


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

3rd of May 2026

Fifth Sunday of Easter



Do not let your hearts be troubled.
You believe in God; believe also in me.

John 14:1

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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 – 5th May 2026



I welcome you on this fifth Sunday of Easter and where we today hear of Jesus speaking to his disciples at the Last Supper about Him being the way, the truth and the life. He also speaks about the close relationship between himself and His Heavenly Father, and of a place where all who believe will be welcomed.

Leading up to Pentecost, I encourage you to take part in the ecumenical worldwide prayer movement “Thy Kingdom Come”. It began in 2016 in England and is now available worldwide. It is where we pray during the 10 days between Ascension and Pentecost for a renewal of the church, to commit ourselves to help proclaim the good news of Jesus Christ, to pray for family and friends to become followers of Christ and to ask God to help us witness God’s grace and mercy to others. To help us along the way, there is a prayer journal and a Novena bible study available today and next week, to be used during the 10 days from May the 14th to May the 24th. This year’s theme is “God with us” through his spirit, who longs to reveal Himself to those who do not know Him. Our hope is that we pray for five people who will experience the life changing love of God and choose to follow Him. Please think of five people you would like to pray for.

The month of May has been set aside in the Diocese to celebrate and give thanks for our chaplains based in Anglican Schools, hospitals, Anglicare SA and across the community. They serve on the front lines of care and offer spiritual and pastoral support and provide assistance in challenging times. On Sunday the 17th of May, the chaplain at Lyell McEwin and Modbury Hospitals Judy Bowyer will be our guest preacher and will talk about her chaplaincy work. My congratulations also to Judy and Sr Cheryl Wiseman who have been granted lay licences at St Saviour’s. The licences will enable them to offer extended communion to those in need and be able to lead lay led services such as Morning and Evening Prayer.

The Anglican Church today is marking today as Domestic Violence Aware Sunday. It aims to highlight the issue of domestic and family violence and to support the church’s work of prevention and response. DV Sunday is a compassionate, faithful step toward ensuring that in our communities, harm is neither ignored nor excused, and those who suffer know they are seen and supported. St Peter’s Cathedral will tonight have a DV Aware Service at 6 pm, of which you are welcome to attend.

Your friend and priest, Paul

Hymns for today's Eucharist

Introit	367
Gradual	223
Offertory Hymn	607
Communion 1	512
Communion 2	466
Recessional	313

Sentence for the Day

'I am the way, and the truth, and the life,' says the Lord. 'No one comes to the Father except through me.'

John 14.6

The Collect for the Day

Everliving God,
whose Son Jesus Christ is the way, the truth, and the life:
give us grace to love one another,
to follow in the way of his commandments,
and to share his risen life;
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Collect for the Week

Saving God,
who called your Church to witness
that you were in Christ reconciling the world to yourself:
help us so to proclaim the good news of your love,
that all who hear it may be reconciled to you;
through him who died for us and rose again
and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. Amen.

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles

⁵⁵ But filled with the Holy Spirit, he gazed into heaven and saw the glory of God and Jesus standing at the right hand of God. ⁵⁶ ‘Look,’ he said, ‘I see the heavens opened and the Son of Man standing at the right hand of God!’ ⁵⁷ But they covered their ears, and with a loud shout all rushed together against him. ⁵⁸ Then they dragged him out of the city and began to stone him; and the witnesses laid their coats at the feet of a young man named Saul. ⁵⁹ While they were stoning Stephen, he prayed, ‘Lord Jesus, receive my spirit.’ ⁶⁰ Then he knelt down and cried out in a loud voice, ‘Lord, do not hold this sin against them.’ When he had said this, he died.

NRSV Acts 7.55-60

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

Psalm 31.1-5; 31.17-18

¹ To you, Lord, have I come for shelter:
let me never be put to shame.

² **O deliver me in your righteousness:
incline your ear to me and be swift to save me.**

³ Be for me a rock of refuge, a fortress to defend me:
for you are my high rock and my stronghold.

⁴ **Lead me and guide me for your name’s sake:
bring me out of the net that they have secretly laid for me,
for you are my strength.**

⁵ Into your hands I commit my spirit:
you will redeem me, O Lord God of truth.

¹⁷ **All my days are in your hand:
O deliver me from the power of my enemies
and from my persecutors.**

¹⁸ Make your face to shine upon your servant:
and save me for your mercy’s sake.

