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PARISH VISION:
A Welcoming Community,
United in Faith,
Centred in
the Eucharist,
Which embraces the Spirit
and Nature of all
God's People

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER OF SALISBURY CATHOLIC PARISH

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Parish Bulletin (The Echo):

Diane Innes

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SUNDAY MASS TIMES

St Augustine's Church

23 Commercial Rd Salisbury

Saturday: 6:00pm

Sunday: 9:00am & 6:00pm

Polish Sunday: 12 noon

Filipino 1st Sunday of Month: 3:00pm

Italian 2nd Sunday of Month: 10:30am

Holy Family Mass Centre:

Shepherdson Rd Parafield Gardens

Sunday: 10:30am

St Finbar's Church:

Greencroft Road, Salisbury North

Sunday: 9:00am

RECONCILIATION

Saturday **after** 9:30am Mass and

before the 6:00pm Vigil Mass

5:15pm - 5:45pm

2nd November 2025

The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed 'All Souls Day' - Year C

First Reading - Wisdom 3.1-6,9

A reading from the book of Wisdom.

The souls of the virtuous are in the hands of God, no torment shall ever touch them. In the eyes of the unwise, they did appear to die, their going looked like a disaster, their leaving us, like annihilation; but they are in peace. If they experienced punishment as men see it, their hope was rich with immortality; slight was their affliction, great will their blessing be. God has put them to the test and proved them worthy to be with him; he has tested them like gold in a furnace, and accepted them as a holocaust. They who trust in him will understand the truth, those who are faithful will live with him in love; for grace and mercy await those he has chosen.

Responsorial Psalm - Psalm 26.1, 4, 7-9, 13-14

R. The Lord is my light and my salvation.

The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear?

The Lord is the stronghold of my life; before whom shall I shrink? **R.**

There is one thing I ask of the Lord, for this I long, to live in the house of the Lord, all the days of my life. , to savour the sweetness of the Lord, to behold his temple. **R.**

O Lord hear my voice when I call, have mercy and answer. It is your face, O Lord, that I seek; hide not your face. **R.**

I am sure I shall see the Lord's goodness in the land of the living. Hope in him, hold firm and take heart. Hope in the Lord! **R.**

Second Reading - Romans 5.5-11

A reading from the second letter of Paul to the Romans.

Hope is not deceptive, because the love of God has been poured into our hearts by the Holy Spirit which has been given us. We were still helpless when at his appointed moment Christ died for sinful men. It is not easy to die even for a good man – though of course for someone really worthy, a man might be prepared to die – but what proves that God loves us is that Christ died for us while we were still sinners. Having died to make us righteous, is it likely that he would now fail to save us from God's anger? When we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, we were still enemies; now that we have been reconciled, surely we may count on being saved by the life of his Son? Not merely because we have been reconciled but because we are filled with joyful trust in God, through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have already gained our reconciliation.

Gospel - John 6:37-40

A reading from the holy gospel according to John.

Jesus said to the crowd: 'All that the Father gives me will come to me, and whoever comes to me I shall not turn him away; because I have come from heaven, not to do my own will, but to do the will of the one who sent me. 'Now the will of him who sent me is that I should lose nothing of all that he has given to me, and that I should raise it up on the last day. Yes, it is my Father's will that whoever sees the Son and believes in him shall have eternal life, and that I shall raise him up on the last day.'



RECENTLY DECEASED

Kenneth Briones
Angie So
Bob Puccetti
Francesca Leonello
Roger Maranan
Eusebio Reyes Quintana

ANNIVERSARIES

Julian Rosseau
Daphne Sinclair
Catherine Sinclair
Santiago So
Visitacion Niutta
Hugh McClintock
Fedila Oloya Pajara
Salvador Palencia Pajara
Gregorio Oloya
Socorro Olavario Oloya

