



ADELAIDE CATHEDRAL PARISH

First Sunday of Lent - Year C

9th March 2025

Celebrating Diversity and Unity

Australia is fortunate enough to have a rich cultural diversity, with nearly 30% of Australians born overseas and over 7.5 million migrants making Australia home in the past 70 years. Almost half of Australians are either born overseas or have a parent who was, identifying with around 300 different ancestries. As a community, we honour shared values of respect, equality and freedom, while reflecting on the importance of peace and solidarity, especially for those affected by war. In Catholic communities, we have an opportunity to foster environments where cultural diversity is and should be celebrated. It is important that every individual feels safe, valued and respected. Church communities provide great opportunities to appreciate, connect and learn from others, enriching our vibrant Church community.

- Integrity and Safeguarding Department.

15 Mar: Pilgrimage to Sevenhill Registration closing soon: 35 seats left

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 ensure you arrive on time not later than 8.55am at the Cathedral if you are travelling by the bus. The bus will depart immediately after the Morning Prayer at the 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: call 08 82108155 or acp@adelaide.catholic.org.au

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



Caritas
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The Catholic agency
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This Lent, we're invited to *Unite Against Poverty* with Caritas Australia's Project Compassion. This year is especially significant as we celebrate the Jubilee Year - *a time of renewal and solidarity*.

Project Compassion 2025 shares three stories from around the world. We'll meet **Toefuata'iga** - (*Toy-foo-ah-tah-ing-ah*) a young student from Samoa who faced severe water shortages at her school. Thanks to Caritas Australia and the generosity of supporters like you, her school now has a 10,000 L water tank, improving access to clean water and allowing teachers to prioritise education

We'll get to know **Lam** from Vietnam. Born with short stature, Lam faced social exclusion and limited employment opportunities. Through the I-SHINE program, Lam completed a course and is now a freelance graphic designer.



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And we'll meet **Irene** from the Democratic Republic of the Congo (DRC) who faced immense challenges after losing her father to war and raising her children in poverty. With support from Caritas Australia, Irene received vocational training in sewing and farming and can now support her whole family.

You can support Project Compassion 2025 through the donation boxes, envelopes or by scanning the QR code above.

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.

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

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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

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: When he calls on me, I will answer him; I will deliver him and give him glory, I will grant him length of days.

First Reading: Deuteronomy 26:4-10.

Responsorial Psalm: Be with me, Lord, when I am in trouble.

Second Reading: Romans 10:8-13.

Gospel Acclamation: Lord, have mercy.

Gospel: Luke 4:1-13.

Universal Prayer Response: Lord, hear our prayer.

Communion Antiphon: One does not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes forth from the mouth of God.

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Next Week: Second Sunday of Lent - Year C

First Reading: Genesis 15:5-12,17-18.

Second Reading: Philippians 3:17-4:1.

Gospel: Luke 9:28-36.

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Liturgies & Activities (10th-16th March)

Mon Public Holiday only one Mass at 8am.

Thu 12th Anniversary of the Election of Pope Francis.

Fri Stations of the Cross at 10.30am in the Cathedral.

Sun Second Sunday of Lent.

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Prayer Requests for the Deceased

Recently Deceased: Rocco Labbozzetta and Rosa Scuteri.

Deceased Anniversaries:

Cathedral: Dr. Sarath Goonetilleke, Christian Collantes, Urbana Berkovic, and Roma Mitchell.

Queen of Angels: Domenica Zampogna and Giovanni Batista.

St. Mary's/Holy Name: Giandomenico Iadanza.

St. John Vianney/St. Peter Claver: Mark Tomney, Pauline & Rone White, Patricia White, Leone Jenkins, Gerald Cattanach, Jittu family, Michael Rogers, Moira & Harry Braidwood and Rosa Maria Versace.

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.

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.

Mar-Apr: 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 7th March.

9 Mar: Legion of Mary Book Table

The Adelaide Cathedral Legion of Mary will be running a book table in the portico of the Cathedral, **this Sunday, 9 March 2025**, 9:30 am – 12:30 pm. They will be selling religious books, AND prayer cards, rosaries and miraculous medals et al. will be available for a modest donation. Please bring cash only. For any further enquiries, please ring Dermott on 0422562569.

9 Mar: The Southern Cross

The March edition will be available for \$2 in the foyer of all churches in our Parish. This month's issue includes the Archbishop's Lenten Pastoral Letter and all the latest news and events from our Catholic community. Please take home a copy this weekend.

10 Mar: Public Holiday Adelaide Cup

There will be only one mass at 8am in the Cathedral as 10th March is a Public Holiday for the Adelaide Cup. There will be other services on the day in the Parish.

