All Saints Day - Year A

Mass Schedule on Nov 2 All Souls Day

St. Francis Xavier’s Cathedral: 8am, 12.10pm, 5.45pm
St. John Vianney: 9am            St. Peter Claver: 11am
St. Mary’s: 8.00am.              Holy Name: 5.30pm
Queen of Angels: 8.30am.

Kindly note November Mass Intention envelopes (only use the yellow envelopes) are available in all churches of the Parish to make your intentions for your deceased loved ones for All Souls Day. Kindly write the names of your loved ones in the space provided on the reverse of the yellow envelope. Please place your sealed envelopes into the collection bowls each weekend in November or you can hand them into the Parish office (Mon-Fri: 9.30am-4.30pm). Thank You.

1st November 2020

Dear Sisters and Brothers,

There was a young girl who was obsessed with eating sugary foods. No matter what her parents did or said, she wouldn’t stop. So they decided to take the girl to a wise old man, so he could give her some direction. The old man listened to the parents and then thought for a while. And when he finally spoke he said to them, “Bring your daughter back in two weeks.”

So they went away and came back later as the old man had directed. Their daughter sat down, and the old man said to her, “Child, you’re eating too much sugar. You should stop that; it’s not good for your health.” Her parents looked at the old man and asked, “Why couldn’t you say that two weeks ago?” To which he answered, “Because I needed two weeks to cut back on my own obsession with eating sugar.”

It’s a cute little story (often attributed to Mahatma Gandhi), but there’s some important wisdom in it which relates to our Scriptures today. The girl’s parents sought out the old man because of his reputation. But his reputation was built on his own personal integrity. In his wisdom, he knew he couldn’t tell the girl what to do if he himself refused to address his own weakness. He knew he had to “practice what he preached.” That’s what made him the sought-after “wise” old man.

Our Scriptures today chastise those who are leaders of God’s people, but who do not practice what they preach. That’s why Jesus said, “Do what they say, but do not follow their example.” He’s speaking specifically of the Chief Priests, the Pharisees, the scribes and the elders, all of whom had the responsibility of teaching and shepherding the people. They laid down the law, but they themselves refused to live by that law. And so they were very poor leaders.

Pope Francis said, “A good priest is first of all a man with his own humanity, who knows his own history – with its treasures and wounds – and has learned to make peace with it, gaining a profound serenity, characteristic of a disciple of the Lord.” And, I suppose, one lesson we can take from our Scriptures today is to pray for those in leadership of any kind, especially in the Church.

When one makes a public profession to “practice what one preaches,” the expectations to do that well increase a hundred-fold. And that’s not a bad thing, but it increases the pressure. So praying for our leaders, supporting them – even in their human weaknesses - is a lesson we can take with us today.

As we begin the month of November, a month specially dedicated by the Holy Mother Church to pray for the deceased, let us pray for the departed souls that in God’s mercy, may they rest in peace.

Many Blessings,

Fr. Anthoni Adimai SdM.
Administrator - Adelaide Cathedral Parish.

(Excerpts from Fr. Brian Wideman)

Call for Altar Servers to serve at St. Francis Xavier’s Cathedral

The cathedral is currently conducting a recruitment drive for those interested to become altar servers. All are welcome, no experience required and arrangements are flexible to suit your availability. Those interested please contact the parish office on 82328688 or acp@adelaide.catholic.org.au. Thank you.