THE SICK

Ray Woolley
John Lewington
Kim Wilson
Andrew Neal
Annette Harvey
Apple Sangalang
Chelsea Cunningham
Corine Roberts
Dimetri de la Rea
Eileen & Paul O'Gorman
Erlinda de la Rea
Francescopaolo Mastrullo
Hazel Gabriela Mu (Baby)
Jan Von der Borch
Jim Love
Joseph Riley
Kirsten Sudario
Lynda Nora Kearney
Mary Harris
Michelle Purvis-Bond
Mitchell O'Brien
Olivia P.
Oscar Lacuesta
Paul Cunningham
Paul Sahb
Paul Waldon
Peter Smith
Raelene Brown
Ramon Romero
Shaun I
Stephanie Lopez
Theresa P.
Tonie Michael

Elias Shaya
Floriza Franco
Mary Mwihaki
Stephen Wgañga
Carlos Gotardo
Felicitas Uribe
Geraldine Marron
Graciana Hernandez Duthie
Jovencio Velasco
Kristina G. Joni
Maris Sanderson
Matilda de Sousa
Obdulia Berniz
Orlando Velasco
Pamela Nicholls Ryder
Peter O'Toole
Silvia Reyes de Mejia
Teofila Malagar
Mimi Wise & Rick Wise
Monette Navata
Salvador Nuñez
Victor Giovanni Santamaria
Victoria Kyriakopolous

REGULAR WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Tues – Thurs at 8:00am
Fri – Sat at 9:30am
in St Augustine's Church
Please Note:
Saturday with Adoration
after Mass

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Mon: 9:00am – 12:30pm
Tues - Thurs: 9:00am – 3:00pm
Fri: 9:00am – 12:30pm

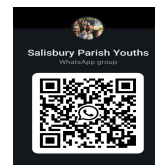
RECONCILIATIONS St Augustine's Church

Saturday after 9:30am Mass
and before the 6:00pm Vigil
Mass 5:15pm-5:45pm

BAPTISMS

St Augustine's Church
Within Mass:
Every Saturday at 9:30am
Outside Mass:
3rd Sunday at 10:30am
Holy Family Mass Centre
1st & 4th Sunday
Within the 10:30am Mass

YOUTH ALIVE



If you're interested in future events, please join the Salisbury Youth Group Chat. Click on the QR code above.

ANNUAL MEMORIAL MASS FOR DECEASED FAMILY MEMBERS OF OUR PARISHIONERS

(All Souls Day Memorial Mass)

*We warmly invite parishioners and their families
who have recently lost loved ones,
to attend the*

***Annual Memorial Mass for deceased family
members of our parishioners***
(All Souls Day Memorial Mass)

which will take place on

***Friday, 7th November 2025 at 7:00pm in St
Augustine's Church, Salisbury***

*This will be a time to remember all our deceased
parishioners and loved ones who have passed
away. If you have lost a loved one in the last 12
months and would like their name mentioned at
the All Souls Memorial Mass, please phone the
parish office on 8258 2314.*

Parish Stewardship... Grateful and Generous as Pilgrims of Hope

Thank you to all those parishioners who have already generously responded with their commitments. The Stewardship Renewal Team is currently conducting follow up of those commitments that are outstanding.

The renewal of our parish stewardship is meant for all **parishioners to review their current commitments** to the works and mission of the parish. Everyone is important and a vital component of this. Our aim is that each parishioner family will make some kind of response at this special time!

PLEASE return your completed Ministry Form and Planned Giving Commitment Cards to the Parish Office this week.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Please note that due to the Multicultural Mass on Sunday, 9th November at St Augustine's at 9:30am, **the following Masses will not take place:** 9am St Finbar's, 10:30am Holy Family and 10:30am Italian Mass at St Augustine's

Note: The 6pm Sunday evening Mass at St Augustine's will still go ahead.



**INTEGRITY &
SAFEGUARDING**
CATHOLIC ARCHDIOCESE OF ADELAIDE



Our Parish is a Safe Organisation for Children, Young People and vulnerable Adults. We are committed to their care, wellbeing and protection. We believe they have the right to be healthy and safe, and to have their voice heard, respected and valued. We have zero tolerance for all forms of abuse and prioritise the safety and wellbeing of children, young people and vulnerable adults in all that we do.

