

# Parish Bulletin

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2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B

16<sup>th</sup> / 17<sup>th</sup> January 2021

THEY SAW WHERE JESUS LIVED AND THEY STAYED WITH HIM

## Parish Priest

Fr Roy John Elavumkal SMM

## Office Staff

### Parish Secretary

Karen Taylor  
Tue – Fri

## WHS/ Finance Officer

Divya Paul  
Monday

## Police Checks Unit

Hiacinta Msomi  
Monday

## Sacristan

**Weekdays:** Michael Pierce  
**Sundays:** Terence Yeow, Clare Boyle, &  
Roger Worth

## Mass Times

Sunday 9.30 am  
Saturday Vigil Mass 6.30 pm  
Tuesday to Friday 9.15 am

## Confessions

Saturday 6.00 pm

## School Principal

Adrian Grbin  
Phone: 8431 2834

## St. Vincent de Paul

Ph: 8112 8700, 1300 729 202

## Knights of the Southern Cross

Michael Boyle  
Ph: 8337 3270

## Child Protection Officer

Anne Dudzinski  
Ph: 0418 847 804

## Parish Office Hours

Monday to Friday 9 – 12  
Ph: (08) 8431 6932

LOVE HEALS

## Entrance Antiphon Psalms 65:4

All the earth shall bow down before you, O God,  
and shall sing to you,  
shall sing your name, O Most High!

## First Reading 1 Samuel 3:3-10, 19

## Responsorial Psalm Psalms 39:2, 4, 7-10, R v 8,9,

**Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will.**

I waited, I waited for the Lord,  
and he stooped toward me; he heard my cry.  
He put a new song into my mouth,  
praise of our God.

You do not ask for sacrifice and offerings,  
but an open ear.  
You do not ask for holocaust and victim.  
Instead, here I am.

In the scroll of the book it stands written  
that I should do your will.  
My God, I delight in your law  
in the depth of my heart

Your justice I have proclaimed  
in the great assembly,  
My lips I have not sealed;  
you know it, O Lord.

## Second Reading 1 Corinthians 6:13-15, 17-20

## Gospel Acclamation John 1:41, 17

Alleluia, alleluia!  
We have found the Messiah:  
Jesus Christ, who brings us truth and grace.  
Alleluia!

## Gospel John 1:35-42

## Communion Antiphon Psalms 22:5

You have prepared a table before me,  
and how precious is the chalice that quenches my thirst.



**PLEASE NOTE** once you pick up a copy of the newsletter it needs to be taken home with you to ensure we adhere to COVID-19 protocols. Kindly DO NOT leave it behind on your way out once Mass has concluded.

## Information desk

**The Covid-19 plan:** Places of worship must be supervised by a COVID Marshal who must have a copy of their training certificate available when conducting COVID Marshal duties and be clearly identified as a COVID Marshal.

As of December 1, all public buildings have been provided a **QR Code**. This code is to be scanned using the MySAGov phone app or using the camera on your smart phone.

**Arrangements listed below will be in force until further notice:**

**Our Parish is Committed to Health and Safety.**

1. Please scan the **QR Code** located on the door or external wall of the church. If you do not have a smart phone, please write your name & phone number in the Register upon entry.
2. Use the sanitizing gel provided at the Church entrance.
3. Sit only in the designated numbered pews in the Church.
4. Except for families and household groups, people should be at least 2 meters apart.
5. Holy Communion is given only in the hand.
6. Ensure that there is the 1.5m distance between you and the person in front when processing for Holy Communion.
7. Please remember to wipe down the area where you have been sitting/kneeling in the pews and use the sanitizing gel provided on your way out.
8. Keep the social distancing requirement when leaving the Church after Mass.
9. Please don't go back to the entrance door. Entry and Exit rule must be followed for your safety.
10. If you are unwell please consider the health of our community and stay home until you are better.
11. Your cooperation with these requirements is greatly appreciated. Fr. Roy John Elavumkal SMM

### PARISH SACRAMENT PROGRAM 2021

If you have or know of any children of sacramental age who are ready to receive the sacraments, please contact Anne Dudzinski ([anne.dudzinski@bigpond.com](mailto:anne.dudzinski@bigpond.com)) so their names can be added to the list for this year's program

