

8th June, 2025 Pentecost Sunday

Pentecost – the Gift of the Holy Spirit

John Herd PP



A number of children in our parish are preparing for Confirmation. Normally it is the Archbishop who would administer the sacrament but this year I will be the minister. In our preparation we have been talking about the gifts of the Holy Spirit. A gift is something special; someone has gone out of their way to prepare the gift and have given it with love. So, if we receive a gift it's important not to throw it away; and bad manners to leave it unwrapped in a cupboard; some gifts are meant to be used all through life.

We speak of the seven gifts of the Holy Spirit. Wisdom: to know what is truly important; Understanding: to know why something is important; Counsel or Right Judgement: to judge between right and wrong and choose what is right; Fortitude: to persist in doing the right thing with courage, even if it's hard; Knowledge: to know God and God's plan for salvation; Piety or Reverence: to know that the God who created the universe deserves love and praise; Awe and wonder or Fear of the Lord: having the right perspective of God's power and love and to be amazed at the greatness of God.

I wonder when was the last time we consciously used those gifts? I mean, when did we ask the Holy Spirit to show us what it truly important, or why it is important, or to help me judge what is right or wrong and do the right, etc? I have consciously tried it recently and have felt empowered and clearer in my thinking. The Holy Spirit is given to us in Baptism but like a seed; at Confirmation the gift of the Holy Spirit is given more deliberately. In Acts 1:4 Jesus says to the disciples to wait in Jerusalem for the promise of the Father, that is, the Gift of the Holy Spirit.

St Cyril of Jerusalem (AD 350) explains the symbolism of the Holy Spirit described as water: "the water that I will give will become in them a spring of water gushing up to eternal life" (Jn 4:14). Cyril says Christ calls the grace of the Spirit water because all living things depend on water: plants, animals. Water comes down as rain and although it is always the same, it produces different effects, one in a palm tree, one in a vine etc. It adapts itself to the needs of every creature that receives it. Like a dry tree which bears shoots and leaves when watered, so the soul bears fruits of holiness when repentance has made it worthy of receiving the Holy Spirit. The Spirit comes gently, like a fragrance, not as a burden for he is very light. The Spirit comes with the tenderness of a friend and protector to save, to heal, to teach, to counsel, to strengthen, to console. The Spirit enlightens the mind.

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle within them the fire of your love!

Please remember in your prayers **RECENTLY DECEASED:** Moyra Lynch, Betty Canny (nee Wilton), Julie Quigley, Helen Cowell. MEMORIALS: Vincent Medley, Ieuan Jones, Albert Ang, Bijok Family, Tony & Kathleen Franulovich-Glumac, Ronald Samson, Eileen Kingdom, Anne Flint. (Names listed for 1 month) SICK: Odette Prod'homme, Nancy Garreffa, Thomas Landsingham, Josie Frost, Jasmin De Guzman, Pat Haren, Judy Newport, Helen McDonald, Gwen Branson, Margaret Arthur, Lorna Bautista, Jacky Buenaventura, David G, Marie Emery, Lynne Braithwaite-Noble, Val Baldwin, Stefan Fischer, Lucy Quix, Virginia Esteban, Nicky Brockman, Diane Higgins, John Bijok, Angela Tsaliki, Anne Harkin, Francois Miller, Anton Sylvester, (Please advise if names of sick should be taken off list)

Planned Giving Envelopes

Thank you for your generous support of Planned Giving. Please pick up your new envelopes in the foyer. The new envelopes begin 15th June. Please contact Andrea with any concerns Tuesday & Wednesday 8294 1888.

Sevenhill Jubilee Pilgrimage

Young people aged 18 to 35 are invited to join Catholic Office for Youth & Young Adults (COYYA) on a pilgrimage to Sevenhill on Saturday June 28 for the Jubilee Year. \$20 per person, including bus travel and lunch. Bookings are essential. Scan the QR Code or visit our website - www.cathyouthadelaide.org.au/upcoming-events for more information. Bookings close on Monday June 23.

