Trinity Sunday Combined School & Parish Service 15th June 2025 9.30am



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St Andrew's **Church W**ALKERVILLE

St Andrew's is a Christ-centred, sacramental, inclusive, thinking, praying and prayerful, missionoriented faith community

Photos will be taken during this service, to assist with updating our website. No faces will be visible. Thank you for your understanding.

Today's Services

8.00am Holy Communion (said) 9.30am Holy Communion (sung)

Celebrant and Preacher: The Rev'd Tracey Gracey School Chaplain: The Rev'd Rachel Chapman

Pianist: Linda Pirie

Lead vocals: Jyoti Singh, Aidan Foyel

Welcome to our service combined School and Parish service

Music before service – St Andrew's Quartet – Skye Aung, Alexandra Tan, Nate Wang, Rosie Zhang; Veronica Ryan (teacher)

Opening Hymn and Procession with Symbols (please stand if able)

St Andrew's School staff and parishioners will process in, each carrying a symbol of their work, ministry and vocation.

These symbols show how we serve God in our church, school, and community.

Early Years: Primary: Admin:

Rita O'Leary Jill Ponting Mary Trimble

Julie Bottger Tamika Connor The Rev'd Rachel Chapman

Board: Parish:

Peta St Clair Darren Fleming Megan Field Jennie Coleman

- 1. Holy, holy! Lord God Almighty! early in the morning our song shall rise to thee; holy, holy! merciful and mighty, God in three persons, blessèd Trinity!
- 2. Holy, holy! all the saints adore thee, casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea; cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee, which wert and art and evermore shalt be.

- 3. Holy, holy! though the darkness hide thee, though the eye of sinful man thy glory may not see, only thou art holy, there is none beside thee perfect in power, in love, and purity.
- 4. Holy, holy! Lord God Almighty! all thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea; holy, holy! merciful and mighty! God in three persons, blessèd Trinity!

Reginald Heber (1783-1826)

Welcome

Gathering in God's Name

We meet in the name of God Father, Son & Holy Spirit who is our Creator, Revealer and Sustainer of life. Amen.

Opening Prayer

Gracious and loving God,
Your spirit has stirred deep within us.
You have called us from many places and backgrounds
to gather with all your people, to celebrate your presence,
to give thanks, to grow together as your people.
May our hearts and our minds be open
to your wisdom, love and blessings.
In turn, may we express our deepest faith and love
through who we are and what we are called to do. Amen.

Placement and Explanation of Symbols by school staff and parishioners The symbols are placed on the altar, and an explanation is given about how they represent our different gifts, roles, and expressions of faith.

School Prayer

Let us pray

Almighty God, may your Holy Spirit bless St Andrew's School. Give to the Students guidance and support.

To the Staff, strength and patience.

To the Parents, a sense of enjoyment and participation.

To the Board, wisdom and purpose.

May your Love influence all we do, so that others, through this School, may learn of your goodness in the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

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,

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, love and unity;

through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Confession

Compassionate God, as we reflect on our roles to lead with hope and nurture our young people, forgive us for the times:

We have failed to nurture growth in others.

We have not led with compassion and understanding.

We have been quick to judge and slow to listen.

We have let our own frustrations hinder our service to others.

We have overlooked the needs of those we lead.

We have failed to inspire others to flourish in faith, hope and love.

We regret our wrongdoing and turn to you with open hearts

Forgive us and transform us through your love

that we may build communities where all can flourish.

Absolution

Almighty God, who has promised forgiveness to all who turn to him in faith pardon you and set you free from all your sins, strengthen you in all goodness and keep you in eternal life, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Children's Talk - The Rev'd Rachel Chapman, School Chaplain

Old Testament Reading: Proverbs 8: 1-4, 22-31 read by Ann Hurst, representing the School Board

- ¹ Listen, Wisdom is calling. Yes, Understanding is shouting for us.
- ²Wisdom stands at the top of the hill, by the road where the paths meet.
- ³She is near the entrance to the city, calling from the open gates.
- ⁴"I am calling out to all of you. I am speaking to everyone.
- ²² The Lord made me in the beginning, long before he did anything else.
- ²³ I was formed a long time ago, before the world was made.
- ²⁴ I was born before there was an ocean, before the springs began to flow.
- ²⁵ I was born before the mountains and hills were set into place,
- ²⁶ before the earth and fields were made, before the dust of this world was formed.
- ²⁷ I was there when he set up the skies, when he drew a circle in the ocean to make a place for the land.
- ²⁸ I was there when he put the clouds in the sky and made the deep springs flow.

