

JUDE'S NEWS

Attending to God

Please find attached to this email a new series provided by Michael Hillier – Attending to God. There will be hard copies available at the back of the church.

What's happening at St Jude's

Office closed Friday, 24th October.

John Candy will be taking the service on Friday, 24th October.

Andrea will be leading the ordination retreat and unavailable Thursday 23rd and Friday 24th.

Ordination Service Saturday 25th October

All are welcome to attend, the Ordination service at 10am at St Peter's Cathedral this Saturday, 25th October. Andrea will be preaching at the service. Please pray for Jack Monaghan (and the others, Thomas Bassett and Rebecca Newell) who are to be priested.

St Jude's Day Sunday 26th October

Sunday, 26th October we are celebrating St Jude's Day with one service at 10am. All are welcome to come along and stay after the service for the party!

Anglican parish of Brighton

St Jude's Day 2025

10am worship 26th October

Please stay for the party in Grundy Hall after worship.

All welcome!



Anglicare Hampers 2025

St Jude's is supporting the Anglicare Christmas Hamper Drive again this year. Please consider donating a hamper or split the list with a friend to make a complete hamper. Hampers are due by Sunday, 30th November.

Christmas Hamper and Toy Drive 2025



Hamper Items:

- · Breakfast Cereal (375g)
- · Long life milk (1L)
- · Can of fruit (825g)
- · Spread (peanut butter, jam, vegemite) (400g)
- Pasta (500g)
- Pasta Sauce (500g)
- · Can of Vegetables 425g (peas, corn etc)
- Can of Tuna (425g)
- · Rice Pouch (250g) (microwaveable)
- 2-minute instant Noodles pk of 5

- Pkt savoury biscuits (Jatz, shapes or rice crackers)
- · Pkt of sweet biscuits
- Bag of Lollies (400g)
- · Coffee (50g 100g)
- · Tea (box 50 bags)
- · Pkt of sugar (1kg)
- · Christmas Cake/Pudding
- · Christmas Mince Pies
- · Quick Custard sachet (80g)



Drop off items to St Jude's Church – 444 Brighton Rd By Sunday, 30th November 2025



Family Fun Festivities

We are now just 31 days away from our family fun festivities. We hope that you will invite your neighbours, family and friends to this event which will showcase the amazing things we do here at St Jude's. We would love you to put the flier on your Facebook page if you are comfortable doing that.

This year we decided to pre-sell the raffle tickets. The tickets are being printed now, and we hope that you can all take a book (or 2 or 3) to sell to your friends and neighbours. The tickets are \$2.00 each and there are 10 tickets in a book. We already have prizes of dining vouchers, Christmas bags of goodies, baskets of produce and a decorated Christmas cake. Tim and Julia Butler have kindly agreed to coordinate the raffle, and tickets will be available from them. Kathryn will announce at church when they are available. The proceeds of the raffle are going to the children's playground.

The program of entertainment is taking shape and there will be music, singing and perhaps dancing! There will be some yummy food available. The stalls will be well stocked, and you can purchase cakes, biscuits, produce, Christmas gifts (think Kris Kringle and teacher gifts). There will be Lions

Christmas cakes and puddings. The 1.5 kg Christmas cakes will be \$20.00, smaller 1 kg cakes and 900 gm puddings will be \$16.00. The cakes and puddings have been generously donated to us by the Brighton Lions club. If you wish to reserve any of these (so you don't miss out) please let Pauline or Kathryn know. Best news ever - we will be having the Hahndorf Farm Barn animals for the children to interact with. Sarah will have other activities for children to wear them out before bedtime.

Let's all work together to make this a great evening of information sharing and family fun. Pauline, Kathryn, Didy and Barbara

Volunteers of the Week - Georgia & Zara Parkin

This week we give special thanks to Georgia and Zara, two wonderful young volunteers who bring energy, warmth, and generosity to our weekly Community Meal. Whether it's meal prep, serving, or lending a cheerful hand wherever it's needed, their willingness to help and their joyful spirits make a real difference. We're so grateful for all they contribute to creating a welcoming and caring space for our community!



Thank you Georgia and Zara who bring energy, smiles, and helping hands to our Community

Meal each week!

ST JUDE'S VOLUNTEER OF THE WEEK



Synod Recap

Rev'd Andrea had the honour of giving thanks on behalf of Synod for the President's Address and for his time as our Archbishop and Primate – a motion that was received with a standing ovation for the Archbishop. The Laying up of the Archbishop's Staff will take place on November 1st at St Peter's Cathedral.

Thank you to our Synod representatives: Kathryn Pugh, Roger Read and Virginia Summers for attending Synod on our behalf. A full synod update will be provided to the parish in the coming weeks.

Reminders:

Mothers' Union Visit to Cummins House

We invite everyone to join us for a Tour and Morning Tea at Cummins House in Novar Gardens on the 23rd of October at 10:30am. The cost will be \$20.00. Bring a friend, or a car full of friends, the more the merrier. The address is 23 Sheoak Avenue, Novar Gardens. Please let Pam Binks, Julie Gameau or Norma Champion know if you can attend.





Community Meal Sponsor – CMV Group

We warmly thank the CMV Group for their generous donation of \$2,000 towards St Jude's Community Meal. Their support makes a real difference in helping us provide nourishing meals and fellowship to those in our community. We are truly grateful for their generosity and commitment to our mission.

Prayer of the Week:

Almighty God, your Son has opened for us a new and living way into your presence: give us pure hearts and steadfast wills to worship you in spirit and in truth; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Prayer List:

Christopher, Draginja (Holly), Emerson, Harper, Hazel, Jane, Joy, Judy, Lange, Lesley, Lilly, Lola, Lyla, Margaret, Marilia, Norma, Peter, Peter & Kath, Rachel, Sabrina, Sharyn, Victoria.

PRAYER FOR A NEW BISHOP

Eternal God, shepherd and guide,
in your mercy give your church in the Diocese of Adelaide
a shepherd after your own heart who will walk in your
ways, and with loving care watch over your people.
Give us a leader of vision and a teacher of your truth.
So may your church be built up and your name glorified;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen