



# ADELAIDE CATHEDRAL PARISH

**Sixth Sunday of Easter - Year A**

**14th May 2023**

Today's Gospel takes us back to the Upper Room. During the Last Supper, before confronting his passion and death on the cross, Jesus promises the Apostles the gift of the Holy Spirit, who will have the task of teaching and recalling Jesus' words to the community of disciples. Jesus says: "the Counsellor, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, he will teach you all things, and bring to your remembrance all that I have said to you" (Jn 14:26). Teach and recall. This is what the Holy Spirit does in our hearts.

At the moment in which he is about to return to the Father, Jesus foretells of the coming of the Spirit who will first teach the disciples to understand the Gospel ever more fully, in order to welcome it in their existence and to render it living and operative by their witness.

While he is about to entrust to the Apostles — which in fact means "envoys" — the mission of taking the Gospel to all the world, Jesus promises that they will not be alone. The Holy Spirit, the Counsellor, will be with them, and will be beside them, moreover, will be within them, to protect and support them. Jesus returns to the Father but continues to accompany and teach his disciples through the gift of the Holy Spirit.

The second aspect of the Holy Spirit's mission consists in helping the Apostles to remember Jesus' words. The Spirit has the task of reawakening the memory, recalling Jesus' words. The divine Teacher has already communicated all that he intended to entrust to the Apostles: with Him, the Word made flesh, the revelation is complete.

The Spirit will recall Jesus' teachings in the various concrete circumstances of life, so that they may be put into practice. That is precisely what still happens today in the Church, guided by the light and the power of the Holy Spirit, so that he may bring to everyone the gift of salvation, which is the love and mercy of God. For example, each day when you read — as I have advised you — a passage, a passage of the Gospel, ask the Holy Spirit: "Let me understand and remember these words of Jesus".

We are not alone: Jesus is close to us, among us, within us! His new presence in history happens through the gift of the Holy Spirit, through whom it is possible to instil a living relationship with Him, the Crucified and Risen One. The Spirit, flowing within us through the Sacraments of Baptism and Confirmation, acts in our life.

He guides us in the way to think, to act, to distinguish between what is good and what is bad; he helps us to practice the charity of Jesus, his giving of himself to others, especially to the most needy. We are not alone!

The sign of the presence of the Holy Spirit is also the peace that Jesus gives to his disciples: "My peace I give to you" (v. 27). It is different from what mankind hopes for or tries to achieve.

*(Pope Francis' homilies)*

**Fr. Anthoni Adimai, SdM.**

## **Happy Mothers Day!**

The Fathers, Deacons and staff of the Adelaide Cathedral Parish would like to wish all the Mothers, Grandmothers and Carers in our Parish a Happy Mothers Day! May our own Blessed Mother, the Virgin Mary, be a guiding light to our grandmothers and mothers. We are thankful for the gift of our Mothers and ask that they may always be blessed in a special way.

## **Thank you to our well-wishers supporting the Mother's Day Appeal**

A Mother's Day Appeal stall to raise money for Hutt St. Centre was a huge success thanks to the generous patronage of all our parishioners and well-wishers. The stall raised over \$1000 over the weekend. We would especially like to thank our parishioners Annette Zalkauskas and Bernadette Henderson for their effort behind the appeal.

## **13/14 May: St Vincent de Paul Society Winter Appeal across the Parish**

The St Vincent de Paul Society will be launching their Winter Appeal at all Masses in all churches of our Parish this Sunday 13/14 May. We ask that you please be generous to assist those who are in desperate need as we now approach the colder months of the year and thank you in advance for your generosity.

## **Annual Diocesan Mass Count**

The Annual Diocesan Mass Count began last Sunday and will continue at all weekend Masses throughout the month of May. The information is collected to help the Archdiocese with pastoral planning and financial reporting. We appreciate your support and help in this regard and thank you for your co-operation.

## **Fr. Anthoni Adimai on Annual leave**

Fr Anthoni Adimai, the Administrator of the Adelaide Cathedral Parish will be away on annual leave. During this time Fr Peter Rozitis, Assistant Administrator, will be in-charge of the Parish.

