

**The Anglican Parish of Semaphore
Saint Bede's**
'Nurturing the Soul of Semaphore'

We acknowledge that we meet on the traditional lands of the Kaurna people and respect their elders past, present & emerging.

**PENTECOST 7
JULY 24**

8 am Holy Communion

9.30 am Holy Communion followed by
Morning Tea in the hall

Wednesday 10 am Holy Communion
followed by Morning Tea

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Prayer of the Week

O God,
the protector of all that trust in you,
without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy:
increase and multiply upon us your mercy,
that, with you as our ruler and guide,
we may so pass through things temporal
that we finally lose not the things eternal.
Grant this, O heavenly Father,
for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

COVID RESTRICTIONS

Several Covid-Restrictions have been lifted..

*It is now no longer necessary to check in by QR code or sign in.

*It is now no longer mandatory to wear masks even for singing,
however you are welcome to continuing doing so.

Continuing Covid-Restrictions include

*Staying at home with any flu or Covid-19 symptoms.

*Maintaining a 1.5 m distance from each other.

*Using hand sanitizer on entry and exit.

*Refraining from physical greetings on arrival and at the
greeting of peace.

*Not sharing in the Common Cup at Holy Communion.



Please join with other parishioners to enjoy **St Bede's Day Out** on 19 August from 9.30am. Enjoy morning tea at The Banksia Tree Café from 9.30, then visit up to three SALA exhibitions in Port Adelaide and Semaphore. Finish with 12.30 lunch at the Exeter Hotel. Come to all of it or come to some, join us on the way, We promise a stimulating day of interesting art, convivial company and good food. Sign up at Church Welcome table or let Dorothy Thorpe know so eatery bookings can be made.
RSVP 14/8

Thank you to parishioners who have generously donated goods to Breakfast@StBede's. Our cupboards are quite full and we are very grateful that we have a supply needed for some time. We will let you know next time reserves are low. You might like to know that we served 41 people last Tuesday.



Pentecost 7

Today in his discourse on prayer, Jesus tells us that the Father will give us not only gifts that we ask for but also the gift of the Holy Spirit. We have a generous and loving Father who always gives us those things that are good for us to have. One of those gifts is the Real Presence of Jesus himself in the Eucharist

- Jesus Christ, truly present in the Eucharist, help me to see all the gifts showered upon me by the Father and help me to fill my heart with appreciation and gratitude.
- Give thanks for the Church of South India, remembering especially today their ministry in a predominantly nonChristian context.

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HYMNS:

Int	TIS 454	Worship the Lord
Grad	TIS 745	Seek ye first the kingdom of God
Offert	TIS 607	Make me a channel of your peace
Comm	TIS 464	Seek, O seek the Lord, while he is near
P/C	TIS 590	What a friend we have in Jesus

SENTENCE:

Ask, and it will be given you; seek, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you. Luke 11.9

THE COLLECT:

Provident Father,
with the prayer your Son taught us always on our lips,
we ask, we seek, we knock at your door:
help us so to seek that we may truly find,
so to ask that we may joyfully receive,
and so to knock that the door of mercy may be opened for us;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

FIRST READING: Hosea 1:2-10

² When the Lord first spoke through Hosea, the Lord said to Hosea, 'Go, take for yourself a wife of whoredom and have children of whoredom, for the land commits great whoredom by forsaking the Lord.'

³ So he went and took Gomer daughter of Diblaim, and she conceived and bore him a son. ⁴ And the Lord said to him, 'Name him Jezreel; for in a little while I will punish the house of Jehu for the blood of Jezreel, and I will put an end to the kingdom of the house of Israel. ⁵ On that day I will break the bow of Israel in the valley of Jezreel.' ⁶ She conceived again and bore a daughter. Then the Lord said to him, 'Name her Lo-ruhamah, for I will no longer have pity on the house of Israel or forgive them. ⁷ But I will have pity on the house of Judah, and I will save them by the Lord their God; I will not save them by bow, or by sword, or by war, or by horses, or by horsemen.' ⁸ When she had weaned Lo-ruhamah, she conceived and bore a son. ⁹ Then the Lord said, 'Name him Lo-ammi, for you are not my people and I am not your God.' ¹⁰ Yet the number of the people of Israel shall be like the sand of the sea, which can be neither measured nor numbered; and in the place where it was said to them, 'You are not my people', it shall be said to them, 'Children of the living God.'

For the word of the Lord: **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 85

- ¹ O Lord, you were gracious to your land:
you restored the fortunes of Jacob.
- ² You forgave the iniquity of your people:
and covered all their sin.
- ³ You put aside all your wrath:
and turned away from your fierce indignation.
- ⁴ Return to us again, O God our saviour:
and let your anger cease from us.
- ⁵ Will you be displeased with us for ever:
**will you stretch out your wrath
from one generation to another?**
- ⁶ Will you not give us life again:
that your people may rejoice in you?
- ⁷ Show us your mercy, O Lord:
and grant us your salvation.
- ⁸ I will hear what the Lord God will speak:
**for he will speak peace to his people,
to his faithful ones, whose hearts are turned to him.**
- ⁹ Truly his salvation is near to those that fear him:
and his glory shall dwell in our land.
- ¹⁰ Mercy and truth are met together:
righteousness and peace have kissed each other;
- ¹¹ Truth shall flourish out of the earth:
and righteousness shall look down from heaven.
- ¹² The Lord will also give us all that is good:
and our land shall yield its plenty.
- ¹³ For righteousness shall go before him:
and tread the path before his feet.

