

# Parish Bulletin

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4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B

30<sup>th</sup> / 31<sup>st</sup> January 2021

**THIS IS A NEW KIND OF TEACHING THAT SPEAKS  
WITH AUTHORITY.**

**Entrance Antiphon Psalms 105:47**

Save us, O Lord our God!  
And gather us from the nations,  
to give thanks to your holy name,  
and make it our glory to praise you.

**First Reading Deuteronomy 18:15-20**

**Responsorial Psalm Psalms 94:1-2, 6-9, R v 9**

**If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.**

Come, ring out our joy to the Lord;  
hail the rock who saves us.  
Let us come before him, giving thanks,  
with songs let us hail the Lord.

Come in, let us kneel & bend low;  
let us kneel before the God who made us  
for he is our God and we  
the people who belong to his pasture,  
the flock that is led by his hand.

O that today you would listen to his voice!  
'Harden not your hearts as at Meribah,  
as on that day at Massah in the desert  
when your fathers put me to the test;  
when they tried me, though they saw my work.'

**Second Reading 1 Corinthians 7:32-35**

**Gospel Acclamation Matthew 4:16**

Alleluia, alleluia!  
A people in darkness have seen a great light:  
a radiant dawn shines on those lost in death.  
Alleluia!

**Gospel Mark 1:21-28**

**Communion Antiphon Psalms 30:17-18**

Let your face shine on your servant.  
Save me in your merciful love.  
O Lord, let me never be put to shame, for I call on you.

**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

## 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

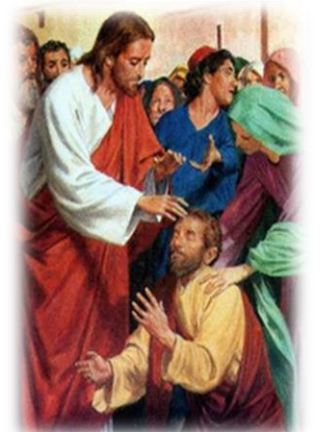
### Child Protection Officer

Anne Dudzinski  
Ph: 0418 847 804

### Parish Office Hours

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

**LOVE HEALS**



## 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

### URGENT: ABORTION BILL UPDATE

Extreme abortion legislation allowing abortion up to birth is before the South Australian Parliament. The 'Abortion to Birth Bill' will be debated in House of Assembly on Tuesday February 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2021, with a vote expected that week. It is URGENT that parishioners contact their local MP by telephone/letter, plus also Premier Marshall, expressing strong opposition to this horrendous Bill. Enq. Alan & Helen Tyson Ph 83644516 or 0412389875

Walk for Life will be held on Saturday February 6 at Pennington Gardens (Opposite St Peter's Cathedral) walking to Parliament House from 10am – 12noon. For more information visit [www.loveadelaide.org.au](http://www.loveadelaide.org.au)

## The Kids' Bulletin Baby Jesus is Presented in the Temple

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
January 31st, 2021



What did the unclean spirit in the man do when Jesus commanded?

Colour in only the spaces that have crosses to find out what it did.

On February second we celebrate the feast of the Presentation of Jesus in the Temple. That is the day that Saint Joseph and Our Lady took the baby Jesus to the Temple in Jerusalem to consecrate Him to God. The Jews were supposed to dedicate their first-born sons to God, so Mary and Joseph were obedient to the law even though their Baby was God Himself!

This was a most amazing moment, even though almost nobody noticed it: here was the great Temple where the people came to worship God, and now God had actually come into it - as a little Baby! But only Mary and Joseph and the prophets Simeon and Anna knew what had happened.

Saint Paul tells us that our bodies are temples of the Holy Spirit. Every time you receive Holy Communion, it's like baby Jesus entering the Temple. When you go to Communion, remember that you know that amazing secret - that even though the rest of the world might not know, you have just received Jesus! What a special moment!

ADDITIONALY: The feast of the Presentation of Jesus in the Temple is celebrated on January 31st.



[www.thekidsbulletin.com](http://www.thekidsbulletin.com)

### Archbishop Emeritus Philip Wilson's Private Prayer Sessions

(Open To All)



There will be an opportunity to pray in the presence of the coffin of Archbishop Emeritus Philip Wilson from 2pm – 6:30pm on Tuesday, February 2 in St Francis Xavier's Cathedral.

All are welcome to attend a session for a time of personal prayer.

All sessions must be booked in advance and will last for 20 minutes. There will be no onsite parking available.

Please visit [trybooking](https://www.trybooking.com/BOFRB) to book your session. <https://www.trybooking.com/BOFRB>

For more information please contact Archdiocesan Events on (08) 8210 8220 or [events@adelaide.catholic.org.au](mailto:events@adelaide.catholic.org.au)

The Funeral Mass on Wednesday February 3 at 11am will be live streamed via [www.adelaide.catholic.org.au](http://www.adelaide.catholic.org.au)

To leave a message of condolence, visit <http://siebert.com.au/notices/most-rev-philip-wilson/>.

### PARISH SACRAMENT PROGRAM 2021

If you have or know of any children of sacramental age who are ready to receive the sacraments, please contact me (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. We look forward to working with your child and you in this important part of their faith journey. Anne Dudzinski Parish REC



### A Recent Tweet from Pope Francis

The words of the Sacred Scripture were not written to remain imprisoned on papyrus, parchment or paper, but to be received by a person who prays, making them blossom in his or her heart.



### Rosters for 6/7 February 2021 5th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Time	Commentator / Reader
6:30 pm	Fil Ciancio Pauline Brooks, Giulia Giuliani.
9:30am	A Tyson J Matthew, A M Matthew
<b>Children's Liturgy:</b>	<b>Not resumed</b>
<b>Count Team No: 4</b>	Andrew Gaal, Gail Gaal Nick McCabe, Shane Foley

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



### PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

**Anniversary:**

**Departed Souls:** Michele Morgillo, Natha, and Michael

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

**Sick:**