOAN'S CHOIR

Practice time is at 10.30am each
Friday in the Church.

GOOLWA MORNING TEA ROSTER

April

E. Oats, E. De Vries, D. McMahon,
Ludi

GOOLWA MEET & GREET

April

A. Turner, M. Smith, K. Milne

ST. JOHN'S SINGING GROUP

Practices are held in the Church
every Tuesday at 3.30pm.

RECONCILIATION, CONFIRMATION AND FIRST HOLY COMMUNION IN 2016



If you wish your children to celebrate these Sacraments, please advise Fr. Vinh or the Parish Office on 8552 1084.

CHRISTIAN LIFE COMMUNITY

Groups meet fortnightly on Thursday nights (mixed) 7-9 pm and Wednesday (women) 1.30 - 3.30 pm. Phone Rob and Jocelyne Randabel-Williamson for more information. 0402 341 071.

EXPLORING THE GOSPEL.

Deepen your understanding of the Sunday Gospel at 7.00pm – 8.00pm each Sunday in the Annex, Victor Harbor. All welcome.

CONTEMPLATIVE LIVING COMMUNITY

We meet for Lectio Divina (Scripture Reflection) and meditation on Monday evenings for 2016. Anyone is welcome. Please contact Anne Weygood for details 0429 653 844.

PORT ELLIOT CEMETERY

Father Charles wishes to form a small working group to maintain this cemetery. Please contact Anne Fawcner: 8552 6074

NEW PARISHIONERS

If you are new to the parish, Father Vinh would like to welcome you. Please make yourself known. There is a book in the porch where you may write your name and address.

ST. VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY

The next meeting will be on **Wednesday April 13th at Goolwa** after 9.30am Mass.

FRIENDSHIP CLUB V.H./GOOLWA

The next get together will be on Tuesday 19th April 2pm—4pm in the Annex at St. Joan's. **Please note that this group will now meet, once a month on the 3rd Tuesday.** Please come along & enjoy the company of other parishioners & friends.

ST. JOAN'S SOCIAL CLUB

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday 12th April at 1.30pm in the Annex. Please bring a plate to share. **All welcome**

RECENTLY DECEASED SUE TOMLINSON

It is with sadness that we record Sue's peaceful death last Wednesday night. Our sympathy is with Tom and his family. May Sue rest in peace.

JUDY HARRAP.

Thank you to all those who were involved and those who participated in Judy's funeral, last Friday. Our sympathy is with Hayden and his family.

May our Risen Lord grant Judy eternal life.

VESTMENTS AT GOOLWA

Thank you to Dorothy West, Krystyna Milne, Maggie Smith and The Knights of the Southern Cross who bought the two new red and purple vestments for Goolwa Church.

ST. JOAN'S MAINTENANCE GROUP & MEN'S MORNING TEA



Work starts at 9.30am on Wednesday 13th April. Morning tea at 10.30am in the Annex for all men of the Parish.

EASTER RAFFLE

The winner from this year's raffle, Victor Harbor tickets, was Wendy Carpenter.

HYMN BOOKS

There are many hymn books missing from St. Joan's. If anyone has accidentally taken one can you please return it. Thank you. Mary Ferguson

ST. JOAN'S SOCIAL CLUB

FISH & CHIP NIGHT

Please come along & enjoy this great night on Friday 29th April, 5.30pm for 6pm start. Fish & chips & salad will be provided. \$10.00pp. BYO drinks & sweets to share. To book please phone: Pat Clingan 0410 593 617 Colleen Pearsons 8552 2645 before 27th April.





THE SEA OF GALILEE TODAY

The Sea of Galilee is the site where



Jesus told his disciples: "I will make you fishers of men." As the Bible

tells us, four of the Apostles - James, Andrew, John and Peter - worked as fishermen on the shores of the Sea of Galilee.

Were they to ply their trade now, however, the Apostles would find themselves in court. Officials at the Ministry announced the fishing ban, claiming that stocks have fallen to a dangerously low level.

The decree ends a tradition which has continued virtually unchanged since Biblical times, and will dismay both local fishermen and Christian pilgrims who flock to the site each year.



PSALM FOR 3RD SUNDAY OF Easter

***I will praise You, Lord,
for You have rescued me.***

I will praise You, Lord, You have rescued me
and have not let my enemies rejoice over me.