SAFEGUARDING CONTACT PERSONS

Fr Charles Lukati, Grace Healey, Nicholas Dangcalan, Diane Innes

Contact details can be found on the posters that are in the Church, Family Centre and Parish Office and in our Safeguarding Noticeboard in front of the Family Centre. If you have any suggestions or complaints, please send a confidential email to: businessmanager@salcath.org.au

GOSPEL REFLECTION - John 6:37-40

Today, many of us will visit the grave or plinth of a beloved member of the family or a friend. If you are like me, you will first tidy the area, prune any dead heads off the rose bush, place some fresh flowers and then pray. The beautiful Catholic custom is that on this day especially – All Souls’ Day – we pray for those who have died. We prayed for them when they were with us on earth. Death is no barrier to continuing that prayer. We pray for them and for ourselves that one day, when every tear is wiped away, we may join them in heavenly bliss. What grounds our hope? Nothing more, nothing less, than the victory of Jesus Christ over death. We pray that those we love even now are sharing in the benefits of that triumph. For most, as I expect for me, that may involve a *purging* of those traits of personality which prevent the fullest participation in the bliss of Heaven. But that bliss is what God desires for each one of them and for me. God prays for the fulfilment of that desire whilst souls are being purged (whatever that may involve). Our praying for the dead is simply our participation in this prayer of God, our privilege which we intentionally share in. Even those not intentionally sharing our faith often say R.I.P., rest in peace, and that is a prayer! And so we pray with confident Christian hope: ‘Endless light shine on those we love, O Lord. May their souls and the souls of all those who have died, through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.’

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MINISTRY OF ALTAR SERVERS TRAINING

A Special Invitation for Young Catholics



**ALL CURRENT ALTAR SERVERS AND
THOSE INTERESTED IN JOINING ARE
WARMLY INVITED TO ATTEND**

Date: Saturday, 08 November 2025

Time: 9:30 AM – 2:30 PM

Venue: Parish Family Centre & St. Augustine’s Church

Training Will Include

- Practical guidance for serving at Mass
- Spiritual formation and reflection
- Team-building activities



LUNCH WILL BE PROVIDED

All new servers will be carefully trained and, once prepared, **commissioned during a parish weekend Mass** with a special blessing.

Commissioning is recommended before altar servers begin serving on their own.

For inquiries, please contact the Parish Office.

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

In remembrance of all our deceased parishioners and loved ones who passed away, **The Book of Remembrance will be at the back of the Church for those who want to write the names of their deceased loved ones. Prayers will be offered for them in all our November Masses.** For those who would like Mass offered for their family, friends and relatives during the month of November, please use the envelope in your Planned Giving Envelope packs. Extra envelopes are also available after Mass this weekend. Please place in the Collection bag during Mass. Thank you

Celebration of Confirmation and First Holy Communion



We are very pleased to announce that twelve of our young parishioners will become fully initiated into our Faith community when they complete their Sacraments of Initiation next week.

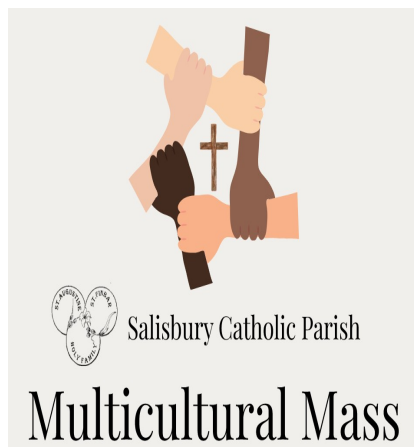
Bishop Greg O’Kelly will confer the Sacraments of Confirmation and First Holy Communion in St. Augustine’s Church at **6pm Mass on Saturday 8th November 2025**

Please keep these young people and their families in your prayers during this special time in their lives.
Blessings from the Sacrament Team

