



# ADELAIDE CATHEDRAL PARISH

Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year A

27th August 2023

## Listen, Learn Love:

### *A New Engagement with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples*

In 1967, Australians gave overwhelming support to a referendum that recognised Australia's First Peoples as citizens. In 2023, we will be given a chance to vote in another referendum to Constitutionally recognise Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples through a Voice to Parliament. Australia's Bishops see it as an opportunity for all Australians to renew our engagement with the First Peoples of Australia. They have come to this view through much listening to the First Peoples and they encourage us all to listen to them in a spirit of love and humility.

The Bishops invite the National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Catholic Council (NATSICC) to speak directly about their experiences of injustice and about their hopes for the future. NATSICC addresses the many injustices their people have faced since colonisation until now. They speak of many concerns including high suicide rates and incarceration, shorter life expectancy and poorer outcomes in employment, education and housing. They also identify racism as an on-going challenge. The information they use includes the Closing the Gap Report and the witness of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples who spoke about their concerns during visits to many communities during the preparation of this statement.

NATSICC also acknowledges the achievements of many of their people despite these challenges and notes the many efforts by First Nations communities to address these problems. They note with approval the efforts made within the Church to support their communities. They conclude by giving their support to the referendum on the Voice. They see it as a positive step in efforts to improve the Lives of First Nations people.

The Bishops acknowledge the pain and hardship experienced by First Nations Peoples. They point to the Church's efforts to stand in solidarity with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples since the early days of colonisation. Nevertheless, they acknowledge that the Church played a part in the injustices First Nations People have experienced.

The Bishops invite us, as Catholics, to begin a new engagement with the First Peoples to overcome injustice, an engagement grounded in love. This love is at the heart of Jesus' message. This love is characterised by a commitment to encounter and dialogue, reciprocity, mutual accompaniment and a desire to put the other at the centre of our attention. The Bishops offer us some simple actions which could help

us to begin this new engagement. The Bishops do not tell us how to vote in the referendum, but they encourage us to inform ourselves about the issues through respectful dialogue, especially with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples. The Bishops and NATSICC join together at the conclusion of the statement to call for us all to walk together in love on a journey of healing, whatever the outcome of the Voice referendum.

*Social Justice Statement 2023-2024*

## September is Catholic Charities Month

In the month of September, we are promoting the Catholic Charities Appeal which supports the following agencies in South Australia:  Catholic Charities Hutt St Centre, Aboriginal Catholic Ministry, Centacare Catholic Family Services, Our Lady of La Vang and St Patrick's Special Schools. Please take a leaflet with you to find out more about the September Appeal. These frontline agencies support some of the most vulnerable in the community at a time when many people are doing it tough. Brochures with reply paid envelopes will be available at the back of the church.

All donations of more than \$2 are tax deductible.

Donations can be made via the reply online: <https://adelaide.goodgiving.com.au/qr/cc> or through the paid slip on the leaflets/envelopes. We thank you for your kindness and generosity to help our fellow South Aussie brothers and sisters.

## 2 Sep: Visit of the Holy RELIC of St John Bosco at Gawler Church

The relic statue of St John Bosco, better known as Don Bosco, will be touring Australia as part of the celebrations of the centenary of the arrival of the Salesians on Australian soil. The Salesians came to the shore of Australia on 30th March 1923 in Fremantle, Western Australia. The wax replica of the Saint contained in a glass casket comes from the Province of Hong Kong, made by Gianpiero Zoncu at the time of Don Bosco's beatification in 1929. A small bone from the right arm of the Saint was removed and placed in this wax replica before being securely concealed in the large glass casket. The Relic will be at St. Peter and St. Paul Catholic Church, corner of Porter street and Parnell street, Gawler, SA 5118 from Saturday 6pm on 2 September to 12 noon on 3 September. All are welcome to come pay homage and pray at the relic.

For further details contact: [gawlerparish@adam.com.au](mailto:gawlerparish@adam.com.au)

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 St and Todd St, 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

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Mailing: GPO BOX 1364, Adelaide SA 5001.  
acp@adelaide.catholic.org.au • www.adelcathparish.org

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 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:** Turn your ear, O Lord, and answer me; save the servant who trusts in your, my God. Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I cry to you all the day long.