**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  
**Assistant Administrator** Fr. Peter Rozitis  
**Latin Mass Chaplain** Fr. Michael McCaffrey, FSSP

**Parish Office** (across the lawn from the Cathedral)  
Mon to Fri: 9.30am-4.30pm • 8210 8155  
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Parish newsletter: [www.adelcathparish.org/news-events/weekly-newsletters](http://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 and 25 April - 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:** Proclaim a joyful sound and let it be heard; proclaim to the ends of the earth: The Lord has freed his people, Alleluia.

**First Reading:** Acts 8:5-8, 14-17.

**Responsorial Psalm:** Let all the Earth cry out to God with joy.

**Second Reading:** 1 Peter 3:15-18.

**Gospel Acclamation:** Alleluia, alleluia! All who love me will keep my words, and my Father will love them and we will come to them. Alleluia!

**Gospel:** John 14:15-21

**Universal Prayer Response:** Lord, hear us.

**Communion Antiphon:** If you love me, keep my commandments, says the Lord, and I will ask the Father and he will send you another Paraclete, to abide with you forever, Alleluia.

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**Next Week: The Ascension of the Lord.**

**First Reading:** Acts 1:1-11.

**Second Reading:** Ephesians 1:17-23.

**Gospel:** Mathew 28:16-20.

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## Liturgies & Activities (15th-21st May)

**Wed** St. Paschal Baylon.

**Thu** St. John I, Pope.

**Sat** St. Bernardine of Sienna.

**Sun** The Ascension of the Lord.

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## Prayer Requests for the Deceased

**Recently Deceased:** Carlito Alombro Marquez, Letemichael Tsama Mender, Fr Eddie Welling, Fr John Chambers, Carmella DeLivera

## Deceased Anniversaries:

**Cathedral:** Eileen Gent, William Francisco, Ken Newman (Fr. Mathew Newman's grandfather)

**Queen of Angels:** Giuseppe & Ada Ielasi, Giuseppe Martino and Giuseppina & Francesco Virgara.

**St. Mary's:** Wally Juttner and Jack Porter.

**St. John Vianney/St. Peter Claver:** Maureen & John, Garner family, Hey family, Kriewaldt & Pearce families, Ruth Jittu, Ralph & Frankie Sobels, Leeson family and John & Margeret O'Keefe.

## Prayers Requests for the Sick

Maria Therese Cummins, Fidy Ruivivar, Maryellen, Brian & Rosemary Brazier, June Cochrane, Anton Sylvester, Antonio Romeo, Msgr. Robert Egar, Angelina Musico, Charles Dias, Diana, Klevis Gjeluci, Emily Swan, Julie Nelson, David Clayton, Mary Walsh, Vilma D'cruz, Ingrid Rebmann, Jithin Jamon and Shaun & Joseph Coleiro.

## 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.

## 19 May: Women's Retreat at The Monastery

'Mary and Martha: Models of Discipleship', led by Val De Brenni, invites women to re-read the stories of Mary and Martha of Bethany as they reflect upon what it means to be a disciple of Jesus. The retreat provides time and space for prayer and silence, for walking and for being nourished. Commencing with dinner on Friday 19 May and concluding on Saturday 20 May in the afternoon. \$170 includes your accommodation and all meals. Please contact: The Monastery office 8338 8700 or [conference@themonastery.net.au](mailto:conference@themonastery.net.au) for bookings.

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

The 2023 Marian Procession will be held on Sunday 21 May beginning at the Pioneer Women's Memorial Gardens (next to Torrens Parade Ground on King William Rd) processing 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.

## 27 May: James Thomson Ordination

Please join in celebrating the ordination of Deacon James Thomson to the priesthood at St Francis Xavier's Cathedral on Saturday May 27 at 10am. For those who are not able to attend, the Mass will be livestreamed via [www.adelaide.catholic.org.au](http://www.adelaide.catholic.org.au) This is a significant event for the Archdiocese and we ask that you keep James in your prayers in his journey to ordination. For more information, please contact Archdiocesan Events on 8210 8220.

