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*Proclaiming Christ in
word and action;
growing in care, love and service*

The Grapevine

Newsletter of the Western Fleurieu Anglicans, Diocese of The Murray, SA



Hi friends!

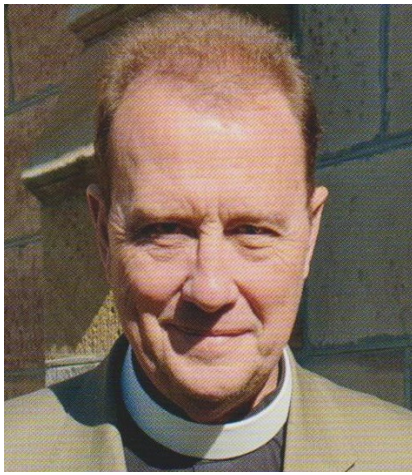
Since presenting to all our church communities the parish plans to renovate the Yankalilla rectory (see *Grapevine* July p. 1), we have been greatly encouraged by the number of people from our churches who wish to lend a hand or to contribute financially to the project. We commenced our first working bee on the rectory at the beginning of August. Our tasks were to strip the old kitchen, remove one internal window and gut the bathroom ready for its re-plumbing and remodelling. Fr Brenton and Br Simon slept in swags on site for the first three day working bee, and many people from churches all over the parish came to lend a hand. Much was achieved in preparation for the plumber and electrician to commence work, and there was much fun and sharing of great food and wine.

The next working bee will be announced in the notices in our churches this week. It is wonderful that our project is developing as hoped.

Cheers. Br Simon

In photo: Peter Filsell, Fr Brenton, Ron King, Br Simon

People with news of coming events or noteworthy happenings in the Pastoral District of Southern Vales to share with the rest of the parish, please contact the Editor, Anne Chittleborough, at 23 The Esplanade, Pt Willunga 5173, Ph 8556 5078 or email machit5@bigpond.com.au, preferably by the 15th of August. Please notify the Editor if you wish to avoid the chance of being mentioned in this newsletter.



Consecration of Fr Keith Dalby

The consecration of Keith William Dalby as bishop, will be at St Peter's Cathedral, Adelaide at 7 pm on Friday 16th August. We are all invited to attend and support him at his consecration.

His enthronement as Bishop of The Murray will be the following day at our cathedral at Murray Bridge at 11 am.

Due to the small size of the cathedral, attendance at this will be by invitation only, but we will have a chance to meet him at a later date.



Some reflections from a building site



The Fuel Of Love.

Recently we have had our Gospel readings from Luke 10: "Love the Lord your God with everything you have", the Good Samaritan, and the Mary and Martha Story.

When this Gospel was written it was written for churches to learn from.

So what is Luke Chapter 10 really all about?

I see Luke challenging the churches about our spiritual priorities. If we love God with all our heart and soul and mind and strength, then like the Good Samaritan we could not but help someone else, even if that person is our enemy.

So how do Mary and Martha link in?

First we have to understand Martha. It was she who invited Jesus and his entourage to their home. Perhaps this was when Jesus and Lazarus first met and became good friends.

It was she who catered for the group that was listening to Jesus.

It was she who said to Jesus when Lazarus died, "I believe that you are the Messiah, the Son of God, who is to come into the world." And Jesus brought Lazarus from the dead.

Martha was a woman with great faith and a true gift of hospitality. Mary too had faith in God, and she did something that defied cultural rituals: she sat with the men to listen to a Rabbi.

In this story no one was wrong. It shows us, though, that we need to consider our priorities.

Just think about this: what would it be like to have Jesus in *your* house?

Martha invited Jesus to her house and Mary sat in His presence. We need to be mindful of an ever-present asking for Jesus to be in our house and in our hearts, but that is not enough. We need to sit in his presence and listen to Him, too.

We have no need to be anxious about anything, even church duties. It is love, and only love, that should fuel our motivation for what we do in church. His presence in us is what makes our love for him grow. Wanting that presence more and more, loving Him with everything we have, is the foundation for everything else that makes us God's Holy People.

