



ADELAIDE CATHEDRAL PARISH

Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B

8th September 2024

8 Sep: Safeguarding Sunday

Sunday Reflection

Dear sisters and brothers,

Grace and peace, I hope this note find you well. An important initiative of the Church in Australia is Safeguarding Sunday, which takes place at the conclusion of **National Child Protection Week** on **8th September 2024**.

Safeguarding Sunday provides the opportunity to not only reaffirm child safe practices and protocols but also to celebrate the presence of children and young people in our Parishes and Communities, as we continue to create and maintain a safe environment for all. It also invites people to pray for those harmed by abuse directly and indirectly and recognises the importance of change to ensure children and young people grow up safe and supported by the Church. The Archdiocese of Adelaide is committed to the care, wellbeing and protection of our children and young people led and guided by the newly formed Integrity and Safeguarding Department.

The Child Safe Contact Persons in your parish will have received the template for the colouring in competition that children and young people in your Parishes and Communities are invited to participate in on Safeguarding Sunday. Children often express themselves through their art and it is a creative way for children to find their voice. As we know, every conversation matters, no matter how it starts. We strive to continually raise awareness of the importance of giving children a voice and advocating for their rights as set out in the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child.

With renewed thanks,

In Domino,

+Patrick O'Regan
Archbishop of Adelaide

Safeguarding Sunday forms part of National Child Protection Week, a national initiative to engage members of the community in supporting families and protecting children. The National Child Protection Week overarching theme is **Every child, in every community, needs a fair go**. This message captures the essence of National Child Protection Week which aims to promote a safe and supported life for every child, now and into the future. The Adelaide Cathedral Parish and the Catholic Archdiocese of Adelaide are committed to the care, wellbeing and protection of children, young people and people at risk in our community. Mindful of the theme for National Child Protection Week, may we work to build and support safe communities for all people. You can find out more about the Church's work in this area at: <https://www.catholic.au/s/article/Safeguarding-Sunday-2024>

Jesus never heals in order to draw attention to himself or to the depths of his identity. Indeed, he explicitly rejects such an authenticating view of his miracles. Rather, through his healings, a new world of blessing springs into existence. He calls it "the Kingdom of God"—the unconditional love of God transforming the world. In today's gospel passage (Mk 7:31–37), he travels outside of Judea into Gentile territory and there heals a deaf man who has a severe speech impediment. Putting his fingers into the man's ears and spittle on his tongue, Jesus strikingly heals him. The crowd are stunned. Using the same words found in the Genesis 1 creation account where God brings all things into existence and finds all things "very good," the crowd sees that Jesus "makes both the deaf to hear and the mute to speak. ...he has done all things well." Through his healings, Jesus transforms people's lives; his healing ministry is a practical anticipation of the salvation to come—the fulness of the Kingdom.

September Catholic Charities Appeal



Catholic Charities

In the month of September, we are promoting the Catholic Charities Appeal which supports the following agencies in South Australia: Hutt St Centre, Aboriginal Catholic Ministry, Centacare Catholic Family Services, Our Lady of La Vang and St Patrick's Special Schools. Please take a leaflet with you to find out more about the September Appeal. These frontline agencies support some of the most vulnerable in the community at a time when many people are doing it tough. Brochures with reply paid envelopes will be available at the back of the church from this weekend. All donations of more than \$2 are tax deductible. Donations can be made via the reply online: <https://adelaide.goodgiving.com.au/gr/cc> or through the paid slip on the leaflets/envelopes. We thank you for your kindness and generosity to help our fellow South Aussie brothers and sisters.

8 Sep: Safeguarding Sunday Colouring Competition

To celebrate Safeguarding Sunday this year, we will be having a colouring-in competition. We invite children attending Mass this weekend to draw, colour or create their best artwork. Kindly submit your artwork to the Parish Office not later than 10th September. The Parish will submit the collage of entries which will be judged and a prize awarded to the Parish for the most creative collage. We look forward to receiving some exciting and beautiful artwork from all the children of our Parish!

Cathedral of St Francis Xavier, 39 Wakefield Street, Adelaide

Church of St Patrick, 268 Grote Street, Adelaide
Church of St John Vianney, 546 Glynburn Road, Burnside
Church of St Mary, 179 Stanley Street, North Adelaide

Church of the Holy Name, 80 Payneham Road, Stepney
Church of St Peter Claver, cnr Stuart Road & Grandview Grove, Dulwich
Church of the Queen of Angels, cnr South Road & Kintore Street, Thebarton

Our Lady of Perpetual Help, cnr of Giles and Todd Streets, Kingscote, Kangaroo Island

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Pastoral Care: Visitation and Communion can be arranged for parishioners who are ill. Please call the Office: 8210 8155.



