



ADELAIDE CATHEDRAL PARISH

Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year C

2nd March 2025



Caritas
AUSTRALIA

The Catholic agency
for international aid
and development

Caritas Australia celebrates 60 years of PROJECT COMPASSION LENTEN APPEAL 2025

Running through the six weeks of Lent. Project Compassion has been our national fundraiser during Lent since 1965.

Lent is a time of reflection and preparation. We are called to PRAY, FAST and GIVE ALMS. These actions fit perfectly with our mission.

CARITAS AUSTRALIA PROJECT COMPASSION

Project Compassion has its foundations in Adelaide, and we are deeply grateful for the generosity of God's people (**YOU!**) for 60 years!

This year's stories highlight the transformative work **Caritas Australia** is doing in Vietnam, Samoa and the Democratic Republic of Congo.

By sharing these stories, we hope to deepen our collective understanding of the challenges faced by our global brothers and sisters, and to feel the joy of restoring dignity and hope within their communities.

Project Compassion collection boxes are now available in the foyer of all churches in our Parish. Envelopes for the LENTEN APPEAL are now available at the entrance of all churches in our Parish. **Please take home a set of envelopes or a Coin box to help support the wonderful work that CARITAS Australia has been doing for the past 60 years. A special collection will be taken up on 5th March, Ash Wednesday to support Project Compassion.**

LENTEN PRAYER

*God of our journey
we are all pilgrims of hope
brought together by your love
and your wish that we may all be one.*

*We pray that in this Year of Jubilee
when we are called to greater justice
and care for our common home
that we may Unite Against Poverty.*

*May we work in unity for the freedom of the oppressed
and the renewal of creation.*

*May our compassionate minds and generous hearts
help bring about a world where all can live in peace.*

*May our Lenten pilgrimage of fasting, almsgiving and
prayer*

bring us closer to your loving heart.

We ask this in the name of Jesus.

Amen.

Message from Archbishop O'Regan on Pope Francis



"As of 23 February 2025, Pope Francis, aged 88, is in critical condition following a prolonged asthmatic respiratory crisis. This is concerning to the Catholics of the Archdiocese of Adelaide and, trusting in the goodness of God, we join the global Catholic community in prayer for the Holy Father's full recovery".

The priests and parishioners of the Adelaide Cathedral Parish continue to keep Pope Francis in prayer for his complete healing and recovery.

5 Mar: Ash Wednesday Services in the Adelaide Cathedral Parish

Mass Timings for Ash Wednesday in our parish will be as follows:

SFX Cathedral: 8am, 12.10pm & 5.45pm

Queen of Angels, Thebarton: 8.30am

St. Mary's, North Adelaide: 8am

St. Peter Claver's, Dulwich: 9am

Ashes will be distributed at all Masses and all are welcome to attend.

Lenten Reflection Booklets

Lenten Reflection booklets are now available for free at the entrance of all churches in our Parish. Please take home this valuable resource for you and your family that can be used over the period of Lent.

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

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

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

ADELAIDE CATHEDRAL PARISH

Archbishop of Adelaide **Archbishop Patrick O'Regan DD**
Administrator Fr. Lancy D'Silva CSC
Assistant Administrator Fr. Peter Rozitis
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Fr. Matthew Newman Fr. George Ochola
Fr. Francis Tawil Fr. My Tran
Fr. Tony Telford-Sharp Fr. James McEvoy
Latin Mass Chaplain Fr. Michael McCaffrey, FSSP

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Parish newsletter: www.adelcathparish.org/news-events/weekly-newsletters

Aboriginal Catholic Ministry
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Cathedral Parish Music 8210 8128

Any emergency requiring a priest• 0417 080 955
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

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: The Lord became my protector. He brought me out to a place of freedom; he saved me because he delighted in me.

First Reading: Sirach 27:4-7.

Responsorial Psalm: Lord, it is good to give thanks to you.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:54-58.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, Alleluia! Shine on the world like bright stars; you are offering it the world of life. Alleluia!

Gospel: Luke 6:39-45.

Universal Prayer Response: Lord, hear our prayer.

Communion Antiphon: I will sing to the Lord who has been bountiful with me, sing psalms to the name of the Lord Most High.

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Next Week: First Sunday of Lent - Year C

First Reading: Deuteronomy 26:4-10.

Second Reading: Romans 10:8-13.

Gospel: Luke 4:1-13.

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Liturgies & Activities (3rd-9th March)

Tue St. Casimir

Wed Ash Wednesday.

Fri Autumn Ember Day. St. Perpetua and St. Felicity.

Sat St. John of God.

Sun First Sunday of Lent.

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Prayer Requests for the Deceased

Recently Deceased: David John Kerry and Rosa Scuteri.

Deceased Anniversaries:

Cathedral: Doreen Cotide, Letemichael Tsama, Yvonne Helene Minogue, Michael & deceased family members, Benigna Vargas Blacutt,

Queen of Angels: Anna Marafioti.

St. Mary's/Holy Name: Mame Healy, Liam Murphy, Gus Walker, Jennifer Fitzpatrick, Etelka Szabados and Philip Callus.

