



Welcome to Catholic Community of Victor Harbor and Goolwa

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



FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR B

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PARISH TEAM CONTACTS

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PARISH MANAGER

Mr Kevin Rucioch OAM
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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*)

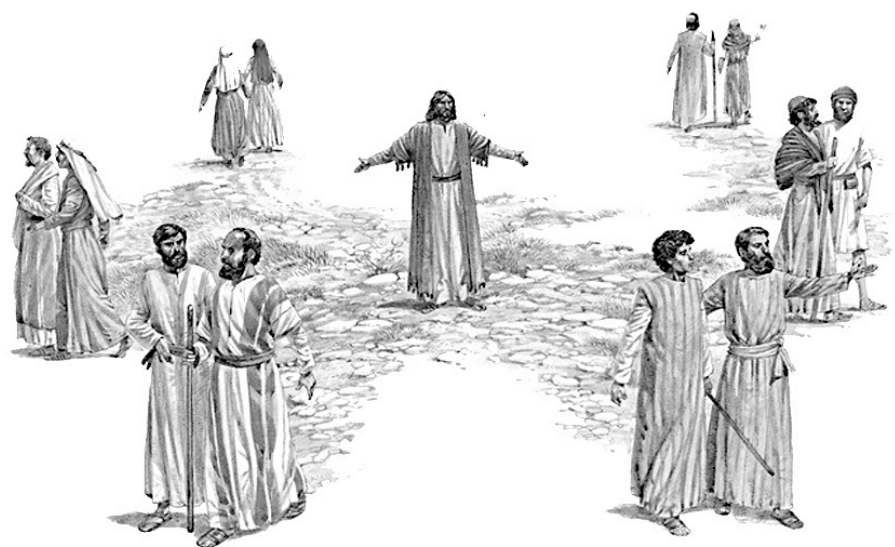
RECONCILIATION

Sunday 8.30am - 8.50am

CHILD PROTECTION

Child Protection Unit 8210 8159

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



FIRST READING

Amos 7:12-15

Amaziah, the priest of Bethel, said to Amos, 'Go away, seer, get back to the land of Judah; earn your bread there, do your prophesying there. We want no more prophesying in Bethel; this is the royal sanctuary, the national temple.' 'I was no prophet, neither did I belong to any of the brotherhoods of prophets,' Amos replied to Amaziah 'I was a shepherd and looked after sycamores; but it was the Lord who took me from herding the flock, and the Lord who said, "Go, prophesy to my people Israel."'

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 84:9-14

Lord, show us your mercy and love, and grant us your salvation

SECOND READING

Ephesians 1:3-14

Blessed be God the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us with all the spiritual blessings of heaven in Christ.
Before the world was made, he chose us, chose us in Christ, to be holy and spotless, and to live through love in his presence, determining that we should become his adopted sons, through Jesus Christ, for his own kind purposes, to make us praise the glory of his

grace, his free gift to us in the Beloved, in whom, through his blood, we gain our freedom, the forgiveness of our sins.
Such is the richness of the grace which he has showered on us in all wisdom and insight.
He has let us know the mystery of his purpose, the hidden plan he so kindly made in Christ from the beginning to act upon when the times had run their course to the end: that he would bring everything together under Christ, as head, everything in the heavens and everything on earth.

And it is in him that we were claimed as God's own, chosen from the beginning, under the predetermined plan of the one who guides all things as he decides by his own will; chosen to be, for his greater glory, the people who would put their hopes in Christ before he came.

Now you too, in him, have heard the message of the truth and the good news of your salvation, and have believed it: and you too have been stamped with the seal of the Holy Spirit of the Promise, the pledge of our inheritance which brings freedom for those whom God has taken for his own, to make his glory praised.

