



Welcome to

Willunga Catholic Parish

Mary of Galilee, Aldinga; St Peter's, Normanville; St Joseph's, Willunga

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

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE - YEAR B

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MASS CENTRES

- Mary of Galilee, cnr Quinliven and How Roads, ALDINGA - Galilee
- St Peter's, Cape Jervis Rd, NORMANVILLE
- St Joseph's, St Judes St, WILLUNGA

MASS TIMES

- SATURDAY EVENING 5.30pm
Aldinga Beach (Mary of Galilee)
- FIRST, THIRD, FIFTH SUNDAYS
8.30am Willunga (St Joseph's)
10.30am Normanville (St Peter's)
- SECOND, FOURTH SUNDAYS
8.30am Normanville (St Peter's)
10.30am Willunga (St Joseph's)

FIRST READING

Daniel 7:13-14

I gazed into the visions of the night. And I saw, coming on the clouds of heaven, one like a son of man.

He came to the one of great age and was led into his presence.

On him was conferred sovereignty, glory and kingship, and men of all peoples, nations and languages became his servants.

His sovereignty is an eternal sovereignty which shall never pass away, nor will his empire ever be destroyed.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 92:1-2, 5

The Lord is king; he is robed in majesty.

SECOND READING

Apocalypse 1:5-8

Jesus Christ is the faithful witness, the First-born from the dead, the Ruler of the kings of the earth. He loves us and has washed away our sins with his blood, and made us a line of kings, priests to serve his God and Father; to him, then, be glory and power for ever and ever. Amen. It is he who is coming on the clouds; everyone will see him, even those who pierced him, and all the races of the earth will mourn over him. This is the truth. Amen. 'I am the Alpha and the Omega' says the Lord God, who is, who was, and who is to come, the Almighty.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Mk 11:9, 10

Alleluia, alleluia!

Blessed is he who inherits the kingdom of David our father; blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Alleluia!



GOSPEL

John 18:33-37

'Are you the king of the Jews?' Pilate asked. Jesus replied, 'Do you ask this of your own accord, or have others spoken to you about me?' Pilate answered, 'Am I a Jew? It is your own people and the chief priests who have handed you over to me: what have you done?' Jesus replied, 'Mine is not a kingdom of this world; if my kingdom were of this world, my men would have fought to prevent my being surrendered to the Jews. But my kingdom is not of this kind.' 'So you are a king then?' said Pilate. 'It is you who say it' answered Jesus. 'Yes, I am a king. I was born for this, I came into the world for this: to bear witness to the truth; and all who are on the side of truth listen to my voice.'

WHO CAN HANDLE THE TRUTH?

Pilate, like most of us, is a guy who can't handle the truth because it means accepting that our world is

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Bulletin Board

WEEKDAY MASSES

Mon	No Masses - Willunga Parish 9.00am - Noarlunga
Tue	9.15am - Aldinga
Wed	9.00am - Willunga 12noon - Normanville (<i>not the week with a 1st Friday</i>)
Thur	9.00am - Willunga
Fri	9.00am - Willunga
1 st Fri	9.00am - Willunga 11.30am - Normanville

WEEKEND MASSES

(Times on front page of this bulletin)

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

How worthy is the Lamb who was slain, to receive power and divinity, and wisdom and strength and honour. To him belong glory and power for ever and ever.

COVID-19

Masks are mandatory indoors. Please read the most up-to-date information on page 4 of this bulletin.

NOVEMBER - THE MONTH FOR HOLY SOULS

*"The devotion to the memory of the dead is one of the most beautiful expressions of the Catholic spirit."
- Pope St John XXIII*

ST JOSEPH'S BBQ

**Following 10.30am Mass
Sunday, 28 November**



After an almost two-year Covid-enforced break, parishioners are invited to join with others for a BBQ lunch in Kelly Grove at St Joseph's, Willunga. Give yourselves a day off and come along with just

your own cold drinks, chairs and appetites, ready to enjoy yourselves.

Due to Covid-19 restrictions the usual help-yourself-style of serving is not recommended. BBQ food will be served directly from the grill and salads will be served by designated servers. Meat, salads and bread will all be provided for just \$5 per head, or \$10 per family.

