



Encounter

VICTOR HARBOR/GOOLWA CATHOLIC PARISH

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY -
YEAR C

*A living, vibrant
faith community*

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VISION AND MISSION STATEMENT

Our vision is to build a faith community, centred on the loving relationship of Father, Son and Holy Spirit, expressed in personal lives and in communal Parish activities.

IT IS OUR MISSION TO:

- Endeavour to develop relevant and prayerful Eucharistic celebrations.
- Foster the experience of a personal relationship with God.
- Provide faith formation opportunities for parishioners.
- Care for each other and the environment, particularly the sick, lonely, aged and disabled within our Parish.
- Care for our environment towards a sustainable future.

WE WILL:

- Reach out to those in need in the local community.
- Be committed to Catholic Social Justice principles.
- Pray and work together with Christian Churches and all people of goodwill.
- Protect and engage with young people in our local area.
- Strengthen bonds with indigenous people in our region.

MASS TIMES

- **VICTOR HARBOR**
Weekend - Saturday 6.00pm;
Sunday 11.00am.
Weekdays - Tuesday, Thursday,
Friday 9.00am
- **GOOLWA**
Weekend - Sunday 9.00am.
Weekday - Wednesday 9.30am



FIRST READING

Proverbs 8:22-31

The Wisdom of God cries aloud:

The Lord created me when his purpose first unfolded, before the oldest of his works.

From everlasting I was firmly set, from the beginning, before earth came into being.

The deep was not, when I was born, there were no springs to gush with water.

Before the mountains were settled, before the hills, I came to birth; before he made the earth, the countryside, or the first grains of the world's dust.

When he fixed the heavens firm, I was there, when he drew a ring on the surface of the deep, when he thickened the clouds above, when he fixed fast the springs of the deep, when he assigned the sea its boundaries – and the waters will not invade the shore – when he laid down the foundations of the earth, I was by his side, a master craftsman, delighting him day after day, ever at play in his presence, at play everywhere in his world, delighting to be with the sons of men.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 8:4-9

*O Lord, our God, how wonderful
your name in all the earth!*

SECOND READING

Romans 5:1-5

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, by faith we are judged righteous and at peace with God, since it is by faith and through Jesus that we have entered this state of grace in which we can boast about looking forward to God's glory. But that is not all we can boast about; we can boast about our sufferings. These sufferings bring patience, as we know, and patience brings perseverance, and perseverance brings hope, and this hope is not deceptive, because the love of God has been poured into our hearts by the Holy Spirit which has been given us.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Apoc 1:8

Alleluia, alleluia!

*Glory be to the Father, and to the
Son, and to the Holy Spirit: to God
who is, who was, and who is to
come. Alleluia!*

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Bulletin Board

SPECIAL INTENTIONS (These names will be removed after one month. To keep names on this list please contact Parish Office)

Barbara Bond, John Wallace, Claire Hamish, Barry Wilks, Brian Smallacombe, Bob Willis, Bailey Smallacombe, Ann Tee, Peter Harris, Josephine Proctor, Charlie Nicolson, Paula Collinson, June Lloyd, Eileen McCoey, Carmen Kernahan, Bob Jeffery Margaret & Len Peake, Ron & Patrine Harris, Neil Cumming, Clancy Retallick, Ann & Kevin Hannagan, Rita Sullivan

ANNIVERSARIES

Molly Meade

RECENTLY DECEASED

Ross Ford

PARISH COLLECTION

4th & 5th May

1st (Presbytery) \$658.00
2nd (Parish) \$965.05

VICTOR ALTAR ROSTER

17th June

W & J Baker, M. Cunningham

24th & 1st July

M. Farmer & C. Pearsons

VICTOR MORNING TEA

12th June

M. Mattsson & F. Hanna

19th June

J. & W. Baker

VICTOR MEET & GREET

June Saturdays

M. Farmer & M. Tuckey

June Sundays

GOOLWA MEET & GREET

June

S. & R. Lee

MORNING TEA June

P. Kennelly, M. O'Halloran,

Joe Ryan

ST JOHN'S MUSIC GROUP

Practice time 2pm Wednesday

Call Claire Williams 0429 008 199

HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS FOR JUNE

For families

We pray for Christian families around the world; may they embody and experience unconditional love and advance in holiness in their daily lives.



