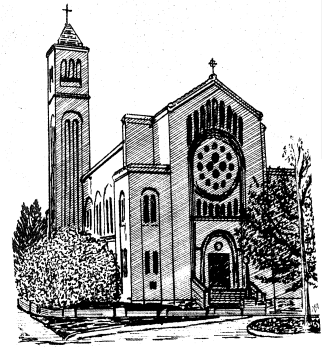


# St Christopher's Cathedral Parish, Canberra

(including St Peter Chanel's Church, Yarralumla)



31st Sunday, Ordinary  
Time: Year C  
30th October 2022

Archdiocese of Canberra & Goulburn  
Archbishop: Most Rev Christopher Prowse DD STD  
Administrator: Fr Trenton van Reesch  
Assistant Priest: Fr Alexander Osborne



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

## PARISH OFFICE

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Parish Secretary: Anita Piper — 8:30am-4:30pm Monday to Thursday. Office Closed Friday-Sunday

Accounts Officer: Karina Widjaja—8am-4pm Friday

## 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

Monday 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

## ALL SAINTS DAY & ALL SOULS DAY

Friends,

November calls us to reflect upon the truth of Christ's Body in a particularly beautiful way.

On **November 1** we celebrate **All Saints Day**, when we invoked the intercession of those who now gaze upon the face of God (what is often called the 'Church Triumphant'). The magnificence of Saint Christopher's Cathedral is that it expresses this truth each time we enter. Through the charming stain glass windows, we are reminded each day, that we are surrounded by the saints who watch over and intercede for us.

**November 2** marks **All Souls Day**, when we pray for the faithful departed and those in purgatory (the 'Church Penitent'). We should always pray for the dead, but in this Month of Holy Souls, we are called to devote particular time and attention each day, that they might remember us before the throne of God when we are most in need of prayers. In this month, let us remember them, in the way the 'Church Triumphant' remembers and assists us. This is the Body, fully alive!

Finally we also call to mind all of us, who remain here, as those who continue on the pilgrim journey (known aptly as the 'Church Militant') When we consider these parts as a whole, we see more clearly the complete Body of Christ; what Saint Augustine called the *totus Christus* (the whole Christ). The feasts we celebrate this week remind us, that we are never separated from those we love. Jesus' Body, draws us together into One, regardless of time or place; and the unifying Sacrament through which this Body is manifest, is the Eucharist.

We pray then *with* and *for* the whole Body of Christ throughout November, especially for all those who have died; family, friends, and those with no one to pray for them. As Christians, we don't travel through the world alone, our salvation is wrapped up with the salvation of others, and charity beckons us to come to their aid, as they will and do to ours.

### - Annual November Mass for those who have lost Babies and Children -

Friday, November 18, SPC, 6:30pm

In this month, we are especially aware of the pain felt by those left behind, especially when it is our children who have gone before us. United in prayer, a twilight Mass for all those who have lost babies and children will be offered on Friday the 18th of November, 6:30pm, in Saint Peter Chanel's Church, Yarralumla. Those who have lost children of any age, are warmly invited to record their child's name on cards available in church foyers (alternatively please let the office know and a card can be made up for you).

On the evening you are invited to light a candle to place before the altar along with the card. In times of grief, let us forever be consoled by Christ, who spoke of the children as the greatest in God's Kingdom.

*"Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these."* (Matt 19:14)



**Eternal Rest grant to all Your departed, O Lord,  
and let perpetual light shine upon them.  
May the souls of the faithful departed,  
through the mercy of God, rest in peace.  
Amen.**

# 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*

Email: anh.tran@cg.org.au

### Weekly Liturgical Calendar

Mon Oct 31 31st week of Ord. Time

Tues Nov 1 31st week of Ord. Time  
All Saints Day

Wed. Nov 2 31st week of Ord. Time  
All Souls Day

Thurs. Nov 3 31st week of Ord. Time  
Fri. Nov 4 31st week of Ord. Time  
St Charles Borromeo

Sat. Nov 5 31st week of Ord. Time

Sun. Nov 6 32nd 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.**

## ALL SAINTS' & ALL SOULS DAY MASS TIMES

### ALL SAINTS DAY MASSES – Tuesday 1 November 2022

Mass Times: St Christopher's: **7:30am, 12:15pm & 6:00pm** | St Peter Chanel's **5:30pm.**

### ALL SOULS DAY MASSES – Wednesday 2 November 2022

Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed

Mass Times: St Christopher's: **7:30am, 12:15pm and 6:00pm** | St Peter Chanel's  
**5:30pm.**

**LEGION OF MARY**– a public gathering to pray the Rosary will be held Sunday 30 October 2pm in Garema Place Canberra City.

**MEN'S ROSARY CRUSADE**– Held every 1st Saturday of the month 10:30am-11:30am outside the main entrance of St Christopher's Cathedral.

**NOVEMBER MASS OFFERING ENVELOPES** available at Church exits. Completed envelopes can be returned on collection plates or the parish office. Please print clearly.

**GIFT of a NEW TABERNACLE, ST PETER CHANEL'S** – We joyously thank Mr Colliss Parrett, who has donated our new tabernacle in SPC, in memory of his beautiful wife, **Ismi Parrett OAM**. May this new house for Our Lord, allow his children to come and adore for many years to come. Thank you Colliss for your generosity.

*Eternal Rest Grant unto Ismini, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her.  
Amen.*

**TWILIGHT MASS FOR DECEASED CHILDREN** – Twilight Mass for all those who have lost babies (including the unborn) & children, **Friday the 18th of November, 6:30pm**, Saint Peter Chanel's Church, Yarralumla. If you have lost a child of any age, you are invited to record their name on cards available in church foyers (or let the office know to have a card made up for). On the evening you are invited to light a candle to place before the altar.

**THE NIGHT OF THE WITNESSES – 23 November 2022.** An initiative of the Pontifical Foundation, Aid to the Church in Need. A night of prayer, that originates in France and is now held annually in capital cities around the world, from London to Madrid. Gather to honour and pray for persecuted Christians – estimated 200 million around the world today. Hear the stories of modern-day martyrs and listen to three distinguished guests give their testimony. Wednesday 23 November, 7-8:30pm. St Christopher's Cathedral. Register [trybooking.com/events/landing/978874](http://trybooking.com/events/landing/978874)

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**CATHOLIC BOOKSHOP FIRESIDE CHAT**—Held 4 November 1:30pm with guest speakers Helen & Eugene Holzapfel on their new book: **Home, Hope and Helen**. Eugene (a retired RAAF Engineer) suffered an injury that left him paralysed while on holiday. Their book narrates events, & explains how despair turned to hopefulness and inspiration. It illustrates courage, resilience & good humour in an inspirational manner. Their book is available for purchase on the day.

**SPIRITUALITY MORNING**—Transformation in Everyday Life according to St Therese of Lisieux, using the Parables of Jesus. Monday 21st November 10am to 12 Noon at the Sisters of Mercy Community Centre, Townsend St, Phillip. To register email Sr Lorraine [loraine.cupitt@gmail.com](mailto:loraine.cupitt@gmail.com)



# 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 [cgcatholic.org.au/2016/10/something-beautiful-god/](http://cgcatholic.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)

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

**ARCHBISHOP'S DAY OF TEACHING** – Sat 12 Nov at St Peter Chanel's, Yarralumla. 8:30am-4pm. All welcome, free entry. Talks, Testimonies, Worship and Holy Mass at midday. Free Sausage Sizzle lunch. Register: [trybooking.com/CDFEF](http://trybooking.com/CDFEF). Or call / text Maida on 0423 658 326.

**CARETAXI: SAFE CHURCH TRANSPORT**— Mass, Medical/GP appointments, shopping trips, recreational trips, and more; qualified and caring drivers. Visit [caretaxi.com.au](http://caretaxi.com.au), or 0451 734 334.

**MACKILLOP HOUSE FOR HOMELESS WOMEN**— Offers temporary accommodation for ACT homeless women with Villas available for Mothers with Children. To offer support, direct debit is available: BSB 062-786 | Account Number: 00010602 | Account name: CatholicCare Canberra & Goulburn | Reference: **MacKillop House** or email remittance to [Noelene.quinane@catholiccare.cg.org.au](mailto:Noelene.quinane@catholiccare.cg.org.au)

**Men's Cursillo Retreat Weekend, 24–27 Nov** - A Cursillo retreat weekend offers you the opportunity for formation through talks, meditations, discussion and prayer, led by an experienced local volunteer team. A three-day retreat starts on the evening of Thu 24 Nov in a relaxed retreat setting. Contact Alfred (0412 268 044, [readysetgo@live.com.au](mailto:readysetgo@live.com.au)) <https://bit.ly/cursillo22>

