



# St Christopher's Cathedral Parish, Canberra

(including St Peter Chanel's Church, Yarralumla)



28th Sunday, Ordinary  
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9th October 2022

Archdiocese of Canberra & Goulburn  
Archbishop: Most Rev Christopher Prowse DD STD  
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Accounts Officer: Karina Widjaja—8am-4pm Friday



YEAR OF WALKING  
TOGETHER  
8th August 2022-  
8th August 2023

## Sunday Mass

### **St Christopher's**

Cnr Canberra Ave & Furneaux  
Street, Forrest (Manuka) ACT

**Sat. Vigil:** 5.00pm

**Sunday:** 8.00am,  
11.00am  
5.00pm

### **St Peter Chanel's**

Cnr Weston & Loch Streets,  
Yarralumla ACT

**Saturday:** 6.00pm Vigil

**Sunday:** 9.30am  
2.00-3.00pm Adoration  
& Confessions

## Weekday Mass

### **St Christopher's**

**Monday to Friday:** 7.30am &  
12.15pm

**Saturday (& Public Holidays):**  
9.00am & 12.15pm

### **St Peter Chanel's**

**Tuesday:** 5.30pm

**Thursday:** 10.00am

Anointing Mass (2nd Thurs of month)

## Reconciliation

### **St Christopher's**

**Wednesday:** 11.30am-12.00noon

**Thursday:** 6.00 - 6.30pm

**Saturday:** 11.00am - 12noon

### **St Peter Chanel's**

**Tuesday:** 6.00 - 6.30pm

**Saturday:** 5.15 - 5.45pm

## Adoration

### **St Christopher's**

**Tuesday to Friday:** 5.00-6.00pm

## Rosary at the Cathedral

Mon-Fri 8am, Sat 11:40am, Sun  
4:45pm

## Baptisms

2nd & 4th Sundays: 12.30pm

## Weddings

**St Christopher's:** Saturday  
1.30pm & 3.00pm

**St Peter Chanel's:** By arrangement

## National Online Conference for Evangelisation: October 20-22, 2023

The Australian Bishops *Commission for Evangelisation, Laity and Ministry*, will host a national online conference on evangelisation from **October 20-22**.

The conference will promote understanding and explore practices of evangelisation in Australia through *encounters* with Christ, formation in *discipleship*, and *mission* in the world. It seeks to empower Catholics to carry forward the Church's evangelising mission after the second assembly of the Fifth Plenary Council of Australia.

Commission chair Archbishop Christopher said he was excited about the opportunities the conference would provide to explore the understanding, language and diversity of evangelisation in Australia, while empowering local dialogue and action.

"Evangelisation begins with an encounter with Jesus Christ, is nurtured through discipleship in our worshipping communities and calls us all to be missionary in the world. This responsibility is not just for those in leadership, but for all.

"This conference for evangelisation will highlight the interconnection of the missionary call of each baptised person and dynamic faith communities in fulfilling the Church's mission to evangelise. Local communities are encouraged to host gatherings to be a part of the conference dialogue."

Clara Geoghegan, the Commission's executive secretary, highlighted how the conference is a new dynamic within the Bishops Conference. "This conference demonstrates the Australian bishops' desire for ongoing local dialogue," Ms Geoghegan said.

"We have decided to host an online gathering to ensure the conversation and content is more accessible to Catholics around Australia, regardless of their geographical location, available time or resources.

"It consolidates previous national conferences for evangelisation, youth ministers, women, men and other fields of ministry. It reduces costs for everyone involved, brings national and world-leading content into our local communities and empowers local dialogue and action which can help carry our Church forward into the future."

Opening in the evening of Thursday, October 20 with a reflection on the Plenary Council and Australian reports to the General Synod on Synodality, the conference will progress to explore personal experiences and local strategies of evangelisation.

The conference will feature two live online gatherings on Friday, October 21 and Saturday, October 22. Morning sessions, followed by a range of keynote sessions, will nurture Church leadership and community ministries. Afternoon and evening sessions will explore the personal baptismal call of all Catholics to live the Church's evangelising mission in the world, focusing on family, ecology, public life, new media, cultural engagement and more.