Baptism Congratulations

We welcome into our community Phuong Hong Teresa Tran and Viet Ba Francis Nguyen who will receive the sacraments of Baptism.

receive the sacraments of Baptism,
Confirmation and Eucharist this
Saturday at OLOV church. And will
give to each other the sacrament of Holy
Matrimony. Congratulations!

Adelaide Fire Weekend Sat 12th July 9am-9pm & Sun 13th July 9am-2pm

Deepen life in the Holy Spirit and gather with a vibrant Catholic community.

Anchored in Christ

For ALL men aged 18 and above a day of inspiring talks, worship, and community building. Saturday 14 June 2025 8am - 7.30pm Cardijin College, Marian Campus

Wedding

Congratulations and prayerful good wishes for Sophia & Mac who are to marry in OLV this Sunday!!

Some parishioners are planning to drive

to Sevenhill on Saturday 28 June as part of the Year of Jubilee Pilgrimage. Sevenhill is one of the official sites to visit in this Jubilee Year of Hope.

Please let the office know if you are planning to drive.

Mass will be celebrated at 12.30pm and Reconciliation from 11am.

Blankets

Does anyone have a spare blanket? Some newly arrived parishioners have asked if we can help. If you have a spare one, please leave at the Parish House for me. Thanks, Fr JH

Murphy House

Parish Finance Committee and Parish Pastoral Council, and myself, made the decision to demolish Murphy House. It is a house built in 1903 and purchased by the parish in the 1970s. Last year there was an arson attack which caused extensive damage. It was distressing for many people including our local Vinnies who stored goods there, and the ladies sewing group. But the parish does not consider it worthwhile to spend a lot of money on restoration. The Holdfast Bay Council advised us that it is not heritage listed and the parish does not need the Council's permission to demolish. It is a safety risk and we continue to pay for fencing. Following a motion at Council, Mayor Amanda Wilson wrote to the Archdiocese enquiring about plans for the site. Dr Carlo D'Ortenzio, Diocesan Financial Administrator, replied that the Glenelg parish has a proud history of caring for heritage properties, such as Our Lady of Victories Church, the former Dominican Convent, St Mary's Hall etc. The parish has spent a lot of money on restoration and will need to re-roof OLV Church in the near future. It is simply the case that the parish cannot afford to undertake costly repairs to Murphy House. It is intended that the site be a temporary carpark until we gain a clearer picture of our needs. The parish is currently working with St Mary's School to develop a Masterplan for the whole property. If there is a need in the future for a new parish building it would be preferable to build a modern facility tailored to our needs. I welcome your feedback. Fr John Herd PP

The Letter: Film St Mary's Hall

A film about Pope Francis's letter on the environment, *LaudatoSi*, in St Mary's Hall on Friday 13 June at 7.30pm. "The Letter" is the story of dialogue about care for our planet. No charge. All welcome

Liturgy Roster 15th June 2025				
	6.00pm OLOV	10.30am OLOV	5.00pm OLOV	9am OLOG
Sacristan	J. Coonan	T. Felici	T. Burghardt	Clare & Chris Arbon
Special Minister	J. Wainwright	C. Youil	J. Lee	C. Fosdike
Commentator Readers	C. Fairweather M. Boylan K. O'Brien	K. Thorneycroft P. Youil L. Thorneycroft	C. Peterson M. Starrs D. Hone	J. Crossley P. Murdock A. Kay
Power Point	J. Coonan	T. Felici	L. Peterson	-
Children's Liturgy	-	Melissa & Maureen	Mary & Margaret	Anne R. & Meg
OLOV Linen: A. Hurley	Counters: J. Holland		Altar Servers: Tom R. & Tom C.	
OLOV Altar Society:	Lawns: B.N.		OLOG Flowers: Chris Adams & Dee Dunne	
If you are unable to fill your place on the roster for Masses, please organize a replacement.				

The Liturgy—Year C The Pentecost Sunday

The disciples are still experiencing the after-effects of the Resurrection of the Lord; they are still learning the significance of his death, his rising to new life, and his appearances to them. What happened to them is still happening to us: Pentecost was a one-off event... and is still happening in us and amongst us.

1st Reading: Acts 2: 1-11
They were all filled with the Holy

Spirit, and began to speak different languages.