Regular Mass Timings
REFER TO PARISH WEBSITE FOR DETAILED
SCHEDULE OR SCAN THE QR CODE WITH YOUR
PHONE CAMERA FOR OUR REGULAR TIMINGS

St Francis Xavier Cathedral, Adelaide **Sunday Masses**

Sat : 6pm(Vigil)
Sun: 7am, 9am, 11am,
2.30pm (African), 6pm

Weekday Masses **Mon - Fri**: 8am, 12.10pm & 5.45pm
Sat: 8am, 11.30am

Confessions **Mon, Wed, Fri**: 11-12 noon, 5-5.30pm
Sat: 12 noon-1pm, 4.30-5.30pm

Holy Hour **Tues**: 6.30pm, **Fri**: 11am

Public Holidays 8am Mass ONLY at the Cathedral
Except 01 January—Mass at 10am at the Cathedral
26 January—Mass at 9am at the Cathedral

St Mary's, Lower North Adelaide
Tues and Fri: 8am **Sun**: 9.30am

Our Lady Queen of Angels, Thebarton
Sat: Confessions: 5.45pm | **Vigil**: 6pm
Sun: 9.30am

St John Vianney, Burnside
Tues and Thu: Mass: 9am | **Confessions**: 9.30am
Sun: 9am

St Peter Claver, Dulwich
Wed: 9am, **Fri**: 11am **Confessions**: 11.30am
Sat: Confessions: 5.30pm | **Vigil**: 6pm
Sun: 11am

Holy Name, Stepney
Sun: 11am

St. Patrick, Grote Street, Adelaide
Sun: 10.30am (Croatian)
4.00pm (Portuguese) - 1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays ONLY

Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Kangaroo Island
Sun: Confessions: 9:00 am | Mass: 9.30 am

Please contact the Parish Office for Baptism & Wedding bookings.

WORSHIP

Entrance Antiphon: You are just, O Lord, and your judgement is right; treat your servant in accord with your merciful love.

First Reading: Isaiah 35:4-7.

Responsorial Psalm: Praise the Lord, my soul!

Second Reading: James 2:1-5.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! Jesus preached the Good News of the kingdom and healed all who were sick. Alleluia!

Gospel: Mark 7:31-37.

Universal Prayer Response: Lord, hear our prayer

Communion Antiphon: Like the deer that yearns for running streams, so my soul is yearning for you, my God; my soul is thirsting for God, the living God.

Next week: Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time.

First Reading: Isaiah 50:5-9.

Second Reading: James 2:14-18.

Gospel: Mark 8:27-35.

Liturgies & Activities (9th-15th Sep)

Mon St. Peter Claver and Blessed Frederick Ozanam

Thu The Most Holy Name of Mary.

Fri St. John Chrysostom

Sat Exaltation of the Holy Cross.

Sun Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time.

Prayer Requests for the Deceased

Recently Deceased: Marietta Matto, Marie-Ann Morabito and Iris Francisco.

Deceased Anniversaries:

Cathedral: Geoff Howard, Noel Peiris, Mathias family, Angelo Iannella, Serrano Galagala, Maria Arozoo, Maria & Josef Grygierczyk, Pierina & Gino Basso, Shane Michael Doran, John Bosco Oluka,

Queen of Angels: Mittiga family (Ross, Domenico & Maria), Rosario Lentini, Domenico Virgara, Giuseppe Costa, Tony & Ilario Cavallaro, Antonio Romano, Vincenzo Palumbo and Antonio Cirillo.

St. Mary's/Holy Name: Carmela Fimiano.

St. Peter Claver/St. John Vianney: Jillian Ganley, Hurn family, Hank & Johannes Langes, Ursula Johst, David & Kath Hall, Ruth Routledge & family, Mary White Jr., Jan Dyer, Elizabeth Woodbury, Mary Sioh, Joan & Geoff Gough, Scott Davies and Alan Hey.

Prayers Requests for the Sick

Steve Gleeson, Anton Sylvester, Antonio Romeo, Emily Swan, Angelina Musico, Charles Dias, Vilma D'Cruz, Joshua Jose, Madison Musico, Peter Slobodian, Joshua Antony, Denis Cranswick, Maresa, Allan Mason, Fidel Ruivivar, Araceli Suzara, Jen Andrea Sims-Imperial and Beverly Garton.

7 Sep: Praying the Rosary for Peace

You are invited to join Our Lady and pray the Rosary outdoors, together united to pray for peace, in Mary MacKillop Plaza (adjacent to St Francis Xavier's Cathedral) at 8.40am (after the 8am Mass). The Rosary is held every first Saturday of each month (**Saturday, 7 September**). All welcome. For more information contact: Mr Patrick Greenrod from Legion of Mary – 0414769635.