DIOCESAN GATHERING WITH MEMBERS OF THE PLENARY COUNCIL

A gathering with members of the Plenary Council will be held on Wednesday 15th June 7-9pm at the Catholic Education Conference Centre, 116 George Street, Thebarton.

RSVP at www.tybooking.com/BZWPA.

For more information, contact Sarah Moffatt on 08 8210 8210.

ST JOAN'S SOCIAL CLUB

will hold their next meeting on Tuesday 14th June at 1.30pm in the annex All welcome

INVITATION: SOUTH COAST CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY CARE

Can you assist the SCCCC by bringing **non-perishable food** to put in the labelled SCCCC box in our porches **throughout June**? The SCCCC, located in the Church of Christ, Seaview Road is a service supported by local church parishioners to provide emergency relief to people in need in our local communities. There is a list of suggested items on each box. John Baker and Rosemary Mulraney represent our Parish on the SCCCC Committee.

We thank you for your generosity!

HOLY FATHER'S APPEAL

Today is the Peter's Pence Collection, a worldwide collection that supports the charitable works of Pope Francis. Funds from this collection help victims of war, oppression and natural disasters. Take this opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a witness of charity to our suffering brothers and sisters. Thank you.

PRAY FOR THE PEOPLE OF UKRAINE



K S C REPORT JUNE 2022

Many thanks to all who supported our recent luncheon at Goolwa. With 8 apologies recorded we still had 40 people support the day. We call you all our regulars, and you supporting our events is much appreciated. Chef Tony served a steak and sausage luncheon, with lovely salads to go with the meal. Many thanks to you Tony, and assistant Robert for doing all the cooking as well as the ladies who provided all the salads. John Dunthorne certainly gave a great talk on his life in the navy, his time as an amateur boxer, and of his 37 years as a prison officer. We are very grateful for the time you put into preparation and research into your talk. We certainly learned a fair bit about the "other side of life". \$475 was raised on the day.

Our monthly BBQ at Goolwa on 5th June raised \$75 with sales and donations included. Thanks to all who supported us. The next BBQ is on Sunday 3rd July.

Members anniversaries for June

Bryan Henderson, Rex Hodges, Kevin Luke

The next meeting of the Knights will be held Wed. 15th June at 4.00pm at Goolwa.

THE GOOLWA SOCIAL CLUB

met last Tuesday to decide the future of the group. Only 5 people attended, and it was decided to keep the club running but only to organise morning teas, and to cater for funerals when required. The group will assist the Knights in any social events they are running, and the bank account will continue to operate, and will pay for kitchen repairs etc. It was decided not to combine with the Victor Harbor Social Club.

Over the years many people have given their time and effort into the Social Club with as many as 12 regular members on the committee, and organising events. Sadly times have changed and with interest minimal at best. We wish to thank all those over a number of years who gave their time to the Social Club. Anne Turner will soon ask for those in the parish who could be called upon to cater for a funeral.

THANK YOU

A special thank you to Henry Glastonbury, John McMahon, Kevin Phillips, Tony Curtis and Marilyn Freeborn who moved all the furniture so that cleaners could shampoo the carpets at St John's Goolwa.

Bulletin Board



RESPONSORIAL PSALM The Most Holy Trinity Year C

*O Lord our God,
how wonderful Your name in all the earth!*

When I see the heavens, the work of Your hands,
the moon and the stars which You arranged,
what is man that You should keep him in mind,
mortal man that You care for him?

