



# Elizabeth Catholic Parish

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## 5<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR C

**First Reading:** *Isaiah 6:1-8* –  
Here am I! Send me.

### Responsorial Psalm –

In the sight of the angels I will  
sing your praises, Lord.

**Second Reading:** - 1  
*Corinthians 15:1-11* - I preach  
what they preach, and this is  
what you believe.

### Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia!  
Come follow me, says the Lord,  
and I will make you fishers of  
my people.  
Alleluia!

**Gospel:** *Luke 5:1-11* –  
They left everything and  
followed Him.

### I AM A SINNER.

In today's Scripture readings  
the prophet Isaiah, the apostle  
Paul, and the apostle Peter all  
acknowledges that he is a  
sinner" 'I am a man of unclean  
lips', cries Isaiah; 'I persecuted  
the Church of God', confesses  
Paul: 'I am a sinful man', says  
Peter. They know their need of  
forgiveness but they are also  
aware of the power of God at  
work in them. We too are  
sinners, but if we have faith in  
the grace of God working within  
us, we can be great  
missionaries as well.

### Next Week's Readings

#### Mon Our Lady of Lourdes

Gen 1 :1-19  
Mark 6 :53-56

#### Tues Gen 1:20 – 2:4

Mark 7:1-13

#### Wed Gen 2:4-9, 15-17

Mark 7:14-23

#### Thu Sts Cyril, monk and Methodius, bishop

Gen 2:18-25  
Mark 7:24-30

#### Fri Gen 3:1-8

Mark 7 :31-37

#### Sat Gen 3:9-24

Mark 8:1-10

## 6<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR C

Jeremiah 17:5-8

1 Corinthians 15:12, 16-20

Luke 6:17, 20-26

### PARISH PRIEST

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## LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

**St Ann's Church** (30 Midway Road, Elizabeth East)

**Mass Times** - Sat Vigil Mass 6pm - Sun 8.30am - Thurs 9.15am - Fri 9.15am followed by  
Eucharistic Adoration, including the Rosary, until 10.45am

**St Thomas More's Church** (19 Laverstock Road, Elizabeth North)

**Mass Times** - Sun 10am - Mon 9.15am - Tue 9.15am Wed 9.15am

**Magdala Chapel** (82 Fairfield Road, Elizabeth South)

Mass Times 1st & 3rd Tues of month at 9.15am. **No Mass during school holidays.**

**Catherine McAuley School** (210 Adams Road, Craigmore)

Mass Times 2nd & 4th Friday of month at 10.15am. **No Mass during school holidays.**

**Reconciliation:** Sat 5.30pm or by appointment .

## HISTORIC DAY FOR CATHOLIC EDUCATION IN SA

The largest ever gathering of Catholic educators in South Australia took over the Adelaide  
Entertainment Centre last month.

Less than a week before the school year commenced nearly 5500 teachers, school and  
parish leaders, priests, school administrators and Catholic Education Office staff from the  
Diocese of Port Pirie and the Archdiocese of Adelaide attended the Live Learn Lead  
Together conference.

Bishop Greg O'Kelly SJ welcomed everyone, especially those who had come from long  
distances across the State, to "this combined venture of Church".

"The importance of what you do and who you are is contained just in the one statement,"  
he told the historic gathering. The Church could not be Church without you. You are  
privileged and gifted people, you who care for the young. There is no equal to you in  
someone attempting to live the mission of the Church, which is the mission of Jesus, I  
really want to give you my thanks and that of the whole Christian community who we  
serve. And remember that Jesus himself was a teacher."

Administrator Delegate Fr Philip Marshall and US psychotherapist Kent Hoffman, who  
appeared via video link, provided a moving presentation on *The Gospel in Four  
Sentences*. Fr Marshall said when he looked around the auditorium and saw 5500 people  
he thought "what a power, what a capacity to make a difference to the world in a way that  
will make it more beautiful, more wonderful, more courageous, more loving and more  
kind".

Catholic Education director Neil McGoran spoke about the history of Catholic education in  
SA, starting with a meeting in December 1844 of Bishop Francis Murphy and teachers Mr  
and Mrs William James to lay the foundation stone of the first school in Adelaide.

Dr McGoran said reflecting on the past was important in terms of determining Catholic  
identity, "who you are and who you say you are". He then addressed the current strategy  
for Catholic education in the State, "which is demanding all of us to reach new levels of  
excellence in what we do", and the integration of faith, life, learning and culture.

