

**The Anglican Parish of
Glen Osmond
The Church of St Saviour**

**23rd of November 2025
Christ the King**



**8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)
10.00am Sung Eucharist (APBA)**

Our Parish welcomes everyone

Vision Statement:

Sharing the love of Jesus Christ and the hope it brings to all
*St Saviour's resides on the lands of the Kaurna people whom we acknowledge
as the original custodians of the Adelaide Region*



Father Paul writes 23rd of November 2025

We come to the last Sunday of this liturgical year, and our year-long celebration of all the wonders that God has done for us, which culminates in the feast of Christ the King. In doing so, we profess and rejoice that Christ the King is King of the Universe, Lord of all Creation, and that he is the Lord of our lives, individually and communally. On this feast, we also rejoice that unlike the monarchies, dictatorships and governments that come and go from this world, Christ the King reigns forever. In celebrating Christ the King, we welcome the Rev'd Deborah Jeanes as our preacher today. Deb has been licensed as a Deacon in our Deanery and has agreed to assist us in our ministry here at St Saviour's, Glen Osmond.

Next Sunday we commence the new liturgical year with the Season of Advent, a season where we prepare for the celebration of the birth of Jesus Christ. As part of that preparation, we will this week begin a four-week Advent study on Wednesday nights at 7 pm titled "Caravan". This ABM study offers a number of incarnational stories set in an Australian landscape. The study will be held in St Stephen's Chapel but also on the internet software program called Zoom if you are unable to join us in person. Please use the link or the meeting ID and passcode found in the ad regarding the study in the pew sheet.

The World Community for Christian Meditation Australia Conference will be held at St Saviour's later this week. The committee will meet on Thursday and Friday and the conference itself on Friday night and Saturday. We are welcome to attend their sessions on Friday night and Saturday in the church and in the meeting room. I will officially welcome them all at 7 pm on Friday night.

Thank you to everyone who volunteered to be part of the Anglicare SA Hamper Driver this Christmas. All boxes and non-perishable food items need to be returned next Sunday or by the latest Tuesday week before the Christmas Friendship Lunch on December the 2nd. The boxes and food will be collected between Wednesday and Friday of next week. I invite you to join us for our Christmas Friendship Lunch, starting at midday in the meeting room with welcome drinks and then the meal itself at 12.30 pm. It is a great way to invite others to join in with a festive lunch for just 10 dollars. You can register on the sheet in the narthex or by contacting Sue Lewis on 0431 151 552. Please also join us for an ecumenical prayer breakfast on Saturday the 6th of December in the church meeting room between 7.30 am until 9 am. Breakfast will be provided.

Your friend and priest, Fr Paul

Hymns for today's Eucharist

Introit	216
Gradual	769 x 2
Offertory Hymn	378
Communion 1	628
Communion 2	545
Recessional	517

Sentence for the Day

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*

The Collect for the Day

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.

The Collect for 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.

A reading from the book of Jeremiah

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.'

NRSV Jeremiah 23.1-6

This is the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

A Song of Zechariah

Blessed be the Lord, the God of Israel:
who has come to his people and set them free.

**The Lord has raised up for us a mighty Saviour:
born of the house of his servant David.**

Through the holy prophets, God 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 his holy covenant.**

This was the oath God swore to our father Abraham:
to set us free from the hands of our enemies,

**Free to worship him without fear:
holy and righteous before him, 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 his way,

**To give his 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.**

APBA

A reading from the book the book of Colossians

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.

NRSV Colossians 1.11-20

This is the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, **Alleluia!**

Blessed is he who inherits the kingdom of David our father; blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Alleluia!

*The Lord be with you. **And also with you.***

*The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke Chapter 23
beginning at verse 33*

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.'

NRSV Luke 23.33-43

This is the Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.



