

# Welcome to Catholic Community of Victor Harbor and Goolwa

(Part of the Fleurieu and Kangaroo Island Cluster of Catholic Parishes)



### **PENTECOST - YEAR B**

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# VICTOR HARBOR/GOOLWA CATHOLIC PARISH HOUSE

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### **PARISH TEAM CONTACTS**

PARISH PRIEST

Fr Vinh-Quang Tran (8552 1084; in emergency - 0429 098 802)

PARISH MANAGER Mr Kevin Rucioch OAM (mob 0499 005 714)

#### PARISH NEWSLETTER

Please forward items for the newsletter to the Parish Office - ph 8552 1084, fax 8552 3439 or catholicyhg@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**

Child Protection Unit 8210 8159 Child Safe contacts - Kevin Rucioch (0499 005 714) or Ian Reid (8552 4329)



# FIRST READING Acts 2:1-11

When Pentecost day came round, the apostles had all met in one room, when suddenly they heard what sounded like a powerful wind from heaven, the noise of which filled the entire house in which they were sitting; and something appeared to them that seemed like tongues of fire; these separated and came to rest on the

head of each of them. They were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and began to speak foreign languages as the Spirit gave them the gift of speech.

Now there were devout men living in Jerusalem from every nation under heaven, and at this sound they all assembled, each one bewildered to hear these men speaking his own language. They were amazed and astonished. 'Surely' they said 'all these men speaking are Galileans? How does it happen that each of us hears them in his own native language? Parthians, Medes and Elamites; people from Mesopotamia, Judaea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya round Cyrene; as well as visitors from Rome – Jews and proselytes alike – Cretans and Arabs; we hear them preaching in our own language about the marvels of God.'

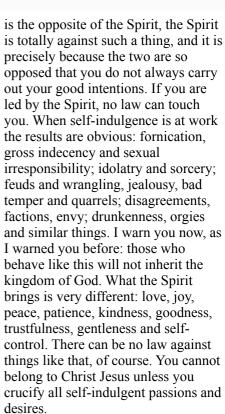
# **RESPONSORIAL PSALM** *Ps 103:1, 24, 29-31, 34*

Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth.

### **SECOND READING**

**Galatians 5:16-25** 

If you are guided by the Spirit you will be in no danger of yielding to self-indulgence, since self-indulgence



Since the Spirit is our life, let us be directed by the Spirit.

# **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

Alleluia, alleluia! Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love. Alleluia!

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#### SPECIAL INTENTIONS

Julie Bradley, Barbara Bond,
Father John Langtry, Peter Turner,
Mary Davis, Donald Telford,
Angelo Falco, Vicki Sullivan,
Valerie Londrigan, David Wark,
Bob Healey, Duncan Kaye,
John Wallace, Adrian Langtry,
Judith Murphy, Peter Bohnsack,
Josephine Proctor, Krys Milne,
Louise Elliott, Jan Sheehan,
Eric Temme, Richard Whitbread,
Jenny Winchester,
Barbara McBride

### **ANNIVERSARIES**

Michael Bilston

#### RECENTLY DECEASED

Patricia Sloan, Shirley Harrison, Bob Davis

# PARISH COLLECTION 12th&13th May

1st (Presbytery) \$934.20 2nd (Parish) \$1,220.20

# VICTOR MORNING TEA 20th May

L. Sunman, & P. Chigwidden 27th May & 3rd June H. & P. Sampson

# VICTOR ALTAR ROSTER 19th & 26th May

B. Munday & R. Kuske

2nd & 9th June

M. Farmer & C. Pearsons

# VICTOR MEET & GREET May Saturdays

M. Farmer, V. Wyld May Sundays

H. Sampson, D. Taylor

ST JOAN'S CHOIR: Practice time is 10.30am each Friday

### **GOOLWA MORNING TEA**

May D. Lee, Anke, G. Seah.
GOOLWA MEET & GREET

May P. Kennelly, B. Longworth

### ST JOHN'S CHOIR:

Practice Tuesdays 2.30pm . Contact Athalea 0438 552 048



# THE HOLY FATHER'S 2018 PRAYER INTENTIONS:

# MAY: The Mission of the Laity

That the lay faithful may fulfil their specific mission, by responding with creativity to the challenges that face the world today.



