

Second Sunday of Lent

8th March 2020



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**St Andrew's
Church
WALKERVILLE**

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Save The Dates - please note these upcoming parish events

Sunday 29th March - Annual Vestry Meeting 11.15 am

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

9.30 am Sung Eucharist

11.30 am Holy Baptism: Spencer Victoria Harding

Preacher & Celebrant:

The Ven. Sam Goodes

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

In the Church's calendar, we have entered the special season of Lent. Lent is the season of 40 days before Easter beginning on Ash Wednesday (Feb 26th). It arose out of preparing new Christians for baptism on Easter Day. It is a time of preparation and reflection, and calls every member of the Church to give some time to prayer, study of the Bible and greater generosity to those in need. The aim is to give our relationship with God some greater priority so we create an opportunity for spiritual growth. Our worship, therefore, is a little more sombre and reflective, in contrast to the joy and praise of Easter.

Sentence of the Day

God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life.

John 3.16

Prayer of the Day

God of mercy,
you are full of tenderness and compassion;
slow to anger, rich in mercy,
and always ready to forgive:
grant us grace to renounce all evil and to cling to Christ,
that in every way we may prove to be your loving children;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Readings

1st Reading: Genesis 12.1-4a

OT p.9

Today's passage is the beginning in Genesis of the story of Abraham and Sarah (or Abram and Sarai as they are known at the start). The context of this story is the childlessness of this couple in the face of God's promise of descendants. It begins with God's unconditional covenant with Abraham, and an instruction to go to the land that, in Exodus, becomes the Promised Land to which the Israelites are led. In the end, Abraham is not only blessed but becomes a blessing to others, which occurs because he responds to God with obedience and faith.

Psalm:

Ps 121

Psalms 120 to 134 are a group of psalms that are grouped together as pilgrimage psalms, probably used for pilgrims travelling to and from the Temple in Jerusalem. The hills in the opening verses are either the hills to be travelled through and therefore are places of danger, or the hills where the Temple is situated, where the Lord resides. Either way, vs 2 has the psalmist knowing the Lord will help because God is the maker of heaven and earth. The remaining verses are from a second voice, perhaps a priest, reassuring the pilgrim of God's protection.

James Turle (1802-1882)



- 1. I lift up my eyes | to the | hills:
but | where · shall I | find | help?**
- 2. My help comes | from the | Lord:
who | has made | heaven · and | earth.**
- 3. He will not suffer your | foot to | stumble:
and he who watches | over · you | will not | sleep.**

4. Be sure he who has | charge of | Israel:
will | neither | slumber · nor | sleep.
5. The Lord him | self is · your | keeper:
the Lord is your de | fence up · on | your right | hand;
6. The sun shall not | strike you · by | day:
nor | shall the | moon by | night.
7. The Lord will defend you from | all | evil:
it is | he who · will | guard your | life.
8. The Lord will defend your going out and your | coming | in:
from this time | forward · for | ever | more.

2nd Reading: Romans 4.1-5, 13-17

NT p.142

Behind Paul's argument is the issue of whether the whole of the Jewish law is necessary for Gentile Christians. Abraham responded with faith before the law of the covenant existed, so Paul uses Abraham's faith response to show that faith is all sufficient. Obeying the law is not sufficient. For Paul, faith in Christ does not mean the law is abandoned, but it must come first before there can be any obedience to the law, even if it is in a qualified way.

Gospel: John 3.1-17

NT p.87

Preceding these verses, John tells us that many believed in Jesus because of the miracles he performed, and Nicodemus declares himself one of them. Because his faith is inadequate, he is unable to 'see' what Jesus means. 'Born again', 'water' and 'spirit' are all references to baptism. For the baptised person who bases their faith on miracles the Christ lifted up on the tree (cross) is a disaster. But for the one who 'sees', the crucified Christ is the outflowing of God's love and reconciling life.

