

# 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.

## **PETER CRAWFORD**



Funeral at St Jude's on Saturday, 11<sup>th</sup> October at 11am.

May he rest in peace and rise in glory.

#### **Peter Crawford Funeral**

Peter Crawford's funeral will be at St Jude's on Saturday, 11<sup>th</sup> October at 11am. Please keep Peter's family and friends in your thoughts and prayers. May Peter rest in peace and rise in glory.

#### **Judy Crichton Funeral**

Judy Crichton's funeral will be at St Jude's on Friday, 17<sup>th</sup> October at 2pm. Please keep Judy's family and friends in your thoughts and prayers. May Judy rest in peace and rise in glory.

#### Volunteer of the Week – John Wenzel

This week we give special thanks to John, our dedicated Treasurer, for his faithful service and steady leadership behind the scenes. John's careful management of St Jude's finances ensures that our ministries can continue to grow and serve the community. We are so grateful for his commitment, attention to detail, and the many hours he gives to keep everything running smoothly!



John keeps our finances faithful and our budgets blessed, thank you for all you do!

ST JUDE'S VOLUNTEER OF THE WEEK



#### Thank you!

Thank you to everyone who attended the Pet Blessing service on Sunday and who supported the craft group mini stall.

#### Farewell Eucharist Service - The Most Reverend Geoff Smith

The Anglican Diocese of Adelaide is inviting you to the Farewell Eucharist Service and Laying Up of Pastoral Staff for The Most Reverend Geoff Smith on Saturday, 1 November 2025 at St Peter's Cathedral, 27 King William Road, North Adelaide SA 5006. Please see attached invitation.

#### St Michaels Sacred Space Program



#### Hymn Fest – Sunday 19 October, 5:00pm

Join us at St Michael's, Mitcham for a joyful Hymn Fest as part of the Sacred Space Program. Come and sing some of your favourite hymns—and maybe discover a new one or two! We're thrilled to have Mitcham City Brass joining us to provide the music and truly lift the roof of the church. We look forward to sharing this uplifting evening of music and praise with you.

#### Engaging with the Psalms – Sunday 26 October, 5:00pm

You're warmly invited to a Sacred Space session at St Michael's, Mitcham on Engaging with the Psalms. The Rev'd Dr Matthew Anstey, who is currently translating the Psalms and recently trialled the new translation in worship, will lead this session. Come along to explore how we can use and engage with the Psalms in fresh and meaningful ways. Join us at 5:00pm on Sunday 26 October for this enriching experience.



#### **Reminders:**

#### St Jude's Pre-Christmas Fair

We are well into planning this event and hope to have the entertainment 'locked in' within a few more weeks. A couple of questions for this week.

Does anyone have a contact for a printer to get raffle tickets printed at a good price (or free)? Does anyone have a Frozen Slushie Machine hiding in their cupboard that they don't want? Please contact Pauline on 0408 410 010.

#### Plants for the Friday Fair 21 November

Fellow parishioners could you please consider growing six plants in small pots no larger than 12cm diameter that can be donated to sell on the plant stall?

It would be greatly appreciated if you could label them so we will know what they are. If you have any questions please call Didy Button 0412 746 123.



#### **Music Ministry**

Paul Miller

We are focusing on rebuilding the music ministry at St Jude's (although it's reasonably healthy at the moment). I would like to encourage more choristers to join us to lead the worship at 9.30 each week + instrumentalists and especially keyboard players. To accommodate those of you who are still in the workforce, I have moved choir practice to Saturday mornings from 10am to 11am. I would like the worship at St Jude's to continue to reach the heavens and continue to see Jesus lifted high. Please consider!





# 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 Day:

O God, you have made heaven and earth and all that is good: help us to delight in simple things and to rejoice always in the richness of your bounty; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

**Amen** 

### **Prayer List:**

Christopher, Don & Jan, Draginja (Holly), Emerson, Harper, Hazel, Jane, Joy, Judy, Lange, Lesley, Lilly, 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**