## Welcome to Catholic Community of Victor Harbor and Goolwa

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

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## EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD - YEAR B

## VICTOR HARBOR/GOOLWA CATHOLIC PARISH HOUSE

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## PARISH TEAM CONTACTS

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

PARISH MANAGER Mr Kevin Rucioch (mob 0499 005 714)

## PARISH NEWSLETTER

Please forward items for the newsletter to the Parish Office - ph 8552 1084, fax 8552 3439 or <u>catholicvhg@bigpond.com</u>) (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 (1<sup>st</sup> 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 10:34, 37-43

Peter addressed Cornelius and his household: 'You must have heard about the recent happenings in Judaea; about Jesus of Nazareth and how he began in Galilee, after John had been preaching baptism. God had anointed him with the Holy Spirit and with power, and because God was with him, Jesus went about doing good and curing all who had fallen into the power of the devil. Now I, and those with me, can witness to everything he did throughout the countryside of Judaea and in Jerusalem itself: and also to the fact that they killed him by hanging him on a tree, yet three days afterwards God raised him to life and allowed him to be seen, not by the whole people but only by certain witnesses God had chosen beforehand. Now we are those witnesses – we have eaten and drunk with him after his resurrection from the dead – and he has ordered us to proclaim this to his people and to tell them that God has appointed him to judge everyone, alive or dead. It is to him that all the prophets bear this

witness: that all who believe in Jesus will have their sins forgiven through his name.'

## **RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

**Ps 117:1-2, 16-17, 22-23** This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad.

## SECOND READING

*Colossians 3:1-4* Since you have been brought back to true life with Christ, you must look for the things that are in heaven, where Christ is, sitting at God's right hand. Let your thoughts be on heavenly things, not on the things that are on the earth, because you have died, and now the life you have is hidden with Christ in God. But when Christ is revealed – and he is your life – you too will be revealed in all your glory with him.

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION *1 Cor 5:7-8*

Alleluia, alleluia! Christ has become our paschal sacrifice; let us feast with joy in the Lord. Alleluia!

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## SPECIAL INTENTIONS

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

## ANNIVERSARIES

Jim Ridge, Ernie Munslow, Kevin McMahon, Connie Fitzgerald.

## PARISH COLLECTION 24th/25th March

1st (Presbytery) 2nd (Parish) Unborn child

\$1,505.60 \$669.50

#### VICTOR MORNING TEA Easter Sunday. No morning tea. 8th & 15th April J. Andrews & R. Munro 22nd & 29th A. & E. Temme

VICTOR ALTAR ROSTER 7th &14th April R. Reid, B. Murray

VICTOR MEET & GREET April Saturdays M. Farmer, V. Wyld **April Sundays** M. Fracek & F. Harris

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

## **GOOLWA MORNING TEA**

April E. De Vries, D. McMahon, Loudi, C. May. **GOOLWA MEET & GREET** April Anne Turner

#### ST JOHN'S CHOIR: Practice Tuesdays 2.30pm . Contact Athalea 0438 552 048



## THE HOLY FATHER'S 2018 PRAYER INTENTIONS:

APRIL : Universal : For those who have **Responsibility in** 

**Economic Matters.** 

That economists may have the courage to reject any economy of exclusion and know how to open new paths.



### **CHRISTIAN LIFE COMMUNITY**

Groups meet fortnightly on Thursday nights (mixed). 7.00pm-9.00pm and Wednesday (women) 1.30pm-3.30pm. 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

## PASTORAL CARE GROUP V.H.

No meeting in April. The next meeting will be 12th May 4.30pm in the Annex.

## **NEW NAME TAGS**

If you ordered a new name tag on our recent Name Tag weekend you will find them at the back of the Church when you come to Mass this weekend. If you have ordered them only recently yours may not be ready so please check after Easter. If you think we may have missed you please put your name on the list provided. Thank you.

### **EXPLORING THE GOSPEL**

This group will resume Sunday 8th April in the Annex at 7.00pm. All Welcome



## ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

will hold their next meeting on Wednesday 11th April at Goolwa after the 9.30am Mass.

## ST JOAN'S MAINTENANCE GROUP AND **MORNING TEA**

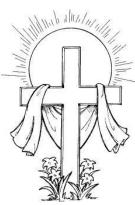
Work begins at 9.30am on Wednesday 11th April followed by morning tea in the Annex. All men welcome.

