

# **News From Diocesan Council**

April 2024

### **Diocesan Council Membership**

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

#### **Property Report**

<u>St Francis of Assisi, Christies Beach</u>: The formation of a Project Control Group has been approved to take the Christies Beach redevelopment through to Development Approval.

<u>St Alban's Berri</u>: Settlement completed on 14 March 2024.

<u>St John the Baptist, Lameroo</u>: Proposed settlement on 3 May 2024.

<u>King Charles the Martyr, Padthaway:</u> Offers being pursued.

<u>Property Working Group:</u> Proposal of shared responsibility raised with Finance, Audit and Investments Committee, with a Plan to be ready to take formal proposal to Synod 2025.

## The Murray Anglican (TMA)

Fr Neil Fernando would like a TMA liaison person from each parish. Email address to send articles for inclusion in the publication: Editor-TMA@murray.anglican.org

#### **Synod**

Subcommittee to meet in the next two weeks. Summons to be issued by 21 April 2024.

#### Risk Management

Lay Ministry Licence situation is complicated and the Administrator is working on a way forward.

Safe Ministry applications are being followed up by the Registry, for persons holding a licence, without having Safe Ministry clearance.

<u>Parish Trust Funds:</u> A distribution rate of 3.25% was approved for trust funds for the six month period of 01 October 2023 to 31 March 2024.

<u>Draft 2023 Audited Financial Statements</u>: Audited Financial Statements were tabled and approved for presentation to Synod.

#### **Future Diocesan Council Meetings**

7 June (Synod Preparation only) 12-13 July 2024 30-31 August 2024 18-19 October 2024 6-7 December 2024

#### Synod

21-22 June at Mount Gambier

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