If you would like to join us, please let Sr Margaret Ann, Gael Maloney, Anna Rogers or Gary Triffett know, to help with the numbers for catering.

NOVEMBER REFLECTION FOR YEAR OF ST JOSEPH

Please click: [November reflection for the series of Year of St Joseph](#) articles.

This month's contribution is from Fr Paul Nulley, a priest of the Archdiocese of Canberra and Goulburn who serves in a parish dedicated to St Joseph. It is entitled "St Joseph – A Powerful Intercessor".

The reflection has also been uploaded to the Conference's Year of St Joseph web page: <https://www.catholic.org.au/yearofstjoseph>, which is where you can find earlier reflections and other resources for the Year of St Joseph.

'BEHOLD, OUR GOD WILL SAVE US' - ADVENT BOOKLET

The Office for Worship, in collaboration with Multicultural Communities of the Adelaide Archdiocese, are producing free Advent reflection booklets again this year. We have ordered hard copies. There will also be a digital version available.

SOUTHERN VALES SCHOOL'S MINISTRY GROUP

Our Parish is rostered for the December 11th Quarry Market sausage sizzle. Volunteers (three for each shift) are needed for 8.30am - 10.00am, 10.00am - 11.30am and 11.30am - 1.00pm. It is not hard work if we can get a few people there to help.

Please contact Anna Rogers with any offers of help or for more information about the work of the School's Ministry Group (phone 0414 266 528 or write to PO Box 592, WILLUNGA, SA 5172).

Thank You

Thank you to all parishioners for your tremendous support for the **St Vincent de Paul Christmas Appeal**.

\$1,822.60 has been donated. This will greatly assist our conference to provide 100 Christmas Hampers for the families struggling to put food on their tables this Christmas.

For those who wish to donate to the Appeal and have not done so, there are Christmas Appeal envelopes in the Church Foyers that can be used.

Just place the envelope in any of the Mass Collections bowls or special

collection bowl. They will be passed onto the Willunga Conference. Alternately online donations can be made at:

<https://donate.vinnies.org.au/appeals-sa/christmas-appeal-sa>

Mario Bacchin

CHRISTMAS MASSES

• Christmas Eve (Fri 24 Dec) •

4.00pm	St Peter's, Normanville
6.30pm	Mary of Galilee, Aldinga
7.00pm	St Joseph's, Willunga (family)
12.00am	St Joseph's, Willunga

• Christmas Day (Sat 25 Dec) •

9.00am	St Joseph's, Willunga
9.00am	St Peter's, Normanville

(NB: The usual 5.30pm Saturday evening Mass will not be held at Mary of Galilee, Aldinga on Christmas Day)

• Holy Family Mass (Sun 26 Dec) •

8.30am	St Peter's, Normanville
10.30am	St Joseph's, Willunga

ONKAPARINGA RESIDENTS HAVE YOUR SAY

What should the future of Onkaparinga really look like?

We'd like to get your thoughts. Council regularly undertakes a survey to get a snapshot of our community.

Our community survey helps track changes and trends that shape the future of our region. It covers a wide range of topics including parks and reserves, sport and recreation, the environment, climate change, arts, cultural diversity and heritage, health services and community connections. We need and value your input.

The online survey takes approx 15 minutes to complete and closes on Tuesday 7 December 2021.

Have your say today by clicking [here](#).



**ADVENT 2021 WITH
BRUCE DOWNES**

The Catholic Guy

You are invited to 'Expect the Unexpected' this Advent. Join me each day for a short, free Advent Daily Devotional Video that will guide you on a life-changing journey.

Starting November 28 you'll receive short inspirational videos each day from Bruce Downes, full of real life stories and practical ways to become all that God has created you to be!

Register now, or for more information: <https://brucedownes.org/registerforadvent/>
Email: info@brucedownes.org

Bruce Downes

TRIVIA QUIZ AFTERNOON

The Trivia quiz at Galilee was a most successful afternoon. We raised over \$230 for the "Circle of Friends", who support refugees and asylum seekers in Australia.