Cathedral of St Francis Xavier, 39 Wakefield Street, Adelaide

Church of St Patrick, 268 Grote Street, Adelaide                     Church of the Holy Name, 80 Payneham Road, Stepney
Church of St John Vianney, 54 Glynburn Road, Bunside               Church of St Peter Claver, cnr Stuart Road & Grandview Grove, Dulwich
Church of St Mary, 179 Stanley Street, North Adelaide              Church of the Queen of Angels, cnr South Road & Kintore Street, Thebarton
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Fr. Joseph Raja  
Fr. James McEvoy  
Fr. Francis Tawil  
Fr. Bakhos Azar
Latin Mass Chaplains  
Fr. Michael McCaffrey, FSSP  
Fr. Thomas Sofatzis, FSSP
Deacons  
Rev. Celestino Dias  
Rev. Anthony Hill  
Rev. Nick Kerr  
Rev. Remo Patroni  
Rev. Alfred Donat

Some of the Assistant Priests & Deacons have other Diocesan responsibilities

Parish Office (across the lawn from the Cathedral)
Mon to Fri: 9.30am–4.30pm • 8210 8155
39 Wakefield St (corner of Wakefield and King William St)
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Parish newsletter: www.adelcathparish.org/news-events/
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Parish Pastoral Team

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults
Fr. Peter Rozitis/ Parish Office  8210 8155
Finance and Maintenance  
Trevor McAuliffe  8210 8194  
Libby Hughes  8210 8222
Pastoral Assistant (Queen of Angels/ Holy Name)  
Maria Iadanza  8210 8155
Office Coordinator/ Administration  
Kate Hampton  8210 8155  
Conrad Fernandez  8210 8155
Sacramental Coordinator (Mon & Thu 9.30am-1.30pm)  
Jen Sherlock  8210 8242
Parish Pastoral Council Chairperson  
Dr Bill Griffiths  0488 057 660
Aboriginal Catholic Ministry  
Otherway Centre  8362 3185
Cathedral Parish Music  
Timothy Davey (Director)  82108128  
Astrid Sengkey (Coordinator)  82108128

Schools in the Parish
St Aloysius College • www.sac.sa.edu.au
Principal: Ms. Paddy McEvoy • 8217 3200
Christian Brothers College • www.cbc.sa.edu.au
Principal: Mr Dan Lynch • 8400 4222 (Junior Campus)  
• 8400 4200 (Senior Campus)
St Mary’s College • www.stmaryscollege.catholic.edu.au
Principal: Ms Clare Nocka • 8216 5700
St Patrick’s Special School • www.stpats.catholic.edu.au
Principal: Ms Cathy Sires • 8332 1555

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: 82326888.

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**Worship**

**Entrance Antiphon:** Let us all rejoice in the Lord, as we celebrate the feast day in honour of all the Saints, at whose festival the Angels rejoice and praise the Son of God.

**First Reading:** Revelation 7:2-4, 9-14.

**Responsorial Psalm:** Lord, this is the people that longs to see your face.

**Second Reading:** 1 John 3:1-3.

**Gospel Acclamation:** Alleluia, Alleluia! Come to me, all you that labour and are burdened, and I will give you rest, says the Lord. Alleluia!

**Gospel:** Matthew 5:1-12.

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

**Communion Antiphon:** Blessed are the clean of heart, for they shall see God. Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called children of God. Bless are they who are persecuted for the sake of righteousness, for theirs is the Kingdom of Heaven.

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**Next week:** Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time.

**First Reading:** Wisdom 6:12-16.

**Second Reading:** 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18.

**Gospel:** Matthew 24:42, 44.

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**Liturgies & Activities (2nd Nov - 8th Nov)**

**Mon**  
All Souls Day.

**Tue**  
St. Martin de Porres.

**Wed**  
St. Charles Borromeo.

**Thu**  
St. Zechariah & St. Elizabeth.

**Sun**  
32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time.

**Coffee at St. Mary’s**

Coffee is available every Sunday for the community at St. Mary’s after the 9.30am Mass each week.

**Prayer Requests**

**Recently Deceased:** Judith Anne Morris, Luz Rincon, Carmen Gomez (SFx) and Hilda Gabrielli (Holy Name).

**Deceased Anniversaries:**

**Cathedral:** Donato Cotejar, Cecily Nathan, Tomasia & Joao Alves, Jose Antonio Moniz, Basilio Moniz.

**Holy Name:** Giovanna Tirri.

**St. Mary’s:** Feliks Paul Rozitis

**Queen of Angels:** Santina & Rosario Lentini, Carmine Salvatore, Giuseppe Salvatore, Mary Zirilli, Anna Marafioti, Brian Pitcher and Batista family.