Yet you have made him little less than a god;
with glory and honour you crowned Him,
gave Him power over the works of your hand,
put all things under His feet.



THE MOST HOLY TRINITY Feast Day 12th June

The dogma of faith which forms the object of the feast is this: There is one God and in this one God there are three Divine Persons; the Father is God, the Son is God, the Holy Spirit is God. Yet there are not three Gods, but one, eternal, incomprehensible God! The Father is not more God than the Son, neither is the Son more God than the Holy Spirit. The Father is the first Divine Person; the Son is the second Divine Person, begotten from the nature of the Father from eternity; the Holy Spirit is the third Divine Person, proceeding from the Father and the Son. No mortal can fully fathom this sublime truth. But I submit humbly and say: *Lord, I believe, help my weak faith.* - Catholic Culture



TRINITY SUNDAY

We have the Icon of the Trinity by Andrei Rublev which is on our Vision and Mission Statement. The Three Persons are seated at the table with a

meal prepared (the Sacrificial lamb).

We are invited to join them.

"We're so glad you could come."

Will you accept their invitation?

PRAY FOR THE PLENARY COUNCIL

("More things are brought about by prayer than this world dreams of.")

21 DAYS TO GO



Prayer of Petition to the Holy Spirit

*We stand before you,
Holy Spirit,*

*conscious of our sinfulness,
but aware that we gather in your name.*

*Come to us, remain with us,
and enlighten our hearts.*

Give us light and strength

to know your will,

to make it our own

and to live it in our lives.

Guide us by your wisdom,

support us by your power,

for you are God,

sharing the glory of Father and Son.

Part of a prayer used before every session of the Second Vatican Council.

CONSCIENCE:

Current Catholic Teaching



Father Vinh's session at Victor was well received. Participants found it interesting and helpful.

Don't miss out on the session at Goolwa.

Conscience: Current Catholic teaching

Goolwa: Friday 17th June 10-11.30am

Pope Francis sent a telegram expressing his prayers and good wishes for Britain's Queen Elizabeth II, on her Platinum Jubilee.

In it, he says: "On this joyful occasion of your Majesty's birthday, and as you celebrate this Platinum Jubilee year, I send cordial greetings and good wishes, together with the renewed assurance of my prayers that



Almighty God will bestow upon you, the members of the Royal Family and all the people of the nation blessings of unity, prosperity and peace." *Vatican News*

PARISH MASS ATTENDANCE CENSUS

Many thanks to all for your patience with our Mass attendance count. Below are the results averaged over the month of May.

Victor 6pm Saturday 47

Victor 11am Sunday 64

Goolwa 9.00am Sunday 80

THIS WEEK 11th & 12th June

VICTOR HARBOR Saturday 6pm

Commentator: J. Ryan

R.1 M. Farmer

R.2 J. Jeffery

E.M. S. Duong

Sunday 11.00am

Commentator: T. Hounslow

R. 1 P. O'Brien

R. 2 A. Willis

E.M. M. Cunningham

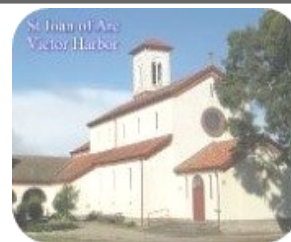
GOOLWA 9.00am

Commentator: D. Huppertz

R. 1 L. Healey

R. 2 M. O'Halloran

E.M. T. Siciliano



NEXT WEEK 18th & 19th June

VICTOR HARBOR Saturday 6pm

Commentator: E. O'Shaughnessy

R.1 B. Bullen

R.2 C. Huppertz

E.M. J. Jeffery

Sunday 11.00am

Commentator: P. O'Brien

R. 1 L. Sunman

R. 2 T. Hounslow

E.M. J. Baker

GOOLWA 9.00am

Commentator: A. Fawcner

R. 1 K. Fawcner

R. 2 J. Mc Mahon

E.M. A. Turner

COMPLIANCE WITH COVID-19 REGULATIONS

(Current from 01/06/22)