Geraldine and Steve and their table of 7 won first prize. Thia (from Normanville) composed the fun trivia questions and along with Maureen, Lorraine and Vivi from Galilee, ran the afternoon. Other willing helpers included André and Bob (MC). We had lots of fun, time to chat and to work out the many diverse answers.

Thank you to everyone who helped out or came along to join in the spirit of our Parish, with all three of our communities represented.

See you all at the BBQ at St Joseph's on November 28 after 10.30 Mass.

Vivi Boucher

CREATIVE CORNER

We would love to see you at our Creative Corner workshops - Community Room at Mary of Galilee Church, Aldinga Beach.

The next two workshops will be held on Tuesday 30 November and Tuesday 14 December from 11.00am until 2.00pm.

For further information contact Trish Dundon (0421 867 669) or Vivi Boucher (0490 331 935).

I dream of a better tomorrow, where chickens can cross the road and not be questioned about their motives.

Ralph Waldo Emerson

**PLEASE KEEP THESE
PEOPLE IN YOUR PRAYERS**

Sick: Veronica Shortland, Muriel Smith, Jeff Gray, Colin and Roma Whitford, Fr Peter Milburn, Janet Burbidge, Arthur and Carol Jones, Bill and Janet McIver, Violet Gilli, Judy Hore, Michael Miller

Recently deceased: Eamon McGarry

Please pray for all the faithful departed and may all our sick parishioners, relatives and friends know the healing love of Christ.

DATES

- 21 Nov Christ the King
- 28 Nov First Sunday of Advent
- 28 Nov St Joseph's, Willunga BBQ
- 30 Nov Creative Corner - Aldinga
- 5 Dec Second Sunday of Advent
- 10 Dec Last day School Term 4
- 12 Dec Third Sunday of Advent
- 14 Dec Creative Corner - Aldinga
- 17 Dec Fourth Sunday of Advent
- 25 Dec Christmas Day
- 25 Dec Appeal - Caritas Australia and Aboriginal Catholic Ministry
- 31 Jan School resumes for 2022
- 14 Apr Last day School Term 1

COLLECTIONS

(For the last fortnight)

First collection	\$606.00
Second collection	\$623.00
Envelopes	\$672.00
Direct debits	\$485.00

Thank you for your support - it is much appreciated.

*I think the worst time to have a heart attack is during a game of charades.
.... Demetri Martin*

There's nothing scarier than that split second when you lose your balance in the shower and you think, "They are going to find me naked."



CAROLS IN YOUR CAR
YANKALILLA MEMORIAL PARK
OVAL
You are welcome to bring a rug or chairs and sit on the oval
SUNDAY DECEMBER 12TH 5.00PM
ORGANISED BY THE LOCAL CHURCHES
Please contact 0427 534 095 for further info

ROSTERS

ALDINGA
Commentator
Readers

Saturday 20 November
Tricia Dundon
Angela Trembath
Brain Younie

Saturday 27 November
Christina Tiedge
Heidi Davidson
Rod Boucher

NORMANVILLE
Welcomer
Commentator
Reader
Altar/Cleaning

Sunday, 21 November
John Smith
Jim Fitzpatrick
Michael Steller
Trish Bohnsack, Rita Steller

Sunday, 28 November
Peter Lloyd
Ann Henriksen
Nigel Pile
Trish Bohnsack, Rita Steller

WILLUNGA
Commentator
Reader
Flowers
Church Linen

Sunday, 21 November
Wayne Best
Ian La Ronde
Mary Moore
Michael Hynes

Sunday, 28 November
Gael Maloney
Marie Cester
Michael Hynes
Anna Rogers

COMPLIANCE WITH COVID-19 REGULATIONS

(Current from 16 November, 2021)