8 Sep: Sacred Heart Church Hindmarsh celebrates a 100 years!

On Sunday, 8 September, Sacred Heart Church, Hindmarsh-Findon invites all who have celebrated weddings, (and other Sacraments) in the Sacred Heart Church are invited to gather and acknowledge this at the 9am Mass, followed by morning tea. Bring along your Wedding photo (or 1st Communion photo etc.) to share on the day. Mass to acknowledge the *Centenary Year* will be celebrated by Archbishop O'Regan on 24 November at 9.30am. Please contact the Parish Office: 08 83463901 for more details.

12-14 Sep: Catholic Earthcare Convocation

Join us ONLINE to celebrate the Season of Creation in 2024 at our Catholic Earthcare Convocation on Thursday, 12th-14th September. We are called to 'Wonder, Weave and Heal' Earth and the whole of creation. Gather online during Day 1 and 2 to engage in keynote presentations, workshops, discussions and spiritual experiences. Day 3 of the convocation has us gathering together in our diocese to transform our learnings into action. **For more information visit:** catholicearthcare@caritas.org.au

14 Sep: Charis SA invites you to Jesus Crusade 2024

Charis SA and Spiritual Renewal Ministry Australia presents Jesus Crusade 2024, a spiritual retreat with Mass on 14 September from 9.30am-3.30pm at St. Peter Claver Church, Dulwich. Key note speakers are Fr. Dean Marin, Vicar-General, Archdiocese of Adelaide and Abraham George, Catholic Lay Evangelist, SRM Australia. For more information please visit: www.charis-sa.org or call 0407 060 715.

14 Sep: Retreat at Henley Beach Parish

A retreat, Discerning God's will in my life when making big and everyday decisions, will be held on Saturday 14 September; 9:15am - 3:30pm at Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Church 420 Seaview Road Henley Beach. The speaker: Fr Manu Kumbidiyamackal MSFS. Please bring your own lunch tea/coffee provided. For more information and bookings please contact Pauline Cotton on 0403002240 by 12 September. Cost by Donation. All are welcome.

15 Sep: Blessing of milestone wedding anniversaries

Celebrations for milestone wedding anniversaries in the Archdiocese will again be held in the Adelaide Cathedral Parish to recognise couples in their life-long commitment. **Registrations are now closed and couples who have registered will receive their commemorative certificates and a blessing at all masses on 15th September.** Please contact the church in our Parish at which you attend regular Sunday Services. We congratulate all our parishioners who are celebrating their milestone anniversaries this year.

18 Sep: Repeat Session: Pastoral Planning and How to Do It

Due to numerous requests the PPC training session on Pastoral Planning will be repeated as an online only event on Wednesday 18th September. Registrations are essential via <https://www.trybooking.com/CUHUT> or by scanning the QR code. Suitable for Parish Priests, Pastoral Council chairs and Pastoral Council members. Any enquiries email Orla Wright on emailorwright@adelaide.catholic.org.au or tel:82108166. ore details on the flyer on the notice board.



22 Sep: Season of Creation Event: Mercy Grove

The Holy Family Catholic Parish invites you for a prayerful and reflective afternoon at the Mercy Grove - Belair National Park, to celebrate the Season of Creation. The event will occur on Sunday, 22 Sep at 2pm. For registration please access the following link: <https://www.trybooking.com/CULAQ>

29 Sep: Migrant and Refugee Sunday (Multicultural Mass) at the Cathedral

Everyone is invited to celebrate Migrant and Refugee Sunday in St Francis Xavier's Cathedral on 29 September at 2.30pm. All are welcome! Come dressed in cultural attire and enjoy an ice cream and coffee after Mass, as we celebrate the many cultures that make up our amazing church in Adelaide. For more information about World Migrant and Refugee Sunday, contact Tracey Tessitore at tessitore@adelaide.catholic.org.au in the Pastoral Services Team: Justice, Healing and Inclusion.

5/6 Oct: "Supporting our Clergy" Campaign of the Archdiocese of Adelaide

The Archdiocese of Adelaide will have a special campaign for "Supporting our Clergy" over the weekend of 5/6 October. A special collection will be taken up during that weekend to value and support the good work done by all the Priests and Deacons serving in our Parishes across the Archdiocese. We thank you in advance for your kindness and generosity.