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Anglican Church of Glen Osmond St. Saviours
Financial Report for the year up to September 2025
Month by Month Profit and Loss

Month	Profit
January	\$3,377.76
February	\$416.84
March	-\$1,237.72
April	-\$7,846.88
May	-\$11,041.93
June	\$17,397.62
July	-\$8,091.75
August	\$33,593.14
September	-\$5,720.54
Total September 2025	\$20,846.54

Note(s)

- **9 months** into the 2025 year, the Anglican Church of Glen Osmond St. Saviours is on profit - **\$20,846.54** as of 30th September 2025.
- **Note:** From the profit, the Church will be donating **\$5,000** to the following agencies – split three ways:
 1. ABM
 2. BCA
 3. Burnside Inter-Church Council
- **ATO** reimbursed the Church in August 2025 – this reimbursement was for **GST** holdings.
- **Hall Rent** full payment received in June 2025 – the tenant was significantly behind in payment. The hall lease was **not renewed** to the former tenant. Hall vacant since. Efforts are being made to find a new tenant.
- **Cash flow** has been tight, with the Church having to request money from its **Anglican Funds** term deposit amounting to **\$40,000**. The Church will look at its finances early next year to determine when the Anglican Funds Management money will be returned.

Treasurer: Hamish Kennedy

For our Daily Prayers
Please hold these in your heart in God's presence

- 23 CHRIST THE KING/THE REIGN OF CHRIST** **[World Wide]** The Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia *Primates* ++Justin Duckworth, ++Don Tamihere, ++Sione Uluilakepa **[Adelaide]** Retired Clergy **[Willochra]** Ministry District of Yorke Peninsula (Ardrossan, Maitland, Port Victoria, Point Pearce): *vacant*, David Amery (Coralie), Christine Smith, Ted Horne **[The Murray]** Op-shop volunteers and mission outreach programmes **[National]** Tasmania: +Richard Condie
- 24 *Ember Day* **[World Wide]** Riverina *The Anglican Church of Australia* +Donald Kirk **[Adelaide]** Clergy widows/widowers **[Willochra]** Ministry District of Yorke Peninsula (Minlaton, Mt Rat, Stansbury, Port Vincent): *vacant* **[The Murray]** Investigator College: *principal* John Robinson, *chaplain* Edwina Bruce **[National]** The Murray: +Keith Dalby; **Administrator**: Simon Waters
- 25 *James Noble, Ember Day* **[World Wide]** Rochester *The Church of England* +Jonathan Gibbs **[Adelaide]** Archdeaconry of The City of Adelaide and The Port: Sam Goodes **[Willochra]** Ministry District of Yorke Peninsula (Edithburgh, Yorketown, Warooka): *vacant* **[The Murray]** Woodcroft College: *head* Shannon Warren, *chaplain* Marty Fox **[National]** The Northern Territory: +Greg Anderson
- 26 *Ember Day* Rochester **[World Wide]** *The Episcopal Church* +Kara Wagner Sherer **[Adelaide]** Archdeaconry of Sturt: Andrea McDougall (David) **[Willochra]** Mission to Seafarers: Port Pirie *lay chaplain* Ian Pole, Port Lincoln ship visitors, Seafarers' Centre Wallaroo *chaplain* *vacant*, Pt Giles *lay chaplain* June Harrison, Thevenard *chaplain* David Thompson and ships visitors **[The Murray]** ac.care **[National]** Wangaratta: +Clarence Bester
- 27 *Ember Day* **[World Wide]** Rockhampton *The Anglican Church of Australia* +Peter Grice **[Adelaide]** Archdeaconry of The Para: Jo Smith **[Willochra]** Anglicare-Willochra: Louise Lang, the Committee; Mission Agencies of our Church including ABM, BCA, CMS **[The Murray]** Diocesan Mothers' Union: *President* Jocelyn Williamson, *Chaplain* Daniel Irvine **[National]** Willochra: +Jeremy James
- 28 *Ember Day* **[World Wide]** Rokon *Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan* +Emmanuel Lomoro Eluzai **[Adelaide]** Archdeaconry of Torrens: David Covington-Groth **[Willochra]** Camp Willochra, Melrose: Camp Manager - Steve Wiles, Catering Manager - Samantha Donnellan **[The Murray]** Registrar: Richard Earley; Assistant Registrar: Christine Lubcke **[National]** Anglicare Australia: Kasy Chambers
- 29 *Ember Day* **[World Wide]** Rorya *The Anglican Church of Tanzania* +Moses Masala Yamo **[Adelaide]** Area Deanery of Adelaide: Stephen Bloor **[Willochra]** Retired clergy: David Amery, Brian Bascombe, Margie Fiegert, John Fowler, Ted Horne, Peter Smith, Arthur Tanner, Karla Tanti, Roy Todd, Flo Walters; Clergy widows/widowers **[The Murray]** Retired clergy and widows **[National]** Theological Colleges and Religious Communities
- Every Day:** Peace in the world; Administrator of Adelaide Sophie Relf-Christopher; Asst. *Bishops* Tim, and Chris; Our parish life, Fr Paul and Helen, our Wardens Judy and Sue, Mission and Outreach, for those who have been recently baptised in our Church.
- Those in Need:** (all suffering, in trouble, grieving, lonely or sick): Craig Adams; Fr John Devenport; Lesley Fenton; Peter Fisher; Malcolm Hawkins; Graeme & Nance Kaines; Heather Landers; Suzy McNulty; Kirsten Murray; Rosemary Polkinghorne; Barbara Powell; Brenda Roberts; Jacqui, Bob Shuttleworth