²⁹ I was there when he set the limits on the sea to make it stop where he said.

I was there when he laid the foundations of the earth.

³⁰ I grew up as a child by his side, laughing and playing all the time.

³¹ I played in the world he made and enjoyed the people he put there."

After the reading

Hear the word of the Lord, thanks be to God.

'One God, three ways' – a poem for Trinity Sunday read by students from St Andrew's School

Naish Butler

I stand and see the world so wide, Mountains tall and oceans wide. In all of this, I hear a call — A loving **Father** made it all!

Sophie Arnold

I walk the path where people trod, And find a friend who shows me God. He healed, He taught, He walked our way — That's **Jesus**, with us every day.

Jason Xiao

I feel a whisper in the air,
A quiet nudge, a thoughtful care.
It's more than wind or morning dove—
It's **Spirit**, full of peace and love!

All:

Three in One and One in Three, A holy, loving mystery! Not three gods — but one we praise, God in three amazing ways! Second Reading: Romans 5: 1-5, read by Christine Thomas

¹ Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, ² through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. ³ And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, ⁴ and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, ⁵ and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

After the reading

Hear the word of the Lord, thanks be to God.

Gradual Song (please stand if able)

1. Give me oil in my lamp, keep me burning, give me oil in my lamp, I pray; give me oil in my lamp, keep me burning, keep me burning till the break of day.

Sing hosanna, sing hosanna, sing hosanna to the King of kings! Sing hosanna, sing hosanna, sing hosanna to the King!

- 2. Give me joy in my heart, keep me praising, give me joy in my heart, I pray; give me joy in my heart, keep me praising, keep me praising till the break of day. [Refrain]
- 3. Give me peace in my heart, keep me loving, give me peace in my heart, I pray; give me peace in my heart, keep me loving, keep me loving till the break of day. [Refrain]
- 4. Give me love in my heart, keep me serving, give me love in my heart, I pray; give me love in my heart, keep me serving, keep me serving till the break of day. [Refrain]

Gospel Reading: John 16: 12-15 (please remain standing if able) read by Luke Ritchie, Principal, St Andrew's School

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. John, chapter sixteen, beginning at the twelfth verse.

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Jesus said, ¹² 'I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. ¹³ When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. ¹⁴ He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. ¹⁵ All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.

After the Gospel the reader says
For the Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Sermon - The Rev'd Tracey Gracey, Rector

Seed Prayers (please sit or kneel) - read by Michael Thomas [Parishioner], David Hodges [Deputy Principal], Mary-Anne Muhl [Assistant Principal] Seeds planted by Chelsea Thomas [Business Director], Elizabeth Ellison [Parishioner]

God of learning and laughter,

We thank you for the gift of our school, for curiosity, creativity, and care. Plant seeds of resilience, understanding, and kindness among students and staff, so we grow a place of welcome and wisdom.

May these prayer seeds be:
Sown in the Creator's love,
Nurtured by Jesus' wisdom,
Watered by the Spirit's care,
Grown in the unity of the Trinity.

Faithful God, who gathers us as one, We thank you for the life of our parish for worship, community, acts of service and care. Grow in us deep roots of compassion and faith, that we may reflect your love in action.

May these prayer seeds be:
Sown in the Creator's love,
Nurtured by Jesus' wisdom,
Watered by the Spirit's care,
Grown in the unity of the Trinity.

God of home and belonging, We thank you for the love shared in families of every kind. May seeds of sharing, forgiveness, and joy take root and grow strong in the bonds that make us a family.

May these prayer seeds be: Sown in the Creator's love, Nurtured by Jesus' wisdom, Watered by the Spirit's care, Grown in the unity of the Trinity.

God of neighbour and stranger,
We thank you for the people and places that make up our neighbourhood,
especially those in the Town of Walkerville
and at Bolton Clarke Residential Care.
Plant in us a spirit of welcome and care,
that small acts of kindness may build connection and hope.

May these prayer seeds be:
Sown in the Creator's love,
Nurtured by Jesus' wisdom,
Watered by the Spirit's care,
Grown in the unity of the Trinity.

