



News From Diocesan Council

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Diocesan Council Membership

Full Diocesan Council membership can be found at:
www.murray.anglican.org/parishes/diocesan-council.

Committee and Appointment Vacancies

- Provincial Council Representatives—2 clergy vacancies
- Anglican Board of Mission Provincial Council—1 lay vacancy

Property Report

Jeff McHugh provided the following updates to Council:

St Francis of Assisi, Christies Beach: Final decision to be made on which firm will manage the rebuild project.

St Alban's Berri: Church has been deconsecrated. Sale agreement has been signed with real estate agent.

St John the Baptist, Lameroo: Church has been deconsecrated. Agent to be appointed to sell.

King Charles the Martyr, Padthaway: Property to be sold.

It was agreed by Diocesan Council that when church buildings are being secularised, the whole diocese is to be notified.

Workplace Health & Safety

The Registry Office distributed WHS forms to all Parishes. Parishes to carry out the checks set out in the WHS forms by 31 December 2023. Management plan is needed for each site, not just for the whole parish.

Insurance

It was resolved that a valuation be obtained for every property/building within the Diocese with a view to having the information necessary to decide whether properties are insured under Category A (replacement value) or Category B (fixed cost). The costs of the valuations be equally shared (50% each) between the Diocese and parishes.

Observers for Adelaide and Willochra Synods

Diocese of Adelaide—29-31 October 2023—Fr David Patterson will attend as the Diocesan observer.

Diocese of Willochra—29-31 October 2023—Ken Pidgeon and Andrew and Heather Jeffrey will attend as the Diocesan observers.

Next Diocesan Council Meeting 13th & 14th October 2023

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