**First Reading:** Isaiah 22:19-23

**Responsorial Psalm:** Lord, your love is eternal; do not forsake the work of your hands.

**Second Reading:** Romans 11:33-36

**Gospel Acclamation:** Alleluia, Alleluia! You are Peter, the rock on which I will build my Church; the gates of hell will not hold out against it. Alleluia!

**Gospel:** Matthew 16:13-20

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

**Communion Antiphon:** The earth is replete with the fruits of your work, O Lord; you bring forth bread from the earth and wine to cheer the heart.

Next Week: Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

**First Reading:** Jeremiah 20:7-9

**Second Reading:** Romans 12:1-2

**Gospel:** Matthew 16:21-27

## Liturgies & Activities (28th Aug – 3rd Sep)

**Mon** St Augustine

**Tue** The Passion of St John the Baptist

**Wed**

**Thu**

**Fri**

**Sun** Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time.

## Prayer Requests for the Deceased

**Recently Deceased:** Fr Peter Dunn, Fr Noel Molloy, Fr Adrian Noonan, Rudolph Coutinho, Lindo David

## Deceased Anniversaries:

**Cathedral:** Raffaello Godi, Jean Yves Marie Abiven, Erna and Josef Slowiak, Alfredo Silvestri, Robert Charles Joe, Schofield, Felician Jayawardena and Sr Chithra Wijewardena, Newton Long, Joseph Spaccatore, David Richard, Shane Michael Doran

**Queen of Angels:** Anna Marafioti

**St. Mary's:**

**Holy Name:** Mariantonia Caretti

**St. John Vianney/ St. Peter Claver:** Christine Patroni, Terry & Doug Osmond, Flo & Bob Murcutt, Edward & Claire Shelley, Kennedy families, Christine Heading and Mark T.

## Prayers Requests for the Sick

Jessica Louise Bickley, June Cochrane, Anton Sylvester, Antonio Romeo, Smith family, Msgr. Robert Egar, Angelina Musico, Charles Dias, Diana, Klevis Gjeluci, Emily Swan, Julie Nelson, David Clayton, Mary Walsh, Vilma D'Cruz, Ingrid Rebmann, Joshua Jose, Jithin Jamon, Madison Musico, William Shemmeld, Denis Cranswick and Shaun & Joseph Coleiro.

## 26 Aug: Musicians Retreat with David and Emma Kruse at Henley Beach Parish

**Date & Time:** Saturday 26 August | 10am – 4:30pm  
**Venue:** Henley Beach Parish, 420 Seaview Rd, Henley Beach.

Musicians by their very nature are always giving of themselves through their artistic expression, whether in a pub band, on a stage, or leading music in a church. This retreat is for any musician who needs time in prayer, reflection and renewal in the company of other musicians. David and Emma Kruse work in the Brisbane Archdiocese Office for Evangelisation and began Enemy Love Records in 2022. They bring a wealth of experience and freshness to the pastoral care of musicians. Morning tea and lunch are included in the day. There is no cost to participants. RSVP online or contact Peter Bierer: [pbierer@adelaide.catholic.org.au](mailto:pbierer@adelaide.catholic.org.au)

## 27 Aug: Social Justice Sunday

Today is Social Justice Sunday. It is observed every year on the final Sunday of August. This year's theme is 'Listen, Learn, Love: A New Engagement with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples'. The statement for this year is put up on the notice board of the church. For further information visit [www.socialjustice.catholic.org.au](http://www.socialjustice.catholic.org.au)

## 27 Aug: Legion of Mary Book Table

The Adelaide Cathedral Legion of Mary will be running a book table in the portico of the Cathedral, on **Sunday, 27 August 2023**, 9:30 am – 12:30 pm. They will be selling religious books, and prayer cards, rosaries and miraculous medals for a modest donation. Please bring cash only.

For any further enquiries, please ring Dermott on 0422 562 569.