God of all nations and peoples,
We give thanks for the beauty, diversity and wonder
of the world you made.
Sow peace where there is conflict, courage where there is fear,
and healing where creation is broken.

May these prayer seeds be: Sown in the Creator's love, Nurtured by Jesus' wisdom, Watered by the Spirit's care, Grown in the unity of the Trinity.

God of comfort and healing,
We thank you for the carers, doctors, and companions
who walk with those in need.
May seeds of strength, rest, and healing
take root in those who are unwell, grieving, or in need of comfort.

May these prayer seeds be: Sown in the Creator's love, Nurtured by Jesus' wisdom, Watered by the Spirit's care, Grown in the unity of the Trinity.

God of growth and grace, We thank you for the small stirrings of hope and change within us. Plant in us seeds of renewal, openness, and quiet strength, and give us patience as we grow.

May these prayer seeds be:
Sown in the Creator's love,
Nurtured by Jesus' wisdom,
Watered by the Spirit's care,
Grown in the unity of the Trinity.

Gathering these seeds prayers together, we pray the prayer that Jesus taught us:

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.

Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and for ever. Amen.

Greeting of Peace

You are a sign of God's presence.

God's peace be with you and also with you.

Offertory Hymn – during this hymn the bread and wine for Holy Communion will be presented, and the Collection taken

- 1. Hope of our calling: hope through courage won by those who dared to share all Christ had done. Saints of today, Christ's banner now unfurled, will bring his gospel to a waiting world.
- 2. Hope of our calling: hope with strength empowered, inspired by all that we have seen and heard; this call is ours, for we are chosen too, to live for God in all we say and do.
- 3. Hope of our calling: hope with grace outpoured, from death's despair the gift of life restored; our call to serve, to wash each others' feet, to bring Christ's healing touch to all we meet.
- 4. Hope of our calling: hope by faith made bold to sow God's righteousness throughout the world; bring peace from conflict, fruitfulness from weeds, the kingdom's harvest from the kingdom's seeds.
- 5. Hope of our calling: Spirit-filled, unbound, old joys remembered and new purpose found, our call refreshed by sacrament and word, we go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

Prayer over the Gifts (please remain standing if able)

Blessed are you God of all creation.

Through your goodness we have this bread to offer,

Which earth has given and human hands have made.

It will become for us the bread of life.

Blessed be God forever.

Blessed are you God of all creation.

Through your goodness we have this wine to offer,

Fruit of the vine and work of human hands.

It will become our spiritual drink.

Blessed be God forever.

Great Thanksgiving Prayer

Jesus has invited everyone to dine at the table.

We come knowing we are invited.

Let us offer our praise to God

We come, ready to offer ourselves.

Let us give thanks to God.

We come, ready to give our thanks and praise.

Here is the company of heaven, seen and unseen.
Here is the bread and wine to be broken and spilled.
Here is Jesus the Christ, holy rebel and sacred friend.

This is the belonging place.

Here are the people of God, saint and those who feel unworthy. Here is the congregation of heaven, those ready and those not ready to receive. Here is the story of God, crucified and risen.

This is the belonging place.

Here is the table of life, open and free.
Here is the grace of God, unconditional and without end. Here is the love of Jesus, given and given again.
This is the belonging place.

Whoever we are and aren't, whatever we believe and don't, we belong here – at this table.

Accept our thanks for these gifts of bread and wine; may we who receive them, as Jesus said, share his body and his blood.

On the night Jesus was betrayed, he took bread and gave you thanks. He broke the bread and gave it to his friends, and said, 'Take and eat. This is my body given for you. Do this in remembrance of me.'

After supper he took the cup and gave you thanks. He shared the cup with them and said, 'This is my blood of the covenant, poured out for many. Do this in remembrance of me.'

We dedicate these gifts and the offerings of ourselves, in service of Christ's body, Christ's healing, and Christ's message of love to the world. **Amen.** The Breaking of Bread and Communion

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

We who are many are one body:

for we all share in the one bread.

Invitation to Communion

This is the bread of life and this is the wine of compassion. The gifts of God for the people of God.

Administration of Communion

All who wish to receive Holy Communion are invited to come forward at the appropriate time. If you would prefer to receive a blessing, please also come forward and indicate this by bowing your head.

Gluten-free bread is available upon request.

We kindly ask that you receive the bread and wine separately rather than dipping the wafer into the cup.

