

DIARY DATES:

Sun 20th Nov Christ the King
 Sat 24th Dec 4 pm Children's Christmas Eve Service
 11 pm Midnight Mass
 Sun 25th Dec 9.30 am Christmas Day
 (please note there will be no 8 am Service
 on Christmas Day)

Next Week Readings:

Isiah 2:1-5
 Psalm 122
 Romans 13:9-14
 Matthew 24:16-44

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Tuesday & Thursday 9 am—2 pm

Secretary: Fay Warren
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BEDE'S BREAKFAST: Open Tuesdays 8.30—10.00 am

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How to give to the mission and ministry of St Bede's Church -

- Envelopes and/or cash in the Donation Box provided.
- Direct Credit: BSB 705-077 Account Number 00040467
 Please include your name and "donation" or "giving"
- Direct Debit, please collect form from Welcomers Table

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.

**Christ the King
 20th November 2022**

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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[pwd=WjM4cXc4Rk9TY2d1VmK0OGtYnB2Zz09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82255887189?pwd=WjM4cXc4Rk9TY2d1VmK0OGtYnB2Zz09)
 Meeting ID: 822 5588 7189
 Passcode: 887619

**Prayer of the Week**

Stir up, we pray you, O Lord,
 the wills of your faithful people,
 that they, plenteously bringing forth the fruit of good works,
 may by you be plenteously rewarded;
 through 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.





30th Anniversary of the Ordination of Women Priests

Evensong in the presence of the Governor, Her Excellency Frances Adamson

6pm December 4th at St Peter's Cathedral

Preacher: Bishop

Denise Ferguson

The music will include the first performance of an anthem which has been specially commissioned for the occasion.

A commemorative publication including a short history and photographs will be launched by Bishop Keith Rayner.

A Digital Photographic Exhibition will be opened by the Governor and will remain on display in the Cathedral.

Tea, coffee and homemade biscuits will be available after the service.



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Christ the King

Today we see what Jesus' kingship is about, and it's quite the opposite of the sort of monarchy that we might see, say, in the Downton Abbey film: *Fulfilled is now what David told / in true prophetic song of old, / how God the nations' King should be; / for God is reigning from the Tree.* Jesus our King has given up his life so that we might win eternal life with him.

- Pray that Jesus may be king of your heart.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Episcopal Church in the Philippines.

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CYCLE OF PRAYER

Our World: Peace especially in Ukraine.



The Church:

The Church of the Province of the Indian Ocean *Primate* Abp James Richard Wong Yin Song.

Flinders Medical Centre & Repatriation Health Precinct: Hilary Reddrop (Alan), Peter Chapman.

Diocese of Willochra: Roxby Downs (Roxby Downs, Andamooka, Woomera): Glen McDonald (Beth).

Diocese of The Murray: Increase in vocations to ordained and licensed Ministry.

National: Riverina: Donald Kirk (Camryn).

St Bede's Mission and Ministry and Fr Gwilym.

Prayer Requests from ... for

Ros DeGaris

Anne Duncanson

Bev Hayes

Judy Nelson

Kenneth Pretty

Mandy Garfitt

Margo Holland

Myrine & Max Wilson

Terry & Joyce

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)

Faithful Departed: John Smith

Years Minds: William Coutts, Henry Kaiser, Doreen Christie (20/11), Else Grey-Smith (2020), James Stevenson, Vesey Allen, Jenny Harding (22/11), Millicent Jelly (23/11), Wendy Ashby, Joanna Simpson, Brian Anderson, John Timbs (24/11), Clarence Whaiter, Ruby O'Connor, Arthur Giles, Eric Butler (25/11), Betty Lowe (26/11).