**St. John Vianney/St. Peter Claver:** Lisa Castalenti, Helen James, Ken Magor, Ursula Johnst, Gerald Cattanach & parents, Joy Bentley, Anders & Bailey families, Jim Mealar, Mary & Vernon Fountain, Teresa Pietrafesa, Lily Yao, Dorothy Tunbridge and Anders & Bailey families.

**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 and Julie Nelson.
Latin Mass Community

Sunday 1st All Saints Day
Monday 2nd All Souls Day
Tuesday 3rd Feria
Wednesday 4th St Charles Borromeo
Thursday 5th Feria
Friday 6th Feria
Saturday 7th Sat of the BVM
Sunday 8th 23rd 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.

Our All Saints Day community picnic is after the morning mass today and is located directly across the creek from our car-park. BYO chair, rug, salad/dessert, alcohol. BBQ, soft drinks and games provided (including tug of war). Prizes for the best dressed girl and boy saint. All Welcome.

Tomorrow, Monday 2nd Nov is All Souls Day. There will be Low Masses at 7am & 9.30am, and a Solemn Mass at 6.30pm.

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

This Friday is the 1st Friday of the Month. There will be mass at 6.30pm on Friday, followed by Adoration overnight until 6.30am Saturday, with the usual holy hours for the clergy at 3am and families at 5.30am. Masses at 7am and 8.30am Saturday.

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Latin Mass Community

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There is a Holy Hour every Tuesday morning from 10am - 11am. Please see the community blogspot for other information.

Please remember the sick in your prayers, especially 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 Hilda Gabrielli, and those whose anniversaries occur about this time.

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**Compliance with COVID-19 Protocols**

- Please enter your names and contact details in the sheets provided at the entrance to the church.
- 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.
- Holy Water is not available at the doors of churches.
- Communion is given only in hands.
- The two squares metre per person rule is to be observed in determining the total numbers allowed in the space.
- 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 kept at the entrance to the church.
- Collection plates will not be passed around but a collection plate will be at the entrance to the church to minimise social contact.
- Every gathering must record contact details. Logs are located at the entrance to the church.
- Safeguarding Children

Just a reminder that all children need to be accompanied to and from the toilet, ideally by an adult family member.

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Please note that due to major diocesan event the Mass in the Cathedral will be cancelled: Monday, November 9 at 5.45pm (Holocaust Museum Launch and Remembrance of the Shoah Service from 6pm).

Love Adelaide Abortion Bill info night

The South Australian Parliament is considering legalising abortion up until birth, yet the survival rates of premature babies continue to increase. Love Adelaide is holding an information evening about the proposed legislation on November 2 from 7pm-9pm at Temple Christian College. Due to COVID-19 attendees must RSVP to: https://www.loveadelaide.org.au/events2020

Abortion Bill November 9th Vigil

Dear Parishioners, A recently tabled Bill has been introduced into the South Australian Parliament. If approved, the Bill would allow abortion to be conducted up to birth! We have been given consent to hold a vigil on the steps of Parliament House in opposition to this Bill **on November 9th from noon to 3 pm.** Please come and join us, if only for an hour or so. Contact Patrick for more info on 0414 7679 635.

**Mass For Deceased Bishops, Clergy And Religious**

Wednesday, November 11 at 5.45pm in St Francis Xavier's Cathedral. All are welcome to attend a Mass in honour of all deceased Bishops, Clergy and Religious in our Archdiocese. Mass will begin at 5.45pm in St Francis Xavier’s Cathedral. For more information contact, Archdiocesan Events on P: 8210 8220 or via email: events@adelaide.catholic.org.au.

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