13 Oct: Feast of St. Daniel Comboni of Sudan/South Sudan

You are invited to join the African Catholic Community to celebrate the feast of **St. Daniel Comboni of Sudan/South Sudan** in St Francis Xavier's Cathedral on Sunday, 13th October at 2.30pm. All are welcome to this cultural celebration of a saint who stood up for injustice and promoted care for the marginalised. Please check the Cathedral Notice Board for more details or please contact the Justice Healing and Inclusion Office on E: jhi@adelaide.catholic.org.au

The Southern Cross – September edition

The next issue of *The Southern Cross* is available in the foyer of all churches in our Parish. The September edition includes stories on the visit of a renowned Italian theologian, the jubilees of two Adelaide priests, an introduction to our two new Kenyan priests and much more. Please take home a copy for \$2.

Latin Mass Community

Monday Scripture class is in recess until the end of October. Servers' practice continues at 5:30pm.

The 18-25yo Young Adults will meet at 6:30pm this Mon. beginning with Adoration at Holy Name, followed by a social activity. Please contact John Arcilla for details.

The Young Dads' Group meets at 8pm this Wed. 11th Sept. at Ern Malley. All welcome. Please contact Nick Augimeri for details.

Thurs. evening's *Introduction to the Bible* class continues at 7:40pm. All welcome.

Youth Group (school years 3-12) meets this Fri. beginning with catechism classes at 5:30pm. All welcome.

The Siena Women's Group (35+) will meet this Sat. (2nd Sat. of the month) for prayer, a spiritual talk (Fr. McGuckin), reflection and fellowship. It begins with Adoration at 9:30am and concludes around midday. Please contact Narelle Price (0413 208 341) for more details.

The Young Mothers' Reading Group will also meet this Sat. (2nd Sat. of the month) at 10am at Ern Malley. Please contact Madeline Gallasch (0411 144 114) for more details.

The 26-35yo Young Adults will meet next Sun. 15th Sept. beginning with a Holy Hour at 6:15pm.

A reminder regarding children at Mass. Thank you for bringing your children. They are an integral and welcome part of our community. To help you care for your children, we are turning the front foyer of the church (Payneham Rd entrance) into a cry-room. If your child is distressed or boisterous, please do not hesitate to take them into the cry-room to help them settle and re-focus (please remember to keep the door to the body of the church closed). Also, please remember that children should be accompanied by a responsible person when going to and from the toilet block. The car park and surrounds are not safe spaces for children without supervision. Thank you.

Fr. McCaffrey is in Port Moresby this weekend attending the visit of Pope Francis to PNG. Fr. McCaffrey will then be on three weeks annual leave from Tues. 10th Sept.

Please do not place any material (advertising or otherwise) in the church without the prior permission of the chaplain. Thank you.

Welcome to new parishioners. If you are new to the Latin Mass or new to Holy Name, please don't hesitate to introduce yourself to either Fr. McCaffrey, Fr. McGuckin or Fr Sofatzis after Mass. There is a cuppa after the 9:15am Mass every Sunday in the tea room behind the church diagonally across the car park. All welcome. Also please feel free to register as a parishioner on our community census. The link is available on the website.

Latin Mass Community

Please remember the sick in your prayers, especially Hannah McCaffrey, Terry Muscat (Chris Forrester's mother), Constantine Day, Damian Wyld, Domenic Marafiotte, Tony Caruso and Vincenza Martucci (Ines Barson's mother).

Please also remember the recently deceased, and those whose anniversaries occur about this time.



October: Catholic Mission Appeal

"Go and Invite everyone to the Banquet"

October is Mission Month and Catholic Mission Appeal for 2024 will be held on 20th October. Over the next few weeks I will be visiting every Parish, with a flash drive which has homily notes, prayers, parish bulletin notices, Appeal video and supporting notes. The focus project this year is Mongolia, House of Mercy, with the Pope opening the centre in 2023. We continue to support our current projects in 41 countries and 14 parishes here in Australia. Thanks to you, Catholic Mission can "reach out and give life," through supporting missionaries building the faith around the World and in Australia.

Adelaide Cathedral Young Adults Group

The Adelaide Cathedral Young Adults Group invite the Youth of our Parish to join them each week in their Ministry of fellowship. They regularly meet on Sunday evenings and their schedule is as follows:

1st and 3rd Sundays: Choir for 6pm Mass

4pm - Choir Practice

6pm - Sunday Mass

7pm - Dinner in Chinatown

2nd and 4th Sundays: Group Meetings

6pm - Sunday Mass

7 - 8.30pm - Group gathering in the Cathedral Hall.

If you are interested to know more about the group and their activities, please contact Ngoc Nguyen on 0424643310 after the Sunday 6pm Mass at the Cathedral.

Please note that the Youth Group is open ONLY for people aged 18-35 years. Please check the notice board for regular updates and events being hosted by the Young Adults Group.

Safeguarding Children

Just a reminder that all children need to be accompanied to and from the toilet, ideally by an adult family member. Kindly ensure that children are supervised by an adult family member when walking through the underground carpark, attending Church Services or attending activities in the Hall.