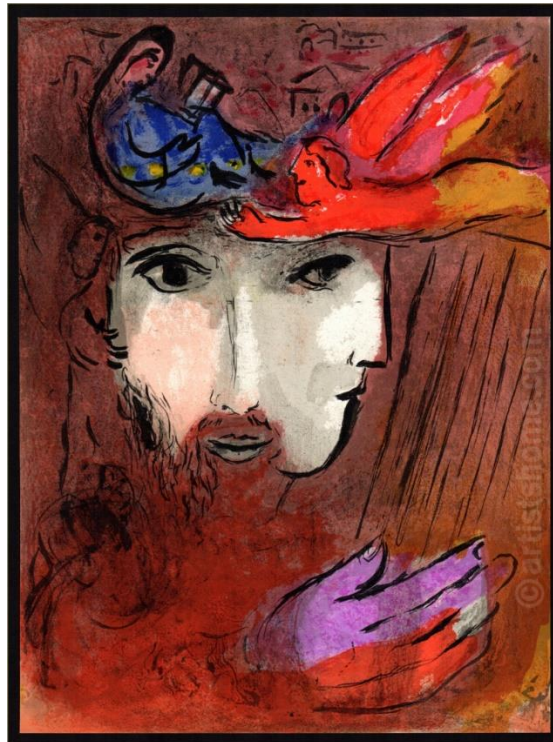




The Anglican Parish of All Souls St. Peters
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Parish News
July 25th, 2021



David and Bathsheba – Marc Chagall

Pentecost IX

Lockdown 21 – 28 July
~~Sunday Services 8.00am and 9.30am~~
~~Wednesday morning service 10.00am~~

Parish prayers

Brenton and Nola Brockhouse, Caroline Brown, Michelle Hill and Alan

Parish Remembrances for mid-July

Margaret Rymill 1994, Anne Lloyd 1990, Nigel Craddock 1992, Maxwell Birch 1976,
Lawrence Jupp 1992, Gladys Eastgate 1994, Cliff Boyd 2002, Eric McLaughlin 1996

We acknowledge the Kaurna people as the traditional owners of this land; we respect their spiritual relationship with their Country, and we honour their Elders past, present and emerging.

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer

The Scottish Episcopal Church *Primus* Abp Mark Strange. Adelaide: Toorak Gardens: Grant Bullen and Kathryn, Peter Anson and Kay. Willochra: Ministry District of Wakefield: The Revs David and Jenny Thompson, Darren Hewitt and Rachel, the Sacred Space for Healing and Quiet Garden, St Peter's Mintaro, Joe and Jean Johns. The Murray: Woodcroft College Head: Shannon Warren. National: The Northern Territory: Bp Greg Anderson and Annette

Readings for 25/7/21

First Reading	Psalm	Second Reading	Gospel
2 Sam 7: 1-14a	Psalm 89 21-38	Eph 2: 11-22	Mark 6: 30-34, 53-56

Roster for Sunday 25/7/21

	Lay Assistant	Server	Reader	Welcomers
8.00am	Elizabeth W	Elizabeth W	Ann P	Richard B Peter N
9.30am	Julia DD	Julia DD	Alison B	Fiona H Emma R

Save the Date

- ~~24 July: Badminton and Board Games, Coles Hall 1-3pm~~
- ~~25 July: Book Club, Rectory 3pm~~
- **19 August:** Windows visit, Order of Australia, Church
- **29 August:** Special Vestry Meeting after 9.00am 5th Sunday service
- **9 October:** Combined Parishes windows visit, 10.00am
- **31 October:** St Peter's Cathedral Choir Sung Evensong, 6pm, All Souls

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### Notes from Zoom Parish Council 20, July

- All **electrical equipment** in church and Coles Hall checked and tagged – thank you Pauline
- Checking and refreshing **First Aid kits** in church and Coles Hall in hand – thank you Lorraine
- Coles Hall **renovation** completed; painting of doors and architraves still to do
- Pauline will organise a working bee to **rehang paintings** in Coles Hall
- Mano to launch **English language conversation group** – please talk to her if you are willing to help
- Ted Davis has been **co-opted** to serve on Council – thank you Ted
- Next **windows visit**: 19 August, Order of Australia group, 10.00am
- Combined **Anglican parishes’ visit** for tea windows viewing: 10.00am, 9 October, 2021
- **Motion** for Special Vestry meeting, 29 August:

Parish Council requests that Vestry approve the following motion:

*“We seek retrospective approval from the Diocese for the removal in 1995 of several pews from the church and permission to remove other pews as and when necessary during the renovation work.*

*Pews are currently stored in various places and we request permission to sell some of these to raise funds for the on-going maintenance of the church building.”*

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Note from the Treasurer at the half-way point of 2021

The table below is very encouraging as it shows the continuing financial support for All Souls’ Parish through Pledged and Open Plate Giving. The giving in the first half of each year has increased in the past two years after a dip in 2019. This is especially significant considering the current time of uncertainty.

Parish Giving comparisons of first 6 months				
	2018	2019	2020	2021
Totals to June 30	\$23,740.80	\$17,122.15	\$19,042.00	\$30,309.00

The Parish leadership is especially thankful that Parishioners clearly remain both spiritually and materially faithful as this provides encouragement for forward planning. The cost of maintaining three buildings and employing a full-time rector increases each year. We are grateful when your giving reflects that

you understand these increased costs. Our only other sources of income are donations and hall rental. The unpredictability of hall closures during the pandemic has created even greater unreliability of income.

Current and past Parishioners and their families have also generously donated to the National Trust Appeal and to the Parish. The National Trust Appeal received **\$11,000** during the past couple of months and a further **\$3,800** was given directly to the Parish. We are sincerely grateful for this generosity. – Sue Crees

PARISH COUNCIL (PC) 2021	
People's Wardens: Pauline Parfitt 0421 382 358, Emma Robinson 0412 002 123	Member: Mano De Mel 0444 571 643
Priest's Warden: Sara Blunt 0400 028 537	Treasurer: Suzette Crees 0419 745 456
Member: Lorraine Gormly 0412 712 916	PASTORAL ASSISTANCE: Elizabeth Westphalen 08 8362 5238; or Priest
Priest: Julia DD 08 7230 0579	HALL BOOKINGS: via the website

Parish banking details

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