



Welcome to Catholic Community of Victor Harbor and Goolwa

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



TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR C

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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

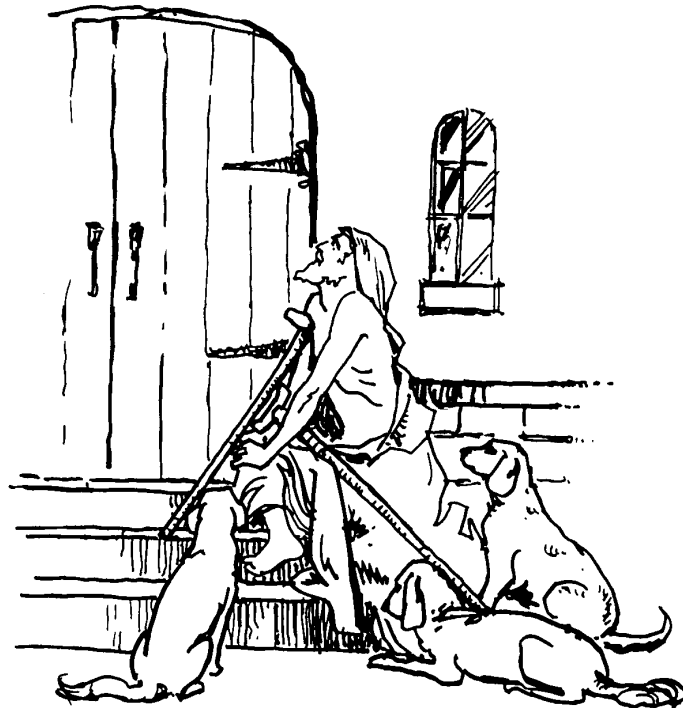
CHILD PROTECTION UNIT

Sally Wellington (Manager)

Phone: 8210 8268



Jubilee Year
of Mercy
2015/16



FIRST READING

Amos 6:1, 4-7

The almighty Lord says this:

Woe to those ensconced so snugly in Zion and those who feel so safe on the mountain of Samaria.

Lying on ivory beds and sprawling on their divans, they dine on lambs from the flock, and stall-fattened veal; they bawl to the sound of the harp, they invent new instruments of music like David, they drink wine by the bowlful, and use the finest oil for anointing themselves, but about the ruin of Joseph they do not care at all.

That is why they will be the first to be exiled; the sprawlers' revelry is over.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 145:6-10

Praise the Lord, my soul!

SECOND READING

1 Timothy 6:11-16

As a man dedicated to God, you must aim to be saintly and religious, filled with faith and love, patient and gentle. Fight the good fight of the

faith and win for yourself the eternal life to which you were called when you made your profession and spoke up for the truth in front of many witnesses. Now, before God the source of all life and before Jesus Christ, who spoke up as a witness for the truth in front of Pontius Pilate, I put to you the duty of doing all that you have been told, with no faults or failures, until the Appearing of our Lord Jesus Christ,

who at the due time will be revealed by God, the blessed and only Ruler of all, the King of kings and the Lord of lords, who alone is immortal, whose home is in inaccessible light, whom no man has seen and no man is able to see: to him be honour and everlasting power. Amen.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

2 Cor 8:9

Alleluia, alleluia!

Jesus Christ was rich but he became poor, to make you rich out of his poverty.

Alleluia!

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Bulletin Board

SPECIAL INTENTIONS

Julie Bradley, Barbara Bond,
Tony Sheehan, Mark Kelly,
Father John Langtry, Leo Langtry,
Paul Cullen, Frank Refchange,
Pat Proctor, Kevin Walz, Rose-
mary Powell, Patricia Sloan,
Susan Anderson, Leo Ryan, Doris
Donald, Kathleen Tiltman, Sue
Butler, Pat Rodgers, Peter Turner,
Gail Mennar

ANNIVERSARIES

Geoff Oates, John Guiney,
Bernie Rush, Bridget McMahon

RECENTLY DECEASED

John Humberstone,
Mary Hayward, Stan Stash,
Trish Davies, Kevin Davies, Laura
Dyer, Bill Wilson, L. Peace.