Deacon Peter is a non-stipendiary member of our clergy team, and this means that he maintains his work as a builder while continuing his studies and ministering to us in the church. This reflection was written when Peter was out supervising the installing of a kitchen and paving around a house.

DIRECTORY

The parish roll is available only to the clergy and Wardens. To make a parish directory, permission is needed from individuals included.

If you do not wish to have your contact details included in a parish directory, which would be available to other parishioners, you need to notify your Wardens in writing by the end of August.

What's on

August

- Sun 4th Gold Coin Collection for CPS workers
Seaford Christian Churches anniversary
and shared lunch.
Special Vestry meeting 2 pm, St Margaret's
Mothers' Union, 65 Endeavour Dr, Seaford
Rise 9.30 am
- Mon 5th
- Tues 6th **TRANSFIGURATION**
Friends of St Ann's 6.50 for 7 pm
- Thurs 8th **Colton Court Sing-along** 10.30-11.30 am
- Fri 9th **Mary Sumner Day** service 11 am Murray Bridge
- Sat 10th **Child Safe Environments** (see p. 9)
Murray Bridge, 9.30—4.30
Saturday Night Out at Willunga (next column)
- Sun 11th **ACH Yankalilla service**, 2 pm
- Tues 13th **WFA Council meeting**, St Ann's, 7 pm
- Wed 14th **"Maggie's Mates"** 11.15 am
- Thurs 15th **MARY**
- Fri 16th **St Nicholas' Luncheon** 12.30
& Fellowship 1.30 (Bookings 8392 4508)
Consecration of Fr Keith Dalby, St Peter's
Cathedral, Adelaide, 7 pm (opp. page)
- Sat 17th **Full day Safe Ministry training**, Mt Barker (p. 9)
Enthronement of Bp Keith Dalby (opp. page)
- Sun 18th **Safer Ministry Refresher Course**, Seaford (p. 9)
- Mon 19th **MU, Yankalilla/Delamere** 2 pm
- Tues 20th **Pray for Peace**, St Ann's 11 am – 12
- Wed 21st **Pastoral group**, Willunga House 2—4 pm
- Fri 23rd **Family Tea**, St Ann's 6.30 for 7 pm
- Sat 24th **BARTHOLOMEW**
- Sun 25th **Holly Aged Care ecumenical service**,
Hackham, 11 am

September

- Sun 1st Gold Coin Collection for CPS workers
Shared lunch, St Nicholas', Seaford
- Mon 2nd **Mothers' Union** 9.30, SCC
PNG MARTYRS' DAY
- Tues 3rd **Friends of St Ann's** 6.50 for 7 pm
- Fri 6th **Mayoral Prayer Breakfast** (next column)
- Sun 8th **ACH Yankalilla service**, 2 pm
- Tues 10th **WFA Council meeting** 7 pm
- Wed 11th **"Maggie's Mates"** 11.15 am
- Thurs 12th **Colton Court Sing-along** 10.30—11.30 am
- Sat 14th **Saturday Night Out at Willunga**
- Sun 15th **Holly Aged Care ecumenical service**,
Hackham, 11 am
- Mon 16th **MU Yankalilla/Delamere**
- Tues 17th **Prayer for Peace**, St Ann's 11am – 12
- Fri 20th **St Nicholas' Luncheon** 12.30
& Fellowship 1.30
- Sat 21st **MATTHEW**
St Ann's Jumble Sale 8.30—12.30
- Fri 27th **Family Tea**, St Ann's 6.30 for 7 pm
- Sun 29th **MICHAEL & ALL ANGELS**

Special Vestry Meeting

Sunday 4th August, 2 pm, St Margaret's
Subject: Offer of purchase of 99 Main Road,
McLaren Vale



Saturday Night Out 10th August

Willunga Hotel,
following the 5.30 pm
Vigil Mass at St Stephen's
(Bookings: Ted 8556 4535)



Pray for Peace St Ann's

Tues. 20th August 11 —12
Prayer, meditation
Light a candle for peace.
Shared refreshments to follow



Willunga House Pastoral Care group Wednesday 21st August 2—4 pm



Family Tea @ St Ann's
Friday 23rd August, 6.30 for 7 pm
All welcome. Bring your friends.
Bring food to share—or just come!