For more details about the conference, view the event program and presenters visit the *National Centre for Evangelisation Website*, [nce.catholic.org.au/](http://nce.catholic.org.au/)

Register individually, or join us as a parish in the Haydon Hall, by RSVP to //////

Register at [eventfrog.eventsair.com/evangelise-conference/conf22/Site/Register](http://eventfrog.eventsair.com/evangelise-conference/conf22/Site/Register)

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MISSION

# NOTICES

## PARISH MINISTRIES

### Director of Music

*Ms Jaki Kane*

### RCIA

*Miss Becky Langworthy  
Contact Office*

### School of Religion

*Miss Chiara Catanzariti*

### Youth Minister

*Miss Anh Tran*

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### Weekly Liturgical Calendar

Mon Oct 10 28th week of Ord. Time

Tues Oct 11 28th week of Ord. Time

Wed. Oct 12 28th week of Ord. Time

Thurs. Oct 13 28th week of Ord. Time

Fri. Oct 14 28th week of Ord. Time

Sat. Oct 15 28th week of Ord. Time  
St Teresa of Jesus

Sun. Oct 16 29th SUNDAY IN  
ORDINARY TIME

## PARISH GROUPS

### Legion of Mary

*Monday at 5.30pm  
(Haydon Hall)*

### St Vincent de Paul

### Good Shepherd Prayer Group

*Wednesday at 7pm SPC  
Parish Room (Feb-Dec)*

### Christian Meditation

*Saturday at 4:30pm SPC*

## Other Communities

### Spanish Community

*First Sunday of the month at  
11.30am SPC*

### African Community

*Second Sunday of the month at  
11.45am SPC begins Feb.*

### Filipino Community

*First Sunday bi-monthly at  
5.00pm SPC*

**For details of any of the  
above, contact the Parish  
Office.**

## REOPENING & BLESSING MASS FOR

### Ss Peter and Paul's Old Cathedral, Goulburn.

The Old Cathedral celebrates its 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary in November and we are delighted that she has undergone significant restoration in time for us to celebrate this anniversary. Mass will be celebrated by Archbishop Christopher and the new altar blessed at 11am on Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> November. The restoration project was commenced 40 years ago by Fr Laurie Blake. Reserve your free seat by searching [trybooking.com](http://trybooking.com) Ss Peter and Paul Old Cathedral.

See their website: <https://www.sppoc.com.au/>

**ADORATION 2PM @ SPC** - please note, our regular adoration Sunday 9th of October will be cancelled.

**2022 SCHOOL OF RELIGION**— First Eucharist classes start 18 Oct for 13 November. Enroll at [cg.org.au/cathedral/Home.aspx](http://cg.org.au/cathedral/Home.aspx) or contact the office.

**ARCHDIOCESAN CATHOLIC EDUCATION COMMISSION** – Seeking Expressions of Interest. The Archbishop seeks to appoint 2 new members from 2023 & further members from mid-2023. Enquiries and Expressions of Interest should be directed to the Commission's Chair, Dr Patrick McArdle, [patrick.mcardle@cg.org.au](mailto:patrick.mcardle@cg.org.au). Closing Date: Friday 14 October 2022

**COME ALIVE! AN IMMERSIVE RETREAT DAY EXPERIENCE FOR YOUNG ADULTS** (18-35yrs) Saturday 15 Oct, 9am–6:30pm, 76 Federal Highway, Watson. Presenters – Adrian Wellspring, Fr Tony Percy VG, Lara Kirk, Fr Ken Barker. \$20 per person, includes refreshments and meals. Visit: [cgoyouth.org.au/comealive/](http://cgoyouth.org.au/comealive/)

**CALLED TO SERVE – ANNUAL DISCERNMENT RETREAT – 22/23 OCTOBER 2022** – A call to the priesthood or permanent diaconate. Do I have a call? When is the right time to begin formation? Join us for a time of prayer and co-discernment. This retreat is a first step, and carries no expectation to begin formation, but is required by one who does wish to apply. Enquiries: [trenton.vanreesch@cg.org.au](mailto:trenton.vanreesch@cg.org.au)

**2022 ANNUAL MARIAN PROCESSION** – Sunday, October 23 Join local parishes and communities for a unique multicultural family day of prayer and festivities. At St Clement's Retreat Centre in Galong, we will gather for Mass, the rosary, and be inspired by speakers. BYO lunch, enjoy a sausage sizzle or bring a plate to share. There will be faith-based activities for children and an opportunity to meet new and old friends within our Archdiocese as we journeying through Mary to Jesus. [bit.ly/MarianProcession2022](http://bit.ly/MarianProcession2022)  
11am Sacrament of Penance | 11.30am Mass | 12.30pm BYO lunch and children's activities | 2:00 pm Procession to the grotto

**RCIA 2022-23** – Interested in becoming Catholic or learning more about our Catholic faith? The *Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults* (RCIA) is an easy to understand course to deepen knowledge of the faith, as well as prepare for adult Baptism and Confirmation. Contact the parish. Gatherings every Thursdays, 6pm

