

All Saints' Day

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How to follow our Communion Service in the green Prayer Book

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Page 120 - Lord have mercy

Page 121 - Glory to God in the highest (Gloria)

Page 123 - Nicene Creed (Affirming our faith)

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Page 128 - Thanksgiving Prayer 1 (with Preface for All Saints')

Page 141 - The Lord's Prayer

Page 144 - Final Prayer.

Save The Dates – please note these upcoming parish events

Saturday 16th November: Walkerville Christmas Fair

Sunday 1st December: St Andrew's Day

10.00 am Festal Eucharist

with Lunch to follow

Parish Prayer

God our Father, you have made us members of Christ and of his Church in this parish.

May our worship be the offering of our hearts and lives to you.

Help us to reach out in welcome to newcomers and visitors, to encourage and care for each other in friendship and fellowship, and to grow in grace and in love;

through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Today's Services

8.00am Holy Communion

9.30am Sung Eucharist

11.30 am Holy Baptism: Annabelle Rock

Preacher : Sally Sandford-Morgan
Celebrant The Rev'd Sam Goodes

A special welcome to all who are worshipping with us for the first time or visiting us today. We especially welcome those visiting us from other places.
Please join us for a cup of tea or coffee after the 9.30am service

Sentence of the Day:

Blessed are you when people hate and revile and defame you on account of the Son of Man. Rejoice in that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven. Luke 6.22-23

Prayer of the Day

We praise you, heavenly Father,
that you have knit together your chosen ones
in one communion and fellowship
in the body of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord:
give us grace so to follow your blessed saints
in all virtuous and godly living
that we may come to those inexpressible joys
you have prepared for those who truly love you;
through Jesus Christ our Saviour,
who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns,
one God, in glory everlasting. **Amen.**

Readings

1st Reading: Daniel 7.1-3, 15-18

OT p. 756

The Book of Daniel, although set in the days of the exile in Babylon (6th cent BCE), was written later, in Daniel's name, to give hope to people who were suffering persecution under Antiochus IV Epiphanes, a Hellenistic ruler who tried to eliminate Judaism. Our reading today is of a vision: earthly kingdoms will pass away to make way for the kingdom of God which will last forever. The "holy ones" mentioned in vs 18 is relevant to today's celebration about the saints of God who suffered to bring the faith of Christ to the world.

Psalm 149 (said together)

APBA p. 379

This psalm of praise calls the people to sing a 'new' song because of what the Lord has done. The saints of God are the ones who praise God for the salvation God has given.

2nd Reading: Ephesians 1.11-23

NT p. 178

This letter to the "saints" (Christians) in Ephesus is on the theme of our adoption as "children of God." The "seal" is our baptism whereby we are adopted as saints, holy ones, for God. By this seal we become part of the church, the body of Christ, with Christ as head of the body.

Gospel Reading: Luke 6.20-31

NT p.59

Jesus speaks the beatitudes and the woes, calling all who listen to love their enemies. Some are "blessed" by being included in the Kingdom of God. The woes are warnings or cautions. The saints of God are those who follow Jesus and live a "blessed" (though not always easy) life.

Music

Processional:

Glory to you, O God (*words p. 5*)

Gradual:

285 Blest are the pure in heart

Offertory:

Rejoice in God's saints (*words p. 5*)

Communion:

253 There is a Redeemer

Post Communion:

Thanks be to God (*words p. 6*)

Music Setting: Chris Chataway.

Organist: Ian Gray

Glory to you, O God (A&M 300)

1. Glory to you, O God,
for all your saints in light,
who nobly waged and won
the fierce and well-fought fight.
Their praises sing,
who life outpoured
by fire and sword
for Christ their King
2. Thanks be to you, O Lord,
for saints your Spirit stirred
in humble paths to live
your life and speak your word.
Unnumbered they
whose shining light
informs our sight
from day to day.
3. Lord God of truth and love,
'Your kingdom come', we pray;
give us your grace to know
your truth and walk your way.
Your will be done
here on this earth,
till saints in earth
and heaven are one.

Howard Charles Adie Gaunt (1902-83)

Rejoice in God's saints (A&M 308)

1. Rejoice in God's saints, today and all days!
a world without saints forgets how to praise.
Their faith in acquiring the habit of prayer,
their depth of adoring, Lord, help us to share.
2. Some march with events to turn them God's way;
some need to withdraw, the better to pray;
some carry the gospel through fire and through flood:
our world is their parish: their purpose is God.
3. Rejoice in those saints, unpraised and unknown,
who bear someone's cross, or shoulder their own;
they shame our complaining, our comforts, our cares:
what patience in caring, what courage, is theirs!