28 Nov	Elizabeth Shillabeer
29 Nov	Mary Saunders

Rest in Peace

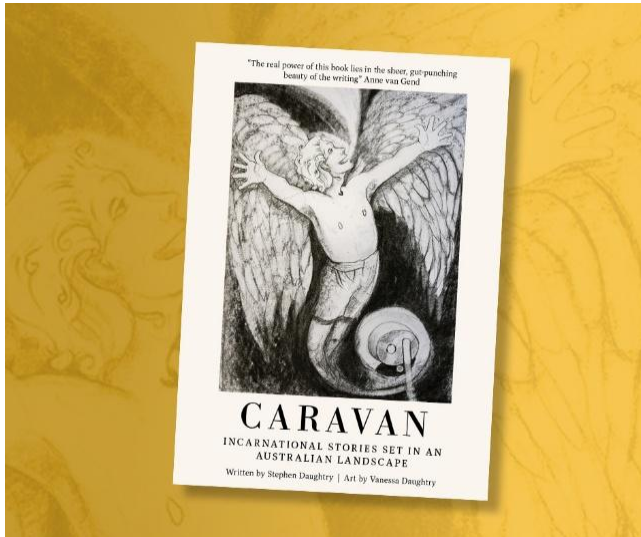
20 Nov	Basil Thomas Pointon
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Yearly Mind

Sun 23	
Mon 24	Charles Harry Moore
Tues 25	Gavin Walkley
Wed 26	Phyllis Elfreda Hoffmann
Thu 27	Kathleen May Foster; Gwenda Clara Angel
Fri 28	Dorothy Leather; Gilbert Playford Tuck

THE WEEK AHEAD

		Morning Prayer Readings
Mon 24	<i>Ember Day</i>	<i>Ps. 56; 57 2 Kings 23.4-15 Mark 1.29-39</i>
Tues 25	<i>James noble pioneer</i>	<i>Ps. 62; 63</i>
8.30am	Morning prayer	<i>2 Kings 23.16-30</i>
9.30am	Garden Group	<i>Mark 1.40-45</i>
Wed 26	<i>Ember Day</i>	<i>Ps. 65; 70</i>
10.00am	Holy Eucharist	<i>2 Kings 23.31-24.9 Mark 2.1-17</i>
Thu 27	<i>Ember Day</i>	<i>Ps. 68.1-20</i>
7.30am	Holy Eucharist	<i>2 Kings 24.10-25.7</i>
5.00pm	Choir Practice	<i>Mark 2.18-3.6</i>
Fri 28	<i>Ember Day</i>	<i>Ps. 71</i>
9.00am	Morning Prayer	<i>2 Kings 25.8-21 Mark 3.7-19a</i>
Sat 29		<i>Ps. 69.1-16 2 Kings 25.21-30 Mark 3.19b-35</i>