#### **CHRISTIAN LIFE COMMUNITY**

Groups meet fortnightly on Thursday nights 7.00pm-9.00pm. Phone Rob & Jocelyne Randabel-Williamson for more information. 0402 341 071.

### **CONTEMPLATIVE LIVING COMMUNITY**

We meet for Lectio Divina (Scripture Reflection) and meditation on Monday evenings for 2018. Everyone is welcome. Please contact Anne Weygood for details. 0429 653 844.

#### **EXPLORING THE GOSPEL**

Deepen your understanding of the Gospel, every Sunday in the Annex at 7.00pm.

All Welcome.

#### ST VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY

The next meeting will be held on Thursday 24th May after the 9am Mass at Victor Harbor. New members welcome.

### **WINTER APPEAL**

Have you considered answering the call to be a "Good Shepherd" to the poor? Would you consider joining the Society of St Vincent de Paul? Are you interested in joining us in helping others? If you are unable to join us, you are welcome to help us help others by using the envelopes located on the church pews for a monetary donation.

#### **FLEURIEU CANCER SUPPORT**

New drivers are needed . You would only be required to drive about once every two weeks and usually to Flinders, Tennyson or RAH. Occasionally to other hospitals. Training would be given. A police clearance and a doctor's certificate are required. If you are interested please contact Bevan 0447 062 281.

### **DEAF MINISTRY SERVICE**

will be held in Goolwa in St John's at 11am on 27th May.

# CANCER COUNCIL BIGGEST MORNING TEA

at St John's Church Goolwa on Monday May 21st from 10.30am. Raffle tickets to support the day available after Mass on Sundays.

# POPE INSTITUTES NEW CELEBRATION OF MARY, MOTHER OF THE

# CHURCH

Pope Francis inserts the Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church, into the Roman Calendar on the Monday following Pentecost Sunday.



### **GOOLWA WINTER WARMER**

St John's Social Club presents a winter warmer 3 course meal at the church hall on Saturday 16th June. Cost is \$25 per person with byo drinks. The night will begin at 6 pm sharp and of course our TV screens will be on for the footy. However this is not a footy night but a great occasion for us all to enjoy each other's compa-

ny over a lovely warm meal.

Why not invite a neighbour or friend to join us on the night.

For Tickets see Paul Kennelly at the church or phone 0402 852 825 (Wednesdays, Thursdays or weekends).



### YULETIDE IN JULY AT ST JOAN'S

Thank you for the wonderful response to this Parish event. Approximately 70 people have shown their wish to attend. The cost will be \$20 per head which will need to be paid earlier than first thought due to catering. If the parish has your e-mail address you will be contacted by e-mail, otherwise it will be by phone, or you can contact Pat Clingan on 0410 593 617.

# VOLUNTEER CELEBRATION 26th/27th May

I wish to say thank you to all parishioners who work voluntarily in the parish. We will celebrate with cake and tea and coffee after all Masses on the weekend of 26th/27th May. Our PPC will be organising the catering. Father Vinh.

## WELCOME AND CONGRATULATIONS

to Clementine Reynolds who is being baptised at 11am Mass at St Joan's this Sunday. We pray that God continues to be with her through the rest of her life.

**THANK YOU** to all who helped with the catering for the funeral of Shirley Harrison.





# **PSALM FOR PENTECOST SUNDAY**

Lord, send out Your Spirit and renew the face of the earth.

Bless the Lord, my soul! Lord God, how great You are. How many are Your works, O Lord! The earth is full of Your riches.

You take back Your Spirit, they die, returning to the dust from which they came. You send forth Your Spirit, they are created; and You renew the face of the earth.

May the glory of the Lord last for ever! May the Lord rejoice in His works! May my thoughts be pleasing to Him. I find my joy in the Lord.

Lord, send out Your Spirit and renew the face of the earth.



