

First Reading

Amos 7:12-15

A reading from the prophet Amos
Go, prophesy to my people.

Amaziah, the priest of Bethel, said to Amos, 'Go away, seer; get back to the land of Judah; earn your bread there, do your prophesying there. We want no more prophesying in Bethel; this is the royal sanctuary, the national temple.' 'I was no prophet, neither did I belong to any of the brotherhoods of prophets.' Amos replied to Amaziah, 'I was a shepherd, and looked after sycamores: but it was the Lord who took me from herding the flock, and the Lord who said, "Go, prophesy to my people Israel."'

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.**Responsorial Psalm**

Ps 84:9-14

R. Lord, show us your mercy and love, and grant us your salvation.
I will hear what the Lord God has to say, a voice that speaks of peace, peace for his people.

His help is near for those who fear him and his glory will dwell in our land. **R.**

Mercy and faithfulness have met; justice and peace have embraced.
Faithfulness shall spring from the earth and justice look down from heaven. **R.**
The Lord will make us prosper and our earth shall yield its fruit.
Justice shall march before him and peace shall follow his steps. **R.**

Second Reading

Ephesians 1:3-14

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Ephesians
Before the world was made, he chose us in Christ.

Blessed be God the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us with all the spiritual blessings of heaven in Christ. Before the world was made, he chose us, chose us in Christ, to be holy and spotless, and to live through love in his presence, determined that we should become his adopted sons, through Jesus Christ for his own kind purposes, to make us praise the glory of his grace, his free gift to us in the Beloved in whom, through his blood, we gain our freedom, the forgiveness of our sins. Such is the richness of the grace which he has showered on us in all wisdom and insight. He has let us know the mystery of his purpose, the hidden plan he so kindly made in Christ from the beginning to act upon when the times

had run their course to the end: that he would bring everything together under Christ, as head, everything in the heavens and everything on earth.
And it is in him that we were claimed as God's own, chosen from the beginning, under the predetermined plan of the one who guides all things as he decides by his own will; chosen to be, for his greater glory, the people who would put their hopes in Christ before he came. Now you too, in him, have heard the message of the truth and the good news of your salvation, and have believed it: and you have been stamped with the seal of the Holy Spirit of the Promise, the pledge of our inheritance which brings freedom for those whom God has taken for his own, to make his glory praised.
The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.**Gospel Acclamation**

cf Ephesians 1:17-18

Alleluia, alleluia!
May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our heart that we might see how great is the hope to which we are called.
Alleluia!

Gospel

Mark 6:7-13

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark
He called the Twelve, and began to send them out.

Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out in pairs giving them authority over the unclean spirits. And he instructed them to take nothing for the journey except a staff - no bread, no haversack, no coppers for their purses. They were to wear sandals, but, he added, 'Do not take a spare tunic.' And he said to them, 'If you enter a house anywhere, stay there until you leave the district. And if any place does not welcome you and people refuse to listen to you, as you walk away shake off the dust from under your feet as a sign to them.' So they set off to preach repentance; and they cast out many devils, and anointed many sick people with oil and cured them.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION****15th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

"He instructed them to take nothing for the journey but a walking stick - no food, no sack, no money in their belts."
- MARK 6:8

Imagine taking nothing but a stick when you go on a trip. The Apostles must have really trusted in God's providential care. Think of all the material things "we can't live without" in today's world. We make our life's journey more difficult because of all the material baggage that we drag along. Putting God first in everything and putting our money and possessions second gives us freedom because we don't become "slaves" to wanting to acquire more things.

Next week's readings - 18th July 2021
16th Sunday in Ordinary Time Yr B

First Reading Jeremiah 23:1-6
Psalm Ps 22
Second Reading Ephesians 2:13-18
Acclamation John 10:27
Gospel Mark 6:30-34

**Blackwood Catholic Community**

Parish Newsletter

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B

St Paul of the Cross Our Lady of the Way
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11th July 2021

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BAPTISMS & WEDDINGS
By appointment
Please contact the Office

MASS TIMES
St. Paul of the Cross (SPC)
Tuesday 9:30am
Wednesday 9:30am
Friday 11:00am
Sunday 8:00am