Psalm:

The Lord send out your Spirit and renew the face of the earth.

2nd Reading: Romans 8:8-17

Everyone moved by the Spirit is a son of God.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia! Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love. Alleluia!

Gospel: John 14:15-16, 23-26

The Holy Spirit will teach you everything.

Memorial Acclamation:

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again.

Pope's Intentions for June 2025

That the world might grow in compassion.

Let us pray that each one of us might find consolation in a personal relationship with Jesus, and from his Heart, learn to have compassion on the world

PARISH CHURCHES

Our Lady of Victories
13/15 High Street, Glenelg
Our Lady of Grace

36 Beadnall Terrace, Glengowrie

Sunday Masses, Glenelg

Sat. Vigil: 6.00pm. Sunday: 10.30am, 5pm

Sunday Mass, Glengowrie 9am

Weekday Services, Glenelg

Mass: Tues. 9.30 am. Wed. Thurs. & Fri. 12noon

(Adoration on Thurs. at 11.30am)

Saturday Reconciliation: 11am

Parish Priest: Fr John Herd
Pastoral Council Chair: Darren Hone
Finance Committee Chair: Kevin O'Brien

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Email: glenelgcp@bigpond.com
Website: www.glenelgcp.com
ST MARYS HALL

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COLUMBARIUM ENQUIRIES

Anne Kay. Ph. 0438 479 845 Child Safe Contact Person

Mary Royle 8294 1888

PARISH SCHOOLS

St Mary's Memorial School

Principal:- Sonja Smith Office:-8294 4580

Our Lady of Grace School Principal:- Josette Charles

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Feast Days

Sun 08 Jun - Pentecost Sunday Mon 09 Jun - Mary, Mother of the Church

Wed 11 Jun - St Barnabas, Apostle Fri 13 Jun - St Anthony of Padua

Parish Calendar

13 June - Film evening *The Letter* 28 June - Pilgrimage Sevenhill 27 July - Male Metropolitan Choir

OLV, 2pm



CATHOLIC ARCHDIOCESE OF ADELAIDE

WEEKLY E-NEWS

Information for parish and community weekly newsletters



Important information for parish teams:

Parish Synodal Checklist

As part of the <u>implementation phase</u> of the Global Synod for a Synodal Church, the Archdiocesan Pastoral Services Team has published a *Parish Synodal Checklist* based on the actions listed in the Final Document of the Synod for a Synodal Church. The checklist is not an audit, but a self-evaluation tool for parishes and communities. Parish leaders, councils and parishioners may find the checklist helpful as a way to explore the Synod's Final Document as well as to enhance the synodal culture of the community. The *Parish Synodal Checklist* is downloadable from https://adelaide.catholic.org.au/our-works-and-community/pastoral-services/publications. If you have questions or would like assistance with using the checklist, or if you want to provide feedback about the checklist, please contact Peter Bierer, Asst. Director of Pastoral Life and Mission, pbierer@adelaide.catholic.org.au

Archbishop O'Regan's Pastoral Letter on the Occasion of the Convocation of the 2026 Archdiocesan Synod

"As the Father Sent Me, So I Am Sending You"

A new pastoral letter from the Archbishop is available for distribution from Pentecost Sunday June 8 onward. The letter is available in PDF format in English, Italian, Spanish, Korean and Vietnamese (additional translations may be uploaded later). https://adelaide.catholic.org.au/our-people/archbishop-patrick-o-regan-dd/messages

Parishes, Schools and Communities are asked to share the message widely, leadership teams, councils, and boards are encouraged to read and reflect on the letter together. You may wish to share the attached QR Code in your bulletin or newsletter, on a flyer or poster, or PowerPoint slide. If you require any assistance with sharing the message, please contact Dale Oria in the Pastoral Services team at doradeadelaide.catholic.org.au.



Children's Sacrament Preparation Program Survey

For Sacraments of First Holy Communion and Confirmation

The Archdiocese is currently reviewing the Children's Sacrament Preparation Program. Those who lead or coordinate parish and school sacramental preparation for school-aged children are invited to fill out this brief online survey https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/sacramentprep.