## 27/28 May: Cakes and Cookies Fundraiser Sale for Kangaroo Island Parish

The Cathedral Parish is looking to organise a fundraising sale of delicious Cakes and Cookies on the last Sunday of each month in the Cathedral foyer after the 9am, 11am and 6pm Masses. We invite all parishioners who are willing to help with managing the stall and/or contribute to this cause by baking cakes, cookies and other baked goodies to contact Mary Bugeja on 0417808183. All proceeds from the sale will go to the ongoing fundraising effort for the Kangaroo Island Parish. The first sale will be scheduled for the weekend of 24/25 June. We look forward to your patronage and support to make this event a success.

## 20/21 May: Rosary at Queen of Angels

May is the month in honour of Our Lady. On Sunday 28th May, starting at 9am, before the 9.30am Mass, we will be reciting the Rosary in honour of Our Lady. There will be morning tea in the hall after the Mass. All are welcome.

## 21-28 May: Laudato Si' Week

The annual celebration of Pope Francis' encyclical *Laudato Si'/On Care for Our Common Home*. This year's theme is *Hope for the Earth, Hope for Humanity*. The Diocesan Council for Integral Ecology invites you to an afternoon of underwater adventure and global concern at the Marine Discovery Centre, Star of the Sea School, 333 Military Rd, Henley Beach from 2.00 to 4.30pm. *Caring for Our Coasts and Oceans – Adelaide's coastline, the Great Southern Reef and the threats to global oceans* will offer hands on experience of our precious coast and marine environments. Registration details and flyer will be available next week. Parishes and schools are also urged to show a YouTube video produced by the Laudato Si' Movement and the Vatican, called *The Letter – A message for our Earth*, available at <https://www.theletterfilm.org/watch/> It tells the story of how climate change is impacting people and wildlife in different places, and what can be done to reverse the damage. For further information and ideas about how you can be involved in Laudato Si' Week contact James Lloyd, Pastoral Lead, Justice, Inclusion and Healing on P:8210 8210 or [jlloyd@adelaide.catholic.org.au](mailto:jlloyd@adelaide.catholic.org.au)

## Thank you Dulwich/Burnside Knitters Group



The 2023 Knitting Season for the Dulwich/Burnside Knitters Group started extremely well with a gathering of about 15 people attending and enjoying the sumptuous morning tea. Others are busily knitting, stitching and edging at home. We

would like to sincerely thank all the people from Dulwich/Burnside and further a field who generously donate 8 ply wool or cash to buy wool for us to continue our works to keep the homeless and those struggling to make ends meet warm over the winter months. 25 rugs, 45 beanies and 4 teddy bears made up the total of our first meeting of the year.

Our group has been going for nearly 20 years and approximately 100 rugs per year are donated to the various groups who provide help to the needy. Our group welcomed George and Lawson Shepherd to our first 2023 meeting. George wrote a poem about his late wife Rosemary, a beloved member of our group, which he read to us. George also brought along Rosemary's last pieces of knitting that he had sewn up to make a cushion. Rosemary was a long time member of the knitting group.



It is an informal group and if anyone would like to join us, we work at the Dulwich Hall on Stuart Ave, Dulwich every 4th Thursday of the month from 10am-3pm, commencing in April and ending in September. Some people also work from home and send finished articles via group members. For more information you can contact Julie Dow on Mob: 0468 636 191 or Cheryl Reeve on mob: 0417 015 338.

## Latin Mass Community Announcements

### Happy Mothers Day!

There are no 1<sup>st</sup> Holy Communion classes and Confirmation classes today.

There will be a meeting for the parents of the 1<sup>st</sup> Communicants next Sunday, 21<sup>st</sup> May at 11am in the Atrium (Building A, next to the playground)

Today, 14<sup>th</sup> May, there is a special collection for St. Vincent de Paul's Annual Winter Appeal. Thank you for your generosity.

Next Sat 20<sup>th</sup> May is our Annual Quiz Night fundraiser for Hutt St. Tickets are now on sale for \$10pp. Tables of 10. BYO food and drink. Tea and coffee provided.