FIRST COLLECTION RENEWAL CAMPAIGN – THIS WEEKEND

This weekend at all Masses, a brief talk will be given as part of the ‘First Collection Renewal Campaign’. The First Collection at weekend Masses is the main means of financially supporting our Clergy, including Deacons and Retired Priests, through the Diocesan Presbytery Fund. The Fund covers the ever-increasing cost of stipends, medical benefits, motor vehicles, and ongoing formation. Currently, income from the Fund is covering about 70% of costs. Addressing this shortfall is crucial to ensuring we can continue to care for the evolving needs of our Archdiocesan Clergy. **When you leave Mass this weekend, please take home a fridge magnet that outlines how you can contribute - either through the First Collection at Mass or via the ‘Good Giving’ app and website.**

Sunday, 9 November 2025 - 9:30am 23 Commercial Rd, Salisbury SA 5108



All families from the Salisbury Catholic Parish, Thomas More College, Holy Family Catholic School, and St Augustine’s Parish School are warmly welcomed to attend the special Multicultural Mass, as we come together to celebrate our unity in diversity as one vibrant, faith-filled community.

After Mass, you’re warmly invited to a shared Multicultural Morning Tea in the Thomas Aquinas Centre (St Augustine’s School Gym), concluding at 11:30am.

You are invited to bring a plate of food that represents your culture to share. Please take your contribution to the Thomas Aquinas Centre before Mass, with the centre open from 9am.

Attendees to the Mass are encouraged to wear their traditional cultural dress as a celebration of culture.

As this is a Parish Event, supported by the schools, all young people require adult supervision both during Mass and for the morning tea.

COMMITTEES AND GROUPS

● Knights of the Southern Cross

The Knights of the Southern Cross are active in the Parish.

Contact: Paul Hawkes 0439 832 834

● Knitting Group (Knit & Knatter)

Will be held on Friday mornings at 10:00am - 11:30am in the Parish Family Centre.

Contact: Lorraine 8263 7333

● Lay Canossian Association

The Lay Canossian group meet on the First Tuesday of each month at 9:00am in the Parish Family Centre.

● Reflecting the Gospel

Every Wednesday at 9:00am in the Parish Family Centre.

Contact: Win Simons 8258 2314

● Rosary at St. Finbar's

Rosary held at St Finbar's 9.00am every Saturday.

Contact: Win Simons 8258 2314



Children's Liturgy of the Word

St Augustine's Church:

Saturdays at 6pm
Sundays at 9am & 6pm

St Finbar's Church:

Sundays at 9am

Holy Family Mass Centre

Sundays at 10:30am

NOTE: Children's Liturgy is for children in the age group of 5-12 years.

ADVENT WORKSHOP
SUNDAY, 23RD NOVEMBER
1:30pm - 4:00pm
Parish Family Centre
More details in next week's Echo

PARISH SCHOOLS

St Augustine's Parish School Years R - 6

25 Commercial Rd. Salisbury 5108
Ph: 8182 7900 Fax 8182 7999

Principal: Daniel Cowan

Holy Family Parish School Years R - 6

71 Shepherdson Rd. Parafield Gdns. 5107
Ph: 8250 6616 Fax 8250 3043

Principal: Christopher Platten

Thomas More College Years 7 - 12

23 Amsterdam Cres. Salisbury Downs 5108
Ph: 8182 2600 Fax: 8182 2699

Principal: Corey Tavella

NOTIZIE ITALIANE - Domenica 2 Novembre 2025

31^a Domenica - Anno C (Giovanni 6, 37-40.)

(Source: Pope Francis - Homily 2 November 2020)

In quel tempo, Gesù disse alla folla: «Tutto ciò che il Padre mi dà, verrà a me: colui che viene a me, io non lo caccierò fuori, perché sono disceso dal cielo non per fare la mia volontà, ma la volontà di colui che mi ha mandato. E questa è la volontà di colui che mi ha mandato: che io non perda nulla di quanto egli mi ha dato, ma che lo risusciti nell'ultimo giorno. Questa infatti è la volontà del Padre mio: che chiunque vede il Figlio e crede in lui abbia la vita eterna; e io lo risusciterò nell'ultimo giorno». Parola del Signore