#### PENTECOST SUNDAY



On Pentecost Sunday, when the Holy Spirit descended upon the Apostles, they were granted the gifts of the Holy Spirit. Those gifts helped them to fulfil their mission to preach the Gospel to all nations. For us, too, those gifts help us to live a Christian life.

The gifts are wisdom, understanding, counsel, knowledge, fortitude, piety and the fear of the Lord.

# ST CHRISTOPHER MAGALLANES AND



**COMPANIONS, Martyrs** Feast Day 21<sup>st</sup> May (1869 -1927)

St. Christopher Magallanes, along with 21 other priests and three lay companions, were martyred between

1915 and 1937, by shooting or hanging, throughout eight Mexican states, for their membership in the Cristero movement. Magallanes erected a seminary in Totatiche and he and his companions secretly preached and ministered to the faithful.

# **OUR LADY HELP OF CHRISTIANS PATRONESS OF AUSTRALIA** Feast day 24<sup>th</sup> May



In 1844, Mary, under the title of Our Lady Help of Christians was chosen as the patroness of Australia at the First Provincial Synod of Sydney. Our Lady has been invoked under the title Help of Christians since

at least the sixteenth century. After the battle of Lepanto on October 7, 1571

# **DEVOTIONS FOR MAY** THE MONTH OF MARY

While May devotions may differ in various countries, the Marian title "Queen of May" exists in most countries.

We honour Mary in various ways.

Join in with our choir singing the MARIAN HYMNS AT MASS.

Also you may like to

PRAY THE RO-

SARY half an hour before Mass in each of our churches.

The Faith-sharing

group THE CENACLE meets each Wednesday at 10.00 a.m. in St Joan's Church to facilitate Marian devotion.

### **FATHER SEAN McGEARTY**

Father Sean wishes to thank those who prayed for him and celebrated the 60th anniversary of his priestly ordination at Brighton.

# KNIGHTS OF THE SOUTHERN CROSS

Mothers Day Wine Raffle.

The winner drawn by Fr Vinh was Kevin Phillips of Goolwa

# ARCHBISHOP LEONARD FAULKNER YOUTUBE

Thank you to the many parishioners who took part in the Archbishop's funeral last Monday.

If you missed out, please Google: Funeral Mass of Archbishop Leonard Anthony Faulkner—You Tube.

### **MASS ROSTER**

This Week: 19th & 20th May

**VICTOR HARBOR 6.00pm** 

Commentator: E. O'Shaughnessy

M. Farmer **R.1** 

**R.2** B. Bullen

E.M. R. Kuske, P. Harris

**VICTOR HARBOR 11.00am** Commentator: E. Temme

R.1. A. Revilla

**R.2** A. Williss

E.M. P. Clingan, I. Reid,

A. Weygood, K. Rucioch, M. Ferguson

GOOLWA 9.00am

Commentator: D. Huppatz

**R.1** J. McMahon R.2 D, McMahon

E.M. D. West, D. Elliott,

M. Glazewski, C. Williams, L. Elliott



# Next Week: 26th & 27th May

**VICTOR HARBOR 6.00pm** 

Commentator: E. O'Shaughnessy

J. Ryan

**R.2** V. Wyld

E.M. S. Duong, E. O' Connell

**VICTOR HARBOR 11.00am** Commentator: V. Coffey

R.1. T. Hounslow

P. O'Brien **R.2** 

K. Rucioch, M. Lloyd, V. Salmon, K. Howard, L. Sunman

GOOLWA 9.00am

Commentator: P. Kennelly

**R.1** J. McInnes

**R.2** 

J. Ryan

E.M. A. Fawkner, K. Fawkner, L. Healey, B. Longworth, J. McMahon

# REGULAR MASS TIMES IN OUR CLUSTER CHURCHES ALDINGA

Mary of Galilee, the First Disciple cnr Quinliven and How 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

### **NOARLUNGA**

St Luke, the Evangelist,
cnr Honeypot Rd and Goldsmith Dve
Saturday 6.00pm
Sunday 9.00am