Next Sun 21<sup>st</sup> May: Our Annual May Crowning will take place after the 9.15am Mass, followed by the annual Archdiocesan Marian Procession at 2pm. We will gather as part of the Adelaide Cathedral Parish under their sign from 1.30pm.

Sat 27<sup>th</sup> May is our annual pilgrimage to Sevenhill for the Vigil of Pentecost. Please take a flyer.

Sun 28<sup>th</sup> May: Lunchtime concert by Anna Freer and our choir at Calvary Hospital Chapel, North Adelaide. Admission by donation. Please see the posters. Proceeds from the concert will go to the Mary Potter Hospice Foundation.

The Annual Diocesan May Mass count is taking place at all Sunday Masses over the Sundays in May. Thank you for your understanding.

Fr. McCaffrey is in Auckland this weekend.

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 especially Fr. Terence Gordon FSSP, and those whose anniversaries occur about this time.

### Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

Each year, our parish runs a series of instruction for adults who are interested in joining the catholic faith. This is called the RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults). The 2023/2024 sessions will start in late August 2023. If you are interested in joining this group, or even have an interest in finding out more about the catholic faith, you are invited to contact the Parish Office via email at [acp@adelaide.catholic.org.au](mailto:acp@adelaide.catholic.org.au) or call 82108155.

### 4 June: Understanding Divine Mercy talk at St Peter Claver, Dulwich

Fr. Chris Alar MIC will be presenting a prayer workshop on **Understanding Divine Mercy** on Sunday, 4 June at St. Peter Claver Church, Dulwich from 12.30-4.30pm, (BYO Lunch). All are welcome and no prior registration is required.

Mentored by the world's leading experts in Divine Mercy and author of the bestselling books *Understanding Divine Mercy* and *After Suicide: There's Hope for Them and for You*, Fr. Chris Alar MIC is a former wrestler and engineer with a Master's in Business Administration, and the current Provincial Superior of the Marian Fathers in Stockbridge USA.

Entrusted with spreading the message and devotion of Divine Mercy throughout the world, Fr. Chris is prolific in his teaching about the message of Divine Mercy and countless other topics associated with the Catholic faith.

This is Fr. Chris' first visit to Australia and it is an honour to have him speak in one of the churches of our Parish. Please contact Mary Bugeja on 0417808183 for more information or pick up a flyer in the church foyer.

### 29 Jul: Adult Confirmation at the Cathedral

There will be an opportunity for the celebration of the sacrament of Confirmation for adults who have been baptised but not yet confirmed. This celebration will be held at the 6pm Mass at St Francis Xavier's Cathedral on Saturday 29 July. Archbishop Patrick O'Regan will be the celebrant. Ahead of the confirmation there will be two preparation sessions for all candidates. These sessions will be held on Saturday, 15 and 22 July, from 1.30-3pm, in the Cathedral hall. For further information and to register for Adult Confirmation, please contact the Office for Worship on P: 82108130, or Kathy Horan on P: 82108288.

### Music of Hope Concert

The Cathedral of St Francis Xavier's Choir, The Choir of Holy Cross and The Flinders University Chamber Ensemble present a concert featuring Music of Hope on Sunday 18 June, 12.30pm at Holy Cross Church, Goodwood and Friday 23 June, 7pm at Cathedral of St Francis Xavier, Adelaide. The concert is co-directed by Arthur Siow and Timothy Davey. All are welcome.

### Learn to play the Pipe Organ.

For children interested in learning how to play the organ, information on lessons in how to play the organ can be obtained by contacting Astrid or Timothy on [music@adelaide.catholic.org.au](mailto:music@adelaide.catholic.org.au) or 8210 8128. A great way to learn about the Cathedral Pipe Organ and learn a new skill.

### Recruiting New Altar Servers

St. Francis Xavier's Cathedral is looking for volunteers to serve at Masses in the Cathedral. No prior experience is required and training will be provided to all. Altar serving is open to all who have received their First Holy Communion and Confirmation from the ages of 12 & above. Please contact the Parish office during working hours on 82108155 to register your interest.