**ARCHDIOCESE'S CATHOLIC WOMEN'S TASKFORCE ANNUAL DINNER** – Annual Fundraising Dinner Woden Southern Cross Club. October 28 6.30pm. Guest speaker: Dr Ursula Stephens. Funds raised go to MacKillop House, [womenstaskforceacg.org](http://womenstaskforceacg.org)



# NOTICES

**Giving and Receiving— Direct debit and QKR options are available, as well as TapnGo machines Thank you sincerely for your generosity.** If you are able, perhaps consider donating to 1st and 2nd collection via direct debit .  
**The First collection: contributes to clergy of the Archdiocese.** If you make an offering through direct debit, please include that you are a parishioner of the Cathedral Parish.

BSB: 062-786 Account Name: CATHEDRAL  
Bank Account: 000029248 Reference: FORREST & SURNAME

**The Second collection: contributes to parish mission and maintenance.** If you would like to give and are not currently registered for Planned Giving, please deposit into the following bank account:

BSB: 062786 Account Name: St Christopher's Cathedral  
Bank Account: 000015080 Reference: Planned Giving # and Surname (only current Planned Givers);  
or Donation (parishioners not registered Planned Givers).

For more information or to set up monthly payments via direct debit, please contact the Parish Office. For step by step Qkr! instructions, visit [cgatholic.org.au/2016/10/something-beautiful-god/](http://cgatholic.org.au/2016/10/something-beautiful-god/)

**Thank you for your generosity**

**ARCHBISHOP LAUNCHES THE YEAR OF WALKING TOGETHER—** Find the Archbishop's full letter on our website :)  
[cg.org.au/cathedral/Home.aspx](http://cg.org.au/cathedral/Home.aspx)

**"CREATED AND LOVED" - Australian Catholic Bishops Conference** - guide on gender and identity, to assist Catholic schools in responding to the individual needs of their students. *Created and Loved*, is grounded in Christian anthropology, and available on our parish website or at [bit.ly/CreatedandLoved](http://bit.ly/CreatedandLoved)

**LIVING WORD - ARCHDIOCESAN DAILY GOSPEL REFLECTIONS** – Want to stay connected to Christ and his Gospel every day? Sign up for FREE AT  
[cgatholic.org.au/LivingWord/](http://cgatholic.org.au/LivingWord/)

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**SPIRITUAL ACCOMPANIMENT** – “Conversations of the Heart” - with Sr Lorraine Cupitt. Reflect on God's action and grace in your daily routine. 27 year in Adult Spirituality and Accompaniment. Contact Sr Lorraine.  
[Lorraine.cupitt@gmail.com](mailto:Lorraine.cupitt@gmail.com)

**PASTORAL & SPIRITUAL CARE TRAINING—** 5 day course: Pastoral/ Spiritual Care; empathy, grief and loss, spiritual reflection and self-care: Feb 15-Mar 15 2023, 9-5pm in Queanbeyan; cost \$400. Contact Susanne Schmidt on 0431 243 486 or [sannecpe@gmail.com](mailto:sannecpe@gmail.com)

**MARYMEAD AUXILIARY – Spring Morning Tea** in the gardens of Government House. Help raise funds. Morning tea, craft, preserves, a raffle and entertainment. October 13, 10AM-12PM. Tickets \$40. [marymead.org.au/government-house-spring-morning-tea](http://marymead.org.au/government-house-spring-morning-tea)



## *Year of Walking Together*

The Risen Lord walked together with the disciples on the road to Emmaus, drawing them from anxiety to hope, from confusion to joy.

Jesus, centre of our common Emmaus walk, with You alone to guide us, make Your home in our hearts; as we pour “new wine into fresh wineskins” (Mk 2:22) Like Mary, imbued by the Holy Spirit, may we give birth to a renewed faith and united pastoral action in this Archdiocese in the years ahead. St Mary of the Cross, our Great Australian Intercessor pray for us. Mary, Mother of the Church, pray for us. All Saints of God, who name and guide our parishes, pray for us.  
Amen.