### Rosters for 23/24 January 2021 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time

Time	Commentator / Reader
6:30 pm	S. Mazzarolo Fil Ciancio, Giulia Giuliani
9:30am	S. Roach S. Mazzarolo, S. Hoogland

**Children's Liturgy:** Not resumed

**Count Team No: 2**

Frank Mazzarolo, Sandy Mazzarolo  
Terry Pickering, Christine Holmes

**Altar:** Anita Caperna & Dolores Arboit

*All those who volunteered please arrive at least 15 minutes before the start time and report to the commentator for that mass*

### Be Ready to do God's Will

In today's first reading, God called young Samuel in a special way. Samuel's life had been dedicated to God, and because he was willing to follow God's plan, God made Samuel a holy prophet.

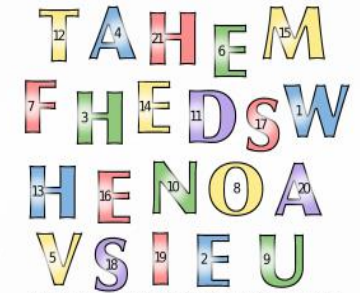
In the Gospel reading, Saint John the Baptist tells his followers that Jesus is the Messiah. Two of them decided to follow Jesus, and one of them, Andrew, went and got his brother Simon. When Simon went to follow Him, Jesus told him that his name would now be "Cephas," or "Peter," which means 'rock.' God had a special plan for Simon Peter. He was to become the leader of the Church- the first pope!

God does not call all of us to very important jobs like the prophet Samuel and Saint Peter. But each of us should follow Jesus and be ready to do His will. If we always try to do what God wants, then we will be ready if He does have a special job for us! How can you do God's will today?

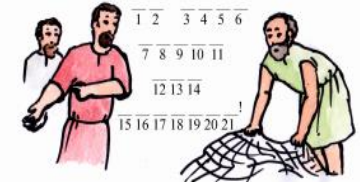


### The Kids' Bulletin

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time  
January 17th, 2021



What did Andrew say to his brother Simon in today's Gospel reading?  
Fill the spaces with the letters in the right order to find out!



### WALK FOR LIFE

Extreme abortion legislation allowing abortion up to birth is before the South Australian Parliament. Walk for Life will be held on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> February at Pennington Gardens (Opposite St Peter's Cathedral) walking to Parliament House from 10.00am – 12.00pm. For more information see below or contact [www.loveadelaide.org.au](http://www.loveadelaide.org.au)

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SATURDAY 6TH FEBRUARY 2021

Pennington Gardens  
Opposite St Peter's Cathedral  
Walking to Parliament House

10:00AM - 12:00PM

No megaphones, no signs. Posters for this event will be provided. Please obey the marshals & police on the walk. This walk will be peaceful.

Guidelines for the walk are available [loveadelaide.org.au/guidelines](http://loveadelaide.org.au/guidelines)

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### \$2 DONATION PARKING

Uni Lane carpark Pennington Tce, opposite St Peter's Cathedral  
PARKING IS 50-100M FROM PENNINGTON GARDENS

For bus parking contact [loveadelaide@loveadelaide.org.au](mailto:loveadelaide@loveadelaide.org.au)

Don't forget to bring a drink bottle; and remember to slip, slop and slap!

**PLEASE WEAR A WHITE SHIRT**

**IT'S TIME TO BE A VOICE FOR THE VOICELESS.**

PLEASE ADHERE TO CURRENT COVID-19 MEASURES



PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

**Anniversary:** Bill Browne

**Departed souls:** Family & Friends of our Parishioners

*Eternal rest grant to them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them; present them to God the Most High.*

<b>Sunday Collection</b>	<b>10/01/21</b>
<b>First Collection</b>	\$ 775.05
Online Giving/Cash	
<b>TOTAL 1<sup>st</sup> Collection</b>	<b>\$ 775.05</b>
<b>Second Collection</b>	
Envelopes	\$ 538.00
Electronic Giving	\$ 285.00
Open Plate	\$ 374.30
Donation	
<b>TOTAL 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection</b>	<b>\$1,197.30</b>
<b>Special Collection</b>	

### THE SOUTHERN CROSS

There is no January edition of *The Southern Cross*. The February edition will be sent to parishes for distribution on the weekend of 6/7 February.