St. John Vianney/St. Peter Claver: Nell & Doug Dollman, Gavin Mclver, Huang family, Pauline & Ron White, Anne Cousins, Andrew McGrath and Liberatore De Luca.

Prayers Requests for the Sick

Anton Sylvester, Maresa, Trevor, Domenica L Musico and Carol Giles, Leling Suzara, Antonio Romeo, Smith family, Angelina Musico, Emily Swan, David Clayton, Mary Walsh, Vilma D'Cruz, Joshua Jose, Jithin Jamon, Madison Musico, William Hemmeld, Daphne Bizell, Peter Slobodian, Marie Winters, Joshua Antony, Baby Otilie Sheens, Bernie, Noel, Darren, Jovelle, Rob, Kits, Efi, Steve Gleeson, Shaun & Joseph Coleiro and Denis Cranswick.

7 Mar: Lenten Stations of the Cross in the Adelaide Cathedral Parish

SFX Cathedral: Stations of the Cross will be held every Friday starting 7th March at 10.30am in the Cathedral followed by Adoration and Benediction at 11am.

Dulwich/Burnside: Stations of the Cross devotions at St. John Vianney Church, Burnside will be held each Thursday immediately after the 9.00am Mass starting 7 March.

12 Mar: Fringe Pipe Organ Recitals

Free pipe organ concerts in St. Francis Xavier's Cathedral will again feature in the Adelaide Fringe Festival during February and March. The lunchtime concerts have become popular fixtures for music lovers since they were introduced in 2017. Commencing at 1pm, the performances this year feature acclaimed organists Amir Robin-Karas (Wednesday March 12), James Lloyd (Sunday March 16 – Festival of Hymns) and Casey McEwan (Wednesday March 19). Young organists on 23 March. All recitals are free and no tickets required. Donations are welcome.

12 Mar: Lenten Program – No Greater Love A Biblical Walk Through Christ's Passion:

Beginning on Wednesday March 12, the Hectorville Parish will be offering a program that will help you to experience Christ's Passion and Death as you never have before. In No Greater Love: A Biblical Walk Through Christ's Passion, we are going to walk step-by-step with Jesus on his journey from his Agony in the Garden to his Crucifixion on Calvary. Participants will meet for prayer, discussion and an engaging video presentation presented by Dr Edward Sri, which was filmed on location in the Holy Land, so we can see the actual locations where Christ's passion occurred! This five-part Bible study program is for parishioners of all ages. Participation is free, however, participants may purchase the accompanying work book for \$30.

Location: Annunciation Church, Hectorville

Date: Wednesdays March 12 – April 9, Time: 7- 8pm

Altar Servers needed for the Cathedral

St. Francis Xavier's Cathedral is recruiting Altar Servers to serve at weekend Masses in the Cathedral. All school going children over the age of 10 and adults who are interested in joining the Altar Serving Ministry are welcome to register their interest. No prior altar serving experience is required and training will be provided. You will need to undergo a mandatory Screening for Working with Children. Please register your interest by calling the Parish office on 82108155 during office hours or email acp@adelaide.catholic.org.au. Alternatively, you can also speak to Michelle Tie (Altar server) at the weekend Masses who will be happy to assist and provide you with more information.

Volunteering at Calvary - The power of a smile

Calvary Adelaide Hospital has a number of volunteer 'patient support' positions available. These roles provide valuable support to patients, visitors and staff - enhancing the service provided by Calvary to the community.

The benefits of volunteering just a few hours a week are many. If you like spending time in service for others and have a positive approach to life; then we would love to hear from you! For further information, contact Jessica on 0427012336 or email: CHCA-volunteers@calvarycare.org.au

The Archdiocesan Integrity and Safeguarding Department Creating a Safer Online World

As children and young people head back to school and start the new year of activities in our parishes, it is a good time to think about how we use the internet. Increasingly, our learning, friendships, and social connections happen online, as well as in person at school and church. This makes it a perfect moment to focus on engaging with the online world safely, setting sensible limits on device use, and modelling good online behaviour ourselves.

Creating a kinder online world is a crucial step we need to take. It is essential to practice and model respect, empathy, and kindness when we are online. By doing so, we help build a safer and more supportive environment for everyone. These positive online behaviours are not only helpful for us but are also important to teach and model to children and young people.

Having regular conversations about online safety which may include conversations around possible online grooming are key in keeping the internet safe. Talking openly with children about how to use the internet responsibly helps them understand safe practices. These conversations are an easy way to help children develop good habits and stay safe in the digital world.

We should be mindful about time spent on devices. It is easy to get caught up in screen time, but making sure it doesn't take over time spent interacting with family and friends, learning, or playing offline is important. The social skills that children and young people develop through face-to-face interactions are essential and cannot be replaced by time spent on a screen. By balancing online and offline activities, we help children and young people stay healthy, both mentally and socially.

If something harmful or upsetting happens online, such as viewing harmful content, bullying or abuse, it is important to speak up. Children should always feel they can talk to a trusted adult - a parent, friend, teacher, or parish leader, if they come across something that makes them feel worried, scared, or uncomfortable.