APBA

A reading from the first letter of Peter

¹¹ Beloved, I urge you as aliens and exiles to abstain from the desires of the flesh that wage war against the soul. ¹² Conduct yourselves honourably among the Gentiles, so that, though they malign you as evildoers, they may see your honourable deeds and glorify God when he comes to judge. ¹³ For the Lord's sake accept the authority of every human institution, whether of the emperor as supreme, ¹⁴ or of governors, as sent by him to punish those who do wrong and to praise those who do right. ¹⁵ For it is God's will that by doing right you should silence the ignorance of the foolish. ¹⁶ As servants of God, live as free people, yet do not use your freedom as a pretext for evil. ¹⁷ Honour everyone. Love the family of believers. Fear God. Honour the emperor. ¹⁸ Slaves, accept the authority of your masters with all deference, not only those who are kind and gentle but also those who are harsh. ¹⁹ For it is to your credit if, being aware of God, you endure pain while suffering unjustly. ²⁰ If you endure when you are beaten for doing wrong, where is the credit in that? But if you endure when you do right and suffer for it, you have God's approval. ²¹ For to this you have been called, because Christ also suffered for you, leaving you an example, so that you should follow in his steps. ²² 'He committed no sin, and no deceit was found in his mouth.' ²³ When he was abused, he did not return abuse; when he suffered, he did not threaten; but he entrusted himself to the one who judges justly. ²⁴ He himself bore our sins in his body on the cross, so that, free from sins, we might live for righteousness; by his wounds you have been healed. ²⁵ For you were going astray like sheep, but now you have returned to the shepherd and guardian of your souls.

NRSV 1 Peter 2.11-25

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

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, Alleluia!

I am the way, the truth, and the life, says the Lord:
no one comes to the Father, except through me.

Alleluia!

The Lord be with you. And also with you.

*The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John
chapter 14, beginning at verse 1*

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ.

¹ ‘Do not let your hearts be troubled. Believe in God, believe also in me. ² In my Father’s house there are many dwelling-places. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? ³ And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, so that where I am, there you may be also. ⁴ And you know the way to the place where I am going.’ ⁵ Thomas said to him, ‘Lord, we do not know where you are going. How can we know the way?’ ⁶ Jesus said to him, ‘I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. ⁷ If you know me, you will know my Father also. From now on you do know him and have seen him.’ ⁸ Philip said to him, ‘Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied.’ ⁹ Jesus said to him, ‘Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, “Show us the Father”?’ ¹⁰ Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. ¹¹ Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. ¹² Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. ¹³ I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. ¹⁴ If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it.

NRSV John 14.1-14

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



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

3 FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER [WW] The Church of North India (United) Moderator +Paritosh Canning
[A] Modbury and Golden Grove: Jo Smith, Samuel Yengi [W] Church Office staff: Ashley Roberts,
Sunny Chao; Administration support: Leanne Burford [TM] The Chancellor: vacant
[N] Armidale: +Rod Chiswell

4 [WW] Yambio *Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan* ++Samuel Peni [A] North Adelaide,
Christ Church: Stephen Bloor [W] Diocesan Mothers' Union: *President* Roz Rowett, *Secretary* Jane
Tanner, *Treasurers* Karren Billing, Lorraine Reece, *Chaplain* Jenny Thompson, members of the
committee [TM] Archdeacons: Fleurieu: Simon Waters Limestone Coast: *vacant*, Social Justice and
Strategy & Mission: Peter Sandeman, The Murray: David McDougall [N] Ballarat: +Garry Weatherill

5 [WW] Yangon *The Church of the Province of Myanmar (Burma)* ++Stephen Than Myint Oo
[A] North Adelaide, St Cyprian's: +Chris McLeod [W] Balaklava, Bungaree and Clare: *vacant*, Roy
Todd, Karla Tanti [TM] Director of Formation: Rodney Fopp [N] Bathurst: +Mark Calder

6 [WW] Yei *Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan* +Levi Marandulu Yepete [A] Norton
Summit: John Venus [W] Belvidere: Anne Ford, *Deacon* Elizabeth Harris; Riverton: Anne Ford, *Deacon*
Elizabeth Harris [TM] Kingston - Robe: Wayne Landford [N] Bendigo: +Matt Brain

7 [WW] Yeri *Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan* +John Abraham Nyari [A] Norwood:
Shane Ellery, Nathaneal Reuss [W] Burra: *vacant*, Anne Ford (supply) [TM] The Lower Limestone
Coast (Kalangadoo, Millicent, Penola): Wayne Landford [N] Brisbane: ++Jeremy Greaves

8 [WW] Julian of Norwich Yewa *The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)* +Michael Adebayo
Oluwarohunbi [A] Parafield Gardens: *vacant* [W] Ceduna: David Thompson [TM] Mannum - Mt
Pleasant - Mt Torrens: *locum tenens* Bruce Hicks [N] Bunbury: +Ian Coutts

9 [WW] Yirol *Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan* +David Roch Angong [A] Parkside: Ali
Wurm [W] Community of SS Barnabas and Cecilia in its Ministry of Encouragement: Rev'd Sister
Sandra, Sisters Sue, Riccarda, Bev, Pauline, Cheryl, Katherine, Susan, (*Chaplain*) Sue Burgess, the
Friends of the Community [TM] The Mount Barker District (Blakiston, Echunga, Macclesfield, Mount
Barker, Mylor): Daniel Irvine [N] Canberra and Goulburn: +Mark Short

