



The Anglican Parish of All Souls St. Peters  
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**Parish News**  
**27 September 2020**  
**17th Sunday after Pentecost**



- St Louis University

***The parable of the two sons***

**Services Sunday 8.00am and 9.30am**  
**Wednesday 10.00am**

**Please remember to bring your sanitised books with you**

**Acknowledgement of Country**

We acknowledge that the land we meet on is the traditional land of Kurna people; we respect their spiritual relationship with their Country, and we pay respect to elders past, present and future. – [nunku.org.au](http://nunku.org.au)



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### We remember in our prayers

Jill Donisthorpe, Richard Begg, Brenton and Nola Brockhouse, Nish De Mel, Michele Hill, Bishop David McCall, Caroline Brown, Maurine Rains, and Harriet

### Parish Remembrances

Robert Johnstone 1989, Katherine Morgan 1985, Peter Koeppen Wendt 2010, Janice Wheland 1975, Digby Thornton 1994

### R.I.P. Melissa Lewis

*"Rest eternal grant unto her O Lord,  
and let light perpetual shine upon her."*



### Diocesan Cycle of Prayer

Province of the Episcopal Church of Sudan Archbishop Ezekiel Kumir Kondo. Adelaide: Archbishop Geoffrey Smith and Lynn. Willochra: Whyalla (Iron Knob, Whyalla): Ruth Wilkinson, Heather Kirwan, Anglicare Outreach Centre in Whyalla, TACL (Training Aboriginal Christian Leaders) working with Indigenous People at Port Augusta, Ceduna and the Pitjantjatjara Lands. The Murray: Mothers' Union Diocesan President Jocelyn Williamson. National: John Stead, Bishop of Willochra and Jan.

### Readings for Sunday 4/10/20 Pentecost 18

Old Testament	Psalm	New Testament	Gospel
Ex 20: 1-4, 7-9, 12-20	19	Philippians 3	Matt: 21 33-46

### Roster for Sunday 4/10/20

	Lay Assistant	Server	Reader	Sidespersons
8.00am	E Westphalen	E Westphalen	T Young	R Begg R Devine
9.30am	M De Mel	N De Mel	F Eichner	F Hemstock C Wynne



### Sunday Midday Market

25 October 12-4pm

Please volunteer to help on the sign-up sheets at the back of the church. Thank you to those who have agreed to help. We also seek quality pre-loved goods to sell: Household items, small furniture, bric-à-brac, books and plants, but **no** electrical goods or clothing. Contributions can be left in Kay Hall. Speak to Sue, Ann or Julia.

YOU KNOW, NEITHER OF THESE SONS IS ANY GOOD. ONE IS *DISRESPECTFUL* AND THE OTHER IS A *SLACKER*!



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YES, AND REPENTANCE IS THE ONLY APPROPRIATE RESPONSE.



OH, RIGHT! I'M SORRY THAT I SAID THAT.



MATTHEW 21:23-32

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## Stewardship and parish giving

In October (11<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup>) we will welcome Viv and the Rev'd Martin Bleby to talk about "stewardship" e.g. What does it mean to live generously? Why do we give to the church? What are the teachings about this? Viv and Martin have wide-ranging ministry experience in the Anglican Church over many years. This includes Viv's working for the Diocese and Bush Church Aid and Martin's serving in Coober Pedy, Kapunda and Adelaide.

In preparation for their visit, here is an update from the Treasurer:

"Comparing **January to August 2019** with **January to August 2020**, there have been challenges and some temporary reprieves. Some of our major sources of income have been affected as follows:

- Hall rental was reduced by \$7,500 (33%)
- Fund raising income was reduced by \$2,500 (50%)
- Parishioners' giving has remained much the same.

The income for this period has reduced by over \$10,000, but we have received some assistance to help meet regular expenses: JobKeeper Support payments have provided a 60% reduction in stipend expenditure (priest's salary) for the last 4 months and monthly Diocesan assessment payments were reduced in the same period by around 80%.

The savings from these reduced payments have enabled us to operate within our budget, but this support will end, and we need to prepare for a return to normal operations in 2021. Other regular expenditure has not been reduced and the cost of maintaining three properties with power, water, insurance, rates and maintenance has risen in line with the cost of living." – Sue Crees, Treasurer

**Change to Key Codes:** As we are advised to do regularly, the codes to the key boxes at the Church and Coles Hall will change on 1 October 2020. If you require the key code, please ask Sue or Julia.



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## DIARY DATES



**Sunday October 11 and 18:** Stewardship Sundays with Viv and Rev'd Martin Bleby from Coromandel Valley

**Sunday 11 October:** Baptism of Nina Dawn Syrianos

**Tuesday 13 October:** Parish Council meeting

**Sunday 25 October:** Sunday Midday Market 12-4pm

**Saturday 7 November:** SWOT follow-up and MAP (mission action planning) with Rev'd Dr Don Owers, Coles Hall

**A November Saturday t.b.c.:** Gardening Bee and BBQ

### PARISH COUNCIL (PC) 2020

## Church Funnies

These sentences have appeared in church bulletins or were announced at church services:

The Fasting & Prayer Conference includes meals.

Scouts are saving aluminium cans, bottles and other items to be recycled.

Proceeds will be used to cripple children.

Ladies, don't forget the rummage sale. It's a chance to get rid of those things not worth keeping around the house. Bring your husbands.

Don't let worry kill you off - let the Church help.

Miss Charlene Mason sang '*I will not pass this way again*,' giving obvious pleasure to the congregation.

For those of you who have children and don't know it, we have a nursery downstairs.

Next Thursday there will be try-outs for the choir. They need all the help they can get.

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## Parish banking details

Bank account details for direct deposits:

A/c Name: Parish of All Souls St Peters BSB: 105-169 A/c No: 759245140