O Lord You have raised my soul from the dead,
restored me to life from those who sink into the grave.

Sing psalms to the Lord, you who love Him,
give thanks to His holy name.
His anger lasts but a moment; His favour through life.
At night there are tears, but joy comes with dawn.

The Lord listened and had pity.
The Lord came to my help.
For me You have changed my mourning into dancing;
O Lord my God, I will thank You forever.

***I will praise You, Lord,
for You have rescued me.***

THANK YOU FRANK REFCHANGE

(Frank is now a resident at Sandpiper Lodge)

Frank and his wife Linda and family moved into Goolwa in 1979. He immediately became involved with the local Catholic community, and assisted in social events as well as pastoral care. He was a minister of the Eucharist, as well as a commentator and reader. He joined the Pastoral Parish Council, and soon became chairman.

He helped form The Knights of the Southern Cross in the parish, and has served as chairman and on the branch council. All these positions he had held in his previous parish In Port Augusta as well as being area chairman. Frank has recruited countless men to the Knights, and after 56 years of service was awarded life membership in 2015.

When it was decided to build a new Church in Goolwa in the mid 80s, Frank was chair of the Pastoral Council. In his days in the food industry, as he had supervised the building of two supermarkets, he was given the job of lay representative in the building of the church. This meant daily attendance and huge responsibility. The result was the beautiful church that St. John's has become.

Frank, on behalf of parishioners past and present, thank you for your huge service to our community.

ST. STANISLAUS, Patron Saint of Poland Feast Day 11th April

Stanislaus became Bishop of Kracow in 1072. A good shepherd, he dedicated himself totally to the religious education of the people and the formation of the clergy.



He came into conflict with King Boleslaus II and excommunicated him. In retaliation, the King murdered Stanislaus as he was celebrating Mass.

The Catholic school at Crystal Brook, in the mid-north of South Australia, was named Saint Stanislaus School.

This Week : 9th & 10th April

VICTOR HARBOR 6pm

Commentator: J. Ryan

R.1 B. Bullen

R.2 M. Farmer

E.M. B. Munday, M. Lloyd

VICTOR HARBOR 11am

Commentator: E. Temme

R.1 A. Rose

R.2 P. Chigwidden

E.M. P. Clingan, P. O'Brien, M. Cunningham, R. Reid

GOOLWA 9.00am

Commentator: P. Kennelly

R.1 L. Longworth

R.2 B. Longworth

E.M. J. McMahon, S. Muller, K. Milne, M. O'Halloran, P. Burns



Next Week : 16th & 17th April

VICTOR HARBOR 6pm

Commentator: E. O'Shaughnessy

R.1 F. Hanna

R.2 J. Randabel-Williamson

E.M. B. Munday, J. Bradley

VICTOR HARBOR 11am

Commentator: K. Howard

R.1 P. O'Brien

R.2 W. Baker

E.M. K. Rucioch, M. Von Holst, I. Reid, R. Reid, P. Clingan

GOOLWA 9.00am

Commentator: M. Freeborn

R.1 D. McMahon

R.2 J. McMahon

E.M. J. Ryan, M. Ryan, T. Siciliano, J. Slagter, A. Turner

REGULAR MASS TIMES IN OUR CLUSTER CHURCHES

ALDINGA

*Mary of Galilee, the First Disciple
cnr Quinliven and Howe Roads*

Saturday 5.30pm

Tuesday 9.15am

GOOLWA

St John the Apostle, 10-14 Gardiner St

Sunday 9.00am

Wednesday 9.30am

KINGSCOTE

*Our Lady of Perpetual Help,
cnr Todd and Giles Streets*

Sunday 9.30am

4th Sunday (Youth Mass) 6.00pm

NOARLUNGA

*St Luke, the Evangelist,
cnr Honeypot Rd and Goldsmith Dve*

Saturday 6.00pm

Sunday 9.00am

1st Sunday 11.00am (Spanish Mass)

2nd Sunday 2.00pm (Filipino Mass)

Sunday (Youth Mass) 5.30pm

Monday 9.00am

Tuesday (2nd, 4th, 5th week) 9.00am

Tuesday (1st, 3rd week) 9.45am

Wednesday 7.00am, 7.30pm

Thursday 9.00am (St John's School)