The 2019 Onkaparinga Prayer breakfast 6.45 am, 6th September

Serafino's conference centre, McLaren Vale
Guest speaker Andrew Fisher, of Jesus Racing.
\$33. Proceeds to the Life Choices Foundation
more information www.serafinowines.com.au



Jumble Sale at St Ann's
Sat 21st of September
Quality saleable goods wanted
—and volunteers!

First and third Fridays:

Friday Home Group at Seaford Rise,
Enquiries: 0408 763 654

..and each week:

Tuesdays St Nicholas', Seaford: Prayer meeting,
10.15 am.

Wednesdays St Margaret's, McLaren Vale:

9 am Holy Communion; 10 am Bible study

Thursday afternoons at Yankalilla with Fr Brenton

Thursdays, St Ann's, Aldinga: 9 -11.30 am Cuppa
and chat at Granny Annie's

News from St Nicholas', Seaford

Ministry

Brother Simon led our service on the 7th July, and we followed it with a very generous shared lunch. Deacon Peter threw a spanner in the works by contracting shingles and not being available to assist with the service planning for the 14th July or even to attend! We sent him our love and prayer for a speedy recovery and freedom from pain. Helen Cook became "Peter" for the day and expertly led us in our worship. The prayers of the faithful obviously worked well as Peter was able to join us for our service on the 21st July, a service enjoyed by us all,



along with much admonishment to Peter that he take care of himself and not overdo it! We wished Bro Simon a Happy Birthday at the Youth Worship, presenting him with a card, cake and small gift. Couldn't let the big 50 go by without something!

Youth Worship

This month the Youth took the theme of the Lord's Prayer as the focus for their service. A lively "Conversation with God", a Lord's Prayer skit performed by Brenton (God) and Issy (petitioner), made us think about what we really mean when we recite the Lord's Prayer. As the young people said in the service - Jesus gave us the "Lord's Prayer". Through it we are taught to speak in simple and uncomplicated ways to God, asking for what we need and nothing more; asking for forgiveness and help to be forgiving people; asking for God's help in the choices we make, honouring and glorifying his name.

It was a simple but inspiring message for us all. An upbeat rendition of the Lord's Prayer sung by young people along with actions (You tube link



<https://binged.it/2OfsFn6>) had us all joining in with the singing and actions! – This, along with simple but heart-felt prayers, lively music and great participation complemented by a simple but meaningful communion made for a wonderful worship time for everyone.

Fellowship

The card and games afternoon in June, went well and was enjoyed by those who attended. We hope to make this a monthly event so look out for further details in the future.



Our Trivia Afternoon on Saturday 27th July was a wonderful afternoon with lots of fun and laughter and even a few answered questions! Special thanks to Lyn Hann for all her work in putting the quiz together. Thanks to all who attended or donated such wonderful prizes. The winning table, called "The Mixed Bunch" was truly ecumenical with people from each of the SCC denominations on the table.

Yankalilla Rectory

In response to the Working Bees at Yankalilla, and realizing our limitations as a congregation, Lynn Hann has offered to assist with lunch on the Friday and also measure up for curtains at the Rectory. The Fellowship will take on purchasing material and making new curtains for the Yankalilla Rectory over the coming months. Donations and volunteer sewers more than welcome to assist.

Pastoral Care

Our home visits continue during these winter months. Kathy, Les, Fr David, Betty and Percy are among those visited. We have several on the prayer list at the moment and they will continue to be in our thoughts over the coming weeks.