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Bulletin Board

SPECIAL INTENTIONS

Julie Bradley, Barbara Bond,
Father John Langtry, Mary Davis,
Donald Telford,
Angelo Falco, Vicki Sullivan,
Valerie Londrigan, David Wark,
Bob Healey, Duncan Kaye,
John Wallace, Adrian and
Margaret Langtry, Peter Bohnsack,
Josephine Proctor, Krys Milne,
Louise Elliott, Jan Sheehan,
Richard Whitbread, Jenny Win-
chester, Barbara McBride, Marie
Courtney,

ANNIVERSARIES

Juliette Hope, Bryan Constable,
Wilfrid Pak Poy, David Galliver,
Ian Hillock

RECENTLY DECEASED

Judith Murphy

PARISH COLLECTION

7th & 8th July

1st (Presbytery) \$889.55
2nd (Parish) \$1,380.00

Apostleship of the Sea \$541.20

VICTOR MORNING TEA

15th July

R. & H. Kuske

22nd & 29th July

J. Andrews & R. Munro

VICTOR ALTAR ROSTER

14th July—21st July

R. Reid & B. Murray

28th July - 4th August

G. Woodhead

VICTOR MEET & GREET

July Saturdays

M. Farmer, V. Wyld

July Sundays

M. Fracek, F. Harris

ST JOAN'S CHOIR : Practice

time is 10.30am each Friday

GOOLWA MORNING TEA

July M. Smith, A. Fawcner,
L. Elliott

GOOLWA MEET & GREET

July M. Davis, J. McInnes

ST JOHN'S CHOIR:

Practice Tuesdays 2.30pm .

Contact Athalea 0438 552 048

THE HOLY FATHER'S 2018 PRAYER INTENTIONS:

JULY: That priests, who experience fatigue and loneliness in their pastoral work, may find help and comfort in their intimacy with the Lord and in their friendship with their brother priests.

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 each Sunday at **6.00pm** in the Annex. All Welcome.

OZHARVEST SA

Tuesday 2nd August 2018 at 10.00am Victor Harbor Lutheran Church. Donation \$5.00. For further information see notice on the Bulletin Board at both churches.

CLEANER NEEDED

Faye at McCracken needs a cleaner. Please phone 0422 496 947.

AGED CARE FACILITIES OR LIVING INDEPENDENTLY IN YOUR OWN HOME

Do you know how the Government would financially support you to live in your own home? Come along to the Goolwa Catholic Church at the Lutheran service on Sunday 22nd July at 11am where Sue Wiese from St Louis Home Care explains this.

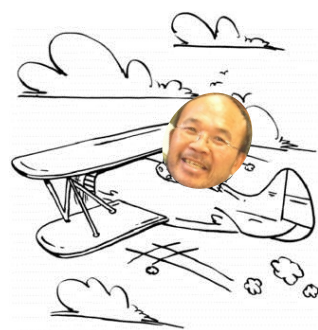
ST JOAN'S SOCIAL CLUB AGM will be held on Tuesday 14th August at 1.30pm in the annex. All welcome

PROBLEMS WITH MAGNETIC NAME TAGS

Some people are having difficulties with their magnets not being strong enough. We are able to provide stronger magnets if needed. Please see Carol Sutherland (6pm) Bill Longworth (9am) Fran Hanna (11am) Masses. Our apologies for the inconvenience. Thank you

BON VOYAGE FATHER VINH

Father Vinh, each of us wish you a re-invigorating holiday, a wonderful time with your family and a safe return to your Victor/Goolwa Parish.



Father Vinh will leave for Vietnam on Monday 16th July and come back on 17th August. Fr Sean McGearty will celebrate weekend Masses in his absence. During the week there will be Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion. If you need a priest urgently please phone Noarlunga Parish on 8382 1717 for further details.

KNIGHTS OF THE SOUTHERN CROSS NEWS

Members and their wives and guests enjoyed a great night at McCracken Village on Monday 9th July with Ian Reid as always a great host. Thanks to all the ladies who prepared the wonderful food. Our next meeting will be at Goolwa on 19th July. Goolwa members are asked to consider staying after the meeting to receive instructions from Dorothy West on the role of the sacristan. We are hoping some of our members will add their names to the few present current sacristans.

