



Morphett Vale Catholic Parish Bulletin

3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER - YEAR C SUNDAY 4TH MAY 2025

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PARISH MASSES FOR THE WEEK OF 5TH - 11TH MAY

Monday 5th May **No Mass**
Tuesday 6th May 9:15am
Wednesday 7th May 10:00am - Polish **ONLY**
Thursday 8th May **No Mass**
Friday 9th May 9:15am
Saturday 10th May 6:00pm Vigil Mass **ONLY**
Sunday 11th May 8:00am; 9:30am; 11:00am - Polish

REGULAR PARISH DEVOTIONS AND EVENTS

RECONCILIATION: After Saturday 9:00am Mass
PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK: Contact Parish Office
ROSARY: Monday - 7:30pm and after weekday Masses
ADORATION: Every Friday following 9:15am Mass until 11am
DIVINE MERCY DEVOTION: First Sunday at 3:00pm
SACRED HEART OF JESUS: First Friday Mass at 9:15am
IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY: First Saturday Mass at 9:00am
BAPTISM: Enquiry forms available from the Parish website
MARRIAGE: Six months notice - enquiries to the Parish Office
FUNERALS: Contact Fr Christopher or **text** Parish Mobile
CENACLE: Wednesday 1pm - 3pm in the Parish Hall -
PLAYGROUP: Thursday 10:00 am - Parish Hall - school terms

READINGS - YEAR C

3rd Sunday of Easter

4th May 2025

First Reading Acts 5:27-32, 40-41
Second Reading Rev. (Apocalypse) 5:11-14
Gospel John 21:1-19

4th Sunday of Easter

11th May 2025

Acts 13:14, 43-52
Rev. (Apocalypse) 7:9, 14-17
John 10:27-30

PSALM RESPONSE: I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me.

GOSPEL ACCL: Alleluia, alleluia!
Christ is risen; the Lord of all creation;
He has shown pity on all people. Alleluia!

GOSPEL: Jesus showed himself again to His disciples. It was by the Sea of Tiberias, and it happened like this: Simon Peter, Thomas called the Twin, Nathanael from Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee and two more of His disciples were together. Simon Peter said, "I'm going fishing." They replied, "We'll come with you." They went out and got into the boat but caught nothing that night. It was light by now and there stood Jesus on the shore, though the disciples did not realize it was Jesus. Jesus called out, "Have you caught anything, friends?" And when they answered "No," He said, "Throw the net out to the starboard and you'll find something." So they dropped the net and there were so many fish they could not haul it in. The disciple Jesus loved said to Peter, "It is the Lord." At these words 'It is the Lord', Simon Peter who had practically nothing on, wrapped his cloak round him and jumped into the water. The other disciples came on in the boat, towing the net and the fish; they were only about a hundred yards from land. As soon as they came ashore they saw that there was some bread there, and a charcoal fire with fish cooking on it. Jesus said, "Bring some of the fish you have just caught." Simon Peter went ashore and dragged the net to the shore, full of big fish, one hundred and fifty three of them; and in spite of there being so many the net was not broken. Jesus said to them, "Come and have breakfast". None of the disciples was bold enough to ask, 'Who are you?'; they knew quite well it was the Lord. Jesus then stepped forward, took the bread and gave it to them, and the same with the fish. This was the third time Jesus showed Himself to the disciples after rising from the dead. After the meal Jesus said to Simon Peter, "Simon, son of John, do you love Me more than these others do?" He answered, "Yes Lord, you know I love you." Jesus said to him, "Feed my lambs." A second time He said to him, "Simon, son of John, do you love Me?" He replied "Yes, Lord you know I love you." Jesus said to him, "Look after my sheep." The He said to him a third time, "Simon, son of John, do you love Me?" Peter was upset that He asked him a third time, "Do you love Me?" and said "Lord, you know everything, You know I love You." Jesus said to him, "Feed my sheep. I tell you most solemnly, when you were young you put on your own belt and walked where you liked; but when you grow old you will stretch out your hands, and somebody else will put a belt round you and take you where you would rather not go.' In these words He indicated the kind of death by which Peter would give glory to God. After this He said, 'Follow me.'