SCC (SEM)

SCC's Annual Combined Birthday celebration and shared lunch will be held on the first Sunday in August (4th August) The service is being organized by UCA, and Rev. David Ingleton along with the other ministers of the various congregations will all participate in this service.

Helen Cook & Jane Cuthbert, Wardens

Photos: J Cuthbert

It has been a quietish July, the colder weather keeping many at home and winter illnesses taking their toll. We are grateful to Fr Brenton for his ministry amongst us. We really appreciate his and Lyn's kind concern for others and keeping us spiritually in step with Our Lord.

Unfortunately the Winter Warmers lunch had to be cancelled due to lack of interest. Again, winter sees many folk preferring their fire sides to socialising outside of home.

The weeds have been mown, so although we miss the yellow spread of soursobs, it is very neat and cared for.

We welcome Judith Wells back to sacristan duties, good to see her back and healing well.

Please keep Sylvia and Harry Francis in your prayers. Harry is in McLaren Vale Memorial hospital, where Sylvia visits him every day.

We look forward to a busy time manning the Almond Blossom stall in Willunga. Enjoy some beautiful blossoms while their short but spectacular display lasts!

Greg John & Julia Drought, Wardens

The Bible Study held at St Margaret's on a Wednesday morning, recently studied the book Praying with Eyes Wide Open by Sherry Harney. The task one week was to write a modern psalm of lament. The group asked that these be included in The Grapevine. Space is limited but two of them are included in the next column.

NAIDOC Week at Seaford Christian Churches

On Friday July 12th at 10.30 am a small ecumenical group joined together to acknowledge the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples throughout Australia; to celebrate their history as we shared in prayer, singing and Bible readings. The service was led by the Anglican Congregation with the other communities sharing in presentation. The wonderful Power Point was prepared by Dulcie Wong whose talent is amazing. Joe Saunders gave the Acknowledgement to Country and shared with

God, our God, my God, creator of this amazing world in which we live; you alone know the mystery of our creation. We have so many questions; you alone know the answers.

We hear in the morning news how ambition and love of power threaten the future of our world. We hear of wrong-doing, cruelty and pain, violence and revenge. Where are you in all this? You must care! You must feel this pain yourself! How can you not intervene?

I pray for peace in our world. Do you hear me? Do my prayers make any difference at all? I am less than a grain of sand on the beach, and the sea washes over me. I see things getting worse, not better. Why should I think my prayers matter, or my life, if it comes to that?

But then I remember the goodness you have shown me. I think of the beauty of the sea and the sky. I see the love in a mother's eyes as she talks to her baby; I see an act of kindness freely offered to someone in need, a consoling arm around someone in trouble. I remember Easter lilies rising from blackened soil after a bushfire; I see the trembling steps of newborn lambs.

And then I know that you are with us; that love, peace and beauty are not extinguished from the earth.

And I know that while I may never move a mountain or prevent a war, even a grain of sand has its place in your creation, and you are—and I pray you always will be— with me.

Dear Lord I need your guidance in all things and am sometimes unable to express my need for your help. My life seems full of demands that I cannot always satisfy. I am torn between care of family and care of friends. Please help me to make the right decisions and alleviate my feelings of guilt.

I trust in you, Lord, to help me make wise choices in my life. My faith in you gives me strength.

us the Uluru Statement from the Heart. Sister Bernie was inspirational with the preparation of the service and in the selection of songs listened to and sung together. The Bible Reading came from Genesis 1.1-31.

The following words, spoken by Deborah Cheetham, an aboriginal Opera Singer from the Yorta Yorta People, a member of the Stolen Generation, reflecting on the land as a sacred place, were read by Sr Bernie:

Sacred Space – Belonging

the land is a sacred place...
everything a sacred space should be...
a palace of natural beauty...
an aural landscape, a place never entirely silent...
drawing me into eternal silence...
connection with my ancestors
and the story and knowledge
of two thousand generations...
a deep sense of belonging.