- If you have tested positive for COVID-19, please follow the SA Health instructions in regard to isolating and other government health protocols. Stay home and do not attend church services until you have fully recovered.
- There are now no density limits for places of worship; Churches can return to full capacity.
- Masks are highly recommended by the Archdiocese.
- R codes or sign-ins are no longer required.
- Attendees at indoor religious services may sing during worship.
- Please keep in mind the importance of social distancing and good hygiene practices.
- Hand sanitizer is available at Church entrances.
- There should be no shaking of hands or holding hands during Mass.

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• PARISH NEWSLETTER

Please forward items for the newsletter to the Parish Office - ph 8552 1084 or catholicvhg@bigpond.com (All items for the newsletter by Wednesday evening)

• PARISH TREASURER

Mr Merv Mallett (0412 103 443)

Email: parish_treasure@bigpond.com

• CHILD PROTECTION

Child Protection Unit (8210 8159)

Goolwa (Cathy May 0401 584 237)

Victor Harbor (Parish Office 8552 1084)

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GOSPEL

John 16:12-15

Jesus said to his disciples:

‘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.’

THE SPIRIT OF TRUTH

Bryan never thought of himself as a spiritual person. He went to church once in a while, especially on Christmas and Easter and during Lent, but he never thought about it much. Now he had come to know the truth about himself and had come to understand that the truth was from God. And the truth about Bryan was that he was an alcoholic.

The truth caught up with Bryan the morning he woke up and didn't know where he was or how he had gotten there. He didn't know what he had done the night before, how the side of his car had gotten bashed in, or why there was a gash in his arm and a bruise on his face. All he remembered was that he had been having a few drinks with his friends and had gotten pretty drunk. Just like the night before, and the night before that. In fact, he had been getting drunk a lot.

But now the truth was upon him and he had to do something about it. At the 12-step meeting, when it was time, he stood up and, for the first time in a long time, he spoke the truth: “My name is Bryan and I'm an alcoholic”. In the days and weeks to

come, Bryan would learn a lot more truth about himself. But for now, the big truth was that the Spirit of Truth had rescued him. And that from now on he was going to be on God's side, living in the truth.

The Commissioning: You are the change-makers of the Holy One: life will be different and good. You are the peacemakers of the Holy One: conflict and disharmony will be resolved. You are the health-bringers of the Holy One: suffering and sadness will be overcome, the example of Jesus will enthuse us, the Holy Spirit will go with us. Amen.

GPBS eNews

SYMBOLS AND IMAGES

Human beings will always struggle before the mystery of God, who is one but also three. Augustine's idea of the Trinity as a communion of love is a very rich and powerful image. Can our own communion of love with others teach us something of the life and love of the Trinity?

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

(13 - 19 June)

- **Monday, 13:** St Anthony of Padua (1 Kg 21:1-16; Mt 5:38-42)
- **Tuesday, 14:** Weekday, Ord Time 11 (1 Kg 21:17-29; Mt 5:43-48)
- **Wednesday, 15:** Weekday, Ord Time 11 (2 Kg 2:1, 6-14; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18)
- **Thursday, 16:** Weekday, Ord Time 11 (Sirach 48:1-14; Mt 6:7-15)
- **Friday, 17:** Weekday, Ord Time 11 (2 Kg 11:1-4, 9-18, 20; Mt 6:19-23)
- **Saturday, 18:** Weekday, Ord Time 11 (2 Chr 24:17-25; Mt 6:24-34)
- **Sunday 19:** The Most Holy BODY and BLOOD of CHRIST (*Corpus Christi*) (Gen 14:18-20; 1Cor 11:23-26; Lk 9:11-17)

PASTORAL CARE

If you need a priest for anointing prior to medical treatment or if you are ill (not necessarily life-threatening) or for last rites please contact: (08) 8552 1084 or in an emergency 0429 098 802.