



# ADELAIDE CATHEDRAL PARISH

Palm Sunday Year A

2nd April 2023

## Jesus, the Life

Today's celebration can be said to be bittersweet. It is joyful and sorrowful at the same time. We celebrate the Lord's entrance into Jerusalem to the cries of his disciples who acclaim him as king. Yet we also solemnly proclaim the Gospel account of his Passion. In this poignant contrast, our hearts experience in some small measure what Jesus himself must have felt in his own heart that day, as he rejoiced with his friends and wept over Jerusalem.

The Gospel we heard before the procession (cf. Mt 21:1-11) describes Jesus as he comes down from the Mount of Olives on the back of a colt that had never been ridden. It recounts the enthusiasm of the disciples who acclaim the Master with cries of joy. Jesus himself sees in this joyful welcome an inexorable force willed by God. To the scandalised Pharisees he responds: "I tell you that if these were silent, the stones would shout out" (Lk 19:40).

Yet Jesus who, in fulfilment of the Scriptures, enters the holy city in this way is no misguided purveyor of illusions, no new age prophet, no imposter. Rather, he is clearly a Messiah who comes in the guise of a servant, the servant of God and of man, and goes to his passion. He is the great "patient", who suffers all the pain of humanity.

So as we joyfully acclaim our King, let us also think of the sufferings that he will have to endure in this week. Let us think of the slanders and insults, the snares and betrayals, the abandonment to an unjust judgment, the blows, the lashes and the crown of thorns... And lastly, the way of the cross leading to the crucifixion.

He had spoken clearly of this to his disciples: "If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me" (Mt 16:24). Jesus never promised honour and success. The Gospels make this clear. He had always warned his friends that this was to be his path, and that the final victory would be achieved through the passion and the cross. All this holds true for us too. Let us ask for the grace to follow Jesus faithfully, not in words but in deeds.

Let us also ask for the patience to carry our own cross, not to refuse it or set it aside, but rather, in looking to him, to take it up and to carry it daily. This Jesus, who accepts the hosannas of the crowd, knows full well that they will soon be followed by the cry: "Crucify him!" He does not ask us to contemplate him only in pictures and photographs, or in the videos that circulate on the internet. No.

He is present in our many brothers and sisters who today endure sufferings like his own: they suffer from slave labour, from family tragedies, from diseases... They suffer from wars and terrorism, from interests that are armed and ready to strike. Women and men who are cheated, violated in their dignity, discarded... Jesus is in them, in each of them, and, with marred features and broken voice, he asks to be looked in the eye, to be acknowledged, to be loved..

It is not some other Jesus, but the same Jesus who entered Jerusalem amid the waving of palm branches. It is the same Jesus who was nailed to the cross and died between two criminals. We have no other Lord but him: Jesus, the humble King of justice, mercy and peace.

*(Pope Francis' homilies)*



## 2nd Apr: Palm Sunday Project Compassion Appeal

Every day, more than 200 million children miss out on school, around 690 million people go hungry and 2.2 billion people cannot access clean drinking water. In recent years, COVID-19 has also devastated vulnerable communities already living in poverty, with the health and economic impacts to reverberate for years to come.

It's through the generous support of people like you that we are able to continue to help lift vulnerable



communities out of poverty – support that is needed now more than ever.

**Thank you** for your continued support for Project Compassion – past, present and future. Together, we can help vulnerable communities face their challenges today and build a better tomorrow **For All Future Generations**.

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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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**Archbishop of Adelaide** Archbishop Patrick O'Regan DD  
**Administrator** Fr. Anthoni Adimai SdM  
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**Latin Mass Chaplain** Fr. Michael McCaffrey, FSSP

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

## Aboriginal Catholic Ministry

Otherway Centre 8362 3185

**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 26 January—Mass at 9am ONLY 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 (Thu): 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) ONLY 1st, 3rd & 5th Sunday

## 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:** Six days before the Passover, when the Lord came into the city of Jerusalem, the children ran to meet him; in their hands they carried palm branches and with a loud voice cried out: Hosanna in the highest! Blessed are you, who have come in your abundant mercy! O gates, life high your heads; grow higher, ancient doors. Let him enter, the king of glory! Who is this king of glory? He, the Lord of hosts, he is the king of glory. Hosanna in the highest! Blessed are you, who have come in abundant mercy!

