Dear Sisters and Brothers,

Throughout our readings today we hear of feasts “of rich food and choice wines,” how the Lord will spread the table before us, and supply whatever we need. The first reading is taken from Isaiah 25:6-10. Seven hundred years or so before Christ, Prophet Isaiah described the result of coming under the image of a bountiful banquet in which hose taking part would find everlasting happiness and contentment.

What the prophet foretold, Christ fulfilled through his death and resurrection. God’s Son took our human nature, and made us his brothers and sisters and co-heirs with him of heaven, thus fulfilling God’s plan for us. God intended that we should share his eternal kingdom of happiness and this is possible because through the Incarnation of his Son we have been made his adopted children.

Jesus speaks in the context of a wedding feast. The context of the wedding goes with the image of Christ as the bridegroom who marries his bride, the church. This feast is, of course, the Eucharist. It is the bread and wine that become for us the Body and Blood of Jesus.

As a little piece of bread, it offers little earthly nourishment. As a sip of wine, it does little to quench our earthly thirst. Yet, as the Body and Blood of Jesus it gives us grace in abundance.

What we celebrate in the Eucharist is not just a play that remembers a historical event nor is it a new event. What we celebrate today in a way only he can, what Jesus did for us 2,000 years ago as he celebrated the Passover together with his disciples, making present today in a way only he can, what Jesus did for us, 2,000 years ago as he celebrated the Passover together with the sacrifice of his life on the Cross for us. Then we again kneel to show our humility and recognition of the sacredness of what we celebrate in the Eucharist.

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We kneel throughout the Eucharistic Prayer to show our recognition of the sacredness of the sacrifice we celebrate as the bread and wine are transubstantiated into the Body and Blood of Jesus. We stand during the Lamb of God as a sign of how we are raised up by the sacrifice that Jesus makes on the Cross for us. Then we again kneel to show our humility and surrender before God as we say “Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.”

Pope Benedict XVI said, “Every eucharistic celebration sacramentally accomplishes the eschatological gathering of the People of God. For us, the eucharistic banquet is a real foretaste of the final banquet foretold by the prophets (Is 25:6-9) and described in the New Testament as “the marriage feast of the Lamb” (Rev 19:7-9), to be celebrated in the joy of the communion of saints.”

Many Blessings,
Fr. Anthoni Adimai SdM.
Administrator - Adelaide Cathedral Parish.
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Rev. Anthony Hill
Rev. Nick Kerr
Rev. Remo Patroni
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• 8400 4222 (Junior Campus)
• 8400 4200 (Senior Campus)

**St Mary’s College** • www.stmaryscollege.catholic.edu.au
Principal: Ms Claire Nocka • 8216 5700

**St Patrick’s Special School** • www.stpats.catholic.edu.au
Principal: Ms Cathy Sires • 8332 1555

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**Worship**

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

**First Reading:** Isaiah 25:6-10.

**Responsorial Psalm:** I shall live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life.

**Second Reading:** Philippians 4:12-14, 19-20.

**Gospel Acclamation:** Alleluia! May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our heart that we might see how great is the hope to which we are called. Alleluia!


**Universal Prayer Response:** Lord, hear our prayer.

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

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**Next week:** Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time.

**First Reading:** Isaiah 45:1, 4-6.

**Second Reading:** Thessalonians 1:1-5.

**Gospel:** Matthew 22:15-21.

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**Liturgies & Activities**

(11th Oct-18th Oct)

**Wed**
St. Calistus I, Pope.

**Thu**
St. Teresa of Jesus (Avila).

**Fri**
St. Margaret Mary and St. Hedwig.

**Sat**
St. Ignatius of Antioch.

**Sun**
29th Sunday in Ordinary Time.

**IMPORTANT: Mass Cancellations in Oct/Nov**

Please note that due to major diocesan events taking place, the following Masses in the Cathedral will be cancelled:

Saturday, October 24 at 11.30am (Deacon Pat Lopresti's Ordination to priesthood taking place at 10am).

Monday, November 9 at 5.45pm (Holocaust Museum Launch and Remembrance of the Shoah Service from 6pm).