If you have any questions or would like to speak to the lead reviewer, please contact Tess Harford in the Diocesan Centre at thermology.com/harford@adelaide.catholic.org.au

CDF - Commonwealth banking update

As previously communicated, the Archdiocese has established banking services with the Commonwealth Bank (CBA). All parishes have been provided with details of these banking arrangements and most parishes are doing their banking at a CBA branch, or an Australia Post office branch using CBA deposit books.

Recently, we have had some instances where the correct agent number is not being used for deposits at CBA branches. This causes delays/problems in having deposits directly and correctly credited to a parish's CDF account. For more information please click here to read the CDF memorandum regarding this matter.

Diocesan Synod formation session: What is a Diocesan Synod?

Tuesday June 24, 7pm, online gathering - Open to All

The Archdiocese of Adelaide is preparing for a <u>Synod in 2026</u>. We invite anyone who wants to learn more about the Synod in an online formation session each month with other people from across the Archdiocese. Each session will explore a different aspect or theme of the Synod. More information is available on the Synod website at <u>togetherontheway.au</u>

The June session will include details about the Diocesan Synod, what makes a Synod different from a Diocesan Assembly, foundations in synodality, and synod membership with presentations by Fr James McEvoy, Sarah Moffatt and Peter Bierer. Register at https://www.trybooking.com/DBUKH or contact Peter Bierer for more information pbierer@adelaide.catholic.org.au

World Refugee Day - Finding Freedom: Diversity in Community

Each year on June 20, the world celebrates World Refugee Day. This day is designated by the United Nations to honour refugees who have been forced to flee their homes and to promote solidarity with them for a 'world where refugees are welcomed'.

Please find resources on the Australian Catholic Migrant and Refugee Office website at: <u>World Refugee Day</u> (WRD) (prayers of the faithful, homily reflection notes, bulletin notices, school liturgies and PowerPoints).

Bible Lands Study Tour, January 2026

Fr Michael Trainor will lead a unique biblical study tour, from December 29, 2025, to January 21, 2026. This tour will deepen your understanding of the Bible. In Egypt you will appreciate the story of Moses and the Exodus event, key to Christian and Jewish faith. Visits to the pyramids, Valley of the Kings and Karnak and Luxor temples will expose participants to the Egyptian understanding of death and the afterlife which influenced the Old Testament authors. In Cyprus, reconnect to Luke's story of Paul in the Acts of the Apostles and a visit to the tomb of Barnabas will highlight the role which he played with Paul in spreading the Gospel to this part of the world. Finally, in Turkey reconnect to Paul and his letters and appreciate the theological contribution of the Cappadocian Fathers – Basil the Great (330-379), Gregory of Nyssa (335-395) and Gregory of Nazianzus (329-390) – to Christian theology. Places are limited. If you are interested in more details, please email Cris as soon as possible on: blstadelaide@gmail.com

Anchored in Christ

The YMG Men's Conference 2025, themed 'Anchored in Christ', is set to inspire men aged 18 and above with a day of spiritual growth and fellowship. The conference will be held on Saturday June 14 from 8am to 7.30pm at Cardijn College, Marian Campus, Noarlunga Downs. For more details and registration click here.

Job Vacancies

Coordinator - Mary MacKillop Penola Centre

The Mary MacKillop Penola Centre is seeking a coordinator to oversee the daily operations of this significant heritage and pilgrimage site. This unique role involves working with volunteers to ensure a welcoming visitor experience and the smooth delivery of all centre activities.

Strong leadership, organisational, and communication skills are essential, along with experience in business services. A commitment to the Catholic ethos and the values of Mary MacKillop is vital. This is a meaningful opportunity to help preserve and share her inspiring legacy.

For more information for this exciting position and how to apply please <u>click here.</u>

Parish Secretary - Clearview-Kilburn Catholic Parish

The Clearview-Kilburn Parish is seeking a highly motivated and enthusiastic Parish Secretary to join the Parish Team. This exciting position is ideal for someone who enjoys providing a warm, welcoming and helpful presence to visitors, parishioners and volunteers who contact or visit the Parish Office for assistance. This is a permanent, part-time position, working 24 hours per weeks across Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. We are looking for someone with a strong administrative background, excellent interpersonal and communication skills, and a genuine commitment to the Catholic Ethos. This position is an integral to the Parish Team and involves a diverse range of responsibilities supporting the day-to-day operations of the parish. For more information for this position and how to apply please click here.

