

**NEXT SUNDAY
MOUNTAIN SUNDAY
23 September 2018**

8.30 am at Aldgate—Sung Eucharist
9.30 am Bridgewater—All Age Eucharist
10.00am at Crafers—Choral Eucharist
Crafers Treble Choir to sing

READINGS FOR MOUNTAIN SUNDAY

Isaiah 65:17-25

Psalm: 48:1-11 (APBA Page 270)

Romans 8:28-39 Mark 16:14-18

**Hymns at Crafers & Aldgate
672(ii) 755 166 155**

4.30pm Christian Meditation at Bev Armstrong's

Epiphany Adult Choir

A new choir for services will begin rehearsing on Thursday 20th September, 7pm-9pm in the Parish Hall.

All are welcome to join.

Aiming to sing our first service on Sunday 30th September. To express interest or for more information, please contact the Parish Office or

Alex Roose-Crafers Treble Choir Director
adroose@gmail.com or 0426 117 437.

Aboriginal Spirituality

Ivan Copley, an elder of the local Peramangk people, will be speaking on 'the Spirituality of the Aboriginal Peoples' as a part of the Seminary of the 3rd Age series. **7pm Thurs 11 October, 26 King William St, Wayville.**

If you are interested in hearing Ivan please book online (tickets \$15) www.trybooking.com/317240 or ring ELC office on 8271 0329 & RSVP Jeff (jtoake@gmail.com.au) to let him know you'll be joining us.

**2.00 pm Service of Blessing of the Animals
Sunday 30 September**



Bring your pets, and invite your family & friends to bring theirs, too, for a blessing at the Church of the Ascension, Aldgate.

Afternoon tea in the hall afterwards.



LOOKING AHEAD

Thursday 27 September:

No Choir rehearsal-Treble Choir resumes 18 October

Friday 28 September: **Last day of School Term 3**

Waldorf School Formal at Parish Hall, Crafers

Saturday 29 September: *St Michael & All Angels*

2.00pm Order of St Luke's Meeting Aldgate Hall

Sunday 30 September:

St Michael's Day/ Blessing of the Animals Sunday

Epiphany Adult Choir to sing at Crafers

11.15 am St Michaels Day Festival Brunch at Bridgewater

2.00pm Blessing of the Animals service at Aldgate

Tuesday 2 October:

5.30pm Meal night at the Village Well

Thursday 4 October: *St Francis of Assisi*

No Choir rehearsal-Treble Choir resumes 18 October



Celebratory Brunch at Bridgewater

Sunday 30 September 11.15am following the

St Michael's Day Service at

St Michael & All Angels,

435 Mt Barker Rd, Bridgewater.

Service begins at 9.30am Please join us. —All welcome!

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ANGLICAN PARISH OF STIRLING



- ◆ *Living as a faith community*
- ◆ *Active in the world as God's people*
- ◆ *Reaching out with the Gospel*

*For thousands of years, Indigenous people have walked in this land, on their own country. **We acknowledge** that we gather to worship God on the traditional lands of the Peramangk people. We pay our respects to their Elders, the custodians of their memories, traditions, culture and hopes.*

We welcome all visitors and newcomers who have come to worship with us.

Communicant members of other Christian denominations are welcome to receive the Sacrament of Holy Communion.

Please stay for a cuppa with us after the service.

Sentence:

The sky proclaims the glory of God,
and the firmament announces the work
of God's hands.

Collect:

God, our Creator, as we look into the skies
we celebrate the wonders
of the worlds that surround us.
Help us to see your presence in the evening sky,
your spirit in the wind, your mercy in the falling rain.
Teach us to hear the good news from the sky
celebrating the glory of God in Earth.
Rejoice with us as we behold the dawn
revealing the mysteries of the skies above
and Earth below.
In the name of Christ who unites heaven and Earth.
Amen.

Today's Readings

Jeremiah 4:23-28

Psalm: 19:1-6 (APBA Page 239)

Philippians 2:14-18 Mark 15:33-39

**Hymns at Crafers & Aldgate
188 207 153 166(t158)**

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**16 SEPTEMBER 2018
SKY SUNDAY**

TODAY SKY SUNDAY

Music at Crafers Matthias

Music of the service at Aldgate Addington
We welcome back the Reverend Sonya Paterson
who will celebrate & preach at Aldgate and
preach at Crafers this morning.

Music of the service at Bridgewater Chataway
Bridgewater Hymns: 181 326 658 188

Psalm 19:1-6 (APBA Page 229)

4.30pm Christian Meditation at Bev Armstrong's



Adelaide Benefit Concert Choir present:

A concert to support

The Kwatja Etatha Playgroup

in Alice Springs, Lutheran Community Care.

2.30pm

Sunday 28 October in Glynde Lutheran Church.