"Employers everywhere are looking for people who are decent people, who fit into a  
team, are good to get on with, creative, problem solvers, energetic and can get out there  
and try and create something new because if they don't they'll go out of business," he  
said "Australia needs Catholic education more than it ever has before because Catholic  
education does that really well."

Predicted to be a year of significant change, 2019 will see many of the State's Catholic  
secondary schools teaching Year 7 for the first time. A number of Catholic primary  
schools will also begin offering mid-year Reception intakes.

## ASH WEDNESDAY MASS TIMES

Wednesday 6th March

9.15am St Thomas More

7.00pm St Thomas More

### LENTEN PROGRAM 2019

If you would like to lead a discussion group through this Lenten season either at St Thomas Mores, St Ann's or in your home - please ring the Parish Office as soon as possible. (1st session is usually during the week of Ash Wednesday). Once we have the leaders' names - you will have the opportunity to add your name and phone number to one of the groups which will be displayed on notice boards in both St Ann's and St Thomas More Churches. If you have other queries please ring the Parish Office on 8255119. *Bernie Hedges*

### EXTRA ORDINARY MINISTERS TO THE SICK

(Residential & Nursing Home)

You are invited to a meeting on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> February 12pm at St Thomas More Function Room. *Lunch and Refreshments will be provided.* This is a great opportunity for you all to meet up with your fellow ministers and to have some input in to how we manage this ministry moving forward. I really hope you can all come to have your say. Please let me know by calling the Parish Office on 8255 1191 if you are unable to attend. *Bernie Hedges*

### ELIZABETH CATHOLIC PARISH SACRAMENT PROGRAM 2019

The 2019 Sacrament Program will commence in a couple of weeks. We are inviting all parents/caregivers who are interested in this program, for their children, to attend the Parent Information Session on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February, 5:30pm to 6:30pm at St Thomas More Church. All children seven years or older are welcome to complete their initiation of Sacraments (Confirmation & First Holy Communion), which began with their Baptism. For further enquiries about this program please contact Fr Pat Woods (Parish Priest) or Edna Dumbrell (Sacrament Program Co-ordinator). Ph. 8255 1191 (office)  
M. Edna: 0416 091 083  
E-mail: [faitheducation@elizabethcatholicparish.com.au](mailto:faitheducation@elizabethcatholicparish.com.au)



*"Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, 'Whom shall I send? Who will go for us?' 'Here I am,' I said, 'send me!'" (ISAIAH 6:8)*

Every day, in little ways and in big ways, God asks, "Whom shall I send?" Whether it is someone to take on a new ministry, to give a friendly smile to a stranger or say a word of encouragement to a friend, God constantly provides opportunities to help someone in need. The next time you hear God calling, have the courage to walk through the door and say: "Here I am, Lord."



## POPE FRANCIS VISITS ABU DHABI

Abu Dhabi's powerful crown prince, Sheikh Mohammed bin Zayed Al Nahyan, greeted the Pontiff along with cabinet ministers and an honour guard when he landed. Francis travelled to Abu Dhabi to participate in a conference on inter-religious dialogue sponsored by the Emirates-based Muslim Council of Elders, an initiative that seeks to counter religious fanaticism by promoting a moderate brand of Islam. It's the brainchild of Sheikh Ahmed el-Tayeb, the grand imam of Egypt's Al-Azhar, the revered 1000-year-old seat of Sunni Islam that trains clerics and scholars from around the world.

### HELPING FIERCE TEEN GIRLS BECOME AWESOME WOMEN

Our Lady of the Sacred Heart College, in partnership with our Parents & Friends Association, are delighted to host a *Parents in Partnership Evening* presented by award-winning journalist, author and commentator **Madonna King**. Based on extensive research, King will provide valuable insight into the social, psychological and physical challenges every teenage girl is facing today. She gives teen girls a voice. "It's your daughter, talking to you. And her hope, beyond anything, is that you will listen." King will empower you with strategies to help strengthen your relationship with your daughter.

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> February 7pm, OLSH College Hall.  
**Tickets are available via:**  
[www.trybooking.com/BANPT](http://www.trybooking.com/BANPT)

### FEBRUARY – COMING EVENTS

Sun 10 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time
Mon 11 <sup>th</sup>	Our Lady of Lourdes
Tue 12 <sup>th</sup>	PFC Meeting
Thu 14 <sup>th</sup>	Sts Cyril & Methodius Valentine Day
Fri 15 <sup>th</sup>	Sacrament Program – Parent Information Session 5.30pm St Thomas More
Sun 17 <sup>th</sup>	6 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time
Wed 20 <sup>th</sup>	Taize Prayer Meeting, St Ann's 8pm
Thu 21 <sup>st</sup>	St Peter Damian
Fri 22 <sup>nd</sup>	The Chair of St Peter the Apostle
Sat 23 <sup>rd</sup>	St Polycarp
Sun 24 <sup>th</sup>	7 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Feast Day of the Week

**Mon 11 Feb Our Lady of Lourdes** is a Roman Catholic title of the Blessed Virgin Mary venerated in honour of the Marian apparitions that reportedly occurred in 1858 in the vicinity of Lourdes in France. The first of these is the apparition of 11 February 1858, when 14-year old Bernadette Soubirous told her mother that a "lady" spoke to her in the cave of Massabielle (a kilometre and a half (1 mi) from the town) while she was gathering firewood with her sister and a friend.

### Thu 14 Feb Sts Cyril (827-869) & Methodius (826-885)

Cyril and his brother, Methodius, of Greek nobility, studied at the University of Constantinople and were ordained. In 861 they were sent to convert the Jewish Khazars of Russia using the Khazar's language. In 863 they were sent to convert the Moravians in their native tongue. Cyril developed an alphabet for the Slavonic language that eventually became what is known today as the *Cyrillic*. In the face of criticism, the brothers pioneered the use of local languages in liturgical settings.

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## CONGRATULATIONS

To Bridgette O'Callaghan who celebrated her 80<sup>th</sup> birthday on 5<sup>th</sup> February.

## ASSISTANCE REQUIRED

Monika Toonen (maintainer of grounds, St. Ann's) is looking for some assistance as she will be away for most of March. Time & duties are variable dependent on the weather. Also please contact her if you have reticulation experience or would be prepared to be part of a core gardening group she will be able to call on when required. 82520340 / 0421 993 191.



## OPEN GARDENS JOE'S CONNECTED GARDEN 6 Argent Street, Elizabeth Grove

Come and see how we share our yards and grow over 400 varieties of fruit as well as veggies, herbs, chooks and ducks. Plus lots of exciting new projects come to life! Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> February and Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> February 10am – 4.30pm. Admission \$8 (\$6 concession cards) accompanied children free with gate proceeds to charities. Follow Joe on Instagram and Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/JoesConnectedGarden>. The gardens are not suitable for wheelchairs and gophers.



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Want to help feed people experiencing homelessness or at risk of homeless?  
Come and join us at Fred's Van in the North

### Seeking Food Rescue collector.

Fred's Van is a service that provides a meal to those that are experiencing homelessness or those who are marginalised and suffering from difficult financial circumstances, challenging mental health issues. We are seeking a volunteer to collect food rescue items from Second Bite at Dry Creek to deliver to our Fred's Van kitchen at Salisbury and Elizabeth. Time commitment approx. 3 hours per week on a Wednesday

There is some lifting required, so reasonable fitness required. All volunteers required to complete a volunteer registration form and a current police clearance. Mileage reimbursement offered.

If you would like more info please contact:

Teresa Branch Fred's Van Co-ordinator on 0419 857 966 or [tbranch@svdpsa.org.au](mailto:tbranch@svdpsa.org.au)

## METROPOLITAN MALE CHOIR OF SA

Presents 'Songs of Faith', a wonderful afternoon of beautiful songs of faith featuring one of Adelaide's foremost male choirs, an orchestra, organ and a mezzo soprano. The concert includes rousing choruses by Handel and Rutter as well as traditional hymns such as *Calon Lan* and *Be Thou My Vision*, and beautiful reflective sacred works by Faure, Schubert, Bruckner and Randall Thompson. This event will be held at Wesley Uniting Church, Kent Town on Sunday April 7 at 2pm. **Purchase tickets for \$25 before end of February.** For further information please see church notice board.

## ST COLUMBA COLLEGE

In addition to our new enrolments commencing their schooling, the Middle School has undergone significant change over the holiday break. The Year 6 and Year 7 learning areas have undergone a full refurbishment, allowing for more flexible learning spaces and areas for collaboration. Students in these areas have a fantastic opportunity to engage in a curriculum that is rich, challenging and meets the needs of our 21st Century world.