Music

Processional:	281	All my hope on God is founded
Gradual:		God is Love (<i>words p. 6</i>)
Offertory:	151	Jesu, lover of my soul
Communion:	160	Breathe on me
Post Communion:	179	Thy hand, O God has guided

Music Setting: Chris Chataway

Organist: Ian Gray

God is Love (A&M 644)

1. God is Love: let heav'n adore him;
God is Love: let earth rejoice;
let creation sing before him,
and exalt him with one voice.
he who laid the earth's
foundation,
he who spread the heav'ns above,
he who breathes through all
creation,
he is Love, eternal Love.
2. God is Love, and he enfoldeth
all the world in one embrace;
with unfailing grasp he holdeth
every child of every race;
and when human hearts are
breaking
under sorrow's iron rod,
all the sorrow, all the aching
wings with pain the heart of God.

3. God is Love: and though with blindness
sin afflicts the souls of all,
God's eternal loving-kindness
holds and guides us when we fall.
Sin and death and hell shall never
o'er us final triumph gain;
God is Love, so Love for ever
o'er the universe most reign.

Timothy Rees (1874-1939) Reproduced by permission. CCL licence 94792

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For your Prayers this week

The Nations and People of the Earth:

That the coronavirus outbreak may be dealt with by the world in a spirit of cooperation and the avoidance of fear and panic in the community.

For the medical workers attending the sick, and those working on treatment for the condition.

The Church and its Mission:

The Church in Marsabit, Kenya and Ukhahlamba, Southern Africa, Bishops Daniel Qampicha and Moses Madywabe, their clergy and people.

Shane and Naomi Rubie and family, missionaries in Ethiopia.

Christ Church, North Adelaide and its Rector, Keith Brice.

The Parish of Clarence Gardens: Andrea McDougall, Rector.

Give thanks for the work and witness of the Anglican Church of Korea.

At St Andrew's we pray for:

Spencer Harding, being baptised later this morning, her parents and godparents.

The Girls' Night Out and Men's Breakfast Groups, meeting through the week.

Those preparing reports for the Annual Vestry Meeting.

Ourselves and our Community:

The staff and patients of the Women's and Children's Hospital.

Local medical and health authorities preparing for expected medical emergencies.

Special Prayer Request:

Daniela Goncalves, Grant Dalwood, Bishop David McCall, Mike Grivell.

The Departed

Thanksgiving for those who have gone before us in faith:

John of God, worker among the sick and poor, Spain (d.1550) *March 8*

Sister Emma SSA, superior of the Society of the Sacred Advent

Queensland (d. 1939)

March 9

Notices

In the Parish

- ❖ **Welcome to Rev. Shane Ellery:** Shane was ordained as a Priest in November last year. He is part of the ministry team at St. Matthew's, Kensington, leading their 5pm evening congregation at Norwood. In order for Shane to experience a different liturgical setting, and following discussions with the Archbishop, I am pleased that Shane will join us on Sunday mornings throughout Lent and the post-Easter season. During that time he will assist at, and eventually Preside at the Eucharist, reflecting on and learning more about our more "formal" liturgy, and how such liturgy speaks to people in their experience of worship. I will meet regularly with Shane during his time at St. Andrew's, exploring with him the different elements of our liturgy and look forward to us both growing in our understanding of this. I am sure you will make Shane feel very welcome here.

- ❖ **Girls' Night Out:** The next meeting will be at 7 pm on Tuesday 10th March at the Naval & Military Club, 111 Hutt Street, Adelaide. For details or information please contact Caroline Wigg on 0430 086 323.

- ❖ **Palm Crosses:** Please contact Biffy Ormsby or Suzanne Sexton if you are able to assist in the making of palm crosses this year.

- ❖ **Save the Date:** Andrew Edgar and Davy Chan are happy to announce that they will be married during the 9.30am service at St. Andrew's on Sunday 19th April (the Second Sunday of Easter). Along with Kathy & Allan, they extend a warm invitation to all parishioners to share this joyful occasion with them by attending the service on that day. Please pray for them as they prepare to begin their new life together...

