

Welcome to St Theodore's Anglican Church

30 August 2026 – Ordinary 22

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A warm welcome to St Theodore's – we hope you feel at home here. We are an Anglican church in the Anglo-Catholic tradition with a contemporary and progressive outlook. We seek to be a living community of faith which values relationships, liturgy and preaching to sustain our faith and action in daily life. Our Mission is to be an active, caring and supportive Christian community.

Not everyone here believes exactly the same thing and we don't expect that you will agree with everything we do and say. A church community is always made up of people with differing views and beliefs about certain things, a place where we can respectfully and enthusiastically seek truth together.



St Theodore's supports the *Anglican Rainbow Network*, which meets monthly at several Anglican churches, including ours. Please contact Peter Burke (0411 872 461) for details.

Parish Notices

The Social Committee will be serving soup at morning tea fortnightly over winter: **August 30.**

Next Sunday **3 September** we will have a guest preacher and presider, **Rev'd Elaine Farmer** and was ordained in 1993, among the earliest women ordained to the priesthood in the Anglican Church of Australia. With a specialised ministry in homiletics, she has preached in Anglican dioceses around Australia, New Zealand and other countries, including at Westminster Abbey in 2018. Elaine was awarded an OAM in the 2025 King's Birthday Honours for services to the Anglican Church of Australia.

The Social Committee is organising a special brunch to celebrate our Patronal Festival on **September 13th.** If you would like to bring food to share please indicate savoury or sweet on the sheet at the entrance.

The Sunday Best series of chamber music concerts will be held at St Oswalds, St Anns Place, Parkside. Featuring some of South Australia's finest musicians. Monthly dates are: **Sunday 30 August, 2pm, Sunday 27 September, 2pm, Sunday 25 October, 2pm.** Book Online.

Save the dates!

- **12 September** – Working Bee
- **17 September** – Men's morning tea 10.30 am
- **23 September** – Women's morning tea 10.00 am
- **4 October** – 3:30pm Blessing of the Pets
- **15 December** – Carols 8.30-9.30pm

Years Mind

August 30	Rose Knight	Sept 3	Michelle Soares
	Helen Fantham	Sept 5	Arthur Dibben
Sept 1	Pat Ashhurst		Ian Teale
	Frank Randall		
	Charles Baker		

Rosters

Date	Sunday 30 August 2026		Sunday 6 September 2026	
Lectionary	Ordinary 22		Ordinary 23 Creation Month	
Duties	8.00am	9:30 am	8.00am	9:30 am
Preaching & Presiding	M Anstey M Anstey	M Anstey D Thornton-Wakeford	E Farmer E Farmer	E Farmer E Farmer
Altar Servers	R Dare	J Needs	A Hopkins	A Jones
Cantor		A Jones		M Anstey
Stewards	J Williams	P Burke R Keene	R Dare	I Campbell P Cockington
Intercessor		C Travaglione		P Burke
Livestream & Console		H Firth-Gill L Anstey		J Needs S Herzberg
Reader	M Neale	R Keene	A Hopkins	R Keene
Morning Tea		R Copeland C Travaglione		A Hazebroek I Hopewell
Sacristan	P Burke		H Starr	
Organist	A Moschou		Val Estrella	
Readings	Exodus 3.1-15 Romans 12.9-21	Ps 105.1-6, 23-26 Matt 16.21-28	Exodus 12.1-14 Romans 13.1-10	Ps 149 Matt 18.10-20

Priest	The Rev'd Dr Matthew Anstey Days Off: Monday & Friday	priest@theodores.church 0418 937 219
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St Theodore's relies on donations to sustain our ministry. You can contribute with Cash (Offertory Bowl) or Card (Eftpos Machine) at the church entrance. Importantly, you can offer a regular donation to our Planned Giving account or a substantial donation to our Financial Sustainability Project (FSP) account. If required, further information is available from our Treasurer or Wardens.

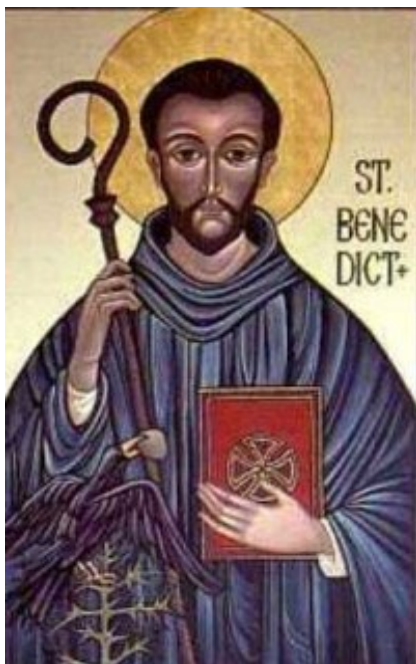
Hearth Gatherings: Encounters with mystics who can light our way.

You are invited to join others who are seeking to deepen their relationship with the One who creates, restores and sustains us. In this reflection time in August, we focus on **Benedictine Spirituality and its role in the lives of two inspiring women.**

The Rule of Religious Life established by Benedict of Norcia has shaped countless men and women for 1500 years. We will seek to understand the framework Benedict established and how this influenced the twelfth century Abbess Hildegarde of Bingen and her twenty first century daughter, Benedictine nun and theologian Joan Chittister.

Date: Saturday 5th September 11.00 am to 2.00 pm

Venue: St. Theodore's Anglican Church, Small Hall and Quiet Garden
46 Prescott Terrace, Toorak Gardens



Costs \$25 Payment by card or cash on the day.

Please respond by August 30th

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BYO Lunch if required. Coffee, tea, and snacks provided.