**Prayer Requests**

**Recently Deceased:** Mary Josephine Ryan and Brian Pitcher.

**Deceased Anniversaries:**

**Cathedral:** Lockhart Bruce, Agnes Lopez, Isidoro & Mickelina Annichiarico and Taduesz & Marienna Matejek.

**Holy Name/ St. Mary’s:** Basilio (Sylvio) De Angelis, Doris McGrath and Raymond Axon.

**Queen of Angels:** Charlie Ciantar and Tessie Mansuato.

**St. John Vianney/St. Peter Claver:** David Hunt, Merle & Stephen Morris, Seru Veretani & family, Galdys Tanner, Val Hardy, Irene Kennedy, Zolma Huppatz and Patricia Olifent.

**Sick:** Emeritus Archbishop Philip Wilson, Anton Sylvester, Hayley Reilly, John Taylor, James Hann, Maria Carroll, Alana Roscio, Kate Hall, Nikki Bowler, Wanda Nowak, Angela Musico, Philip Harding, Emily Swan, Cynthia McMinn & Julie Nelson.
Latin Mass Community

Sunday 11th 19th Sunday after Pentecost
Monday 12th Feria
Tuesday 13th St Edward the Confessor
Wednesday 14th St. Callixtus I
Thursday 15th St Teresa of Avila
Friday 16th St Hedwig
Saturday 17th St Margaret Mary
Sunday 18th 20th Sunday after Pentecost

Please respect the social distancing norms, sanitise your hands and record your name each time you enter the church. As a public health measure the Archbishop has also asked Catholics to refrain from congregational singing at mass for the present. The Covid Marshall for the 9.15am Sunday Mass is Rob Marsh, and for the 5pm Sunday mass is Peter Balan.

The monthly post-1st Holy Communion class is today at 11am in the tea room.

Young Adults group meets tonight, beginning with Vespers and a Holy Hour at 6pm followed by a pizza and a talk on St Peter at 7.15pm All Welcome.

Fr. Sofatzis is holding a series of weekly classes on Life Everlasting (The Four Last Things) in the Meeting Room on Thursday evenings at 7.30pm. All Welcome.

Date claimer: We will be having an All Saints Day community picnic directly after the morning Mass on Sunday 1st November. Details to follow.

Registrations for our Christ the King Pilgrimage from Naracoorte to Penola close today. Registration forms are available at the doors of the church. One form per family. Please see Tina Marsha at the Christus Rex table to register. (N.B. Non-pilgrims who wish to attend the Sunday mass at St Joseph’s Penola must speak to Fr McCaffrey.)

Congratulations to Max Kneebone and Lucinda Wojt who were received into full communion with the Catholic Church this weekend and also to Daphne Haylock who was baptised yesterday.

Fr. Wee is giving a retreat for women this December and a retreat for men in Lent next year. Both retreats will be held just outside Sydney. Please take a flyer for more details.

PARTNERS IN PRAYER

Our Community is sponsoring Holy Family Parish, Swan Hill in the Diocese of Ballarat whose Parish Priest is Fr James Kerr (formerly assistant PP in Mildura). I am proposing that we do two things; 1stly, pray our Rosary before the 9.15am Sunday Mass, and 2ndly, offer our time of Eucharistic Adoration on Tuesday mornings to support this Parish. It is hoped that this initiative will provide some encouragement to our fellow Catholics in Swan Hill, who in turn will pray for us. Thank you for your generosity.

If you wish to donate to the regular collections, money for the 1st and 2nd collections can be left in the respective buckets at the door as you exit the church after Sunday Mass.

Latin Mass Community

Could families who have a child turning 3 next year and who are interested in sending them to Atrium, please register their interest with Lucia Snelling. We are currently looking at numbers for 2021 and will probably offer another session for level 1 (children 3-6 years old). Lucia can be contacted by email lucia.snelling@hotmail.com or by phone on 0407378159.

There is a Holy Hour every Tuesday morning from 10.15am – 11.15am.

Please see the community blogspot for other information.

Please remember the sick in your prayers, especially, Rita Bogna, Christopher Boast, Elisabeth Duluk, Anne Russell, Miki Caputo, Terry Hockley (Jess Marsh’s father), Thomas Smyth, Charlene Armour, Germaine Miernik, Vincenza Martucci (Ines Barson’s mother). Please remember also the recently deceased, especially Evelyn Deane-Freeman, Rolf Meyer, Franca Piantedisi and those whose anniversaries occur about this time.