## **We pray for...**

**Those to be baptised:** Charlotte Jones, Luca & Matteo Te Hira

**Those to be married:** Anjanette McInnes & Antonio Musolino

**Those who are ill:** Sophy Jacob, McKenzie Killian, Phil Pocock, Sophy, Medardo Balmaceda, Sally Barber, Gerry Dullard OSA, Fr Bill, Leung Man Kon, Matthew Hurley, Beryl Johnson, Florencio Fariña, Alejandra Martinez, Colliss Parrett, Arianna Vignale, Stella Lazar, Rod Duncan, Anthony, Paul Mychailuk, Kalum, Nicholas Dyne

**Anniversaries of death:** Victor Res, William Patrick Boyle, Dorothy Whitfield, William Slanislaws James Duffy, Millie & Dick Millwood, Alice Campbell, Phyllis Regazzi, Baby Lillianna Fulop, Kathleen Scott, Annie Kelly, Mick Enderby, Kath McIntosh, Guerino Belmonte, Raymond Fry, Stanley Marris, Tony Quinn, Agostino Luongo, Joy Swinney, Lino Farronato, David Shepherd, Peg Guthrie

**Recently Deceased:** Bill Higgins, Sr Roberta Robertson RSM, Donatella Magro, Vittorio D'Ambrosio, Kieran O'Connor, Antonio Costa, Jim Serafin, Amelia LoPilato, Teddy Kartadinata, Marie Hargreaves, Maria Teow Mah Lia, Don Robertson, Mary Rose Skidmore, Giuseppe Pelle, Peter Myat Htoo, Rozalia Spadafora, Adrienne Brown, Frances Monica Beattie (Wellach-Smith), Claudine Radjam, Luke Koay, Tony Corkeron, Stephen Brooks, Claudine Ignace, Tobias Barry, Ros Allen, Fred Thorpe, Bruce Lotton



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**Entrance Antiphon:** If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities, Lord, who could stand? But with you is found forgiveness, O God of Israel.

**Responsorial:** The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power.

**Gospel Acclamation:** For all things give thanks to God, because this is what he expects of you in Christ Jesus.

**Communion Antiphon:** The rich suffer want and go hungry, but those who seek the Lord lack no blessing.

**First Reading**

**2 Kgs 5:14-17**

Naaman the leper went down and immersed himself seven times in the Jordan, as Elisha had told him to do. And his flesh became clean once more like the flesh of a little child. Returning to Elisha with his whole escort, he went in and stood before him. 'Now I know' he said, 'that there is no God in all the earth except in Israel. Now, please, accept a present from your servant.' But Elisha replied, 'As the Lord lives, whom I serve, I will accept nothing.' Naaman pressed him to accept, but he refused. Then Naaman said, 'Since your answer is "No," allow your servant to be given as much earth as two mules may carry, because your servant will no longer offer holocaust or sacrifice to any god except the Lord.'

**Second Reading**

**2 Tm 2:8-13**

Remember the Good News that I carry. 'Jesus Christ risen from the dead, sprung from the race of David'; it is on account of this that I have my own hardships to bear, even to being chained like a criminal – but they cannot chain up God's news. So I bear it all for the sake of those who are chosen, so that in the end they may have the salvation that is in Christ Jesus and the eternal glory that comes with it. Here is a saying that you can rely on: If we have died with him, then we shall live with him. If we hold firm, then we shall reign with him. If we disown him, then he will disown us. We may be unfaithful, but he is always faithful, for he cannot disown his own self.

**Gospel**

**Lk 17:11-19**

On the way to Jerusalem Jesus travelled along the border between Samaria and Galilee. As he entered one of the villages, ten lepers came to meet him. They stood some way off and called to him, 'Jesus! Master! Take pity on us.' When he saw them he said, 'Go and show yourselves to the priests.' Now as they were going away they were cleansed. Finding himself cured, one of them turned back praising God at the top of his voice and threw himself at the feet of Jesus and thanked him. The man was a Samaritan. This made Jesus say, 'Were not all ten made clean? The other nine, where are they? It seems that no one has come back to give praise to God, except this foreigner.' And he said to the man, 'Stand up and go on your way. Your faith has saved you.'



**LITURGICAL MINISTRIES ROSTER**

Mass	Lectors		Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist	
	8/9 Oct	15/16 Oct	8/9 Oct	15/16 Oct
5.00pm (SCC)	Ruth Meadows Becky Langworthy	Mark Hyman Les Buszynski		
6.00pm (SPC)	Melissa Dixon Fiona Wheeler	Tarinya Hannedege Felicity de Fombelle		
8.00am (SCC)	Phil Pocock Dione Smith	Louise Zavone Joe Zavone	Marcus Smith	Phil Pocock
9.30am (SPC)	Dominic Chin Clarice Poh	Jaye Corkeron Damien Balachandra		
11.00am (SCC)	Lynn Chan Leeann Galloway	Avanti Oberoi Bronwen Grey	Bronwen Grey Mark Hyman	Edwina Hyman Bronwen Grey
5.00pm (SCC)	Lynette Yap Franciilia Gomes	Rebekah O'Meagher Liz Porra		

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