PARISH COLLECTION 17th & 18th September

1st (Presbytery) \$910.00
2nd (Parish) \$1,352.20

VICTOR MORNING TEA ROSTER

September 25th
L. Sunman & P. Chigwidden
October 2nd & 9th
A. Williss, C. Galpin

VICTOR ALTAR ROSTER

September 23rd - 30th
M. Farmer, C. Pearsons
October 7th - 14th P. Mezzino,
E. O'Shaughnessy

VICTOR MEET & GREET

September Saturdays
L. & M. Peake,
September Sundays
J. Baker & A. Wright
October Saturdays
L. & M. Peake, M. Farmer
October Sundays
L. & M. Fracek

GOOLWA MORNING TEA ROSTER

September D. Lee, Anke,
G. Seah
October M. Wark, M. Davis,
A. Turner, H. Taylor

GOOLWA MEET & GREET

September S. Bilson, A. Turner
October P. Kennelly,
B. Longworth

THE HOLY FATHER'S 2016 PRAYER INTENTIONS - SEPTEMBER

*Centrality of the Human Person: that each
may contribute to the common good and to the
building of a society that places the human
person at the centre.*

CHRISTIAN LIFE COMMUNITY

Groups meet fortnightly on Thursday nights
(mixed) 7.00pm - 9.00pm and Wednesday
(women) 1.30 - 3.30 pm. Phone Rob and
Jocelyne Randabel-Williamson for more infor-
mation. 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 Reflec-
tion) and meditation on Monday evenings for
2016. Anyone is welcome. Please contact
Anne Weygood for details 0429 653 844.

ACCOMMODATION REQUIRED

A single woman (58 years) is seeking bed-sit
accommodation or shared rental, with a
Christian person.

Phone: Kathryn 0434 375 720

ST. VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY

The next meeting will be held on Thursday
29th September after 9.00am Mass

CATHOLIC CHARITIES APPEAL 2016

"Never see a need without doing some-
thing about it" was one of the sayings of St.
Mary MacKillop and is what drives us to assist
struggling families and individuals in our own
community.

WESTPARK

The next visit from the Catholic community to
Westpark Care facility will occur on 28th
September. The group will meet at St. John's
after the 9.30am Mass.

RESTHAVEN CARE

Pat Proctor is now in Resthaven Care at Port
Elliot. Any visitors most welcome.

DOMINICAN OLD SCHOLARS

ASSOCIATION INC. ANNUAL QUIZ NIGHT

All Old Scholars and friends are invited to
support our annual Quiz Night. Join us and
have Fun! Friday, October 14th, 2016,
7.00pm for 7.30pm at Kingswood Parish Hall,
Cambridge Terrace, Kingswood, \$10 per
head. Bookings Kerry 8271 5468.

ST. JOAN'S SOCIAL CLUB BBQ NIGHT

will be held on Friday 30th September at 5.30
for 6pm in the annex. The cost is
\$6pp BYO drinks & salad.



RSVP by Tues 27th.

Phone:

Margaret Peake 8552 7162

Patrine Harris 8554 3061

**This is a special night to support
The Leukaemia Foundation
"Light the Night"**

REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH GOOLWA INVITATION

Parishioners are invited to attend a 5 week
BIBLE STUDY course, based on the book-
let, "Grandparents : Passing on the Faith" by
Pastor Detlev Vosgerau.

Week 4 5.00-6pm Thursday 29th Sept.

Study 4: The Grandparents advantage.

This Study looks at the many advantages that
are inherent in being a grandparent and the
opportunities this special relationship with
grandchildren has in sharing faith.

ST. JOHN'S GOOLWA

Would parishioners who use the Church
outside of regular hours please remember to
sign both "in and out". The book for this is
situated at the rear of the church along the
eastern wall.

Thank you for your co-operation.

