



# JUDE'S NEWS

4<sup>th</sup> March 2026



## VESTRY 2026 10.45 AM SUN 22<sup>nd</sup> MARCH

Please send Lisa your reports by Tues 10<sup>th</sup> March.  
Office-bearer nomination forms and collection box in church.

### Vestry – Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> March

The St Jude's annual vestry meeting will be Sunday, 22<sup>nd</sup> March at 10.45am. Nomination forms are available at the back of the church. Reports will be sent out in a separate email and hard copies will be available at church on Sunday. Please remember to sign either the attendance or apology sheet on the day.

### Office closed

The office will be closed this Friday, 6<sup>th</sup> March.

### Fete Survey

Please take a moment to complete the Fair Survey using the link below. Your feedback is incredibly valuable as we plan ahead, and we would greatly appreciate hearing your thoughts. If you prefer a paper version, hard copies are available at the back of the church. Thank you for taking the time to help us improve and grow our community event.

[St Jude's Fete Survey – Fill out form](#)

### Volunteer of the Week – Peter Fisher

This week we are delighted to recognise Peter Fisher as our Volunteer of the Week, in gratitude for the many ways he has served St Jude's over the years. Peter built our community pantry, faithfully served morning tea and the Community Meal, and generously gave his time to maintenance and gardening, helping keep our grounds and facilities in good order. He also assisted with Friday services and served as a reader and

intercessor. Peter's practical skills, steady presence, and willingness to step in wherever help was needed made a lasting contribution to our church community. We give thanks for all that Peter has done for St Jude's and for the faithful service he has offered over so many years.



Our Volunteer of the Week is **Peter Fisher**, whose practical skills and generous heart have blessed our community for years.

**ST JUDE'S VOLUNTEER OF THE WEEK**



## Guardian Articles

Below are links to a couple Guardian articles you may like to read.

[Starving for meaning: is fasting too retro to revive? - Guardian](#)

[At Adelaide's 'Big Iftar', faith leaders find common ground in fasting - Guardian](#)



### Image of the week

Our Image of the Week captures a special moment in the kitchen last Friday — all four Pams together! With aprons on and smiles all round, they were busy helping prepare and serve at the Community Meal. We're so grateful for this fabulous foursome and the wonderful spirit they bring to St Jude's!

## St Elizabeth's Fete

St Elizabeth's annual Fete is a highly anticipated event recognised for the quality offerings of books, plants and home-made produce. Enjoy tea and coffee in the courtyard and take in the relaxed friendly atmosphere. 12 Dwyer Rd, Oaklands Park.

## Reminders:

**Joy: Lenten Studies 2026 - There are still lots of books available. You are welcome to take one for study/reading at home if you would like.**

Joy Lenten Studies 2026 provides a study of joy, helping us to navigate the Lenten period of penitence and preparation for Easter. Christians ought to be people of joy. Joy because we are grounded in gospel grace, in Christ, in an assured destiny with God. Joy, because through Christian joy, others may be attracted to our glorious God.

The daily readings cover Joy from God, his presence, creation and redemption in the Old Testament. Joy specifically in the Psalms. Joy amid suffering from various New Testament readings. Joy in the Letter to the Philippians, over two weeks, and covering the whole letter. We recognise not every

passage in Philippians speaks of joy, but joy permeates the letter and provides its essential context, as Paul writes from prison. Finally, Holy Week picks up Jesus' final night speaking with the disciples on the theme of joy, and looking ahead to the vision of the Book of Revelation for its climactic joy.



St Jude's  
invites  
you...



