

ST COLUMBKILLE'S FAMILY THREE PARISHES TOGETHER

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Plenary Council of Australia

The Plenary Council meets in early July for its second session where it will consider enacting proposals for every Catholic diocese in the nation to follow. The areas of debate and resolution include: the participation of women in the Church; participation of the lay faithful in the governance of the Church; how to heal those hurting from any abuse by a priest or religious; how to engage young parishioners in the mission of the Church. The process will be – proposals, debate, vote and those measures receiving a majority of votes will then be sent to the Vatican for final approval.

Plenary Council Prayer

Come, Holy Spirit of Pentecost. Come, Holy Spirit of the great South Land. O God, bless and unite all your people in Australia and guide us on the pilgrim way of the Plenary Council. Give us the grace to see your face in one another and to recognise Jesus, our companion on the road. Give us the courage to tell our stories and to speak boldly of your truth. Give us ears to listen humbly to each other and a discerning heart to hear what you are saying. Lead your Church into a hope-filled future, that we may live the joy of the Gospel. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, bread for the journey from age to age. Amen. Our Lady Help of Christians, pray for us. St Mary MacKillop, pray for us.

World Synod on Synodality

At the same time as the Australian Plenary Council, the world Church is preparing for the Synod on Synodality. Pope Francis wants the Church to "walk together" – the meaning of the Greek word 'synod'. So, our own Plenary Council meets in the light of this "walking together".

Next Week Readings Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time /C

1 st Reading	Isaiah 66: 10-14
2 nd Reading	St Paul to the Galatians 6:14-18
Gospel -	Luke 10:1-12, 17-20