During Communion, the Student Quartet from St Andrew's School will play.

Prayer after Communion

Let us pray

God is mystery and awe,
God is spirit and truth,
God is grand Creator and Holy Christ.
And one thing we know:
In the moment of love,
In the gift of healing,
In the act of grace,
In the holding to hope,
Our God is with us.

Sending Forth Prayer – St Andrew's Staff are invited to stand Loving God,

Thank you for the teachers in our school and in our lives. Thank you for reminding us that we are all teachers—through our actions, our words, and the way we care for others.

As we leave this place, may the symbols we see remind us of the blessings our teachers and staff offer each day.

And may these same symbols remind us of the ways we can share your love — in all the places where we teach through kindness, courage, and care.

The pencil – bless the wisdom and creativity our teachers write into each day.

The clock – bless the long hours and quiet energy they pour into children's lives.

The sticky notes – bless the reminders they give, the names they remember, and the gentle nudges they offer.

The glue stick – bless the care they take in holding classrooms and communities together.

The eraser – bless the grace they give when mistakes are made and the courage to try again.

The highlighter – bless the way they notice what matters and help students see their own light.

The congregation is invited to stand

And may God, eternal Spirit, pain bearer, and life giver, bless and keep you now and always. **Amen.**

Closing Song (sung twice) (standing if able)

May the feet of God walk with you, and his hand hold you tight.

May the eye of God rest on you, and his ear hear your cry.

May the smile of God be for you, and his breath give you life.

May the Child of God grow in you, and his love bring you home.

Aubrey Podlich (b. 1946)

Organ Postlude - we sit in reflection

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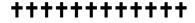
If you are new today, welcome!

We would love to have your details
so that we can keep you up to date with the life of the parish.

Please ask one of our friendly welcomers for a contact form,
and return it to them (or place it in the offertory bowl) when complete.

You can request a name tag on the sheet at the back of the church.

Many thanks.



Please remember in your prayers this week:
Maggie Crewes; Lyall von Einem; Rhonda Gilmour;
Allan Edgar; Kathy Edgar
We give thanks for the life of Dale Van Heer and pray for May,
Tanya, Mark, Odette and Dale's family in this time of grief and loss.

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Notices

In the Parish

- ❖ CONFIRMATION: If you or a family member would like to explore Confirmation or being received into the Anglican Communion, please speak with Tracey to find out more as she will be happy to offer some Confirmation classes.
- **❖ WOMEN'S BREAKFAST:** this Saturday 21st June, from 9am at Sfizio, Norwood Parade. New faces welcome.
- ❖ HELP NEEDED IN GARDEN: On Monday 23rd June from 9.30am, John Beer will be leading some essential garden maintenance work including removal of a shrub which is pushing up pavers. If you can assist with saws/loppers, please come! and let him know.
- ❖ WORKING GROUPS: Would you like to be involved in the following working groups to bring our Hope25 initiatives to fruition? If so, please see Tracey. Community Garden Action Team, Chatty Café & Outreach Projects, Support for Children's Ministry and Youth Activities, Fundraising Team. If you have any questions or suggestions, please also speak to Tracey.
- ❖ HYMNFEST! Come along and join in the singing of your favourite hymns. St Andrew's Church, Sunday 13th July, 2.30pm. Led by the Adelaide Congress Hall Salvation Army Brass Band. Tickets \$10 at the door; including light refreshments. Proceeds in aid of the restoration of St Andrew's School Hall, and the Parish organ.
- ❖ GAMES DAY: FRIDAY 25TH JULY 10.30am: An opportunity to get friends together to play any game, e.g. Bridge, Scrabble, Canasta, Mahjong, or any other game of choice. We can hold 12 tables of 4 in the Community Centre. Flyers and tickets will be available soon.
- ❖ FILM AFTERNOON Regal Theatre, Kensington Rd, Kensington Park. Sunday October 5th At 2pm. Film: Downton Abbey: The Grand Finale. If you would like to join a fundraising committee please let Tracey know.

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HERITAGE RESTORATION PROJECT CHURCH BUILDING, GARDEN FENCE, AND ORGAN

We are undertaking essential heritage restoration work on our church building and garden fence to ensure the safety and preservation of our grounds. The current fence is unsafe and in urgent need of repair.

In addition, important maintenance work is required on our historic church organ to preserve its function and heritage value for future generations.

