



the northern light

Catholic Communities of Balaklava, Barossa, Hamley Bridge and Kapunda

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Vision: *A flourishing community guided by the Holy Spirit to an ever-deepening relationship with Jesus Christ.*

Mission: *We will be a welcoming, diverse and inclusive parish and an evangelizing faith filled community, compassionate to all.*

Welcome to Parishioners and Visitors

13th APRIL 2025, Year C, Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

This Week's Readings	Nuriootpa	Kapunda
Welcome at Altar (Commentator) (A)	P Platt	J Ryan
Welcome (Greeting) at Entrance (B)	L Wilson	J&K Hayes
Intercessions (C)	V Stokes	J Ryan
1st Reading: Isaiah 50:4-7	C Redden	A Comas
Responsorial Psalm: My God, my God' why have you abandoned me?		
2nd Reading: Philippians 2:6-11	J Spain	K Hayes
Gospel Acclamation		
Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!		
Christ became obedient for us even to death, dying on the cross.		
Therefore God raised him on high and gave him a name above all other names.		
Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!		
Gospel: Luke 22:14-23:56		

Your Prayers are requested for:

Sick: Cathrine Kingi, Bernie Wallace

Deceased: Jill O'Reilly, Sr Joan Ryan SGS and Sr Moira Byrnes RSJ.

Anniversaries: We remember Rose Ryan, Peter Goodfellow and Francis Clair Spain whose anniversaries occur about this time.

We keep in mind and our prayers for the many people from our community who are ill, and those who care for them, those who have died and those who grieve.

Next Week's Readings: Year C

20th April 2025, Sunday of the Resurrection

Nuriootpa	Kapunda
M Wittwer	
P Macdonald	
M Wittwer	
L Henderson	

Welcome at Altar (A)
Welcome at Entrance (B)
Intercessions (C)

1st Reading: Acts 10:34, 37-43

Psalm: This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad.

2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 5:6-8

B Reilly

Gospel: Luke 24:1-12

	Barossa	Kapunda
Data Show	L Wilson	
Sacristan	M & P Buckley	
Cleaning	C&G Redden	J & K Ryan C & A Mickan A & J Mickan



JUBILEE 2025 - "PILGRIMS OF HOPE"

"Christians must lean on the Cross of Christ just as travellers lean on a staff when they begin a long journey."

St. Anthony of Padua



PLEASE RETURN your box or envelopes **over the Easter Triduum** and place them in the **Second Collection**.

How do I make the most of the rest of my life?

ALPHA is a series of interactive video sessions that create a safe and honest space where people can explore life, faith and meaning. It's FREE.

Starting **Wed April 30th**, 6-7.45pm at Langmeil Lutheran Church **TANUNDA** OR

Starting **Sunday May 4th**, 3-4.45pm at St. Petri Lutheran Church, **NURIOOTPA**.

For enquiries or to register email barossaalpha@gmail.com.

EASTER TRIDUUM

Holy Thursday - Mass of the Lord's Supper at 6.30pm, St Rose

Good Friday

Stations of the Cross at 11.00am, St Rose, Kapunda

Veneration of the Cross at 3.00pm, St Andrew's, Balaklava.

Our Lady of the Valley, Nuriootpa.

Holy Saturday - Easter Vigil, at 6.30pm, St Rose's, Kapunda.

Easter Sunday - Mass at 9.00am, Our Lady of the Valley, Nuriootpa

St Andrew's, Balaklava



Father Mark's Farewell

Sunday 27th April 10.30am **Mass** at Kapunda followed by **lunch** at the Kapunda Bowling Club, 19 Montefiore Street. Seating capacity: 100. Cost \$25pp.

Please advise of any dietary requirements. **The closing date for bookings and payment is Sunday 20 April 2025 due to catering purposes.**

Payment two ways:

1. Cash: in envelope and place into 2nd collection
2. Direct Debit: BSB No. 066782 Account No. 100027943 *ensure specify "Farewell"*
Please label payments with name, number attending, and parish.

Any queries contact Parish Office: 08 85662064 or email nlparish@adam.com.au

Volunteers for Holy Week - St Rose of Lima - Mass Lord's Supper and Easter Vigil

Volunteer, all roles wanted: If you are available for any ministries, please put your name and phone number on the sheet at the entrances to the Church, or contact Kylie at: kyliekhayes@gmail.com or 0417 807 605

Cailins: Date - Thursday 17th April

Venue - Sir John Hotel Kapunda, 12 o'clock

Please contact Christine, 0413024613, by Monday 14th April if attending

Chrism Mass All welcome to celebrate **Mass of the Oils** on Monday, April 14 at St Francis Xavier's Cathedral at 6pm. If you would like more information regarding this event, contact Community, Life and Worship on 8210 8130.

GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION

The **Holy Land Collection**, an opportunity to express solidarity with Christians in the Holy Land. A donation to the Holy Father's annual appeal is a direct way to make a difference to those caught up in war, violence and instability in this region.

'Lift Up' Good Friday Night Walk - A Journey of Reflection & Hope

Good Friday, April 18, - you are invited to walk together in the spirit of a pilgrimage, inspired by the *2025 Jubilee Year - Pilgrims of Hope*. This event is open to all ages, however it has been inspired and designed with young people in mind.

Begins at The Monastery in Urrbrae at 7.30pm- walk towards the city. Along the route, pause for reflection at St Raphael's in Parkside before continuing to final destination - St Francis Xavier's Cathedral. The walk is roughly 6.5km total. Please register at <https://www.trybooking.com/CZHVW> for transportation from the Cathedral back to The Monastery. Detailed information can be found at <https://www.cathoyouthadelaide.org.au/liftup2025>

Canonisation of Blessed Carlo Acutis

Blessed Carlo Acutis will be canonised in Rome on Sunday April 27, 2025.

Canonisation Mass to commence in Rome at 10am – ie 5.30pm Adelaide time.

Youtube Vatican Live channel <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=J6MgpK91bEA>

NORTHERN LIGHT PARISH CHURCH SERVICES

Date	February	5/6 th April	13 th April	20 th April	27 th April	
Nuriootpa	Our Lady of the Valley 26 Gawler St, Nuriootpa	6.30pm Mass	10.30 Mass	9am Mass	No LWC	
Kapunda	St Rose of Lima Branson Cres, Kapunda	10.30 am Mass	9.00am Mass		10.30am Mass	
Hamley Bridge	Our Lady of the Nativity Albert St Hamley Bridge	9am Mass				
Mallala	St Malachy's Wasleys Rd, Mallala	10.30am Mass	8.30am Mass			
Balaklava	St Andrew's 13 Baker St, Balaklava	10.30am Mass	9.00am LWC	9am Mass	10.30am Mass	
Pt Wakefield	St Vincent de Paul 25 Edward Street Pt Wakefield	9.00am Mass	10.00am LWC		9.00am Mass	
Riverton Parish	Good Shepherd 33 Swindon St, Riverton	10:30am	8:30am		8:30am	

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Nuriootpa	Kapunda	Tarlee	Balaklava	Hamley Bridge Walara	Kapunda Homes
Fri 10:00am	Tues 9.30am Thurs 9.30am	1 st Wed 9.00am	2 nd Wed 9.00am	1 st Tues 10.00am	2 nd Fri 2.00pm

NORTHERN LIGHT PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Office Bearers:

Chairperson Rob Kerin 0417 890 713
Treasurer: Bob Daly

Mass Centre Representatives+

Centre	Representative	Contact	Centre	Representative	Contact
Barossa	Marie Wittwer	0429 064 232	Balaklava	<i>Seeking Rep</i>	
Kapunda (shared position)	Kylie, Angela Maria	0417 807 605 0422 060 808 0420 292 437	Pt Wakefield	Lucio Guden	0413 783 393
Mallala	Margaret Sands	0459 265 464	Hamley Bridge	Adrian McCabe	0427 973 024

Parish Finance Representatives

Chairperson Finance: Adrian McCabe

Centre	Representative	Contact	Centre	Representative	Contact
Barossa	Bob Daly	0416 156 213	Balaklava/Pt Wakefield	Seeking Representative	
Kapunda/Tarlee	Mick Woods	0427 121 871	Hamley Bridge / Mallala	Gerald McCabe	0428 973 025

Parish Pastoral Carers

Centre	Name	Contact	Centre	Name	Contact
Barossa	Val Stokes	0408 623895	Mallala	Margaret Sands	0459 265 464
Kapunda	Kerry McCarthy	0409 790 191	Hamley Bridge	Adrian McCabe	0427 973 024
Balaklava	Mike Schilling	0429 012 040			

A priest may be contacted in an emergency on 0437 216 095