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

18 Apr: Lift Up' Good Friday Night Walk A Journey of Reflection & Hope

This Good Friday, you are invited to walk together in the spirit of a pilgrimage, inspired by the *2025 Jubilee Year - Pilgrims of Hope*. This journey is an opportunity to step away from the everyday and reflect. Our Good Friday night walk is a meaningful way to connect with the Easter story, each other, and the deeper themes of resilience, forgiveness and hope. This event is open to all ages, however it has been inspired and designed with young people in mind by COYYA (Catholic Office for Youth and Young Adults). Our journey begins at The Monastery in Urrbrae at 7.30pm. From there, we will walk towards the city. Along the route, we will pause for reflection at St Raphael's in Parkside before continuing towards our final destination - St Francis Xavier's Cathedral. The walk is roughly 6.5km total. Please register at <https://www.trybooking.com/CZHVW> to secure your spot as well as nominating for transportation provided from the Cathedral back to The Monastery should you require it. Detailed information can be found at <https://www.cathoyouthadelaide.org.au/liftup2025>

Altar Servers required 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. All Altar Servers will need to undergo a Screening for Working with Children and will be eligible to serve their ministry only after receiving clearance from the Department of Human Services, South Australia. Please register your interest by calling the Parish office on 82108155 during office hours or email (your name & phone number) to 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.

Marathon for Cancer Council Please support Fr. Charles Lukati



Fr. Charles Lukati, Parish Priest of the Croydon Park Parish, will run the Clare Valley Half Marathon on Sunday April 6 to raise money for Cancer Council SA. By running the marathon, Fr Charles is living out the call of Pope Francis in this Jubilee Year to be a Pilgrim of Hope "always on the move".

Please help him to support everyone affected by cancer, by donating to this Cancer Council Fundraising Event.

The target has been set at \$20,000. Let's see how far we can reach! Please visit the following link or scan the QR code to make a contribution towards this cause: <https://www.doitforcancer.com.au/fundraisers/charleslukati/fr-charles-lukati---marathon-for-cancer-council>



Latin Mass Community

Tomorrow, Mon 10th March is a public holiday. There will be one mass at 8.30am. There will be no servers practice on Monday evening, but there will be Scripture class at 7.30pm.

Young Adults Group (25-35 yrs old) meets at 7.30pm in the meeting room for pizza and a talk by Fr. Popplewell.

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

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

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 Elizabeth Balan, Felicity Millerd, 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.



Jubilee Year Prayer

(will be prayed before the final blessing)

*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.*

Jubilee of Volunteers Thank you to all our Volunteers

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

Grace and peace, I hope this note finds you well. On 9th of March 2025, we celebrate and give thanks for the contribution of the many Volunteers, past and present, who have and continue to animate the Gospel in the life of the Archdiocese of Adelaide.

This is a special time for us to pause, reflect, and celebrate the incredible contributions of each one of you, particularly those who have generously served as volunteers in our communities. It is with heartfelt gratitude that I write to thank all of our volunteers for the time, talents, and love you have poured into the work of the Church. Volunteering in a ministry of the Church, is a natural extension of the commitment made through baptism.

It allows us to live out our faith in tangible ways, serving those in need and strengthening our faith community. Baptism calls believers to be actively engaged in building God's kingdom, reminding us that our lives are not only our own but are given by God to be shared with others.

In the spirit of Christ, who came not to be served but to serve, you, our faithful volunteers, have shown what it means to walk with Christ by your side and reflect His love through your actions. Whether you have been involved in our parish outreach programs, social justice initiatives, liturgical ministries, or care for the elderly, sick, and marginalized, your commitment has been a beacon of hope to all who have encountered you.

In the Gospel, we read that Jesus said, "Whoever wishes to be great among you must be your servant" (Matthew 20:26). Indeed, it is through your acts of service, large and small, that you exemplify the true meaning of discipleship. Your hands are the hands of Christ, your voices echo His compassion, and your hearts reflect His mercy. Your service not only touches the lives of those you help directly but also inspires others to join in this holy work of love and charity.

This Jubilee of Hope is a time to acknowledge and celebrate how your actions, motivated by faith, transform our communities and the world. It is through your dedication that we, as a Church, live out our calling to be a sign of hope and healing in a world that so desperately longs for peace and unity.

I urge you to continue in your ministries, knowing that your efforts are never in vain. As we continue to reflect on the mercy of God and the blessings of this Jubilee, let us remember that all of us are called to live as servants of the Lord. Let us support and encourage one another, and together, bring the light of Christ to every corner of our world.

To all Volunteers, I offer my deepest thanks. May God continue to bless you abundantly as you serve in His name. Your willingness to give of yourselves is a living testament to the faith and hope that we share as the Body of Christ.

With renewed thanks,

In Domino,

**+ Patrick O'Regan DD
Archbishop of Adelaide**