PLEASE PRAY FOR: Kevin O’Neil, Norman, Paul & Luke Zadey, George & Moussa Adam, Adam Adam, members of the Saba, Khoury Hannah families, and all who are mentioned in our Mass Intention Schedule below.

*Names cannot be published in the Bulletin without prior permission of the person or their family. Names of those who are unwell will be published for **2 weeks**, but can be re-listed at the request of the person or their family. Names should be given to the Parish Office by Tuesday afternoon. Emergencies can, of course, be accommodated.*

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL AND SPECIAL MASS INTENTIONS: Names for prayer requests are now listed in our Bulletin, and will be referred to as such in the Prayers of the Faithful. **Special Mass Intention** envelopes are available in the foyer of the Church. They can be filled in (please print VERY clearly) and either handed to Father after Mass or placed in the Offering bowl. Names for Special Mass Intentions are read by Father at the beginning of the Mass, and again during the Eucharistic Prayer.

Mass Intentions for this COMING Week - 5th - 11th May			
Mon 5			NO MASS
Tues 6		9:15 am	Repose of the souls of members of the Boryszewski, Lowczak, Kozlowski, Kasprzyk, and Szewczyk Families
Wed 7		10:00 am	Repose of the soul of Wieslawe Kubicka on the anniversary of their death
		6:00 pm	NO MASS
Thurs 8		9:15am	NO MASS
Fri 9		9:15am	Repose of the souls of Genowefa & Henryk Fitas
Sat 10		9:00am	NO MASS
		6:00 pm	Repose of the soul of Felicity
Sun 11	4th Sunday of Easter	8:00 am	Repose of the soul of Mario Villa
		9:30 am	Repose of the souls of members of the family of Madeleine Zadey
		11:00 am	Repose of the soul of Marek Berent

FATHER CHRISTOPHER'S LEAVE: Father Christopher is leave. So for anything **URGENT** please **TEXT the parish mobile: 0494 082 837**. The office is open on Tuesdays and Fridays between 10:00 am and 2:00 pm. Please check the bulletin for alterations to the schedule of Masses. Thank you.

GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY: Next Sunday 11th May is a World Day of Prayer for Vocations. Please pray for all who are considering a vocation as priest, deacon, sister or brother.

MARIAN PROCESSION: This will be held on Sunday 18 May, commencing at 2:00pm. Beginning at Victoria Park, the procession will continue up Wakefield Street into Victoria Square.—All are welcome and for more information please contact the Archdiocesan Events on 82108220. The office is also seeking volunteers on 17th and 18th May to support the procession - please contact them to offer your help.

PROJECT COMPASSION AND HOLY LAND DONATIONS: can still be returned to the church. Thank you for your generous support.

CEMETERY WORKING BEE DATE CHANGE: Please note that the next Cemetery working bee date has been changed. It will be **held on Saturday 17th May**, from 9:00am) **NOT** the 24th of May. We apologise if this inconveniences you, but it is unavoidable. Thank you.



ROSTERS: We will soon be calling for volunteers for the next roster BUT it will be a little different. We are going to trial a quarterly roster—July, August & September - as we think this might allow a little more flexibility to plan for those fortunate ones who get to go on holidays, and to bring new volunteers in (almost) as soon as they volunteer. This time around, EVERY PROSPECTIVE & CURRENT VOLUNTEER will need to fill in a new form - one form per person, thanks. The new forms will be available soon. Thank you for considering being a volunteer.

WHAT OUR DONATIONS ARE FOR

First Collection: This collection is for the Priests of the Adelaide Archdiocese.

2nd Collection: This collection is for the running of our parish and our pastoral and charitable works.

Last Sunday of the Month: This collection is for the purchase of flowers and candles for our parish.

