



St James Lutheran Church

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5th December 2021
- Second Sunday of Advent -

**A voice of one calling in the
wilderness.**

PREPARE

the way for the Lord".

Luke 3: 4

Welcome!

We're glad you joined us!

Service Arrangements

Service arrangements for the next few weeks are as follows;

	Date	Pastor's Location
1st Sunday	Dec 5th	On Leave.
2nd Sunday	Dec 12th	Whyalla
3rd Sunday	Dec 19th	Whyalla & Wilmington
Christmas Eve	Dec 24th	Whyalla
Christmas Day	Dec 25th	Pt. Augusta & Wilmington

~ Prayer Care ~

Pam & Gilbert Schupelius.
Helen Oliver. Ian McArthur.

Bible Reading Challenge 2021

Get in to it any way you can!

Sun	Dec 5	Colossians 3: 1-25
Mon	Dec 6	Colossians 4: 1-18
Tue	Dec 7	1 Thessalonians 1: 1-10
Wed	Dec 8	1 Thessalonians 2: 1-20
Thur	Dec 9	1 Thessalonians 3: 1-13
Fri	Dec 10	1 Thessalonians 4: 1-18
Sat	Dec 11	1 Thessalonians 5: 1-28

~Today's Bible Readings ~

[Malachi 3: 1-4](#)

The day of judgement is near.

[Philippians 1: 4-11](#)

Be ready for the day of Christ.

[Luke 3: 1-6](#)

All people will see the salvation of
our God.

* Click on the underlined bible
readings to read the full text.

~ Contact ~

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Generally available at the Church Office

Tues-Fri 9:30 am to 4:30 pm.

(If calling on Monday's, your call will divert to a Church Council member)

Email Bulletin notices to stjameswhyalla@gmail.com



General Information

- ❖ **CHRISTMAS SERVICES.** There will be a service of *Readings and Carols* on Christmas Eve at 7 pm. On Christmas Day, Pastor will lead services at Pt. Augusta and Wilmington and Whyalla will have a lay reading service. There will be no service on Sunday (Boxing Day).
- ❖ **CHANGE OF ADDRESS:** Please note that Pauline Jones has moved house and is now at 17 Syme Street, Whyalla. All other contact details remain the same.
- ❖ **WELL DONE:** The Women's Fellowship decorated Christmas Tree has won the Westland Shopping Centre 'Best Church Exhibit' for the second year running.
- ❖ **CHURCH CARPET REPLACEMENT** - The carpet in the worship centre is worn in many places and needs replacing. A proposal by Church Council will be put forward at the next AGM for replacement, to enable discussion and a decision, by all church members, at that meeting.
- ❖ **WORKING BEE THANK YOU** to those who attended this weekend's working bee. Another job done. Peter Schmidt.

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Song of the Week

[All my ways are known to you.](#)

(Rich Thompson, Dustin Smith, Michael Ray Farren, Jonny Robinson)

In days of peace and days of rest
In times of loss and loneliness
Though rich or poor, Your word is true
That all my ways are known to You

No trial has come beyond Your hand
No step I walk beyond Your plan
The path is dark outside my view
Still all my ways are known to You

And oh what peace that I have found
Wherever I may be
For all my ways are known to You
Hallelujah, they are known to You!

At A Glance

	Worship Assist. Team	Scripture Reader	Cleaning & Flowers	PowerPoint Operator	Kids Church
Dec 5	Jeff Taylor & Carolyn Ronan Trevor Zimmermann	Marilyn Sichter Malachi 3: 1- 4 Philippians 1: 3- 11 Luke 3: 1- 6	Maralyn Barratt & Chris Jaensch	Scott Jones	Maralyn Barratt & Marilyn Sichter
Dec 12	Michael & Leanne Simpfendorfer Bob Freund	Graeme & Sue Caddy Zephaniah 3: 14-20 Philippians 4: 4-7 Luke 3: 7-18	Maralyn Barratt & Chris Jaensch	Ian McArthur	Chris Jaensch & Di Zimmermann
Dec 19	Bob Freund & Peter Schmidt	Kayelene Cardona Micah 5: 2-5a Hebrews 10: 5-10 Luke 1: 39-45	Dianne & Trevor Zimmermann	Carolyn Ronan	No Kid's Church (School Holidays)

Calendar Nov / Dec

	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
5 9:30 am Service & Kid's Church	6	7	8 2:00 pm Bible Study	9 7:00 pm Prayer Team	10	11	
12 9:30 am Service	13	14	15 2:00 pm Bible Study	16	17	18	
19 9:30 am Service	20	21	22 2:00 pm Bible Study	23	24 7:00 pm Carols & Readings	25 9:30 am Service	