Every Day: Peace in the world; Archbishop Brad Billings, *Asst. Bishops* Sophie, Tim, and Chris; Our
parish life, Fr Paul and Helen, our Priest's Warden Sue Lewis, 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; Lesley Fenton; Peter
Fisher; Malcolm Hawkins; Graeme & Nance Kaines; Heather Landers; Suzy McNulty; Kirsten Murray;
Brenda Roberts; Jacqui, Bob Shuttleworth, Jim Walton, Leigh Drummond, Sue Boe, Don Bolton, Peter
Brennan, Jenny Schahinger, Lyn Wright, Betty Hele, Jocelyn Bode, Helen Goulden-Sage, Norma Giles



8 May	Margie Pointon
9 May	Suranganie Wijesundara

Yearly Mind

Sun 3	Jean Edith Hooper; William Roberts Clifton
Mon 4	
Tues 5	Joanne Alldritt
Wed 6	Jean Marie Sullivan
Thu 7	Beverley Dawn Schubert; Trevor Wallis Martin
Fri 8	Robert Louis Whittington; Frederick Henry Klempau; Bp. David McCall;
Sat 9	Gordon James Aitchison

THE WEEK AHEAD

		Morning Prayer Readings
Mon 4		<i>Ps 11; 12 Numbers 13.1-3, 17-29 1 Corinthians 7.12-24</i>
Tues 5		<i>Ps. 15; 16</i>
9.30am	Garden Group	<i>Numbers 13.30-14.25</i>
12.30pm	Friendship Lunch	<i>1 Corinthians 7.25-35</i>
Wed 6		<i>Ps. 18.1-31</i>
10.00am	Holy Eucharist	<i>Numbers 14.26-45 1 Corinthians 7.25-35</i>
Thu 7		<i>Ps. 19</i>
7.30am	Holy Eucharist	<i>Numbers 16.1-19</i>
5.00pm	Choir Practice	<i>1 Corinthians 8</i>
Fri 8	<i>Julian of Norwich</i>	<i>Ps. 20; 21.1-7 Numbers 16.20-40 1 Corinthians 9.1-14</i>
Sat 9		<i>Ps. 22.1-122 Numbers 16.14-17.12 1 Corinthians 9.15-27</i>

St Saviour's Anglican Parish of Glen Osmond

Friendship Lunch

Bringing together the elderly, lonely
and socially isolated



Tuesday 5 May 2026

12.30pm – 2.00pm in the Meeting Room.

Only \$10.00

Why not come and bring a friend,
please add your name to the

list in the Narthex

If you would like to book, please
contact the Office on 8379 4114

E: saviours@adam.com.au





Expressions of interest – Administration Officer

Expressions of interest are being called for a permanent part-time position as an Administrative Officer, available from 1st July 2026, at St Saviour's Anglican Church, Glen Osmond.

Working two days per week, Wednesday and Friday – 9am -12noon.

Four weeks of training will be provided from 1st June 2026.

For further information and a Job Description of duties is available by emailing saviours@adam.com.au

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Quiz Night

TICKETS \$25

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CNR PORTRUSH RD & FISHER RD, TUSMORE

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25 Smart Road Modbury SA 5092

The Parish of Modbury and Golden Grove

SATURDAY 16th MAY 2026

9.30am-12.00pm



Learn how to care for God's Creation.

Share ideas of creatively caring for you own parish.

How is God leading you to care for God's created wonder and beauty.

- SPEAKERS; St Luke's Community Garden
- WALK THROUGH; St Luke's Community Garden
- WHAT'S HAPPENING; share what's happening in your parish



Striving to safeguard the integrity of creation and sustain and renew the life of the Earth (Fifth Mark of Mission)

READINGS AND ROSTER

Date	Sunday 3 May 2026		Sunday 10 May 2026	
Lectionary	Fifth Sunday of Easter		Sixth Sunday of Easter	
Duties	8.00am	10.00am	8.00am	10.00am
Preaching Presiding	Paul Devenport	Paul Devenport	Paul Devenport	Paul Devenport
Lay Assist		Morag		Sue
Welcome		Tom & Swee		Mary & Jenny F
Intercessor		Annabel F		Paul
Readings 1 Readings 2	Virginia Virginia	Annabel F Tammy	Betty Betty	Lesley H & Mary C
Morning Tea		Betty & Jenny		Lesley & Mary
Counting		Gill & Brenda		Andy & Faye
Mary Mags	Clive		Lesley	
Readings	Acts 7.55-60 Psalm 31.1-5, 17-18 1 Peter 2.11-25 John 14.1-14		Acts 17.22-31 Psalm 66.7-19 1 Peter 3.8-22 John 14.15-21	

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People's Warden 'Vacant'

Administration Bobbie Luks – Wed 8.30am -11.30am & Fri 8.30am -11.30am
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