Anne Fawkner

PAINTING OF THE INTERIOR OF ST. JOHN'S

The painting of the interior of the church is
complete and special thanks must go to the
painter Joseph Kunzelmann for his commit-
ment and attention to detail, thus ensuring a
high standard of work. Thanks also to John
McMahon for his diligence in supervising the
project and to
Gordon Harris
who assisted
John in his
absence. On
behalf of the
parishioners -
Well done.



PASTORAL GROUP VICTOR HARBOR

The next meeting will be held on Saturday 1st
October at 4.00pm in the Annex.



26th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR C

Praise the Lord, my soul

It is the Lord Who keeps faith for ever,
Who is just to those who are oppressed.
It is He who gives bread to the hungry,
the Lord, Who sets prisoners free.

It is the Lord Who gives sight to the blind,
Who raises up those who are bowed down.
It is the Lord Who loves the just,
the Lord, Who protects the stranger.

He upholds the widow and orphan
but thwarts the path of the wicked.
The Lord will reign for ever,
Zion's God, from age to age

Praise the Lord, my soul

SAINTS MICHAEL, GABRIEL AND RAPHAEL, ARCHANGELS Feast Day 29th September



Angels are pure, created spirits. The name angel means servant or messenger of God. Angels are celestial or heavenly

beings, on a higher order than human beings. Angels have no bodies and do not depend on matter for their existence or activity. They are distinct from saints, which human beings can become.

Angels have intellect and will, and are immortal. They are a vast multitude, but each is an individual person.

(Catholic Culture.org.)

MARY MACKILLOP COLLEGE OLD SCHOLARS ASSOCIATION

invites all past students, teachers, staff and friends to the 2016 Annual Reunion Friday 28 October 2016.

A special welcome to the classes of 2006, 1996, 1991 1986, 1976, 1966, 1956, 1946 \$35 inclusive of food and beverages 6.30-10.30pm College tour 7.00pm.

Venue: Bethany 4 High St Kensington
Enquiries: mmcosa@outlook.com or Trish ph 8342 0785

PRAYER CRUSADE FOR VOCATIONS FOR THE MILITARY ORDINARIATE (CHAPLAINS)

KSC, Southern Fleurieu will be praying the Crusade Prayer during the week 18th - 24th September and we will be honoured to have support from parishioners.

Crusade Prayer

Heavenly Father, you know the faith, courage and generosity of your people throughout Australia, including the men and women serving at home and overseas with the Australian Defence Force. Please provide your people in Australia with sufficient Priests, Deacons and Religious to meet their needs and be with them always as they endeavour to meet the challenges in their daily lives. We ask this through Jesus Christ your Son. Amen

ST. VINCENT de PAUL Feast Day 27th September

Vincent de Paul was born in the small southern French town of Pouy (later renamed Saint Vincent de Paul in his honour) on 24th April 1581 and ordained as a priest in 1600 at the age of 19.



As a young man he ministered to the wealthy and powerful. However an appointment as chaplain to a poor parish, and to galley prisoners, inspired him to a vocation of working with those most marginalised and powerless.

Vincent de Paul died in Paris on 27th September 1660 at the age of 79. He is the Patron of The St. Vincent de Paul Society which was founded by Blessed Frederic Ozanam, a young Law student in 1833. St. Vincent de Paul is the international patron of the Society.



*Give a man a fish
and you feed him for a day
Teach a man to fish
and you feed him for a lifetime*

MASS ROSTER

This Week : 24th & 25th September

VICTOR HARBOR 6pm

Commentator: E. O'Shaughnessy

R.1 B. Bullen
R.2 W. Baker
E.M. D. McLaughlin, J. Baker

VICTOR HARBOR 11am

Commentator: P. O'Brien

R.1 A. Williss
R.2 P. Chigwidden
E.M. P. Clingan, M. Lloyd, R. Kuske, M. Cunningham

GOOLWA 9.00am

Commentator: Marie Riddle

R.1 P. Kennelly
R.2 Michael Riddle
E.M. J. McInnes, S. Muller, M. Meade, M. O'Halloran, K. Milne.