In August our wine raffle for Father's Day will commence. Our biggest yet with 14 bottles of quality red wine as well as 2 stemless wine glasses. Ticket details next month. Coming soon on 20th September is our annual luncheon which this year will be held in St Joan's annex. Our guest speaker this year is Keeran Stapleton (Southern Care State Chaplain) Full details next month. Please pray for the souls of our deceased members whose anniversaries occur in July. Wilfrid Pak Poy, Bryan Constable, David Galliver, Ian Hillock.

ST JOHN'S PASTORAL CARE GROUP are seeking volunteers to visit West Park Aged Care facility on a monthly basis after the 9.30am mid week Mass. Each church in Goolwa takes its turn to spend half an hour or so with the residents. We are in urgent need of people to make these visits.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

The next meeting will be on Thursday 26th July after the 9am Mass at Victor Harbor. New members welcome.



PSALM FOR THE 15th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR B

Lord, show us Your mercy and love, and grant us Your salvation.

I will hear what the Lord has to say,
a voice that speaks of peace,
peace for the people.
His help is near for those who fear Him
and His glory will dwell in our land.

Mercy and faithfulness have met;
justice and peace have embraced.
Faithfulness shall spring from the earth and
justice look down from heaven.

The Lord will make us proper
and our earth shall yield its fruit.
Justice shall march before Him
and peace shall follow His steps.

Lord, show us Your mercy and love, and grant us Your salvation.



ST APOLLINARIS

Feast Day 20th July

St. Apollinaris, a native of [Antioch](#), in [Roman Province of Syria](#) was one of the first great martyrs of the church.



When Emperor Vespasian issued a decree of banishment against the Christians, Apollinaris was kept hidden for some time, but as he was leaving, passing through the gates of the city, he was attacked and savagely beaten. He lived

for seven days, foretelling that the persecutions would increase, but that the Church would ultimately triumph.

ST LAWRENCE OF BRINDISI

Feast Day 21st July (1559 – 1619)

St. Lawrence, the first Capuchin Franciscan to be honoured as a Doctor, was born in 1559 at Brindisi, a town located on the Adriatic coast of the heel of Italy. Educated from his youth by the Conventual Franciscan Friars, he acquired great facility in languages and is considered the greatest linguist among the Doctors of the Church. His fields of labor were many: army chaplain, diplomat, leader of the Counter-Reformation in Austria and Bohemia, teacher of Sacred Scripture, exegete and mariologist. St. Lawrence offers priests a wonderful model for their studies and preaching. He was canonised in 1881 by Leo XIII.

OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL

Feast day 16th July

Hermits lived on Mount Carmel near the Fountain of Elijah in northern Israel in the 12th century. They had a chapel dedicated to Our Lady. By the 13th century they became known as the Brothers of Mt Carmel. There is a tradition-which

may not be historical - that Mary appeared to Saint Simon Stock, a leader of the Carmelites, and gave him a scapular, telling him to promote devotion to it. The scapular is a modified version of Mary's own garment. It symbolizes her special protection and calls the wearers to consecrate themselves to her in a special way.

The scapular reminds us of the gospel call to prayer and penance-a call that Mary models in a splendid way.

(Excerpt: Franciscanmedis)

YILKI UNITING CHURCH HYMNFEST & AFTERNOON TEA



Please come and experience warmth and fellowship and sing our favourite hymns.

WEDNESDAY 25TH JULY 2018 1.30PM

Yilki Uniting Church, Giles Street, Encounter Bay. Cost will be \$10, with the donations going to the wider community. RSVP: Patsy Jones 0407 330 839 or Joan Hughes 08 8552 1189

FATHER CHARLES GAUCI

will be ordained as Bishop of Darwin on Wednesday, September 26th, 7pm in St Mary's Star of the Sea Cathedral, Darwin and Thanksgiving Mass in the Adelaide Cathedral on Oct. 7th, 11am. Ray Klecko, Chairperson of the PPC, will invite Father Charles to celebrate our Parish Mass on a weekend suitable to Father Charles.