ABM Advent Bible Study – Caravan”

Written by Stephen Daughtry, it will be offered on **Wednesday** nights starting on **November the 26th**. The study over four weeks focuses on incarnational stories set in an Australian landscape. To be held in St Stephen’s Chapel but also to offered on zoom (click on link below)

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83889848241?pwd=sbOJZ4FcDOGCKL1BGd0wg6vUQVbaHO.1>

Meeting ID: 838 8984 8241 Passcode: 036875

Thank You

Thank you to everyone who was involved in the Garage Sale last Saturday, to the coordinators Beth Walton and Sue Lewis and those who set up for the day. Thank you to everyone who volunteered on the day and provided items for the bric-a-brac stall, the plant stall, the food stall and those who helped with the BBQ. Thank you to Beth Walton, Michael Gass and Mary Catford who assisted in taking unsold items to the Lions Club, Oxfam and op shops. About two thousand dollars was raised for the Parish. A great effort all round! Fr Paul

Prayer Breakfast

Burnside Interchurch Council, **SATURDAY 6th December**, 7.30 to 9.00 am, St. Saviour’s Anglican Church. Come and join in a light breakfast and loving fellowship. Then we pray for the work of the Council, its Schools Ministry, our local churches and the needs of our community and the world.





Blue Christmas Service

**Sunday 7 December
5:00pm**

The beauty of the Christmas season sometimes reminds us of the people we have lost or the losses we have suffered. At times, a space for quiet reflection is needed with grief, coping with transition, divorce, chronic illness or life's difficulties that make this time of year dimmer.

A Blue Christmas service is intended to create a sacred space for those experiencing more shadows than light this season while at the same time offering hope and healing. The birth of Jesus can still meet you wherever you are this Christmas.

**St Michael's Anglican Church
Cnr St Michaels & Church Rd, Mitcham**

The church is open 9:00am – 5:00pm Tuesday to Sunday, for you to find a place to relax and sit here as long as you like. A blue Christmas tree will be available to aid your reflections

*The Anglican Church of St Saviour's
Invites you to*

**The Anglican Parish of Glen Osmond,
the Church of St Saviour**



**Tuesday 2 December 2025
12.00pm – 3.00pm**



**in the Meeting Room
Simple lunch, good company
only \$10.00**

**Why not come and bring a friend?
Please put your name on the list in the Narthex**



You are welcome to join us to celebrate the

**Christmas
Story**
*through scripture
and carols*

**21st of December
at 7.00pm**

**St Saviour's
Anglican Church,
596 Portrush Road,
Glen Osmond**



READINGS AND ROSTER

Date	Sunday 23 November 2025		Sunday 30 November 2025	
Lectionary	Christ the King		First Sunday of Advent	
Duties	8.00am	10.00am	8.00am	10.00am
Preaching	Debra Jeanes	Debra Jeanes	Paul	Paul
Presiding	Paul	Paul	Devenport	Devenport
Lay Assist		Jenny		Wally
Welcome		Mary & Jenny F		Tom & Dave A
Intercessor		Elizabeth		Helen
Readings 1	Paul	Clive	Sophie	Faye W
Readings 2	Paul	Rob	Sophie	Tom
Morning Tea		Brenda & Swee		Swee & Jenny
Counting		Clive & Tom		?
Mary Mags	Anne S		Anne S	
Readings	Jeremiah 23.1-6 Song of Zechariah Colossians 1.11-20 Luke 23.33-43		Isaiah 2.1-5 Psalm 122 Romans 13.9-14 Matthew 24.36-44	

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