Next Week : 1st & 2nd October

VICTOR HARBOR 6pm

Commentator: J. Ryan

R.1 J. Randabel-Williamson
R.2 M. Farmer
E.M. R. Kuske, P. Harris

VICTOR HARBOR 11am

Commentator: E. Temme

R.1 F. Hannna
R.2 A. Williss
E.M. P. Clingan, K. Rucioch, M. Lloyd, M. Ferguson

GOOLWA 9.00am

Commentator: J. Ryan

R.1 Children
R.2 Children
E.M. D. West, 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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GOSPEL

Luke 16:19-31

Jesus said to the Pharisees, 'There was a rich man who used to dress in purple and fine linen and feast magnificently every day. And at his gate there lay a poor man called Lazarus, covered with sores, who longed to fill himself with the scraps that fell from the rich man's table. Dogs even came and licked his sores. Now the poor man died and was carried away by the angels to the bosom of Abraham. The rich man also died and was buried.

'In his torment in Hades he looked up and saw Abraham a long way off with Lazarus in his bosom. So he cried out, "Father Abraham, pity me and send Lazarus to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue, for I am in agony in these flames." "My son," Abraham replied "remember that during your life good things came your way, just as bad things came the way of Lazarus. Now he is being comforted here while you are in agony. But that is not all: between us and you a great gulf has been fixed, to stop any crossing from your side to ours."

'The rich man replied, "Father, I beg you then to send Lazarus to my father's house, since I have five brothers, to give them warning so that they do not come to this place of torment too." "They have Moses and the prophets," said Abraham "let them listen to them..." "Ah no, father Abraham," said the rich man "but if someone comes to them from the dead, they will repent." Then Abraham said to him, "If they will not listen either to Moses or to the prophets, they will not be convinced even if someone should rise from the dead."

EXPLORING THE WORD

This is another text about the unexpected reversals of the kingdom of God. The situation of the two characters is described in detail. The rich man no doubt saw his affluence as a blessing from God for his goodness. His only sin was his failure to see the poverty and desperate need that was at his

doorstep. So many stories in Luke's Gospel deal the responsibility to use wealth for the good of all rather than to selfishly monopolise resources for our own benefit alone. When the reality of the situation dawns on the rich man, he is concerned that his brothers do not make the same mistake. But Jesus points out that they already have the teaching of Moses and the prophets who repeatedly call Israel to justice and mercy. If people are prepared to ignore that call, What difference will it make 'even if someone should rise from the dead'. It is this phrase which offers a challenge to Christians. Do we too, like the rich man, fail to see and respond to the needs in our world? Christian faith is about more than Sunday worship. It is about living the message of Jesus every day.

SYMBOLS AND IMAGES

Abraham is an important figure in Judaism. He was the first person mentioned in Scripture (Genesis 12) who puts his complete trust and faith in God. Abraham became the model of righteousness. To rest in the bosom of Abraham is a metaphor for eternal happiness.

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

(26 September - 2 October)

- **Monday, 26:** Weekday, Ord Time 26 (Job 1:6-22; Lk 9:46-50)
- **Tuesday 27:** St Vincent de Paul (Job 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23; Lk 9:51-56)
- **Wednesday 28:** Weekday, Ord Time 26 (Job 9:1-13, 14-16; Lk 9:57-62)
- **Thursday 29:** Sts Michael, Garbiel, Raphael (Dan 7:9-10, 13-14; Jn 1:47-51)
- **Friday 30:** St Jerome (Job 38:1, 12-21, 40:3-5; Lk 10:13-16)
- **Saturday 1:** St Therese of the Child Jesus (Job 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17; Lk 10:17-24)
- **Sunday 2:** 27th Sunday in Ord Time (Hab 1:2-3, 2:2-4; 2 Tim 1:6-8, 13-14; Lk 17:5-19)