- ❖ **Bush Church Aid Mission Boxes:** It is time again for counting mission boxes. Please hand them to Sandy or one of the Wardens by **Sunday 22nd March 2020 at the very latest.** Please do not just leave your box at the back of the church. If anyone prefers to make a donation in lieu of a Mission Box, your offering will be most welcome. *Sandy Facy - BCA Mission Contact for St Andrew's*

Learn Bell Ringing



Church bells are the biggest and loudest musical instruments in the world. Their sound can be heard kilometres away from their towers. Bells are rung to call people to church, to celebrate happy occasions and commemorate important events. They are also rung simply for the enjoyment of hearing their sound.

Bell Ringing is **Fun** and ...

*Could it be **your** perfect hobby?*

- ◆ for **all ages** (generally 10 yrs+) – individuals, couples, families or groups (you don't need to be musical, strong or religious – for all faiths & none)
- ◆ **enjoyable & satisfying** – make a glorious sound!
- ◆ an **exhilarating workout** – gentle exercise for mind & body which burns calories, tones muscles and relieves stress
- ◆ an easy way to **make friends** – enjoy social activities and be part of a team and community
- ◆ a great activity **at university** – or anywhere (mostly UK)
- ◆ **inexpensive** – and you can get paid ringing for weddings!
- ◆ boosts **skills**: concentration, teamwork, co-ordination, discipline, listening and analytical
- ◆ an **all-weather**, year-round activity which fits in with your other commitments
- ◆ full of **variety** – a centuries-old tradition using new technology – with endless choices and places to visit

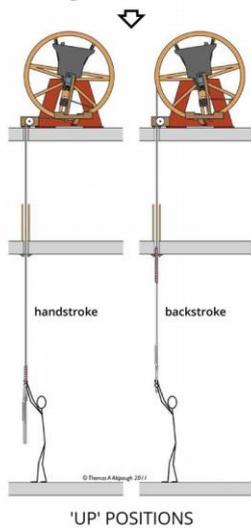


◆ makes a **beautiful noise** – *it's the ultimate **Heavy Metal***: Church bells are the **loudest*** (unamplified) and **heaviest** musical instruments in the world . . . and they're metal!

* ringing chambers are usually sound-proofed for **safe noise levels**

How Bells are Rung

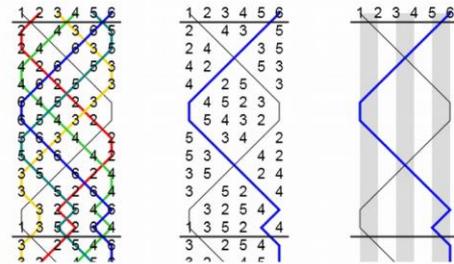
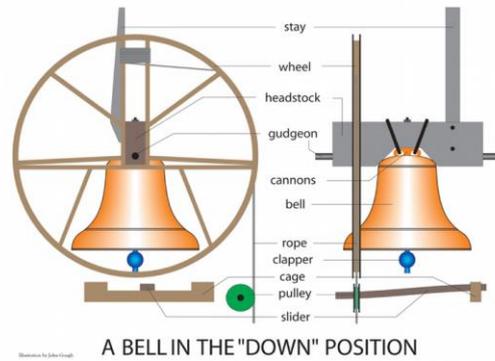
Bells are rung **full-circle** from the 'UP' position (upside-down) with a rope round a wheel. ↗ This allows ringers to vary ringing speed to change the order in which the bells ring.



Learn at your own pace in easy stages:

1. **Bell handling**
↗ (pulling the rope)
2. **Rounds** (ringing in time with others)
3. **Change ringing**
(methods) ↗

There are about 40,000 ringers in over 6,000 towers!



The Adelaide Bellringers are looking for new ringers, from the St Andrew's community.

If you can count, then you know all the mathematics you need to be a change ringer. You also need to be able to climb the stairs to the ringing room.

You will be taught by experienced ringers/teachers and will begin to learn on special dumbbells, practice on computer simulators (which recreate the experience of having highly skilled ringers working with you).

It does not take long before trainee ringers are ready to ring the real bells. Once you reach the qualified level, you will have the opportunity to join The Adelaide Bellringers and invited to ringing the bells for Sunday service.