## FREE FRINGE CONCERTS

St Francis Xavier Cathedral  
1.00pm – 1.30pm

February 20, 27 and March 13.

Dr Amir Robin-Karas, who was part of last year's program and is a regular organist in the Cathedral, will perform on 27 February. Well known local organist Peter Kelsall will perform on March 13. **All Welcome.**

## CATHOLIC SCHOOL OF EVANGELISATION

### Faith on Fire Seminar

You are invited to a Lenten Faith on Fire Seminar with Guest Speaker and Celebrant Fr Patrice Ndemas, Saturday February 16, 2019 from 10am – 3pm at Dulwich Community Hall, 1A Stuart Road, Dulwich.

## YOUNG ADULTS

You are invited on Saturday February 16 to an afternoon of 'A Journey of Discovery – the Married, Religious and Priestly Life' at the Henley Beach Parish Hall.

Join guest speakers Lauren and Peter Bierer, Fr Peter Zwaans and members of the Vocation Network. [jenny.seal@olshaustralia.org.au](mailto:jenny.seal@olshaustralia.org.au)

## 40 Days for Life Lenten Campaign 2019 – Help Save Mothers & Babies

The 40 days for Life Lenten Prayer Vigil & Public Witness runs from 8 am – 6 pm daily from Ash Wednesday March 6 to Palm Sunday April 14 2019, outside Mareeba Abortion Clinic, 21 Belmore Tce, Woodville. For more information please contact Alan & Helen Tyson on 8364 4516, 0412 389 875.



## HEALTHY LIVING GROUP Restarting 20<sup>th</sup> February

If you would like to join this group, which meets every Wednesday morning at 10am to weigh in, discuss diet issues and support each other, please ring Anna on 8255 2591. If no answer please leave message and Anna will return your call.

## KNITTING GROUP

Every Friday morning 9.30am at St Thomas More Church the knitting group come together for a laugh, storytelling and some knitting of course.

## BULLETIN NOTICES

Please be aware all notices for the bulletin can either be emailed direct to Ann Murray [methil48@hotmail.com](mailto:methil48@hotmail.com) or left at Parish Office no later than Tuesday.



## PARISHIONERS ON THE SICK LIST

Romeo Hajek, Barbara Fuda, Adele Kalil, Bob Sherman, Josie Hughes, Pat McCluskey, Raymond McGowan, Catherine Stevenson, Karen Canala, Don McDeed, Mark Brown, Mark Mumford (John Barnes' nephew), Gill Knight, William Craig, Henry McGoran.

For Privacy reasons, permission from the sick person is required prior to placing their name in the bulletin.

### Prayer Registration Slip

Please fill out the registration slips situated on the table in the foyer and place in the box provided.

**Please note that names on the Sick List will remain for six weeks unless Parish Office is otherwise notified.**

## RECENTLY DECEASED:

## ANNIVERSARY OF DEATH:

### Week Ending 27<sup>th</sup> January 2019

1st Collection	\$
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## 21 Pastoral Team

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Deacon/Baptism Co-ordinator

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Lyell McEwin Chaplain

Robynne Malone 8182 9093

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Fiona Rice 8282 5395

Sacristans: Ann Anderson/Jean Luke/Donna Kirkbright (6pm Vigil)

Carol Mackle/Jean Mohan (St Ann's 8.30am)

Margaret Kennedy/Clara Porlaje (St Ann's 8.30am)

Trish Duke/Ralph Anderson (St TM 10am)

Planned Giving: Theo Toonen 8252 0340

Centacare (Catholic Family Services) 8215 6700

St Vincent de Paul Society Assistance Hotline 1300 729 202

Beyond Blue (Depression/Anxiety) 1300 224636

Lifeline Australia (Crisis Support/Suicide Prevention) 13 11 14

Kids Helpline 1800 55 1800 Child Abuse Report Line (CARL) 13 14 78

Translating and Interpreting Service 13 14 50

Elder Abuse Hotline 1800 372 310

St Vincent de Paul Society "Family Centre, Elizabeth 8255 8547

### Catholic Schools in the Parish

St Mary Magdalene's 82 Fairfield Rd, Eliz Grove 5112 Ph 8255 6144

St Thomas More 50 Yorktown Rd, Eliz Park 5113 Ph 8255 1699

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