**First Reading:** Isaiah 50:4-7.

**Responsorial Psalm:** My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?

**Second Reading:** Philippians 2:6-11.

**Gospel Acclamation:** Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory! Christ became obedient for us even to death, dying on the cross. Therefore God raised him on high and gave him a name above all other names. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!

**Gospel:** Luke 22:14-23:56

**Universal Prayer Response:** Lord, have mercy.

**Communion Antiphon:** Father, if this chalice cannot pass without my drinking it, you will be done.

Next week: Easter Sunday

**First Reading:** Acts 10:34, 37-43

**Second Reading:** Col 3:1-4

**Gospel:** John 20:1-9

## Liturgies & Activities (3rd-9th Apr)

**Mon** Chrism Mass in the Cathedral at 6pm  
**Tue** Funeral Mass of Msgr. Tiggeman at 2pm. (SFX)  
**Thu** Holy Thursday: Mass of the Lord's Supper  
**Fri** Good Friday: Liturgy of the Passion of our Lord  
**Sat** Easter Vigil in the Cathedral at 7.30pm.  
**Sun** **Easter Sunday**

Please check the link for the full Holy Week schedule  
<https://www.adelcathparish.org/find-a-church-mass/easter-services> or grab a pamphlet.

## Prayer Requests for the Deceased

**Recently Deceased:** Msgr. Vincent Tiggeman, Alice Ward

## Deceased Anniversaries:

**Cathedral:** Detlef Patterson, Robert Hernandez, Augusta Long and Perry Sabellico

**Queen of Angels:** Pasquale Portolesi, Yosef Yurisevich, Giovanni & Ivan Batista, Ielasi family and Saverio & Anna Sergi.

**Holy Name:** Bambina Ciccone.

**St. John Vianney/St. Peter Claver:** Rosalia Mastrocinque, Dorina Sandrini & Marko Eldic.

## Prayers Requests for the Sick

Barry and Carmel Collins, Maria Therese Cummins, Anton Sylvester, Antonio Romeo, Msgr. Robert Egar, Angelina Musico, Charles Dias, Diana, Klevis Gjeluci, Emily Swan, Julie Nelson, David Clayton, Mary Walsh, Maria Carroll, Vilma D'cruz, Shaun and Joseph Coleiro.

## 2 Apr: Fr Charles Lukati is running for Charity: Project Compassion 2023

Father Charles Lukati, Parish Priest of Croydon Park, has joined with Caritas Australia in raising funds to help communities impacted by the recent earthquake in Turkey and Syria. Please support him as he runs the half marathon in Clare Valley on Sunday 2 April 2023. To join the cheer squad or participate please contact Tracey Tessitore on M: 0439 810 250. Donations can be made via the QR Code link.



## 3-9 Apr: Adelaide Cathedral Parish Holy Week Lenten Schedule

The Holy Week Lenten Services and Confession schedule is now available on the Cathedral Parish website. Kindly visit [www.adelcathparish.org](http://www.adelcathparish.org) for more details and download a copy for more information on services in each church of our Parish.

### 3 Apr: Chrism Mass at 6pm

We welcome all to celebrate Mass of the Oils on Monday, 3 March at St Francis Xavier's Cathedral at 6pm. **Please note NO onsite car parking will be available.** If you would like more information regarding this event, please contact the Events Office on P: 8210 8220.

### 3 Apr: No Confessions on Monday 12.10 pm & 5.45pm Masses are Cancelled

**There will be no Confessions (11am & 5pm) and the 12.10pm & 5.45pm Masses are cancelled on 3rd April** due to the Chrism Mass. **The Cathedral Car Park will also be closed to the public on this day.** In case you are planning to attend services at the Cathedral please make alternate arrangements to park your vehicle.