Friday 10.00am

NORMANVILLE

St Peter, Cape Jervis Road

1st, 3rd, 5th Sundays 10.30am

2nd, 4th Sundays 8.30am

1st Friday 6.00pm

PARNDANA

4th Sunday 4.00pm

PENNESHAW

*St Columba, North Terrace
(shared with Anglicans)*

1st Sunday 2.00pm

SEAFORD

Seaford Ecumenical Mission, Grand Bvd

Sunday 10.45am

Wednesday 9.00am

VICTOR HARBOR

St Joan of Arc, 30 Seaview Road

Saturday 6.00pm

Sunday 11.00am

Tuesday 9.00am

Thursday 9.00am

Friday (other than 1st) 9.00am

1st Friday 11.30am

WILLUNGA

St Joseph, 12 St Judes Street

1st, 3rd, 5th Sundays 8.30am

2nd, 4th Sundays 10.30am

Wednesday 9.00am

Thursday 9.00am

Friday 9.00am

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They went out and got into the boat but caught nothing that night.

It was light by now and there stood Jesus on the shore, though the disciples did not realise that it was Jesus. Jesus called out, 'Have you caught anything, friends?' And when they answered, 'No', he said, 'Throw the net out to starboard and you'll find something.' So they dropped the net, and there were so many fish that they could not haul it in. The disciple Jesus loved said to Peter, 'It is the Lord.' At these words 'It is the Lord', Simon Peter, who had practically nothing on, wrapped his cloak round him and jumped into the water. The other disciples came on in the boat, towing the net and the fish; they were only about a hundred yards from land.

As soon as they came ashore they saw that there was some bread there, and a charcoal fire with fish cooking on it. Jesus said, 'Bring some of the fish you have just caught.' Simon Peter went aboard and dragged the net to the shore, full of big fish, one hundred and fifty-three of them; and in spite of there being so many the net was not broken. Jesus said to them, 'Come and have breakfast.' None of the disciples was bold enough to ask, 'Who are you?'; they knew quite well it was the Lord. Jesus then stepped forward, took the bread and gave it to them, and the same with the fish. This was the third time that Jesus showed himself to the disciples after rising from the dead.

After the meal Jesus said to Simon Peter, 'Simon son of John, do you love me more than these others do?' He answered, 'Yes Lord, you know I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my lambs.' A second time he said to him, 'Simon son of John, do you love me?' He replied, 'Yes, Lord, you know I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Look after my sheep.' Then he said to him a third time, 'Simon son of John, do you love me?' Peter was upset that he asked him the third time, 'Do you love me?' and said, 'Lord, you know everything; you know I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my sheep.

'I tell you most solemnly,

when you were young
you put on your own belt
and walked where you liked;
but when you grow old
you will stretch out your hands,
and somebody else will put a belt
round you
and take you where you would
rather not go.'

In these words he indicated the kind of death by which Peter would give glory to God. After this he said, 'Follow me.'

FAMILY CONNECTION

Today's Gospel describes what we can easily imagine as a picnic on the beach. Just as Jesus' miracle at the wedding feast at Cana blesses the love between man and woman celebrated in the sacrament of marriage, Jesus' attentiveness to food and mealtimes raises the possibility that our meal gatherings can be sacred times. In families, the domestic church, our meals together are everyday opportunities to gather and recall Jesus' presence with us. As in the Eucharist, we bring the gifts that God has given us, which have been prepared especially for our Mass, and at our family meals we share gifts that God has given to us and that we have worked together to prepare. This includes the food on the table and also the people who gather around the table. We ask God to bless these gifts and to be present among us in all of our interactions.

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THIS WEEK'S READINGS

(11 - 17 April)

- Monday, 11: St Stanislaus (Acts 6:8-15; Jn 6:22-29)
- Tuesday, 12: Tues - 3rd week of Easter (Acts 7:51-8:1; Jn 6:30-35)
- Wednesday, 13: Wed - 3rd week of Easter (Acts 8:1-8; Jn 6:35-40)
- Thursday, 14: Thurs - 3rd week of Easter (Acts 8:26-40; Jn 6:44-51)
- Friday, 15: Frid - 3rd week of Easter (Acts 9:1-20; Jn 6:52-59)
- Saturday, 16: Sat 3rd week of Easter (Acts 9:31-42; Jn 6:60-69)
- Sunday 17: Fourth Sunday of the Easter (Acts 13:14, 43-52; Apoc 7:9, 14-17; Jn 10:27-30)