4. Rejoice in God's saints, today and all days!
a world without saints forgets how to praise.
In loving, in living, they prove it is true:
the way of self-giving, Lord, leads us to you.

Fred Pratt Green (1903-2000)

Thanks be to God for his saints (A&M 310)

1. Thanks be to God for his saints of each past generation,
one with us still in one body, one great congregation;
with them proclaim
Jesus for ever the same,
Author of life and salvation.
2. Thanks be to God for his blessings which daily surround us;
glory to Christ, the Redeemer who sought us and found us,
who from the grave
rose, the almighty to save,
breaking the fetters that bound us.
3. Thanks be to God for the years that are yet in his keeping,
trusting each day to the care of a Father unsleeping,
on to the end,
Christ our companion and friend,
joy at the last for our weeping.
4. Thanks be to God who has called us and daily defends us,
who with the Son and the Spirit unchanging befriends us;
now in that name,
Jesus for ever the same,
forth to his service he sends us.

Timothy Dudley Smith (b. 1926)

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For your Prayers this week

The Nations and People of the Earth:

For all persecuted Christians, that they may stand firm and remember in the face of danger, that they are much loved by our heavenly Father. Refugees and victims of persecution in the many African States affected by terrorism and insurgency.

The Church and its Mission:

The Church of Bermuda, Bp Nicholas Dill, his clergy and people.
The Archbishop of Adelaide, Geoff Smith, and Assistant Bishops Tim Harris, Chris McLeod and Denise Ferguson.

The Cathedral Church of St Peter: Frank Nelson, Jenny Wilson, Lynn Arnold and Wendy Morecroft.

Give thanks for all churches dedicated under the patronage of All Saints, remembering especially All Saints Cathedral, Bathurst.

Give thanks for the work and witness of the Church of the Province of Myanmar.

At St Andrew's we pray for:

Annabelle Rock, being baptised later this morning, her parents and godparents.

Members of the Bible Study, Home Fellowship, and Men's Breakfast Groups, meeting through the week.

We give thanks for God's love and forgiveness in our lives, and pray that we can reflect them to others.

Ourselves and our Community:

Indigenous public servants, vocational programs for indigenous people, and those who administer them.

Those elected to serve on local Councils especially here in Walkerville.

Special Prayer Request:

Meg Robertson, John O'Brien, Marianne Cannon, Judy Brancis, Mariela, Rhiannon Henry-Edwards, Daniela Goncalves, Grant Dalwood, Bishop David McCall.

The Departed

Thanksgiving for those who have gone before us in faith:

Richard Hooker, priest and teacher (d. 1600)

November 3

Saints, martyrs, missionaries and teachers

of the Anglican Communion

November 8

Notices

At St Andrew's

❖ **Altar flowers** today are given in loving memory of Rex Doepke, who passed away 18th October 5 years ago. Also Suzanne Assheton (Trott), Libby's Sister-in-law, who died this year 11th October.

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Synod Summary

The first session of the 44th Triennial Synod of the Anglican Diocese of Adelaide began with the Synod Eucharist on Friday 18th October. The Archbishop presided and preached. Following Morning Prayer on Saturday, the Archbishop delivered his Pastoral Address. In a wide-ranging speech, he thanked and farewelled Amanda Harfield, as Diocesan Registrar, and formally welcomed Bishops Denise Ferguson and Greg Thompson to positions within the Diocese. He reminded us of the importance of taking time with regard to Mission Action Plans, believing that the process is in some ways more important than the outcome. To rush the process may mean missing something deep and important.

The Archbishop reflected on the terrible cost of domestic violence in the community and reminded us that the church is a place not immune to this issue. There will be training offered in 2020 to assist parish communities in becoming more aware of it, and of ways to counter it. We were reminded, too, that unity has been an issue for the church over the years, and our current presenting topics, especially human sexuality, are very sensitive. Using Jesus' parable of the wheat and the weeds, he cautioned against rushing to judgment, one way or another, lest the good wheat be pulled out with the "bad" weeds.