- Places of Worship are restricted to 3 people per 4 square metres with social distancing of 1.5 metres. The number of people at a Private Activity has increased from 50 people to 150 people, provided density requirements are met. If more than 50 people are present, there must be an independent COVID Marshal. QR codes and/or handwritten logs are essential.
- Wearing of masks is mandatory. (A doctor's certificate must be produced on request, if claiming an exemption.)
- Attendees at indoor religious services may sing during worship and members of choirs or chorus groups may perform or rehearse indoors, if they wear masks while doing so.
- Social distancing is mandatory - DO NOT CONGREGATE at entry/exit and outside.
- There should be no shaking of hands or holding hands during the Mass.
- Every gathering must record contact details - either with the QR code for smart phones, or the handwritten log - both located at the entrance to the Church
- Hand sanitizer is available at Church entrances.
- Offertory procession will be omitted. Communion is given only in hands. Precious Blood will not be distributed.
- Collection plates will not be passed around.
- Holy Water is not available at the doors of churches.
- Sick and high risk/vulnerable people should be encouraged not to attend.
- The Archdiocese recommends Covid vaccination for all (please check with your GP if you have concerns).
- Obligation for Sunday Mass for the laity HAS NOT BEEN RE-INVOKED at this stage. You may wish to access: [Mass for You at Home – The official website of Mass For You At Home, Australia](#) online and on Channel 10 every Sunday at 6 am.

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upside down and inside out.

Open your eyes to the truth and you'll see that power, prestige, and security are only temporary and the world is based on false assumptions and miscalculations. Who wants to hear that? Like the former CEOs of today's corporations in crisis, most of us are out to protect our interests and are willing to whitewash reality and cook the books to prevent reports that our stock in ourselves is overrated - and that God and neighbour come above all else.

Start listening to the truth and next thing you know, you're living in the desert eating locusts and honey, or taking in strangers and trying to solve all the world's problems. No thank you.

But for all the crazy fears that surround accepting the truth, each of us is given a glimpse of the freedom that comes with it whenever we are overwhelmed by the love and warmth in a hug or kind gesture. The temporary loss of all cares and woes in those small moments is everlasting when you completely embrace the truth.

The Commissioning: We go from here as those who will find the Christ. We will find the Christ speaking up for the poor and listening to the careworn. We will find the Christ challenging the well-heeled to share, and the deprived to use their voices. We will find the Christ meeting neighbourhood needs through local churches, and our world's needs through generous giving. We will find Christ bringing refugees to our country. We will find the Christ lobbying governments to provide sufficient affordable housing. We search out and find the Christ. *GPBS eNews*

DID YOU KNOW?

- Pontius Pilate was the prefect or governor of the Roman province of Judea. He held this office from 26 to 36 AD. He had a reputation for being insensitive to Jewish religious practices and was all too

ready to use brutal force to repress any dissent against Roman rule. He was ultimately removed from office and sent back to Rome after a brutal attack on a gathered crowd in Samaria.

- Pilate's normal place of residence was in the coastal city of Caesarea. He was in Jerusalem at this time because the Passover was one of the 'pilgrimage festivals' of Judaism when many people travelled to the city to celebrate the feast at the Temple. The population of Jerusalem swelled greatly and this was a time when the Romans feared an outbreak of rebellion. Because of this, the Roman legions travelled to Jerusalem to reinforce the troop numbers stationed in the city.

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

(November 22 - 28)

- **Monday, 22:** St Cecilia (Dan 1:1-6, 8-20; Lk 21:1-4)
- **Tuesday, 23:** Weekday, Ord Time 34 (Dan 2:31-45; Lk 21:5-11)
- **Wednesday, 24:** Sts Andrew Dūng-Lac and companions (Dan 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28; Lk 21:12-19)
- **Thursday, 25:** Weekday, Ord Time 34 (Dan 6:12-28; Lk 21:20-28)
- **Friday, 26:** Weekday, Ord Time 34 (Dan 7:2-14; Lk 21:29-33)
- **Saturday, 27:** Weekday, Ord Time 34 (Dan 7:15-27; Lk 21:34-36)

ADVENT

*New liturgical year begins:
Sunday Cycle C, Weekday Cycle 2*

- **Sunday 28:** FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT (Jer 33:14-16; 1 Thess 3:12-4:2; LK 21:25-28, 34-36)



PASTORAL CARE

If you need a Priest for anointing of the sick or last rites contact: Noarlunga/Seaford (8382 1717), Willunga (0488 287 552), Victor Harbor/Goolwa (8552 1084), Kangaroo Island (0418 819 078).

COVIDSAFE
Let's continue to be a church