This Week : 14th—15th July

VICTOR HARBOR 6.00pm

Commentator: B. Munday

R.1 M. Farmer

R.2 L. Blacket

E.M. R. Powell, P. Harris

VICTOR HARBOR 11.00am

Commentator : K. Rucioch,

R.1. P. Chigwidden

R.2 W. Baker

E.M. J. Baker, I. Reid, K. Howard, R. Kuske, P. O'Brien

GOOLWA 9.00am

Commentator: M. Freeborn

R.1 B. Longworth

R.2 L. Longworth

E.M. J. McInnes, J. McMahon, H. Harris, Marie Riddle, S. Muller



Next Week : 21st & 22nd July

VICTOR HARBOR 6.00pm

Commentator: J. Ryan

R.1 B. Bullen

R.2 C. Sutherland

E.M. P. Harris, L. Blacket

VICTOR HARBOR 11.00am

Commentator : E. Temme

R.1. F. Hanna

R.2 P. O'Brien

E.M. L. Sunman, P. Clingan, P. O'Brien, A. Weygood, M. Ferguson

GOOLWA 9.00am

Commentator: D. Huppertz

R.1 J. McInnes

R.2 M. O'Halloran

E.M. J. Ryan, M. Ryan, T. Siciliano, D. West, C. Williams

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 8.15am (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

2nd, 4th 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

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GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Eph 1:17-18

Alleluia, alleluia!

*May the Father of our Lord Jesus
Christ enlighten the eyes of our
heart that we might see how great is
the hope to which we are called.*
Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Mark 6:7-13

Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out in pairs giving them authority over the unclean spirits. And he instructed them to take nothing for the journey except a staff – no bread, no haversack, no coppers for their purses. They were to wear sandals but, he added, 'Do not take a spare tunic.' And he said to them, 'If you enter a house anywhere, stay there until you leave the district. And if any place does not welcome you and people refuse to listen to you, as you walk away shake off the dust from under your feet as a sign to them.' So they set off to preach repentance; and they cast out many devils, and anointed many sick people with oil and cured them.

DID YOU KNOW?

- Jews often had to pass through pagan territory which surrounded their own lands. The gesture of shaking the dust from their sandals was a common one when Jews passed from pagan lands into the lands of Israel.
- The word 'apostle' comes from a Greek word for being sent out.
- Some Christian sects and denominations take this text as the reason they send out people in pairs on missionary activity to spread the gospel.
- The instruction to the disciples to take only sandals and a staff symbolises their complete dependence. Jesus is to be their bread, their clothing, their wealth.

EXPLORING THE WORD

Up until this point in Mark's Gospel the disciples have been travelling with Jesus, listening to his teaching and witnessing his actions. Now they are called to take a more active role. They have watched him drive out demons and cure the sick. Now they are called on to repeat in their own lives and mission, exactly what he does himself. This is a great test of their response to what they have learned thus far. They are to take nothing with them but a staff and sandals, the symbols of the wandering missionary. Nothing else is necessary; they rely on God as they follow Jesus. When they are accepted by people, they are to remain with them, a sign that the kingdom of God is near at hand. For those who reject them, simply shake off the dust and continue the journey. As we saw in last week's gospel, nothing can be achieved where there is no faith.

MAKING CONNECTIONS

- How can you live more simply with only the things you need rather than the things you want?
- How do you feel when people don't listen to you? Do you always really listen to others?

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

(July 16 - 21)

- **Monday, 16:** Weekday, Ord Time 15 (Is 1:10-17; Mt 10:34 -11:1)
- **Tuesday, 17:** Weekday, Ord Time 15 (Is 7:1-9; Mt 11:20-24)
- **Wednesday, 18:** Weekday, Ord Time 15 (Is 10:5-7, 13-16; Mt 11:25-27)
- **Thursday, 19:** Weekday, Ord Time 15 (Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19; Mt 11:28-30)
- **Friday, 20:** Weekday, Ord Time 15 (Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8; Mt 12:1-8)
- **Saturday, 21:** Weekday, Ord Time 15 (Micah 2:1-5; Mt 12:14-21)
- **Sunday 22:** 16th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME (Jer 23:1-6; Eph 2:13-18; Mk 6:30-34)

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).