If you would like to support these restoration works, tax-deductible donations can be made through the National Trust of South Australia's Heritage Foundation Fund.

Follow these easy steps:

Go to www.nationaltrust.org.au/donate-sa/#gf_3

Scroll down the page:

- 1. Choose your donation
- a. "Donate to": From drop-down list, choose National Trust South Australia
- b. "I would like my donation to go to" choose "St Andrew's Church Walkerville Conservation Appeal"
- c. Choose the amount you wish to give.
- 2. Enter Personal details
- 3. Enter credit card details

All donations to the National Trust of South Australia over \$2 are tax deductible. **A receipt will be emailed to you.** You can also print the receipt at the end of the payment process.

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Diary Dates

Sunday 15 June Trinity Sunday	8.00am 9.30am	Holy Communion (said) Holy Communion (sung)
and St Andrew's School service		
Tuesday 17 June	9.00am	School service (Church)
Wednesday 18 June	9.30am	Office open until 5pm
	10.30am	Holy Communion (Bolton Clarke)
Thursday 19 June	9.00am	School services (Church)
	7.30pm	Home Fellowship (Newells')
Friday 20 June	9.30am	Office open until 5pm
	10.00am	Staff Meeting (Office)
	1.00pm	Cleaning (all facilities)
Saturday 21 June	9.00am	Women's Breakfast (Sfizio)
Sunday 22 June	8.00am	Holy Communion (said)
Pentecost 2	9.30am	
Tuesday 24 June	11.00am	'Life through the Bible' (Wheatleys')
Wednesday 25 June	9.00am	Office open until 4.30pm
•	10.00am	ArtsNational - Adelaide (all
		facilities)
	12.30pm	Rostrum Club (Parish Centre)
	2.00pm	Faith & Fellowship (Parish Centre)
Thursday 26 June	9.00am	School services (Church)
	7.00pm	Parish Council meeting (PC)
Friday 27 June	9.30am	Office open until 5pm
	10.00am	Staff Meeting (Office)
	2.00pm	Cleaning (all facilities)
Sunday 29 June	8.00am	Holy Communion (said)
Peter & Paul	9.30am	Holy Communion (sung)
	11.30am	Baptism, Arthur & Grace Goss

Readings for next Sunday (Pentecost 2)

1st Reading: 1 Kings 19: 1-4, 8-15a Psalm 42

2nd Reading: Galatians 3: 10-14, 23-29 Gospel: Luke 8: 26-39

Rosters for today, Sunday 15th June (Trinity Sunday)

Celebrant & Preacher: 8.00 & 9.30am The Rev'd Tracey Gracey

Readers: 8.00am Brian Zwar

9.30am Christine Thomas

Prayer Leader: 9.30am Michael Thomas

Lay Assistants: 8.00am Virginia Shek

9.30am Biffy Ormsby

Server: 9.30am John Beer Welcomers: 8.00am Brian Zwar

9.30am Michael Thomas: Rob Dow

Morning Tea 9.30am Frances Wilson; Molly Radakovitch;

Joan Beer Cake: Needra Silva

Rosters for next Sunday, 22nd June (Pentecost 2)

Celebrant & Preacher: 8.00 & 9.30am The Rev'd Tracey Gracey

Readers: 8.00am Ray Newell

9.30am Robin Coleman

Prayer Leader: 9.30am Suzanne Sexton

Lay Assistants: 8.00am Darren Fleming

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9.30am Wayne Butcher

Server: 9.30am Adam Harris Welcomers: 8.00am Ray Newell

9.30am Robin Coleman; Tony Holloway

Morning Tea 9.30am Jennie Coleman; Donna Coombe;

Yvonne Facy Cake: Heather Wheatley

Rosters for today, Sunday 29th June (Peter & Paul, Apostles & Martyrs)

Celebrant & Preacher: 8.00 & 9.30am The Rev'd Tracey Gracey

Readers: 8.00am Janet Martin

9.30am Michael Thomas

Prayer Leader: 9.30am Wayne Butcher Lay Assistants: 8.00am Virginia Shek

9.30am Sharon Gray

Server: 9.30am Michael Thomas

Welcomers: 8.00am Volunteer needed

9.30am Volunteers needed

Morning Tea 9.30am Sharon Gray; Heather Wheatley

Cake: Biffy Ormsby