The first two weeks of May have been put aside for focused dedicated training sessions to allow interested new ringers to learn bell handling skills. Dates and times will be adjusted based on student and teacher requirements.

Contact now:

Rev. Sam Goodes: priest@standrewswalkerville.org.au

or

Peter Norman (St Andrew's Bell-Tower Vice-Captain):

pfn@adelaidebellringers.org.au

Diary Dates

Sunday 8 March	8.00 am	Holy Communion
Lent 2	9.30 am	Sung Eucharist
	11.30 am	Baptism: Spencer Harding
Monday 9 March	10.00 am	Lenten Study Group (3 Belt Street)
Tuesday 10 March	9.00 am	School Service 5-7 (Church)
	11.30 am	Lenten Study Group (Library)
	7.00 pm	Girls' Night Out (N & M Club)
Wednesday 11 March	11.00 am	HC Allity Aged Care
	2.00 pm	Lenten Study Group (6 Ettrick Ave)
Thursday 12 March	9.00 am	School HC 3-4 (Church)
	7.30 pm	Home Fellowship Lenten Group (2/86 Lansdowne Tce)
Friday 13 March	10.30 am	Tai Chi (Parish Centre)
Saturday 14 March	8.30 am	Men's Breakfast (Parish Centre)
	2.00 pm	Private Function (Parish Centre)
Sunday 15 March	8.00 am	Holy Communion
Lent 3	9.30 am	Sung Eucharist
	12 noon	St. Andrew's School Open Day
Monday 16 March	10.00 am	Lenten Study Group (3 Belt Street)
Tuesday 17 March	9.00 am	School Service 5-7 (Church)
	11.30 am	Lenten Study Group (Library)
	5.00 pm	Order of St Lazarus (Parish Centre)
Wednesday 18 March	2.00 pm	Lenten Study Group (6 Ettrick Ave)
	7.30 pm	Parish Council (Parish Centre)
Thursday 19 March	9.00 am	School Service 3-4 (Church)
	4.30 pm	Royal Geographic (Parish Centre)
	7.30 pm	Home Fellowship Lenten Group (2/86 Lansdowne Tce)
Friday 20 March	10.30 am	Tai Chi (Parish Centre)
Sunday 22 March	8.00 am	Holy Communion
Lent 4	9.30 am	Sung Eucharist
	11.30 am	Baptism: Skyla Taylor

Rosters

Rosters for today (Second Sunday in Lent)

Preacher & Celebrant:		The Ven. Sam Goodes
Readers:	8.00 am	Sandy Facy
	9.30 am	Melodie Dow
Prayer Leader:	9.30 am	Sally Sandford-Morgan
Server:	9.30 am	Melodie Dow
Lay Assistants:	8.00 am	Liz Owen
	9.30 am	Donna Coombe, Wayne Butcher
Sidespersons:	8.00 am	Jan de Wit, Sandy Facy
	9.30 am	Sally Zimmerman, Roy Ingram
Children's Time:	9.30am	Nimali Navaratnam & Sally Sandford-Morgan
Morning Tea	9.30 am	Sally Sandford-Morgan, Val Ingram, Suzanne Sexton

Rosters for next Sunday (Third Sunday in Lent)

Preacher & Celebrant:		The Ven. Sam Goodes
Readers:	8.00 am	Brian Zwar
	9.30 am	Cameron Dow
Prayer Leader:	9.30 am	Michael Thomas
Server:	9.30 am	John Beer
Lay Assistants:	8.00 am	Liz Owen
	9.30 am	Biffy Ormsby, Tony Holloway
Sidespersons:	8.00 am	Brian Zwar
	9.30 am	Michael Thomas, Robin Coleman
Children's Time:	9.30am	Jenny Harris & Chris Thomas
Morning Tea	9.30 am	Frances Wilson, Molly Radakovitch, Joan Beer

Readings for next Sunday (Lent 3)

1st Reading: Exodus 17.1-7

Psalm: Psalm 95

2nd Reading: Romans 5.1-11

Gospel: John 4.5-42

OT p.59
APBA p.322
NT p.143
NT p. 88