**Marriage Preparation Program— 9 Nov**, for engaged couples includes, FOCCUS questionnaire, dinner, formation program and a private, follow-up couple discussion with a CatholicCare counsellor. Held in the St Christopher's Pastoral Centre, Manuka from 5-9 pm, \$300 per couple for the whole program. Registration at [www.marriagefamily.org.au](http://www.marriagefamily.org.au)



## *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:** Isla Gulane

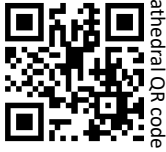
**Those to be married:** Ashleigh Commisso & Dylan Stippler

**Those who are ill:** Sophy Jacob, McKenzie Killian, Phil Pocock, Sophy, 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:** Ray & Betty Fry, Victor Res, William Patrick Boyle, Dorothy Whitfield, William Stanislaus 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:** Br Anthony Atkinson FMS, Berty Jacob, Adriane Brown, Sally Barber, Medardo Balmaceda, Lauren West, Nicolina Caggiano, 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, Adriane Brown, Frances Monica Beattie (Wellach-Smith), Claudine Radjam, Luke Koay, Tony Corkeron, Stephen Brooks, Claudine Ignace, Tobias Barry,





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**Entrance Antiphon:** Forsake me not, O Lord, my God; be not far from me! Make haste and come to my help, O Lord, my strong salvation!

**Responsorial:** I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God.

**Gospel Acclamation:** God loved the world so much, he gave us his only Son, that all who believe in him might have eternal life.

**Communion Antiphon:** You will show me the path of life, the fullness of joy in your presence, O Lord.

**First Reading**

**Wis 11:22-12:2**

In your sight, Lord, the whole world is like a grain of dust that tips the scales, like a drop of morning dew falling on the ground. Yet you are merciful to all, because you can do all things and overlook men's sins so that they can repent. Yes, you love all that exists, you hold nothing of what you have made in abhorrence, for had you hated anything, you would not have formed it. And how, had you not willed it, could a thing persist, how be conserved if not called forth by you? You spare all things because all things are yours, Lord, lover of life, you whose imperishable spirit is in all. Little by little, therefore, you correct those who offend, you admonish and remind them of how they have sinned, so that they may abstain from evil and trust in you, Lord.

**Second Reading**

**2 Thes 1:11-22**

We pray continually that our God will make you worthy of his call, and by his power fulfil all your desires for goodness and complete all that you have been doing through faith; because in this way the name of our Lord Jesus Christ will be glorified in you and you in him, by the grace of our God and the Lord Jesus Christ. To turn now, brothers, to the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and how we shall all be gathered round him: please do not get excited too soon or alarmed by any prediction or rumour or any letter claiming to come from us, implying that the Day of the Lord has already arrived.

**Gospel**

**Lk 19:1-10**

Jesus entered Jericho and was going through the town when a man whose name was Zacchaeus made his appearance; he was one of the senior tax collectors and a wealthy man. He was anxious to see what kind of man Jesus was, but he was too short and could not see him for the crowd; so he ran ahead and climbed a sycamore tree to catch a glimpse of Jesus who was to pass that way. When Jesus reached the spot he looked up and spoke to him: 'Zacchaeus, come down. Hurry, because I must stay at your house today.' And he hurried down and welcomed him joyfully. They all complained when they saw what was happening. 'He has gone to stay at a sinner's house' they said. But Zacchaeus stood his ground and said to the Lord, 'Look, sir, I am going to give half my property to the poor, and if I have cheated anybody I will pay him back four times the amount.' And Jesus said to him, 'Today salvation has come to this house, because this man too is a son of Abraham; for the Son of Man has come to seek out and save what was lost.'

**LITURGICAL MINISTRIES ROSTER**

Mass	Lectors		Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist	
	29/30 Oct	5/6 Nov	29/30 Oct	5/6 Nov
5.00pm (SCC)	Les Buszynski Jacob Madden	Edwina Hyman Mark Hyman		
6.00pm (SPC)	Fiona Wheeler Tarinya Hannedege	Melissa Dixon Fiona Wheeler		
8.00am (SCC)	Phil Pocock	Louise Zavone Joe Zavone	Marcus Smith	Phil Pocock
9.30am (SPC)	<b>St Bede's Children's Liturgy</b>	Clarice Poh Dominic Chin		
11.00am (SCC)	Solange Pereira Cecilia Flores	Bronwen Grey Avanti Oberoi	Volunteer	Jacqueline Hipwell Leeann Halloway
5.00pm (SCC)	Rebekah O'Meagher Francilia Gomes	Solange Pereira Francilia Gomes		

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