Bulletin notices (Click here for related flyers or attachments)

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Life FM: Greece Trip: In the Footsteps of Paul the Apostle

An exciting once-in-a-lifetime trip happening in October this year. Spots are filling but there is still space available and we'd love to fully book the tour. If you were not able to attend the information night on May 27 but are interested in learning more, please phone Jacquie from Collette on 0431 215 900 for more details.

Visit of relic of Blessed Carlo Acutis

From June 20-22 a first-class relic of Blessed Carlo Acutis will be present at St Augustine's, 23 Commercial Road, Salisbury, in the Family Centre. Blessed Carlo can be considered the first millennial saint and will be canonised at a later date, by our new Pope Leo XIV. There will be Mass at 9.30am on Friday June 20, followed by adoration, confession on request. The relic and exhibition will be on display in the Family Centre until 5.30pm each day. Mass will also be celebrated at 9.30am on Saturday June 21, followed by adoration, confession on request; Sunday June 22, 9am Mass, will be followed by the opportunity to view the exhibition and venerate the relic until 5.30pm.

This is part of a Vatican International Exhibition of Eucharistic Miracles which Blessed Carlo put together between the ages of 11 and 15. For planning purposes, if groups or individuals are intending to visit, please contact the Salisbury parish P: 8258 2314, E: enquire@salcath.org.au

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Bus from Adelaide. Pilgrimage walk from Watervale to Sevenhill (9.5km). Mass with

Archbishop Patrick O'Regan. Group lunch and of course some wine tasting! Reconciliation available. Schedule:

7am - Depart Adelaide (Thebarton), travel via bus to Watervale

9am – Pilgrimage walk (9.5km) to Sevenhill (St Aloysius Church)

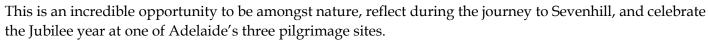
11.30am - Reconciliation and personal reflection time at Sevenhill

12.30pm - Mass with Archbishop Patrick O'Regan

1.30pm - Lunch

3pm - Depart Sevenhill, travel via bus to Adelaide (Thebarton)

5pm - Arrive back in Thebarton



Scan the QR Code or visit our website - www.cathyouthadelaide.org.au/liftupsevenhill2025 for more information.

Register by June 23.



Men Today and Spiritual Growth: a transformative men's retreat

Chris McPhee MSC leads this two day 'daily' retreat, open to men who seek a transformative spiritual experience. It's designed for those ready to embrace struggles as opportunities, build deep connections, and move beyond societal pressures. Whether you're new to spiritual retreats or have attended similar events before, this retreat welcomes all men looking to deepen their faith and personal growth. To be held Saturday June 14 and Sunday June 15, 9.30am to 4pm each day, in Bethany at the Mary MacKillop Spirituality Centre, 4 High Street, Kensington. For further information https://www.marymackillopadelaide.org.au/event/men- today-spiritual-growth-a-transformative-mens-retreat/

St Vincent de Paul Society Payneham Conference - Movie Fundraiser

Join the St Vincent de Paul Society Payneham Conference for a movie fundraiser featuring *Penguin Lessons*, starring Steve Coogan. Set in 1976 Argentina, the film tells the heartwarming story of a British teacher who rescues an orphaned penguin. The event will take place on Sunday July 6 at The Regal Theatre, Kensington Park, doors open at 3pm; movie starting at 4pm. Purchase tickets online at https://www.trybooking.com/DAKQE or contact Grace 0402 181 694, John 0433 465 056 or Silvana 0417 872

513 for cash purchases.

Community Life and Worship Team workshops



Volunteer Recruitment and Retention

A free workshop presented by the Pastoral Services Team on Tuesday June 17 from 7-9pm in the Cathedral Hall. Suitable for PPC members, parish priests, parish staff, and program coordinators in parishes. A practical workshop that explores best practices for recruiting and retaining

volunteers within the life of the parish.