ST JOAN'S SOCIAL CLUB will hold their next meeting on Tuesday 10th April at 1.30pm in the Annex. All welcome

ST JOAN'S FISH & CHIPS NIGHT was a verv successful and enjoyable evening. It was attended by 45 people who all contributed to a great night.

## SOUTHERN CROSS NEWSPAPER - EASTER EDITION

Easter is a time of great joy, and indeed the signs of joy abound at Easter Sunday - white vestments, an abundance of flowers, joyful singing of the Alleluia. But we sometimes forget that, liturgically, the feast of Easter lasts for 50 days, and that, practically, we are



called to be an Easter people every day of our lives. People should be able to see in our words and actions the joy and happiness that goes with this title.

This is an excerpt from the current Southern Cross which is available in the porch.

## DAVID WARK SNR. OAM

Congratulations to David on his recent OAM award.

Prior to retirement at Myrtle Bank, David and Margaret were members of our parish. This month's Southern Cross has a wonderful tribute to him on his life's achievements. He and Margaret were members of the Victor Harbor/Goolwa Conference of the St Vincent de Paul Society. To guote the Southern Cross, David said that his involvement with St Vincent de Paul Society was one of the most rewarding of his lifetime of service to organisations.

## **GOLD PLATED CHALICE & CIBORIUM SET**

Mark Leaney has presented a gold plated chalice and ciborium set donated by his parents, Mary and Brian. We thank the Leaney Family for their generosity.

## THANK YOU FROM FR VINH

I wish to thank many parishioners who have participated, prepared and helped out during Holy Week. I cannot manage without your involvement. Have a holy and blessed Easter. Fr Vinh

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# Bulletin Board



## for His love has no end. Let the sons of Israel say: 'His love has no end' The Lord's right hand has triumphod:

The Lord's right hand has triumphed; His right hand raised me up. I shall not die, I shall live and recount His deeds.

**PSALM FOR EASTER SUNDAY** 

let us rejoice and be glad.

This is the day the Lord has made;

Give thanks to the Lord for He is good,

The stone which the builders rejected has become the corner stone. This is the work of the Lord, a marvel in our eyes.

This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad.



## EASTER QUOTE TO INSPIRE

The joyful news that He is risen does not change the contemporary world. Still before us lie work, discipline, sacrifice.

But the fact of Easter gives us the spiritual power to do the work, accept the discipline, and make the sacrifice. *(catholic online)* 

Know that God wants you to experience the joy of Easter in your life. Let Him fill you with hope and with the joy that only the Resurrection can bring. God wants Easter to begin now in our lives! Happy Easter! (*Excerpt:Catholic daily reflection*)

# CHRIST, THE FACE OF THE FATHER'S MERCY

#### A day of Reflection will be held in the Parish led by Rosemary Powell and Fr Vinh.

Pope Francis "called" us to be Missionaries of Mercy to all people – to be Merciful like the Father is Merciful. Jesus said to Sr. Faustina; "let us open your eyes to the World... You who are the dispenser of My Mercy, tell all the World". You are invited to join us in this Spiritual journey in preparation for Divine Mercy Sunday (8<sup>th</sup> April)

WHEN : Goolwa - Wed. 4<sup>th</sup> April at 10am-1.00pm at St John's. Victor Harbor - Thurs. 5<sup>th</sup> April at 10am - 1.00pm at St Joan's.



## HE IS RISEN AS HE SAID

Easter is a beautiful time to rejoice in the new life God has given us through His Resurrection

## **HAPPY EASTER**



### POPE FRANCIS' EASTER MESSAGE

"Accept the risen Jesus into your life. Even if you have been far away, take a small step towards Him: He awaits you with open arms."