### 4 Apr: Funeral Mass of Msgr. Tiggeman

The Funeral Mass of Msgr. Vincent Tiggeman will be held on 4 April at 2pm in St. Francis Xavier's Cathedral. Monsignor Tiggeman served as a Priest at Christies Beach, St. Francis Xavier Cathedral, Hectorville, Glenelg, Dulwich, Holy Name, Stepney and Pennington as well as years of service with the Marriage Tribunal. Msgr. Tiggeman will be remembered as a kind, intelligent, thoughtful and caring pastor who could relate to many and served with great love. He will be dearly remembered by one and all. May his soul rest in peace. All are welcome to attend and no registration is required.

### 10 Apr: Easter Monday: Public Holiday

There will be only one Mass at 8am on 10 April - Easter Monday as it is a Public Holiday. There will be no services in any other church in the Parish.

## 7 Apr: Good Friday: Stations of the Cross

Stations of the Cross will be held on Good Friday as follows:

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church (KI): 9.30am  
St. Francis Xavier Cathedral, Adelaide CBD: 10am  
St. Mary's Church, Lower North Adelaide: 10am  
St. Peter Claver Church, Dulwich: 10am  
St. John Vianney Church, Burnside: 10am  
Queen of Angels Church, Thebarton: 11am  
Holy Name Church, Stepney: 10am & 11.30am (Latin)

## 7 Apr: Good Friday Holy Places Appeal

The Annual collection for the support of the church in the Holy Land will take place on Good Friday, 7 April. This collection promotes the missionary work of the Church in the Holy Land by providing welfare assistance to local Christians in areas such as health, education, employment, housing. Parishes, and orphanages. It is also used to maintain over 70 churches and shrines associated with the life of Jesus. Whilst life in the Holy Land is returning to some new sense of normality (as is the rest of the world) the Church and people of the Holy Land are still struggling with reduced income due to fewer pilgrims and lower church attendance around the world. In 2022, Australian Catholics were extremely generous and we were able to send to the Holy Land \$1.4 million [compared to \$1,126,098 (2021) \$406,023 (2020) and \$1.3 million (2019)]. The reality for the Holy Land mission is that they will continue to face challenges financial and spiritual and so we again ask Catholics around the world again to be as generous as possible, with their financial support as well as the spiritual support. Please remember the Christians of the Holy Land on Good Friday. **Good Friday Appeal Envelopes are now available in the church foyer for you to make your donation.** Thank you.

## 16 Apr: Feast of the Divine Mercy at St Peter Claver, Dulwich

We welcome all to celebrate the Feast of the Divine Mercy on Sunday, **16 April at St Peter Claver Church, Dulwich. Exposition will begin at 1.30pm followed by reciting of the Chaplet and concluding with Mass.** There will be a sale of religious items at the rear of the church. A special collection will be held at Mass for Divine Mercy Sunday. No prior bookings are required.

## 15/16 Apr: Pilgrimage of Thanksgiving St. Mary of the Cross MacKillop

The Knights of the Southern Cross SA will complete their Centenary Celebrations with a "Pilgrimage of Thanksgiving" of the "MacKillop Cross". This is to celebrate the life and work of St. Mary MacKillop. The Cross will be on display in the Cathedral on 15 and 16 April. This beautiful cross was made from the discarded floor boards of the original school founded in Penola by St Mary MacKillop. Two identical crosses were made from the narrow floorboards by the KSC team of Penola in 1986. The first cross was presented to Pope John Paul in 1986 and second cross was presented to the then Archbishop of Sydney, Cardinal Edward Clancy and remained in St Mary's Cathedral, Sydney for many years.

All are welcome to come and pay their homage during this special occasion.

## Latin Mass Community Announcements

The Holy Week Schedule is available on the purple A4 sheets. Please take a copy home. In particular please be aware that this year:

- 1) The Easter Vigil will commence at **7.30pm** on Saturday evening; and
- 2) There will be **NO 5pm** Mass on Easter Sunday

Please keep those who will be baptised and those who will be received into full communion with the Catholic Church next weekend in your prayers this week. Please also note that the Easter Vigil is expected to take approx. 3 hours.