October Home Rosary at Dulwich Burnside

For nearly 50 years the Dulwich-Burnside community has held home Rosaries in October to pray for our priests and vocations. We invite you again to join us in our homes when the Rosary will be prayed everyday during weekdays this week at 7pm.

3rd week of October 2020:

12th Oct : Nan Hamra - 5 Coopers Ave (Stanley Street), Leabrook.
13th Oct : Grace & Tony Versace - 19 Travers Drive, Beaumont.
14th Oct : Joan Glastonbury - 1/18 Conyngham Street, Glenside.
16th Oct : Jean Lucas - 160 Waterfall Gully Road, Waterfall Gully.

Please contact Jean Lucas on 0421 280 100 or Veronica Boast on 0414 242 876 for more information.

Holy Places Appeal October 10th/11th 2020

The Holy Places Appeal special collection will take place this weekend across the Cathedral Parish. This collection, normally held on Good Friday, was rescheduled this year by Pope Francis due to closure of churches over Holy Week due to Covid-19 restrictions. This collection promotes the missionary work of the Church in the Holy Land by providing welfare assistance to the local Christians in areas such as health, education, employment and housing. Parishes, schools, orphanages and medical centres throughout the Holy Land rely on assistance from the Holy Places Appeal.

Safeguarding Children

Just 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.
Compliance with COVID-19 Protocols

- The two-square metres per person rule is to be observed in determining the total numbers allowed in the space.
- Except for families and household groups, people should be at least 1.5 metres apart.
- There should be no physical contact outside one’s family or household group. There should be no shaking of hands or holding hands during the Mass.
- Every gathering must record contact details. Logs are located at the entrance to the church.
- Hand sanitiser is to be available at church entrances.
- Precious Blood will not be distributed.
- No collection plates or hymn books are to be passed around.
- Communion is given only in hands.
- Holy Water is not available at the doors of churches.
- Collection plates will not be passed around but a single drop point is provided at the churches.
- Sick and high risk/vulnerable people should be encouraged not to attend.
- Special attention given to frequently touched surfaces.
- All surfaces should be cleaned at least daily, with logs located at the entrance to the church.
- Every gathering must record contact details.
- Logs are located at the entrance to the church.
- Offertory procession will be omitted.
- Care should be taken at the dismissal and on leaving the church to minimise social contact.

10th year Canonisation Anniversary of St. Mary MacKillop

The Archdiocese will be hosting a Liturgy of the Word to mark the 10th year anniversary of St Mary MacKillop to the saithood. Archbishop O’Regan will unveil and bless a new statue of Mary MacKillop in the Cathedral at 10am on October 17th 2020. For more information, please contact Archdiocesan Events on 8210 8220 or events@adelaide.catholic.org.au

Plenary Council
Journey to October 2021 and Beyond

The Archdiocese of Adelaide would like to inform you of an important gathering that is occurring in October on:

**Thursday, 29th October 2020 at 7:30pm-9:30pm**
Thebarton Community Centre, Corner of South Road and Ashwin Parade TORRENSVILLE

Book your seat at: [https://www.trybooking.com/BLTNS](https://www.trybooking.com/BLTNS)

Everyone is welcome. Each stage of the Plenary Council has involved a call to deeper discernment, it is an ongoing process and will take us well beyond the Plenary Council assemblies. Plans are being developed at a Diocesan level towards our own Diocesan Assembly and the formation of a Diocesan Pastoral Council. Recently Archbishop Tim Costelloe, President of the Plenary Council released a paper on his reflection about the Journey of Discernment and Archbishop Patrick O’Regan encourages us to read this.


A short video is also available: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=94CI5NxoDzw&feature=emb_logo](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=94CI5NxoDzw&feature=emb_logo)

Together, we continue on a journey of discernment, listening to one another, our own sacred tradition and God towards becoming a more Christ-centred Church.

Change in Adoration times on Wed and Fri at St. Peter Clavers, Dulwich

Please note the revised times for adoration are:

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**Wednesday:** 9.30am –4pm and **Friday:** 11.30am - 7pm

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Adelaide Cathedral Parish
Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year A
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