



ALL SOULS' PARISH NEWS

We observe the season of Advent and prepare to
Celebrate the Birth of Jesus Christ

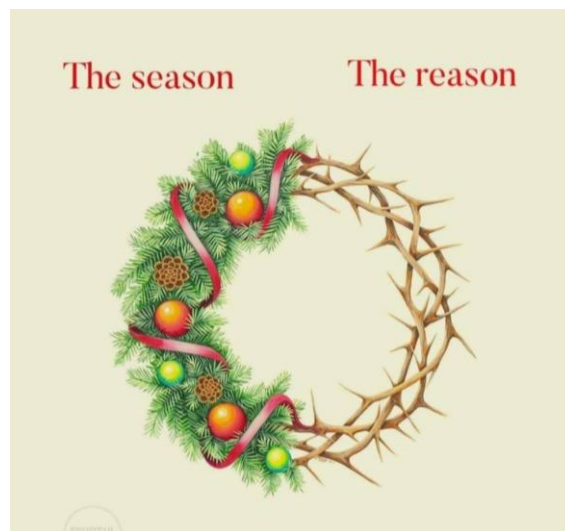
Sunday 21st December & 28th December 2025

Advent IV and Christmas I

8am Spoken Eucharist

9.30am Sung Eucharist

There will be no Wednesday Services until further notice



CHRISTMAS SERVICES AT ALL SOULS

Christmas Eve: 6pm Family Service with Blessing of the Crib, Carols and Eucharist

Christmas Day: 9am Family Service with Carols and Sung Eucharist

A WARM WELCOME TO VISITORS AND PARISHIONERS
LONGSTANDING AND NEW

Parish Prayers Jill, Julie, Carol, Judith and Caroline, Malcolm and Mary, Tony and Margie, Mark and Alison, Fiona, Jac, Cathy, Vernon, William, John, Sienna, Gabby, Grant, Deborah, Lionel

ADVENT GUEST SPEAKERS

The theme of our final Advent Guest Speaker:

Advent 4 Dec 21 Meagan Schwarz: Advent and Mission

We acknowledge the Kaurna people, their Elders and their spiritual relationship with Country

ALL SOULS VIGIL



Weapon

The will to power destroys the power to will
The weapon made we cannot help but use it
It drags us with its own momentum still

The power to kill compounds the need to kill
Grown out of hand, the heart cannot refuse it
The will to power undoes the power to will

Though as we strike we cry "I did not choose it"
It drags us with its own momentum still
In the one stroke we win the world and lose it
The will to power destroys the power to will

Judith Wright

COMING EVENTS

Monday 29th December at 6pm Five Gold Rings Concert at St Andrew's Church, Walkerville



Thirty Years at the Keyboard



Brenton Brockhouse has been selecting hymns, playing hymns, organising the brass band and generally ensuring All Souls' Parish continues to enjoy beautiful music for 30 years.

It was with great delight that the Parish celebrated this amazing milestone with congratulations and good food, including the special cinnamon meringues.



ARCHBISHOP'S CERTIFICATE

Module 8 – Being Anglican

Led by Rev'd Sally Sandford-Morgan

Thursdays, 4.30pm – 6pm, 5 – 26 March 2026

St Richard of Chichester Anglican Church, Lockleys

[M8 Register HERE](#)

Or scan the QR code



This module introduces participants to the main characteristics of Anglicanism through the lens of worship and spirituality, church life, and mission. Participants will examine the ways in which various strands of the tradition have developed historically, and what it means to be Anglican in Australia today.

On completion of this module, participants will be able to:

- Identify key characteristics of Anglicanism
- Outline the historical roots of different traditions within Anglicanism
- Demonstrate how Anglican understandings of mission relate to ministry in a parish, school or chaplaincy context
- Express their own identity and vocation as Australian Anglicans

Five Gold Rings

A Community Christmas festival of carols for the Fifth Day of Christmas

6pm at St Andrew's Church, Walkerville

Monday 29 December 2025

Shared supper follows at 7pm



with the Adelaide Benefit Concert Choir, Jayne Hewetson,
Amnon Shiloh and orchestra.

Choir director: Joan Claring-Bould

Accompanist: Deborah Osman

Compere: Ewart Shaw

Free concert but donations for the host parish would be welcome



Locum Tenens: The Ven David Thornton-Wakeford

Fr. David can be contacted on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Sundays, he will also be available outside of his usual working hours in the case of emergencies

Email: daviddtw76@gmail.com Phone 08 7112 4945.

Priest's Warden Pauline Parfitt 0421 382 358

People's Warden Emma Robinson 0412 002 123

can be contacted for information concerning worship or parish activities.

2025 Parish Council

| | |
|---|---|
| Peoples Warden: Emma Robinson 0412 002 123 | Priests Warden: Pauline Parfitt 0421 382 358 |
| Pastoral Assistance: Elizabeth Westphalen 08 8362 5238 | Secretary: Denise Kirk |
| Member: Sara Blunt 0400 028 537 | Member: Lorraine Gormly 0412 712 916 |
| Member: Brenton Brockhouse 0437 162 197 | Member: Chris Brockhouse 0413 667 469 |
| Member: Vernon Lewis 0403 090 355 | Member: Ann Peisley 0417 810 549 |

For news items or information regarding Parish News please contact
Ann Peisley 0417 810 549 or email culpeper@internode.on.net

Bank account details:

Parish of All Souls St Peters: BSB: 105 169: Account: 759 245

Website: <https://www.allsoulsstpeters.org.au>

Facebook: search for All Souls St Peters