Photo: H Cook



News from St Stephen's, Willunga

The **Saturday Night Out** dinner was held on July 13th at Willunga Hotel. Ten people enjoyed a social evening. The August Saturday Night Out will be held at the Willunga Hotel on August 10th as we continue our relationship with the Willunga community. *Bookings to Ted Sandercock 8556 4535.*

St Stephen's continues to be open for prayer or a chat with refreshments on Saturday mornings. During July we have several visitors from interstate and overseas visiting local family. Market shoppers and visitors are encouraged to park in the grounds, which are a safe parking location for families with infants and small children. If you could help occasionally on a Saturday morning please contact one of the wardens.

Thank you James Baker for mowing the grass in front of the church and Ben Lacey for mowing the grounds. Please keep Alexis in your prayers as she recovers from recent shoulder surgery.

The **Willunga Almond Blossom Festival** made for a busy last weekend in July. Thank you all who contributed items for the stall and staffed the stall on the Sunday 28th and the lunch period on the following Monday. Special thanks to those who helped set up on the Sunday and pack up on the Monday afternoon. At the time of printing the sales were \$1041. The few items left over were made available in the church halls.

The ABM study (*A Voice in the Wilderness*)

Sessions were completed at Willunga House on Wednesday July 17th with a meal before the last session.

Thanks to Alexis & Bill for their hospitality over the four weeks.

The four sessions were most enlightening and the recall of early encounters between the First People and the British settlers raised concerns and emotions. It raised the question, "Why weren't indigenous culture and the early encounters with the British settlers (invaders?) included in school Australian history?" For the most part, those attending had learnt more English and European history than Australian, and the views of the Indigenous people were never taught.

The study material developed by ABM is worthwhile reading, thinking about and taking up appropriate opportunities for action. It can be downloaded free from the ABM website, abmission.org



The **Pastoral Group** will meet at Willunga House on Wednesday, August 21st, 2—4 pm. All are welcome to join this informal group.

Join us after the Saturday 5.30 pm service for drinks (sherries or red or white wine; or soft drinks) and a variety of nibbles to try.

Ted Sandercock & John Strachan, Wardens

APOLOGY: Jazmine Cawley's name was spelt Cowley in the June issue. Sincere apologies from the Editor.



Ted Sandercock, Anglican, and Jenny Esots, Uniting Church (pictured L) took part in the Blessing of the Festival on Saturday. It was all go at the Anglican stall on Sunday! Wendy Sandercock, Joan Lunn, Patricia Ninnies and Laura Tinkham (with baby Mason) did the Sunday morning shift. (Photos: T Sandercock. More on-line)

Snippets from Western Fleurieu Anglican Council meeting, 9th July

The meeting was held at Yankalilla, and chaired by Ted Sandercock. Matters discussed included the following:

St Margaret's

WFA Council voted to agree to accept the offer from Kalyra Communities (James Brown Memorial Trust) to purchase the property on which St Margaret's is situated: 99 Main Road, McLaren Vale, but allowing our continuing use of the church building. The proceeds from this to be used for new capital expenditure to progress the Mission Partnership's mission strategy.

This motion needed to be taken to a special Vestry Meeting, to be held on Sunday 4th August, and when adopted, read out at church services for the following two weeks. It would then go to Diocesan Office.

Proposals for use of the money raised in this way included:

- * the upgrading and refurbishment of the Yankalilla Rectory (replacing the McLaren Vale rectory),
- * eliminating hazards (lighting, drainage, driveway) at St Stephen's
- * purchase of two properties at strategic positions to enhance future growth of the parish (making the money work for us – a source of income)
- * repayment of the balance of the loan for the Seaford rectory.