Project Compassion buckets will be available at the doors of the church over the Easter weekend.

We raised \$800 for Project Compassion from last Sunday's Car Wash. Well done!

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 do not place any advertising material in the church without the prior permission of the chaplain. Thank you.

Please remember the sick in your prayers, especially Damian Wyld, Anthony Green (Benedict Green and Anna Ros's son), Kathryn Nader, Tony Caruso, Vincenza Martucci (Ines Barson's mother). Please also remember the recently deceased, and those whose anniversaries occur about this time.

## Easter Edition of the Southern Cross

Please take home a free copy of this month's edition of *The Southern Cross*. The Easter edition includes all the latest news and events in our local Church community including parishes and Catholic schools. You can also view the online edition at [www.thesoutherncross.org.au](http://www.thesoutherncross.org.au)

## 23 Apr: Fundraising by Burnside Inter-Church Council (BICC)

The BICC are hosting a private screening of a new release movie called "Jesus Revolution". The movie will be screened on Sunday 23 April at the Wallis Cinema, Level 1, Mitcham Shopping Centre. Tickets are now available at \$20 per person. Pre-booking is preferred as limited tickets will be available on the day.

The Burnside Inter-Church Council is raising funds for Pastoral Care Workers in local schools. All proceeds will help provide extra hours for our PCWs, which means more opportunities to support children, families and staff who need it.

Kindly visit the Parish Office on 39 Wakefield Street, to purchase your ticket. Last day to purchase tickets is 18 April. Office hours are Mon to Fri 9.30am to 4.30pm.

## 27 Apr: Knitting Group Recommences at Dulwich Hall

Following our usual summer break, the first meeting of the Knitting Group for 2023 will be on Thursday 27 April in the Hall at Stuart Road, Dulwich, across the road from St Peter Claver's Church, starting from 10.30 am. All parishioners and friends are welcome. Some have been enquiring about our start date, as those who attend find it an enjoyable and relaxing day. Stay, knit and have morning tea with us, or call in for a chat. If you wish, bring a light lunch and stay longer. We had hoped to start in March this year but neither coordinator is available to host an earlier start.

If you have spare balls of 8 ply wool, we would appreciate your donation to help our knitters. We knit or crochet 25cm squares to make into rugs for local people in need. We need help to join squares into rugs, if that would be a better match for your skills. Further dates for the year are the 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays of the month - 25 May, 22 June, 27 July, 24 August, 21 September. For further information, contact Cheryl (0417 015 338) or Julie (0468 636 190).

## May 2023: Rosary by the Legion of Mary

The Legion of Mary Prayer Group of the Adelaide Cathedral Parish will recite the Rosary at the Mary Mackillop Plaza outside St. Francis Xavier's Cathedral every first Saturday of the month at 8.30am starting from May. All are welcome to join in.

## 20 May: "Who Am I in Christ?" A Youth Retreat by Charis SA

Charis SA invites all young people, families and all who wish to be inspired to a "Youth Retreat" reflecting on "Who Am I In Christ" on 20 May 10.30am to 3.00pm at St Peter Claver Church, Dulwich. It will include Praise & Worship, teaching, activities, reflection, Mass and Adoration. Please contact 0450651900 to register. Tea & Coffee provided. All Youth are welcome.

## 21 May: Marian Procession 2023 Save the date and Change in Venue

The 2023 Marian Procession will be held on Sunday 21st May beginning at the Pioneer Women's Memorial Gardens (next to the Torrens Parade Ground on King William Rd) procession up King William St into Victoria Square. This year, we celebrate the *Feast of the Visitation* in line with the 2023 World Youth Day theme. The Procession will commence at 2pm and all are invited to attend with their parish or community. Group assembly will begin from 1.30pm. Unless there is a severe weather warning the procession will take place, however, it will conclude in St Francis Xavier's Cathedral rather than Victoria Square. For more information, please contact the Events Office on P: 8210 8220.

## Safeguarding Children

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 by an adult family member in the carparks at all times.