Adults can help by reporting harmful content direct to the online platform itself or to the eSafety Commissioner.

We can all play a part in keeping the internet safe for everyone but Parents and carers play a key role in setting rules and limits around device use, including which games, apps, and websites children can use and who they can interact with online.

Safer Internet Day is a wonderful opportunity for all of us to reflect on how we use the internet. Let us work together to create a kinder online world. Let's work together make the internet a safer place for everyone.

The Archdiocesan Integrity and Safeguarding Department is available for advice on safeguarding matters (caasafeoperations@adelaide.catholic.org.au or please call 8210 8150)

**Safeguarding Operations Team,
Integrity and Safeguarding Department.**

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 at all times by an adult family member when walking through the underground carpark, attending Church Services or attending activities in the Hall.

Latin Mass Community

This Wednesday is Ash Wednesday. There will be masses with the distribution of blessed ashes at 7am, 9.30am and 6.30pm. Please note that Ash Wednesday is a day of fasting and abstinence.

Project Compassion resources are available at the doors of the church.

Stations of the Cross will take place at 6pm every Friday in Lent.

Next weekend is 40 hours. Please see flyers and posters for details.

Birthline Pregnancy Support is in need of volunteers to join their team to make a real difference in the lives of women and families facing crisis pregnancies or pregnancy loss. Please see posters and flyers for more details or contact Grace Juanta 0413 380 833 or email: birthline@birthline.org.au.

Please do not place any material (advertising or otherwise) in the church or the grounds 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 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.

Please remember the sick in your prayers, especially Mary Walsh (Margaret Antonas' sister) Simon Fiedler (Nathan's Father), Hannah McCaffrey, Terry Muscat (Chris Forrester's mother), Damian Wyld, Domenic Marafiotte, and Tony Caruso.

Please also remember the recently deceased, especially Vincenza Martucci (Ines Barson's mother), and those whose anniversaries occur about this time.

Cathedral Tour Guide Training

Would you like to lead groups on short tours of the Cathedral? Are you a parishioner who has an interest in the development and significance of our historic neo-Gothic masterpiece? We are looking for people interested in forming a group who could help facilitate tours through the Cathedral and pass on the legacy of this beautiful, longest continually used Cathedral in Australia. Training and information will be provided and resources from which to learn. Would suit a retired ex-teacher or anyone with an interest in the history of the Cathedral. Contact music@adelaide.catholic.org.au

St Vincent de Paul Society Campaign

We can Build a Fairer Australia. In the coming months, and in the lead up to the Federal election, St Vincent de Paul Society nationally will be releasing some ideas on how to improve the quality of life for all Australians, and how to find the funds to make Australia fairer. If this is of interest to you and you would like to comment or hear more, you are welcome to contact the SA Social Needs Analysis and Advocacy Committee – Jennifer Harvey on 8112 8702 or at svdp@svdpsa.org.au



Jubilee Year Prayer (will be prayed before the final blessing)

(Scan the QR code to see the prayer on your phone)

*Father in heaven,
may the faith you have given us
in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother,
and the flame of charity enkindled
in our hearts by the Holy Spirit,
reawaken in us the blessed hope
for the coming of your Kingdom.*

*May your grace transform us
into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel.
May those seeds transform from within both humanity
and the whole cosmos
in the sure expectation
of a new heaven and a new earth,
when, with the powers of Evil vanquished,
your glory will shine eternally.*

*May the grace of the Jubilee
reawaken in us, Pilgrims of Hope,
a yearning for the treasures of heaven.
May that same grace spread
the joy and peace of our Redeemer
throughout the earth.
To you our God, eternally blessed,
be glory and praise for ever.
Amen.*

15 Mar: Pilgrimage to Sevenhill. Register soon

The Adelaide Cathedral Parish, with the support of Agnelo Fernandes and team, is organising a pilgrimage to St Aloysius Church, Sevenhill - one of the places of pilgrimage during this Jubilee Year.

On 15 March 2025 a bus has been organised to take the faithful from the Cathedral to Sevenhill and back at a nominal fee of \$20 per ticket. Bookings essential.

Those travelling to Sevenhill in private transport must also register their attendance for numbers.

Plan for the day:

8:45am: All pilgrims to gather at the SFX Cathedral at for 9am morning prayers.

9:20am Bus leaves to Sevenhill.

11am: arrive at St Aloysius Church, Sevenhill.

11:30am: Rosary followed by Mass

12:45pm - light vegetarian lunch will be provided.

2pm - Have a look around the place at leisure

3pm - departure from Sevenhill

4:30pm - Arrive at SFX Cathedral.

Please carry your water bottle, hat and closed shoes. Carry your own lunch if you have any dietary preferences.

For more information and to register please contact Parish Office during office hours on acp@adelaide.catholic.org.au or call 08 82108155

Out of office hours: Call Agnelo Fernandes on 0449506681 after office hours and after 11am Sunday Mass at the Cathedral.