Yankalilla Rectory

With the meeting being held at Yankalilla, members of the WFA Council were given the opportunity to visit



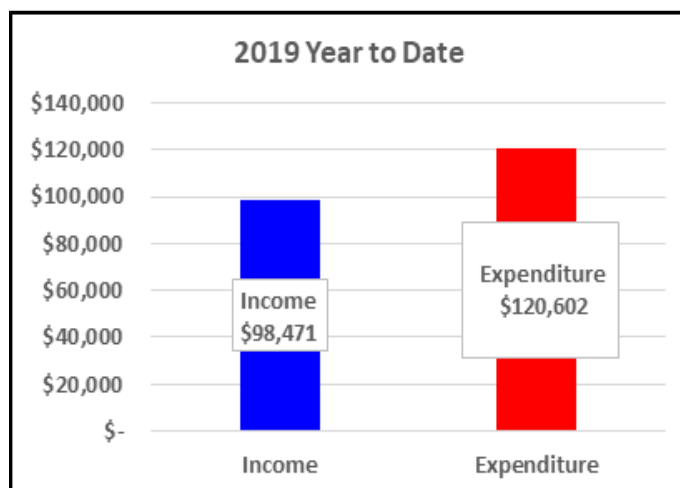
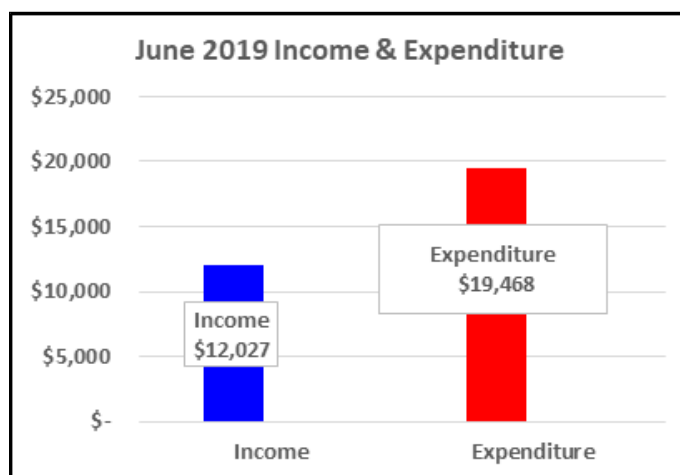
the old rectory and look at the changes and modifications that needed to be done to restore the building to a state where it could be used as a rectory (see p. 1 June GV) or rented out. This will be an expensive operation as it is many years since any improvements have been done, and it was hoped that while some of the work will need to be done by professionals, some can be done by parish working bees. This would reduce costs, build a greater unity

between the two parts of the parish, and be a time of having fun together. A total of \$34,500 is available from Special Purpose funds and from the sale of the Myponga church. It is hoped that the upgrading can be completed by the end of this year. A small building committee to be headed by Fr Brenton would develop a plan to achieve this. It is anticipated that Fr Brenton will live there, dividing his time between Yankalilla/Delamere and the Southern Vales end of the parish.

Advertising service times:

On the Coast had asked whether WFA wished to advertise service times in their monthly newspaper at \$11 per month. It was considered that our own electronic and other communications have improved greatly in recent years, and the expense would not be merited.

Financial Report: (see graphs)



Police Checks: (see also p. 9)

Everyone who needs clearances (those holding leadership positions, committee members and all those working with children or vulnerable people) should have valid checks to cover them as far as 30th July 2020. Originals of the certificates must be sent to the Diocesan Office, but we will develop our own records. The new system of Working with Children Checks will be initiated by the Diocese. The applications will be on-line, assistance would be given to those who need help.

Next meeting : Tuesday 13th August, 7 pm at St Ann's

The Prickle Team

It is well-known that *A garden is a planned space, usually outdoors, set aside for the display, cultivation, or enjoyment of plants and other forms of nature. The garden can incorporate both natural and man-made materials.*

The Scriptures remind us of the early connection between God, his people, and his own garden: after creation of the universe, and Man . . . *the LORD God planted a garden eastward in Eden . . . And the LORD God took the man, and put him into the garden of Eden to dress it and to keep it . . .*

In this context attention is drawn to the entire of the poem *God's Garden* by Dorothy Frances Gurney (1858— 1932), of which the penultimate stanza is well-known, and which was inspired by the garden of Lord Ronald Gower (1845-1916). It appears below.