Join us online or in person, bookings essential. https://www.trybooking.com/DBQMM For enquiries contact Community Life & Worship on 8210 8130 or worship@adelaide.catholic.org.au

60th anniversary celebration Mass for Fr Peter Milburn

Fr Peter Milburn invites fellow priests, friends and people who knew him in the various parishes where he has worked over the years to a concelebrated Mass, with Archbishop Patrick O'Regan, to celebrate the 60th anniversary of his ordination. The Mass will be held at noon on Sunday July 6 at St John XXIII, Modbury

Parish Centre, 50 Reservoir Road, Hope Valley. It will be followed by a light lunch, provided by Fr Peter. No presents are requested; however your 'presence' will be very welcome!

For seating and catering purposes please RSVP to Sindi at Para Hills/Modbury Parish Office on 8264 7590 or at office@paramodcath.com.au by May 30.

Experience the Beauty of the Eastern Rite - A Special Pilgrimage for the Jubilee Year 2025

Have you ever wanted to attend an Eastern Rite Mass but felt unsure about the liturgy or unfamiliar with the traditions? Now is your chance! As part of the Jubilee Year 2025 – Pilgrims of Hope, you're invited to take part in a special Pilgrimage to the Eastern Rite Churches in the Archdiocese.

The Migrant Chaplain & Pastoral Workers Network has organised a unique opportunity for you to experience an Eastern Rite liturgy locally (Lebanese Maronite, Melkite, Syro Malabar, Syro Malankara, Ukrainian Rites), learn more about our Catholic faith (beyond the Latin Rite) - its deep spiritual heritage, and grow in unity as a Church.

Don't miss this inspiring pilgrimage – a journey of faith, discovery, and deeper connection within the Catholic Church.



Date: Various dates during our autumn season (please register your interest below to receive dates)

O Location: Eastern Rite Churches within the Archdiocese

❷ Register here: https://www.trybooking.com/DBHEC

For more details, contact the Justice, Healing and Inclusion Team at

☑ jhi@adelaide.catholic.org.au | ☎ (08) 8210 8140

Come and experience the beauty of the Eastern Rite – a pilgrimage of faith, hope, and unity!

Feast of St Anthony of Padua

The St Anthony of Padua Committee Payneham invites you to the 54th Festa of St Anthony of Padua at Our Lady Queen of Peace Church, 7 Marian Road, Payneham commencing with a Triduum from Wednesday June 11 to Friday June 13, with the day of the Festa on Sunday June 15.

We wish to welcome back Fr Bortolino Maistrelo OFM Conv from Italy who, together with our parish priest Fr Michael Romeo, will lead us during the Triduum and the Festa day Masses.

Mass times: Wednesday to Friday 10am (Italian & English) and 7pm (English); Saturday 10am (Italian & English) and Sunday Mass 8am (English), 9.15am (English), 11am (Italian), 2pm (English – Indian Community), 4pm (Tagalog – Filipino Community).

Confession times: Wednesday to Friday 6pm-6.50pm and Saturday 5pm-5.50pm.

The Feast Day Masses for St Anthony will be celebrated at 10am and 7pm on Friday June 13.

St Anthony's bread will be distributed after all Masses on Sunday with a special blessing for children.

Throughout the afternoon and evening there will be food, beverages and local entertainment. You are warmly invited and welcome to attend especially those who have a devotion to St Anthony our Universal Saint. For further information or enquiries phone 8369 8082 or email office@paynehamcatholic.org.au

Adult catechesis

Do you want to know more about your faith? Do you wish you could better explain your faith to your children? The Hectorville parish is offering weekly catechesis for adults. It's not just a talk on an issue but a comprehensive teaching of all the essential and fundamental elements of the Church's faith. You'll have the opportunity to speak and ask questions that have been on your mind. Please contact the Hectorville parish office on 8336 9988 for more details. **Location:** Staff room, St Joseph's School, Hectorville; **Date:** Wednesdays of the school term; **Time:** 7-8pm.