SECOND READING: Colossians 2:6-15

⁶ As you therefore have received Christ Jesus the Lord, continue to live your lives in him, ⁷ rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving. ⁸ See to it that no one takes you captive through philosophy and empty deceit, according to human tradition, according to the elemental spirits of the universe, and not according to Christ. ⁹ For in him the whole fullness of deity dwells bodily, ¹⁰ and you have come to fullness in him, who is the head of every ruler and authority. ¹¹ In him also you were circumcised with a spiritual circumcision, by putting off the body of the flesh in the circumcision of Christ; ¹² when you were buried with him in baptism, you were also raised with him through faith in the power of

God, who raised him from the dead. ¹³ And when you were dead in trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made you alive together with him, when he forgave us all our trespasses, ¹⁴ erasing the record that stood against us with its legal demands. He set this aside, nailing it to the cross. ¹⁵ He disarmed the rulers and authorities and made a public example of them, triumphing over them in it. For the Word of the Lord: **Thanks be to God.**

THE GOSPEL: Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke, chapter 11, beginning at the 1st verse.

Response **Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ.**

¹ He was praying in a certain place, and after he had finished, one of his disciples said to him, 'Lord, teach us to pray, as John taught his disciples.' ² He said to them, 'When you pray, say: Father, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come. ³ Give us each day our daily bread. ⁴ And forgive us our sins, for we ourselves forgive everyone indebted to us. And do not bring us to the time of trial.'

⁵ And he said to them, 'Suppose one of you has a friend, and you go to him at midnight and say to him, "Friend, lend me three loaves of bread; ⁶ for a friend of mine has arrived, and I have nothing to set before him." ⁷ And he answers from within, "Do not bother me; the door has already been locked, and my children are with me in bed; I cannot get up and give you anything."

⁸ I tell you, even though he will not get up and give him anything because he is his friend, at least because of his persistence he will get up and give him whatever he needs.

⁹ 'So I say to you, Ask, and it will be given to you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you.

¹⁰ For everyone who asks receives, and everyone who searches finds, and for everyone who knocks, the door will be opened.

¹¹ Is there anyone among you who, if your child asks for a fish, will give a snake instead of a fish?

¹² Or if the child asks for an egg, will give a scorpion?

¹³ If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!'

The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.**

COMING EVENTS:

19th August: St Bede's Day Out—Morning Tea, SALA
Exhibition and lunch

11th September: Season of Creation Picnic—venue to be
Announced.

9th October: The 'All Things Bright & Beautiful' Garden
Party, including Community Garden Open Day,
Lunch, cake and coffee and blessing of the
animals.

Please put these dates in your diaries now and plan to come.

THANK YOU to those people who have stepped in to continue
Worship Services today in Fr Gwilym's absence.
Best wishes to Fr Gwilym for a quick recovery from his bout of
Covid.
Stay safe and healthy everyone.



CYCLE OF PRAYER

Our World: Peace especially in Ukraine.
Week of Prayer for Christian Unity.
Prime Minister Albanese and the new Government of Australia



The Church:

Novena of prayer for the Lambeth Conference (July 26th – August 8th)
The Church in Wales *Primate* Bp Andrew John
Flinders Medical Centre & Repatriation Health Precinct: Hilary Reddrop (Alan),
Peter Chapman.
Diocese of Willochra: Ministry District of Wakefield:
Diocese of The Murray: Investigator College: *principal* John Robinson.
National: The Murray: Keith Dalby (Alice)
St Bede's Mission and Ministry and Fr Gwilym.

Prayer Requests from ... for

Ros DeGaris

Anne Duncanson

Bev Hayes

Jennette Hand

Judy Nelson

Kenneth Pretty

Mandy Garfitt

Margo Holland

Kathleen for **Hayley Wilson** and **John Brazil**.

Ann for her sister-in-law **Michelle**.

Bev for **Jo Clarke**.

Sue Henry Edwards for **Rhodri Bon Callum & Rhiannon Henry Edwards**.

Joyce Henry-Edwards.

Judith M for her sister-in-law's sister **Ros Davies**.

Sigrid for **Karen**

Gwen for **Katrina Fischer**

Rosemary for her daughters **Kathryn** and **Paula**

Terry and Joyce Hemmings for **Colin**

Raelene for **Cheryl** (terminally ill)

Sally & John for **Libby Cornish**



Faithful Departed:

Years Minds: Jack Tabor, Rodney Hixon (24/7), James Sutton (25/7), Anne Robinson, William Brooks, Maurice Steadman (16/7), Norman Maynard (27/7), Doug Sampson, Michael Kell (30/7).

DIARY DATES:

Thurs 28 July 10:30 am Semaphore Residential
Thurs 4 August 10 am Art & Craft
Sat 6th August Hiroshima Day, The Transfiguration of Our Lord
Sun 7 August Semaphore Market Day.
Thurs 11 August 10.30 Martin Village
Mon 15 August Mary Mother of Our Lord
Thurs 18 August 11 am Philip Kennedy Centre

NEXT WEEK READINGS

Hosea 11:1-11
Psalm 107:1-9,41
Colossians 3:1-11
Luke 12:13-21

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Tuesday & Thursday 9 am—2 pm

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BEDE'S BREAKFAST: Open Tuesdays 8.30—10.00 am

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Please include your name and "donation" or "giving"
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