The beauty of the gardens and grounds at St Ann's Aldinga is appreciated and admired, not only by the members of the congregation but also by visitors and passers-by.

That this is, and continues to be, the case is because of the weekly diligence and devotion of the small but distinguished group known as the Prickle Team. The Prickle Team comprises Trish Frith, Victoria McKee, Barbara Hill, Wendy Young, Bill Cale and, when practicable, Father Brenton.

As well as their evident expertise in soil cultivation and plant management, their works suggest their acceptance of the accuracy of the comments by the author of the Book of Ecclesiastes: *To everything there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven . . . a time to plant, and a time to pluck up that which is planted . . . a time to break down, and a time to build up . . . A time to cast away stones, and a time to gather stones together . . . a time to keep, and a time to cast away . . .*

At the service on 28th July 2018 the value of the contributions by the members of the Prickle Team was recognized as they and their implements were acknowledged by Brother Simon before an enthusiastic and supportive congregation.



P Chapman



D Best

Prickle Team at work!

Di Best writes: Trish and Bill did a fantastic work of dedication at SSPJ on Wednesday with help on the tidying up from Rupert and me. Trish even provided warm chocolate cake and coffee while we sheltered from the rain in the lee of the vestry.

The work of The Prickle Team is not confined to the particular location of St Ann's in Aldinga. Also acknowledged was their pruning – mainly of roses – far and wide across the district and beyond, as far as North Adelaide. Their 2019 statistics are impressive: in addition to their regular work at St Ann's, they have attended to pruning in thirty-four gardens. The consequent donations [to the church](#) total \$1,410.

The importance of pruning - required to remove superfluous twigs and shoots that would impair proper growth and maximum productivity - as a favoured, peaceable activity is implied by the prophets Isaiah and Micah: *they shall beat their swords into plowshares, and their spears into pruninghooks . . .*

For The Prickle Team, their pruning is, as well, a means of outreach and caring by the Church to the community.

God's Garden

THE Lord God planted a garden
In the first white days of the world,
And He set there an angel warden
In a garment of light enfurled.

So near to the peace of Heaven,
That the hawk might nest with the wren,
For there in the cool of the even
God walked with the first of men.

And I dream that these garden-closes
With their shade and their sun-flecked sod
And their lilies and bowers of roses,
Were laid by the hand of God.

The kiss of the sun for pardon,
The song of the birds for mirth,
One is nearer God's heart in a garden
Than anywhere else on earth.

For He broke it for us in a garden
Under the olive-trees
Where the angel of strength was the warden
And the soul of the world found ease.

Quiz Night

On 12th July 2019, an enjoyable if challenging time was had by those who attended the Quiz Night. Some \$518 was raised, of which the Friends of St Ann will determine the use. Thanks are due to those organizing the event overall, and to those who generously donated particular – and popular—requisites, such as the prizes. Burda Sanders was the Quiz Master, as on many previous occasions. We do record our gratitude to her for all her contributions to our pleasure. We are sad that she has decided not to continue in this role, and we hope she may change her mind. *Photo: Andrew Hayward, David Walton and Sue MacKirdy puzzle over a hard question.*



Main South Road Duplication

Although St Ann's Aldinga is actually located on Stonehouse Lane, it is so close to Main South Road that the duplication thereof, recently announced by the State Government, must be expected to have a significant effect – if the duplication parallels the existing carriageway. We have suggested that a different route, somewhere well to the east of St Ann's, should be given favourable consideration.

A planning study for the Main South Road Duplication has commenced. Members of the Western Fleurieu

Anglican Council, meeting at St Ann's, have taken the opportunity for preliminary discussion of local concerns with the Consultant engaged by the Department of Planning, Transport and Infrastructure (DPTI). Further opportunities for such discussion are expected to be able to occur.

DPTI advises that "If you have any enquiries about this project please email the project team at DPTI.MainSouthRoadDuplication@sa.gov.au or telephone Community Relations on 1300 794 880."