COMMUNITY EVENT—Free Admission

**Christmas Fun for Kids
Neighbourhood Reserve
Bartley Terrace**

SUNDAY 4 DECEMBER

4.30—7.30 pm

Gates open @ 3.45 pm

Sausage sizzle ice cream soft drinks

**Family entertainment program
Children's bike raffle - proceeds to
Heart kids**



**Rotary
Club of West Lakes**

HYMNS:

Int: 231 At the name of Jesus.
Grad. 215 You servants of God.
Off 203 Fairest Lord Jesus
Com: 217 Love divine, all loves excelling
P/C 216 Rejoice, the Lord is King, Verses 1, 3, 4, 5

SENTENCE:

Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion! Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem! Lo, your king comes to you; triumphant and victorious is he, humble and riding on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey. Zechariah 9.9

COLLECT:

Eternal God,
you exalted Jesus Christ to rule over all things,
and have made us instruments of his kingdom:
by your Spirit empower us to love the unloved,
and to minister to all in need,
then at the last bring us to your eternal realm
where we may be welcomed into your everlasting joy
and may worship and adore you for ever;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

FIRST READING: Jeremiah 23:1-6

¹ Woe to the shepherds who destroy and scatter the sheep of my pasture! says the Lord . ² Therefore, thus says the Lord , the God of Israel, concerning the shepherds who shepherd my people: It is you who have scattered my flock, and have driven them away, and you have not attended to them. So I will attend to you for your evil doings, says the Lord . ³ Then I myself will gather the remnant of my flock out of all the lands where I have driven them, and I will bring them back to their fold, and they shall be fruitful and multiply. ⁴ I will raise up shepherds over them who will shepherd them, and they shall not fear any longer, or be dismayed, nor shall any be missing, says the Lord. ⁵ The days are surely coming, says the Lord , when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely, and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. ⁶ In his days Judah will be saved and Israel will live in safety. And this is the name by which he will be called: 'The Lord is our righteousness.'
For the word of the Lord: **Thanks be to God.**

SONG OF ZACHARIAH

Blessed are you, Lord, the God of Israel:
you have come to your people and set them free.

You have raised up for us a mighty Saviour:
born of the house of your servant David.

Through your holy prophets, you promised of old:
**to save us from our enemies, from the hands of
all who hate us,**

To show mercy to our forebears:
and to remember your holy covenant.

This was the oath you swore to our father Abraham:
to set us free from the hands of our enemies,
Free to worship you without fear:
holy and righteous before you, all the days of our life.

And you, child, shall be called the prophet of the Most High:
for you will go before the Lord to prepare the way,

To give God's people knowledge of salvation:
by the forgiveness of their sins.

In the tender compassion of our God:
the dawn from on high shall break upon us,

To shine on those who dwell in darkness
and the shadow of death:
and to guide our feet into the way of peace.

SECOND READING: Colossians 1.11-20

¹¹ May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully ¹² giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. ¹³ He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, ¹⁴ in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins. ¹⁵ He is the image of the invisible God, the

firstborn of all creation; ¹⁶ for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers—all things have been created through him and for him. ¹⁷ He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. ¹⁸ He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. ¹⁹ For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, ²⁰ and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross.

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

THE GOSPEL: Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke, chapter 23, beginning at the 33rd verse.

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

³³ When they came to the place that is called The Skull, they crucified Jesus there with the criminals, one on his right and one on his left. ³⁴ Then Jesus said, 'Father, forgive them; for they do not know what they are doing.' And they cast lots to divide his clothing. ³⁵ And the people stood by, watching; but the leaders scoffed at him, saying, 'He saved others; let him save himself if he is the Messiah of God, his chosen one!' ³⁶ The soldiers also mocked him, coming up and offering him sour wine, ³⁷ and saying, 'If you are the King of the Jews, save yourself!' ³⁸ There was also an inscription over him, 'This is the King of the Jews.' ³⁹ One of the criminals who were hanged there kept deriding him and saying, 'Are you not the Messiah? Save yourself and us!' ⁴⁰ But the other rebuked him, saying, 'Do you not fear God, since you are under the same sentence of condemnation?' ⁴¹ And we indeed have been condemned justly, for we are getting what we deserve for our deeds, but this man has done nothing wrong.' ⁴² Then he said, 'Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.' ⁴³ He replied, 'Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise.'

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