## LENTEN STUDY

**St Jude's Fridays 9am and 12.30pm**  
**Friday 20 February to 27 March**

or **Wednesdays 25 February to 1 April**

**St Elizabeth's Warradale 1pm**

**St Philip's Somerton Park (rectory) 7.30pm**

*Please register your attendance for study:*

*email [office@stjudesbrighton.org.au](mailto:office@stjudesbrighton.org.au)*



## YOUTH SOCIAL

SUNDAY 8TH MARCH  
1-3PM  
TONSELY INNOVATION DISTRICT  
ROLLER SKATING, SCOOTING, TABLE  
TENNIS PIZZA AND CHATS :)



PLEASE RSVP (FOR PIZZA ORDERING)  
BY 6<sup>TH</sup> MARCH  
0450549739

Contact: [office@stjudesbrighton.org.au](mailto:office@stjudesbrighton.org.au)  
Sarah: 0450549739

### Youth Social Event

Our next Youth Social is happening on Sunday 8 March from 1–3pm at the Tonsley Innovation District! Come along for an afternoon of roller skating, scooting, table tennis, pizza and plenty of good chats. 🍕 Please RSVP by 6 March (for pizza ordering) by contacting the office at [office@stjudesbrighton.org.au](mailto:office@stjudesbrighton.org.au) or Sarah on 0450 549 739. We'd love to see you there!

### Palm Crosses working bee

Join us on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March at 1.30pm at St Jude's for a Palm Cross working bee, following our Lenten studies and the community meal. We'll be preparing palm crosses for Palm Sunday, and all are warmly invited to come along and lend a hand — the more the merrier! If you have any palm leaves we could use, they would be greatly appreciated.

### Friday Community Bus

The community bus visits St Jude's on the third Friday of each month, offering transport to and from St Jude's for those who would like to attend the morning service and community meal. If you or someone you know would like to book a pickup from your home, please let Lisa in the office know — we'd be delighted to help you join us.

### Singers Wanted

Singers are warmly invited to be part of our Tenebrae Service on Wednesday, 1<sup>st</sup> April. Rehearsals will be held on Saturdays from 10.00–11.30am, and all voices are welcome. If you would like to join the choir for this special and reflective service, we would love to hear from you.

### Entertainment Membership

The new Membership is live now and delivers full **Multi City value for just \$75** for 12 months, giving your supporters access to savings across dining, travel and everyday experiences throughout Australia, New Zealand and Bali.

From now until 31 March, Entertainment will gift match every Membership sold, meaning your fundraiser receives **\$30 for every Membership sold**. That's double the fundraising impact!

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12 months **Access All Areas** Entertainment Membership **ONLY \$75**  
Over 20,000 valuable offers across Australia, New Zealand and Bali!



## MARCH BONUS:

\$30 donated to your charity  
+  
Cruise competition entry

Raise more. Save more. Experience more.



**JOIN TO ENTER**

\*T&Cs apply.

## Invitation to the Installation of The Right Reverend Bradly Billings as Archbishop of Adelaide

The service will be held on Saturday, 7 March 2026 at St Peter's Cathedral, 27 King William Road, North Adelaide SA 5006.

Please see the [invitation here](#) for more details and send your RSVPs to Bishop Sophie's Executive Assistant, Jennifer Ramos, at [bishopsoffice@adelaideanglicans.com](mailto:bishopsoffice@adelaideanglicans.com)

Eternal God, shepherd and guide,  
we thank you for hearing our prayers  
and for giving your Church in Adelaide, South Australia,  
Bradly Billings, our new Archbishop (elect),  
a shepherd after your own heart.  
Grant that +Brad may walk in your ways,  
faithfully teach your truth and,  
with loving care, watch over your people.  
Give him vision, courage, and joy in the gospel,  
that, together with us, he may build up your Church  
and glorify your holy name;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### **Prayer of the week**

Remember, O Lord, what you have wrought in us and not what we deserve, and,  
as you have called us to your service, make us worthy of our calling;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

### **Prayer List:**

Barbara, Christopher, Draginja (Holly), Emerson, Jane, Joan Teresa, Joy, Lange,  
Lesley, Lilly, Lola, Marilia, Norma, Peter, Peter & Kath, Rachel, Sabrina, Sidney &  
Jackie, Sylvia, Victoria.