Brian McMillan & Julianne Bates, Wardens.

Exhibition of paintings at St Ann's

For SALA month, August, St Ann's will be hanging paintings by local artist John Freeman.

John's colourful biblical paintings show his love of artists such as Van Gogh, Matisse, and Klee, and also are strongly influenced by the work of children he taught while a school teacher, especially in his choice of colours and symbolism.

John says "I have used a bird as a symbol of 'God'The bird is beautiful, fragile, beyond man's control and dominion in its freedom of flight, and like God observes things from a different perspective. A bird is also gentle and beautiful."

Like them or not, you will be interested and possibly challenged to see the motifs and the stories in these biblical paintings. You may have seen them before – old friends returning.

If you would like to view the exhibition out of St Ann's opening hours (service times) ring me to see if we can arrange a time.

Gillian Clampett 0429690004

Safe Ministry

**A full day training is offered on
Saturday 17th August at Mt Barker, 9.30—4.30 or 19th
October at Mt Gambier. BYO lunch.**

**There will be a three hour refresher course at Seaford
Christian Churches on Sunday 18th August, 2 pm. Or
others at Mt Barker, or O'Halloran Hill, Sunday 3rd
November, 2 pm**

**A Child Safe Environment Course
is offered on Saturday 10th August at Murray Bridge
and 2nd November at O'Halloran Hill, 9.30—4.30 pm**

~Don't let your police check lapse !~

*To book in, or for further information, contact Jane
Cuthbert, 0407 651 606*

**STOP PRESS: as this goes to print we are advised that
on-line workshop participation is now available.
Further information from Jane.**

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Fun with language

A hangover is the wrath of grapes.

Dijon vu—the same mustard as before

A man's home is his castle—in a manor of speaking.

Atheism is a non-prophet organization.

I wondered why the baseball kept getting bigger. Then it hit me.



Service times & contact details

St Margaret's, 99 Main Road McLaren Vale

Sunday: 10 am

Wednesday: 9:00 am

Wardens:

Greg John 8325 0277

Julia Drought 7009 7705

St Stephen's, St Andrews Tce, Willunga

Saturday: 5.30 pm

Wardens:

Ted Sandercock 8556 4535

John Strachan 0407 605 152

St Ann's, 7 Stonehouse Lane, Aldinga

Sunday: 9 am

Wardens:

Julianne Bates 0431 853 515

Brian McMillan 8557 6984

St Nicholas', Seaford

Seaford Christian Churches

Sunday 10.30 am

Fifth Sundays in the month: a 10 am
combined Ecumenical service with the
Uniting Church and the Church of Christ.

Wardens:

Jane Cuthbert 0407 651 606

Helen Cook 0427 679 787

or 8386 3689

Christ Church, Yankalilla

1st, 2nd & 3rd Sundays - 9.00 am

4th Sunday - 11.00 am

5th Sunday - Combined Service

Wardens:

Ann Gardiner 0419 035 290

Belinda Rosser 0411 591 628

St James, Delamere

2nd Sunday - 11.00 am

4th Sunday - 9.00 am

5th Sunday - Combined Service

Wardens:

Peter Filsell 8598 0223

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**Where there is a Fifth Sunday in a month,
there is likely to be a Combined Service. Check
pewsheets and website for details.**



The high life at St Ann's!

L: Amazingly, the choir managed to concentrate on their choir practice while electricians replaced light bulbs in St Ann's.

Photo: J Drought

Almond Blossom Festival—

50 years

Below: Jenny Esots of the Uniting Church sent the following g photos of Cogs (Uniting Church Minister) and others at the 50th Almond Blossom Festival



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Fr Brenton, Barbara Walter, Margaret Cale, Bev Fletcher



Trish Frith, Joan Dare, John Gosbell, Michael and Julia Drought,
Di and Rupert Best



John Hayward had a relaxed approach to the questions!

Quiz Night at St Ann's