**Pope Francis** 

#### MASS ROSTER

### This Week : March 31st & 1st April

VICTOR HARBOR 8.00pm Holy Saturday

Commentator: J. Ryan

R.1 L. BlacketR.2 A. Revilla R.3 M. FergusonR.4 J. Tregeagle

**E.M**. P. Harris, B. Munday, M. Cunningham, R. Kuske, E. O'Shaughnessy

VICTOR HARBOR 11.00am Easter Sunday

Commentator: K. Rucioch

**R.1** W. Baker **R.2** R. Reid

**E.M.** E. O'Connell, I. Reid, P. Clingan, J. Baker, L. Sunman

**GOOLWA Holy Saturday 6pm** 

Commentator: P. Burns

**Readers:** J. McMahon, D. McMahon, K. Fawkner, A. Fawkner

**E.M.** L. Elliott, D. Elliott, D. Huppatz, B. Longworth, C. May

#### GOOLWA 9.00am Easter Sunday

Commentator: M. Freeborn

R.1 D. West R2 L. Healey

**E.M.** J. McInnes, S. Muller, J. Ryan, M. Ryan, T. Siciliano.

### Next Week : 7th & 8th April

VICTOR HARBOR 6.00pm Commentator: J. Ryan

**R.1** C. Sutherland**R.2** M. Farmer

E.M. P. Harris, E. O'Connell

VICTOR HARBOR 11.00am Commentator: P. O'Brien

R.1 F. HannaR.2 V. Coffey

**E.M.** P. Clingan, A. Rose, M. Lloyd, R. Reid, V. Salmon

## GOOLWA 9.00am

Commentator: P. Kennelly

**R.1** J. Ryan **R2** D. West

**E.M.** J. Slagter, C. Williams, P. Burns, D. Elliott, L. Elliott

#### 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 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday 11am (Spanish Mass) 2<sup>nd</sup> 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 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays 10.30am 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays 8.30am 1<sup>st</sup> Friday 6.00pm

## PARNDANA

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

## PENNESHAW

St Columba, North Terrace (shared with Anglicans) 1<sup>st</sup> 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 1<sup>st</sup>) 9.00am 1<sup>st</sup> Friday 11.30am

## WILLUNGA

St Joseph, 12 St Judes Street 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays 8.30am 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays 10.30am Wednesday 9.00am Thursday 9.00am Friday 9.00am

# (Continued from page 1) **GOSPEL**

### John 20:1-9

It was very early on the first day of the week and still dark, when Mary of Magdala came to the tomb. She saw that the stone had been moved away from the tomb and came running to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one Jesus loved. 'They have taken the Lord out of the tomb' she said 'and we don't know where they have put him.'

So Peter set out with the other disciple to go to the tomb. They ran together, but the other disciple, running faster than Peter, reached the tomb first; he bent down and saw the linen cloths lying on the ground, but did not go in. Simon Peter who was following now came up, went right into the tomb, saw the linen cloths on the ground, and also the cloth that had been over his head: this was not with the linen cloths but rolled up in a place by itself. Then the other disciple who had reached the tomb first also went in; he saw and he believed. Till this moment they had failed to understand the teaching of scripture, that he must rise from the dead.

## **DID YOU KNOW?**

- The Easter Triduum (which means 'three days'), lasting from Holy Thursday evening to Easter Sunday evening, is the climax of the Church's year.
- Holy Thursday is sometimes known as Maundy Thursday, a corruption of the Latin word for commandment, mandatum. This is to commemorate the 'new commandment' that Jesus gave his followers at the Last Supper: Love one another as I have loved you.
- The stories of the Passion, Death and Resurrection of Jesus were the earliest stories told and later recorded by the early Church. The commemoration of the events of the Triduum is the earliest of Church celebrations when the first

Christians gathered to break bread together.

- Good Friday and Easter Saturday are the only days of the year on which Mass is not celebrated.
- The women come to the tomb to anoint the body of Jesus early on Sunday morning because it is the first chance they have to do so. The Jewish Sabbath begins at sunset on Friday and ends at sunset on Saturday. During this time no 'work' can be done so the women must wait until dawn on the first day of the week.



#### THIS WEEK'S READINGS (2 - 8 April)

- *Monday, 2:* Monday within the Octave of Easter (Acts 2:14, 22-33; Mt 28:8-15)
- *Tuesday, 3:* Tuesday within the Octave of Easter (Acts 2:36-41; Jn 20:11-18)
- *Wednesday, 4:* Wednesday within the Octave of Easter (Acts 3:1-10; Lk 24:13-35)
- *Thursday, 5:* Thursday within the Octave of Easter (Acts 3:11-26; Lk 24:35-48)
- *Friday, 6:* Friday within the Octave of Easter (Acts 4:1-12; Jn 21:1-14)
- *Saturday, 7:* Saturday within the Octave of Easter (Acts 4:13-21; Mk 16:9-15)
- *Sunday 8:* Second Sunday of Easter (Acts 4:32-35; 1Jn 5:1-6; Jn 20:19-31)



## 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).