Other Special Collections: happen throughout the year for various purposes.

WAYS TO DONATE

Bank Transfer:

A/c Name: Morphett Vale Catholic Parish
BSB: 066 782 Account: 1000 00 371
Reference: Surname *and your ID (if you wish)*

Planned Giving:

New forms will be available in the Church foyer soon. In the meantime, please contact the Parish Office

Good Giving App QR Code :

for your mobile device
or computer



OR YOU COULD USE 'TAPPY'

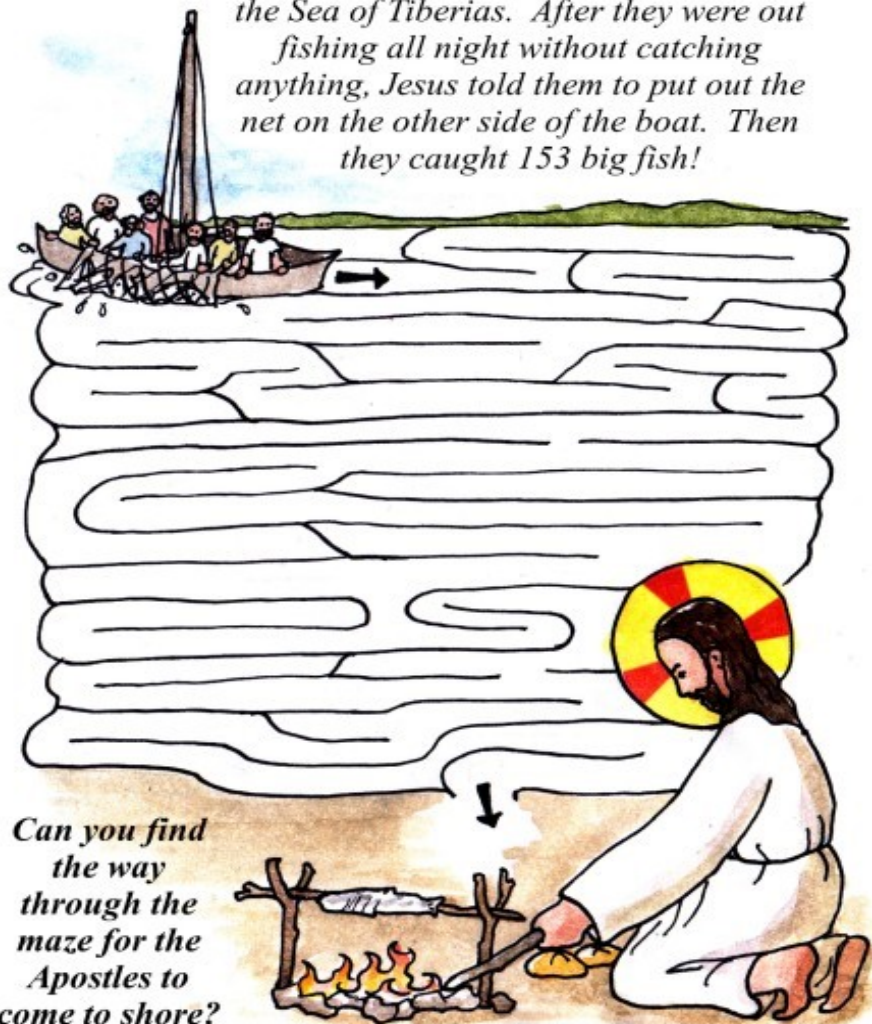
'Tappy' is the EFTPOS machine just by the foyer door in the Church. It is a simple, secure, fast and touch free way of donating to our parish and is an alternative to donation by envelope or direct debit. It can be used with your credit card or your mobile phone app (just like at the supermarket). If the card you use has four wavy lines on it - it's all ready to use. If you want to use your smart phone, you will need to add your card number to your phone's wallet app.