Also featuring associated performers and
community choirs.

Cost \$20/10 or Donation at the door.

If you are interested in joining the choir for this concert,
contact Joan Claring-Bould Ph 0409 520823

The ABC Choir is an ecumenical choir—good music,
good fun & fundraising!

SAFER MINISTRY TRAINING

Please speak to your Church Warden if you are unsure
whether you are required to do the training.

Safer Church Communities training.

Register online, Parish Website www.stirlinganglican.org.au

Please Note: Police Check Forms are also required by all
attending training. Forms are available from Parish Office.

Please complete by hand, have a **JP or the Police** sign the
form to say ID documents have been seen, then Parish will
lodge your form with the Diocese.

Justice of the Peace available at Stirling Library:

Tues 10-12, Thursday 2-4pm, 6.30-8pm, Saturday 1-3pm.

Or check online <http://jp.agd.sa.gov.au/JPPublicWeb>

FOR YOU TO REMEMBER IN YOUR PRIVATE DAILY PRAYERS:

• We pray for members of the Parish Council, the
Pastoral Care Commission and Renewal Group to
discern God's leading and guide us well.

• The Papunya Partnership

• Grant Hay's Ministry

• Parish families in our Community Directory U-Z

• Those in need of our prayers—Kathryn, Pamela, Patience, Paula,
Noel & Denny, Vida, Clementine & Beatrice, Peter H, Betty, Pat,
Ruth, Ian Woodall, Georgie, Barbara, Jane, Margot, Sean, Karen,
William and Sophie, Charlotte, Brittany, Mark, Sharon, Rosemary,
John and Viv, Angela, Sharon, Rosie., Ken

To remove a name from this list, contact the Office.

To include people on this list, please contact one of the Pastoral
Care Committee: Bob and Avril Dalby, Ruth Giles, Heather Hales,
Annie Mann, Libby Parkin, Sue Pike, Lyn Wuttke.



AnglicareSA

The Magdalene Centre is moving to 82 Gilbert St
Adelaide in October. Read about the move in the latest
edition of CONNECT Newsletter—available at each
church. **Donations to 82 Gilbert St from 8 Oct.**



BCA Box Opening Month:

Please leave your boxes at the
Parish Office or give to Barb Riches,
our BCA contact.

WORK WANTED

A lovely lady, Mary Minagall, who has long been associated
with the Parish, is in urgent need of paid work.

She has degrees in Law and Biotechnology and worked in
research until the work ran out. She has held administrative
and waitressing positions and has just finished working as a
cook in a Childcare Facility.

She is willing to consider any kind of paid work. If you know
of anyone who needs a reliable, willing worker please contact

Mary 0424264677.

Many thanks, Sandie Coff.

THIS WEEK

Monday 17 September: *Hildegard of Bingen, abbess (d 1179)*
Clergy Retreat 17-21 September
9.00am Christian Meditation at Bev Armstrong's
1.30-4pm EfM meeting, Parish Hall, Crafers

Tuesday 18 September: *John R Wollaston, WA (d 1856)*

Wednesday 19 September:

9.00am Christian Meditation at Bev Armstrong's
10.00am Holy Communion at Aldgate followed by Coffee
1-4pm Rob Dawe Singing lesson, Crafers Church
7.30pm Meditation at Aldgate.

Thursday 20 September : *John C Patteson, Melanesia (d 1871)*

10.00am French Conversation, Parish Hall
1.30-3.30 U3A Circle Dancing, Parish Hall
4.30pm Treble Choir rehearsal at Crafers
7-9pm **Epiphany Adult Choir rehearsal**, Parish Hall

Friday 21 September: *Matthew, Apostle, Evangelist & Martyr*

11.00am Wedding rehearsal at Crafers
5.30pm Evening Prayer at Aldgate

Saturday 22 September:

3.00pm **Wedding of Rachel Bailes & Andrea Shershoff**
(Fr Brendan Purcell) and Refreshments, Parish Hall.

The Season of Creation



During this four-week season,

we experience God's nurturing presence
and acknowledge Earth as our teacher,
source, and guide; and take our place



within Creation rather than over and above it. We recog-
nize, also, the crisis that Creation faces through human
exploitation. As we imagine a world where beauty is de-
stroyed, we are encouraged to live in and toward restored
and renewed heavens and Earth.

We are called to be bridges, not barriers; to contemplate
the tough questions, address those things that get in the
way of faithful living; and to embrace the way of inclusion,
love, and just living.

Sunday 2 September: **Planet Earth Sunday**
Sunday 9 September: **Humanity Sunday**
Sunday 16 September: **Sky Sunday**
Sunday 23 September: **Mountain Sunday**
Sunday 30 September: **Blessing of the Animals**

For more information : Search for
Season of Creation 2018.