«La speranza non delude», ci ha detto Paolo. La speranza ci attira e dà un senso alla nostra vita. La speranza è il dono di Dio che ci attira verso la vita, verso la gioia eterna. La speranza è un'ancora che noi abbiamo dall'altra parte, e noi, aggrappati alla corda, ci sosteniamo. «Io so che il mio Redentore è vivo e io lo vedrò». E questo, ripeterlo nei momenti di gioia e nei momenti brutti, nei momenti di morte. Questa certezza è un dono di Dio, perché noi non potremo mai avere la speranza con le nostre forze. Dobbiamo chiederla. La speranza è un dono gratuito che noi non meritiamo mai: è dato, è donato. È grazia. E poi, il Signore conferma questo, questa speranza che non delude: «Tutto ciò che il Padre mi dà, verrà a me». Questo è il fine della speranza: andare da Gesù. E «colui che viene a me, io non lo caccierò fuori perché sono disceso dal cielo non per fare la mia volontà, ma la volontà di colui che mi ha mandato». Il Signore che ci riceve là, dove c'è l'ancora. La vita in speranza è vivere così: aggrappati, con la corda in mano, forte, sapendo che l'ancora è laggiù. E quest'ancora non delude, non delude. Oggi, nel pensiero di tanti fratelli e sorelle che se ne sono andati, ci farà bene guardare i cimiteri e guardare su. E ripetere, come Giobbe: «Io so che il mio Redentore è vivo, e io lo vedrò, io stesso, i miei occhi lo contempleranno e non un altro». E questa è la forza che ci dà la speranza, questo dono gratuito che è la virtù della speranza. Che il Signore la dia a tutti noi.

***9 Novembre Messa multiculturale alle 9.30 invece della Messa in italiano**

***La prossima messa in italiano: Domenica 14 Dicembre 2025 alle 10.30am**

***Incontro Laiche Canossiane: Martedì 4 Novembre 2025 alle 9.00 am**

Archdiocesan Synod Formation Sessions Available Online

All are invited to prepare for the 2026 Archdiocesan Synod. To access the Synod Formation Series and information on upcoming sessions, visit

www.togetherontheway.au/formation-sessions or contact Peter Bierer (pbierer@adelaide.catholic.org.au)



WOMEN'S NETWORK COFFEE MORNING

AT JIVE'S CAFÉ, HOLLYWOOD PLAZA

Wednesday, 5th November 2025 at 10:30am

Looking forward to seeing you there.

Fran Renshaw on behalf of Women's Network

WEEKDAY & SUNDAY READINGS - ALL SOULS DAY - YEAR C

Monday, 3rd - Sunday 9th November 2025

Mon: St Martin de Porres

Rom 11:19-36; Ps 68:30-31,33-34,36-37; Lk 14:12-14

Tue: St Charles Borromeo

Rom 12:5-16; Ps 130; Lk 14:15-24

Wed: Rom 13:8-10; Ps 111:1-2,4-5,9; Lk 14:25-33

Thur: Rom 14:7-12; Ps 26:1,4,13-14; Lk 15:1-10

Fri: Rom 15:14-21; Ps 97:1-4; Lk 16:1-8

Sat: Rom 16:3-9,16,22-27; Ps 144:2-5,10-11; Lk 16:9-15

Sun: DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA - YEAR C

Ezek 47:1-2,8-9,12; Ps 45:2-3,5-6,8-9; 1 Cor 3:9-11,16-17; Jn 2:13-22



COUNTING ROSTER 2025

DATE SUPERVISORS & COUNTERS

02nd Nov Neil Walters & Helen Ryan

Christine Walters, Dennis Ryan & Peter McEvoy

09th Nov Peter Neylon & Bernadette Haggerty

Paul Haggerty & Beth Buckley

16th Nov Malcolm Allison & John McGrath

John McGrath Snr, Stan & Christina Zalupka

CHURCH CLEANING ROSTER

ST AUGUSTINE'S

6th Nov - Helen's Group

ST FINBAR'S

8th Nov - Daitol's Group

MASS PREPARATION TEAM

HOLY FAMILY

9th Nov - Rosie Rivera