The Kids' Bulletin

Third Sunday of Easter
May 4th, 2025

The third time that the Apostles saw Jesus after He rose from the dead was at the Sea of Tiberias. After they were out fishing all night without catching anything, Jesus told them to put out the net on the other side of the boat. Then they caught 153 big fish!



*Can you find
the way
through the
maze for the
Apostles to
come to shore?*

John 21.1-19

Do You Love Me?

Simon, son
of John, do
you love Me?



In today's Gospel reading, Jesus asked Peter three times if he loved Him. Peter was a bit offended that Jesus asked him the same thing three times. After all, Jesus knew everything- so He knew that Peter loved Him.

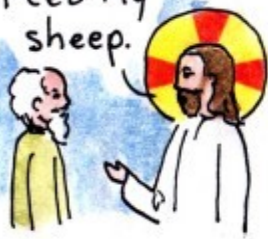
But think back to a few weeks ago: on Holy Thursday night some people asked Peter if he even knew Jesus, and he said "No!" three times! Maybe Jesus was trying to show Peter that it's easy to say "I love you," but it's harder to really love Him.

Lord, You
know I
love You!



If Jesus asked you today, "Do you love me?"

Feed My
sheep.



what would you say to Him? What would you do to show Him that you really do love Him? The best ways to love Jesus are talking to Him every day in prayer, and being good to the people around you- they are taking Jesus' place for you. Are

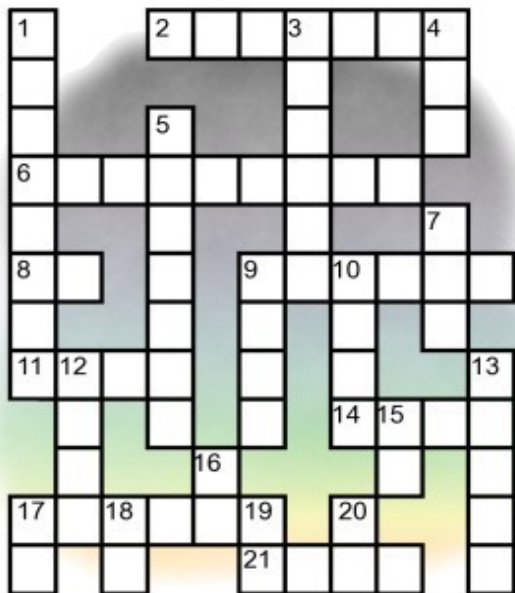
you ready to show your love for Jesus?

Answers to Cross-Word puzzle: Across: 2.weeping 6.rejoicing 8.in 9.helper
11.give 14.dawn 17.moment 21.over
Down: 1.mourning 3.praise 4.God 5.forever 7.let 9.holy 10.Lord 12.into
13.anger 15.at 16.on 17.my 18.me 19.to 20.be

Psalm 30 Cross-Word

Use the words from the list to fill in the blanks in the Psalm and the puzzle.

ANGER	GOD
HELPER	DAWN
WEEPING	LET
REJOICING	AT
OVER	LORD
PRAISE	BE
HOLY	TO
FOREVER	ON
MOMENT	ME
GIVE	IN
MOURNING	MY
INTO	



I will extol you, _____, **10D** for you drew me clear
and did not _____ **7D** _____ **17D** enemies rejoice _____ **21A** me.
O Lord, you brought _____ **18D** up from the netherworld;
You preserved me from among those
going down _____ **12D** the pit.

Sing _____ **3D** to the Lord, you his faithful ones,
and _____ **11A** thanks _____ **19D** his _____ **9D** name.
For his _____ **13D** lasts but a _____; **17A**
A lifetime, his good will.

_____ **15D** nightfall _____ **2A** enters _____, **8A**
But with the _____, **14A** _____, **6A**

Hear, O Lord, and have pity _____ **16D** me;
O Lord, _____ **20D** my _____, **9A**
You changed my _____ **1D** into dancing;
O Lord my _____, **4D** _____ **5D** I will give you thanks.