The business of Synod was largely straightforward. Unlike previous years, there was little to consider in terms of legislation. There were some motions asking the Diocese to make comment on issues of social justice, acknowledge the Centenary of BCA, as well as a long motion around religious freedom. The motions which garnered the most debate and division were those around human sexuality. Although the Synod was in agreement on the motion which apologised to the LGBTIQ+ community for times when they have been made unwelcome in the church, the motion which called us to action was hotly contested. Ultimately, the motion asking leadership to explore a form of liturgical and pastoral recognition of LGBTIQ+ persons was not put to the vote. The other contentious motion claimed that there was a crisis of collegiality in the Diocese, as a result of disagreement over things which are essential to salvation. This motion was heavily amended and resulted in a statement which noted disagreement over some theological issues and sought a forum whereby such things could be safely discussed. This was passed with a strong majority.

The motion to consider selling Bishop's Court was surprisingly non-controversial. There was almost a sense of resignation that the time had come, and the cost of upkeep of such a property was no longer viable. Synod agreed, almost unanimously, to delegate to Diocesan Council the authority to "do all things necessary for the sale of Bishop's Court at a price appropriate to prevailing market conditions."

The forum during Synod on reconciliation introduced us to a new term – "Makarrata". This is a *Yolngu* word meaning "coming together after a crisis", and reflects better than reconciliation the outcome of ongoing work, prayer, and discussions in this space.

Diary Dates

Sunday 3 November	8.00 am	Holy Communion
All Saints	9.30 am	Sung Eucharist
	11.30 am	Baptism: Annabelle Rock (Church)
Monday 4 November	10.30 am	Bible Study (Office)
Tuesday 5 November	9.00 am	School Service 5-7 (Church)
Thursday 7 November	9.00 am	School Service 3-4 (Church)
	10.00 am	School Service R-2 (Church)
	7.30 pm	Home Fellowship (2/86 Lansdowne Tce)
Friday 8 November	10.00 am	Tai Chi (Parish Centre)
Saturday 9 November	8.30 am	Men's Breakfast (Parish Centre)
Sunday 10 November	8.00 am	Holy Communion
Pentecost 22	9.30 am	Sung Eucharist
	11.30 am	Baptism: Willow Morrell (Church)
Tuesday 12 November	9.00 am	School Service 5-7 (Church)
	2.00 pm	Prayer Chain (Parish Centre)
	7.00 pm	Girls' Night Out (Walkers Arms)
Wednesday 13 November	11.00 am	HC Allity Aged Care
	2.00 pm	Faith & Fellowship (6 Etrick Ave)
Thursday 14 November	9.00 am	School Service 3-4 (Church)
Friday 15 November	10.00 am	Tai Chi (Parish Centre)
Saturday 16 November	11.00 am	Walkerville Christmas Fair (Oval)
	1.00 pm	Private Booking (Parish Centre)
Sunday 10 November	8.00 am	Holy Communion
Pentecost 22	9.30 am	Sung Eucharist

MEDITATION

"When the best things are not possible,
the best may be made of those that are."

Richard Hooker



Rosters

Rosters for today (All Saints Day)

Preacher :		Sally Sandford-Morgan
Celebrant		The Rev'd Sam Goodes
Readers:	8.00 am	Philippa Lamphee
	9.30 am	Sally Zimmerman
Prayer Leader:	9.30 am	The Rev'd Helen Gibson-White
Servers:	9.30 am	Cameron & Melodie Dow
Lay Assistants:	8.00 am	Melodie Dow
	9.30 am	Biffy Ormsby, Wayne Butcher
Sidespersons:	8.00 am	Liz Owen
	9.30 am	Volunteers
Children's Time	9.30 am	Cerys Phillips & Nimali Navaratnam
Morning Tea	9.30 am	Betty Wilson, Sally Zimmerman

Rosters for next Sunday (Pentecost 22)

Preacher :		The Rev'd Sam Goodes
Celebrant:		The Rev'd Sam Goodes
Readers:	8.00 am	Sandy Facy
	9.30 am	Wayne Butcher
Prayer Leader:	9.30 am	Rhonda Gilmour
Server:	9.30 am	Michael Thomas
Lay Assistants:	8.00 am	Liz Owen
	9.30 am	Cameron & Melodie Dow
Sidespersons:	8.00 am	Jan de Wit, Sandy Facy
	9.30 am	Sally Zimmerman, Roy Ingram
Children's Time	9.30 am	Chris Thomas & Jenny Harris
Morning Tea	9.30 am	Val Ingram, Sally Sandford-Morgan

Readings for next Sunday (Pentecost 22)

1st Reading: Haggai 1.15b-2.9

Psalm: Psalm 145.1-5, 17-21

2nd Reading: 2 Thessalonians 2.1-5, 13-17

Gospel: Luke 20.27-40

OT p.801

APBA p.375

NT p.191

NT p.78