1st Sunday 11am (Spanish Mass)
2nd Sunday 2.00pm (Filipino Mass)
Sunday (Youth Mass) 5.30pm
Monday 9.00am
Tuesday 9.00am
Wednesday 7.30pm
Thursday 8.45am (St Luke's)
Thursday 9.15am (St John's - term time)
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**

2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday 2.30pm

### **PENNESHAW**

St Columba, North Terrace (shared with Anglicans) 1st Sunday 2.00pm

# **SEAFORD**

Seaford Ecumenical Mission, Grand Bvd Sunday 10.45am Wednesday 9.15am

### **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 (Continued from page 1)

### **GOSPEL**

*John 15:26-27, 16:12-15*Jesus said to his disciples:

'When the Advocate comes, whom I shall send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth who issues from the Father, he will be my witness. And you too will be witnesses, because you have been with me from the outset.

'I still have many things to say to you but they would be too much for you now. But when the Spirit of truth comes he will lead you to the complete truth, since he will not be speaking as from himself but will say only what he has learnt; and he will tell you of the things to come. He will glorify me, since all he tells you will be taken from what is mine. Everything the Father has is mine; that is why I said: All he tells you will be taken from what is mine.'

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# **DID YOU KNOW?**

- The reason why the disciples were in Jerusalem on the day of Pentecost was that they were celebrating the Jewish Harvest Festival which occurs fifty days after the Passover. This festival also celebrated the covenant made by God with the people of Israel on Mt Sinai.
- The Christian feast of Pentecost is fifty days after Easter Sunday and marks the culmination and closure of the Lent- Easter-Pentecost cycle.
- The word for spirit in Hebrew is the feminine 'ruah', meaning literally breath, wind or air.

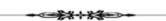
### **EXPLORING THE WORD**

This text again comes from the farewell discourse of Jesus to the disciples in John's Gospel. In it he promises to send the Advocate to them. An advocate is one who stands by in times of trial or difficulty, defending, guiding and instructing. In many ways the Spirit is the ongoing presence of Jesus with his disciples in all ages and these texts give an

eloquent instruction on the reason for God's gift of the Spirit. The Spirit will witness to the truth which comes from the Father through the Son. The Spirit will guide the Church's future understandings as they gradually unfold. The Spirit will be the link between the Father, the now absent Son and the ongoing unfolding of the complete truth. The Spirit will inspire the followers of Jesus to continue his mission and will provide assistance and guidance in achieving this. No single set of human beings could completely know the implications of the Christ event. It is the Advocate, the Spirit of Truth sent by Jesus from the Father, who will accompany the Church through the whole of history, guiding it towards the complete truth.

### **MAKING CONNECTIONS**

- Are there people you still have 'many things to say to'? Is it important that such things are said?
- In what ways have you been lead to the complete truth?
- How do you experience the Spirit present in your life?



### THIS WEEK'S READINGS

(21 - 27 May)

- *Monday, 21:* Weekday, Ord Time 7 (James 3:13-18; Mk 9:14-29)
- *Tuesday, 22:* Weekday, Ord Time 7 (James 4:1-10; Mk 9:30-37)
- *Wednesday, 23:* Weekday, Ord Time 7 (James 4:13-17; Mk 9:38-40)
- *Thursday, 24:* OUR LADY, HELP of CHRISTIANS (Prov 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31; James 3:13-18; Lk 1:39-56)
- *Friday, 25:* Weekday, Ord Time 7 (James 5:9-12; Mk 10:1-12)
- *Saturday, 26:* St Philip Neri (James 5:13-20; Mk 10:13-16)
- *Sunday 27:* The Most Holy TRINITY (Deut 4:32-34, 39-40; Rom 8:14-17; Mt 28:16-20)

### **PASTORAL CARE**

If you (or someone you know) is house-bound, in hospital or in residential care and would appreciate a visit from a Priest or someone from the Parish, please let us know. Contact: Noarlunga/Seaford (8382 1717), Willunga (0488 287 552), Victor Harbor/Goolwa (8552 1084), Kangaroo Island (0418 819 078).