Our Lady of the Way (OLW)
Wednesday 7:00pm
Thursday 9:30am
Saturday 6:00pm
Sunday 10:00am

CONFESSIONS
SPC - Friday 10:30 to 10:55am
OLW - Saturday 5:30 to 5:50pm

HOLY HOUR
OLW - Wednesday 7:30 to 8:30pm

BENEDICTION
SPC - 3rd Sunday of the Month
Following 8am Mass

ROSARY FOR PEACE
OLW - Monday 10:30am

PRAYER BEFORE MASS**Prayer for Vocations**

Jesus you are the Good Shepherd who is always mindful of your Church. Watch over those who are baptised in your name and grant peace and harmony to all families. We ask you to choose from the families of our parish many priests, deacons, sisters and brothers who will gladly spend their lives making you known and loved.

Amen**INTRODUCTION****THE MISSION OF THE TWELVE**

Before sending out the Twelve on a missionary journey, Jesus talks to them in great detail about how they are to dress and behave while on the mission. He knows that actions speak louder than words and that people will listen to what the Twelve say only if they live and act in a manner that wins respect.

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

As for me, in justice I shall behold your face;
I shall be filled with the vision of your glory.

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup,
we proclaim your Death, O Lord,
until you come again.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

The sparrow finds a home,
and the swallow a nest for her young:
by your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God.
Blessed are they who dwell in your house,
for ever singing your praise.

PRAYER FOLLOWING MASS**St. Michael the Archangel prayer**

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou O Prince of the Heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. **Amen**

St Joseph pray for us.

July 2021

Tuesday 13th
Cards and Boardgames
 10am in The Cottage. Novices and experienced players welcome.

Thursday 15th
Celebrating Eucharist Today
 7:30-9:00pm register by email to obtain Zoom link at:
catholicsforanevolvingchurch@gmail.com

Saturday 17th and Sunday 18th
Leaving Collection
 Apostleship of the Sea Appeal 2021

Sunday 18th
Morning Tea - OLW
 In The Cottage following 10am Mass

Wednesday 21st
Ministry Formation Program
 9:30am-1:00pm Catholic Education Centre, Thebarton. Being responsive and responsible to young people - presented by Holly Roberts. Registration essential
 Ph: 8210 8169
 Email: mfpadmin@adelaide.catholic.org.au

Friday 23rd
10am - Uthana Yoga in The Cottage
 Beatrice is offering a new session to help with balance, strengthening and flexibility. This is in addition to existing classes, Monday 9am, Wednesday 6:30pm and Friday 8:30am. Please contact Beatrice for more information 0405 799 210

Saturday 24th
Threshold: Road Trip—young adult pilgrimage
 All day event to be held at Sevenhill. The pilgrimage will start in Adelaide and travel by bus or private vehicle to Sevenhill. This is an event for young people over the age of 18 and out of school. For more information check out the COYYA website.
www.cathoyouthadelaide.org.au/road-trip
 Please book at: www.trybooking.com/BQJOO

Sunday 25th
World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly
 More information will be available next week.

Wednesday 28th
 CBC Information session for students in years 9-11
 6pm Public Session - 7pm CBC Students
 Register at: www.cbc.sa.edu.au/tours

Friday 30th
St Vincent Pallotti Scholarship Trust
 Closing day for scholarship applications. More information and application forms available at:
<https://pallottine.org.au>

Saturday 31st
National Men's Gathering - see notice opposite
 For more information please go to:
www.nce.catholic.org.au/catholic-men-s-gathering-2021-speakers
 Register for the Blackwood Parish Host Site - Blackwood Parish Cottage at
www.nce.catholic.org.au/catholicmen

August 2021

Sunday 1st
Morning Tea - SPC
 In carport following 8am Mass

Morning Tea - OLW
 In The Cottage following 10am Mass

Friday 6th
Community Breakfast - Chris Baggoley
 Please contact June or Peter if you are no longer able to attend or would like to go on the waiting list. Ph: 0413 910 234.

Saturday 7th
Refundable Bottle Collection for Vinnies
 Last months raised \$55 for those in need. Please contact John Simpson to arrange collection. Ph: 8278 8058

Sunday 8th
Feast of St Mary MacKillop - Penola Parish
 Mass will be celebrated at 9am, 11am and 4pm with the veneration of the First Class relic after all Masses. The sacrament of reconciliation will be available before each mass.

Plenary Council Assembly
 3-10th October 2021
<https://adelaide.catholic.org.au/news-and-events/plenary-council-2021>



Please pray for family and friends listed below, those named previously and those who wish to remain anonymous

Sick: Teresa and Tony Lavers, Gary Stafford, Greg Collins, Roger Sawley, Laura Fazzalari, Dieter Marwede, Jemima Leydon, Tamika Harrison (Maria Marwede's granddaughter) Theresa Kemelfield

Recently Deceased: Margaret Granger, Beth Ward (Tony Ward's mother)

Anniversary: Brian O'Loughlin

Please let the office know if you would like names added or removed from the prayer list.



Child Safe Environments
Our Community Response to Child Abuse and Neglect
 Statements of attendance for the May 6th 2021 Volunteer Briefing Session are now available for collection in the foyer of OLW.



If you require a priest please contact
Fr Tony Telford-Sharp 8278 6619



Catholic Men's Gathering

Blackwood Catholic Parish
The Cottage
 10:00am - 2:00pm

BYO Lunch - Tea and Coffee provided

Registration essential
www.nce.catholic.org.au/catholicmen

Contact Glyn Ashman for more information.
Email: ashman6@internode.on.net
Ph: 0417 800 148

Planned Giving Envelopes

Envelopes for 2021/2022 are available in the foyer at OLW. If you are unable to collect yours please contact the office to arrange delivery. Thank you



WANTED - COVID Marshals

We are desperate for additional volunteers to serve as COVID Marshals at both Churches.

Training is provided on line at:
<https://marshal.clickontraining.com.au/>

If you would like further information please contact Barbara on 0417 858 170.

Adelaide Diocesan Assembly **17th Sep - 18th Sep 2021**
Cabra Dominican College

In preparation for Diocesan Assembly you are invited to reflect on and respond to the following questions:
 a) What are the challenges and opportunities in your community?
 b) How can we as a church best fulfil our mission to be people of God in this place?
 c) What do you think are the most important things to discuss at the Diocesan Assembly?

'Response' postcards are available in the foyer of both churches or you may prefer to respond on line at:
www.adelaidediocesanassembly.org/respond
 Please post these to the diocesan office or leave them in the response boxes in the foyer of either church.

You can view the Diocesan Assembly Video and find more information at:
www.adelaidediocesanassembly.org

Please take this opportunity to have your say.

COVID Update 5th July 2021

Official Requirements

- 3 person to 4 square metres.
- Singing by a single performer or choir allowed if able to maintain social distance.
- Masks are advised but are not mandatory.
- People are asked to maintain physical distancing.
- No shared utensils or buffet style food service.

Additional Requirements issued by the Archdiocese

- All food must be individually wrapped.
- People must be seated if food is being consumed.
- Two volunteers are required to manage the serving and distribution of tea/coffee and food.

Please follow the directions of the COVID Marshals.

Blackwood Catholic Parish Weekend Roster

	OLW		SPC	OLW		SPC
	10th Jul	11th Jul	11th Jul	17th Jul	18th Jul	18th Jul
	6pm	10am	8am	6pm	10am	8am
READER	Leo Fogarty	Jenny Horne	Peter Donovan	Chris Baggoley	Peter Smalles	Phil Doyle
COVID MARSHAL	Frank Tomas	Julie Langman	Terry Tierney	Frank Tomas	Julie Langman	Terry Tierney
	Kevin Gogler	Barb Colla	Peter Shepherd	Kevin Gogler	Barb Colla	Peter Shepherd
Altar Server		Rebekah	Michael Anderson		Rebekah	Stephen Gensemer
		Michael	Stephen Gensemer		Michael	Patrick Rodda
ALTAR PREP	B Baggoley	Annette Harrison	Vicki Davey	B Baggoley	Annette Harrison	Vicki Davey
MUSIC	Loreen Tomas	Georgian Singers	Trevor Fuller	Loreen Tomas	Folk Singers	Jill Tierney
FLOWERS	Barbara Baggoley		Jill Tierney	Marta Cunningham		Clare Jennings