## 27 Aug: Lefevre Formation Event

*Experiencing rejection, acceptance, and forgiveness with Jan Ruff-O'Herne AO* (January 18 1923 – August 19 2019). When the Imperial Japanese Army overran south-east Asia, Jan was forced into sexual slavery. For 50 years, many living in Adelaide, she remained silent about her treatment, but then she was inspired to help other victims, known to the Japanese as 'comfort women'. From the 1990s until her death, Jan became a fearless advocate for these abused women. This presentation, through recorded interviews plus recollections by her daughter Eileen Mitton and commentary by Fr. Roderick O'Brien, marks the centenary of her birth.

**Date & Time:** Sunday, 27th August from 4–5pm at the Lefevre Catholic Parish Meeting Rooms, 253 Military Road, Semaphore (adjacent to Sacred Heart Church). Please call Fr Roderick O'Brien 8449 6378 for more details. **(Registration is not required).**

## 1 Sep: Memorial Mass of Fr. Noel Molloy

The Memorial Mass of Fr. Noel Molloy will be celebrated at St. Francis Xavier's Cathedral on **Friday, 1<sup>st</sup> September 2023** at **9.30am**. For those who knew Fr. Noel Molloy you are welcome to attend the Memorial Mass.

## 2 & 3 Sep: Hand-crafted olivewood items

On the 2nd and 3rd September there will be a sale of handcrafted olivewood religious items in the Cathedral foyer after the Vigil and Sunday Masses. These items are handcrafted in Bethlehem, the Holy Land, by catholic families. Any purchases will help support the catholic community in the Holy Land and improve their livelihood. Your patronage is greatly appreciated.

## 2 Sep: Word in the Liturgy

The Ministry Formation Program will be hosting a homiletics presentation by Dr Jenny O'Brien on Word in the Liturgy on Saturday 2 September. This will be held at the Catholic Education Office, Conference Room 6, 116 George Street, Thebarton, commencing 9.30am until 3pm. Ministry Formation Program welcomes anybody to attend. Online access via Teams will be available for remote/regional participants – please advise if required. Bookings are essential. Morning tea and lunch provided – please advise of any dietary requirements. Please RSVP to: [mfpadmin@adelaide.catholic.org.au](mailto:mfpadmin@adelaide.catholic.org.au) by Monday 28 August.

## 2 Sep: Rosary for Peace

You are invited to join Our Lady (Saturday 2 September) and pray the Rosary outdoors, together united, to pray for peace in Mary MacKillop Plaza (Adj St Francis Xavier's Cathedral) at 8.40am (after the 8am Mass). All welcome. For more information please contact: Mr Patrick Greenrod – Legion of Mary – 0414 769 635

## 9 Sep: Divine Mercy Mass

The Croydon Park Parish invites you to celebrate the Divine Mercy Mass with Adoration and the Divine Mercy Prayer: 10am Saturday, 9 September at St Margaret Mary's Church, 286 Torrens Rd, Croydon Park, followed by lunch in the Parish Hall at 12noon.

## 12 Sep: Journey to the Synod

The third of three gatherings with Archbishop O'Regan as we journey towards the Synod: exploring communion, participation and mission. Tuesday, 12 September at 7pm. Festival Function Centre, 292 Findon Road, Findon. Please direct enquiries to Sarah Moffatt: [smoffatt@adelaide.catholic.org.au](mailto:smoffatt@adelaide.catholic.org.au) or P: 8210 8110. Bookings via: <https://www.trybooking.com/CKKUV>

## 14 Sep: Book Launch – Reluctant Prophet

You are invited to the book launch of *Reluctant Prophet: Tributes to Albert Nolan OP*, on Thursday, 14 Sep at 5pm for a 5.30pm start. At Sophia Adelaide, 225 Cross Road, Cumberland Park 5041. RSVP to [hgregan@atf.org.au](mailto:hgregan@atf.org.au) by 7 September. All are welcome. Book on Trybooking: <https://www.trybooking.com/CKETK>

## 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.

## Latin Mass Community Announcements

Confirmation class continues today at 11am.

There are no Vespers tonight due to the movie night.

Servers' practice continues tomorrow at 5.30pm.

Scripture Class resumes tomorrow, Monday 28 August.

Next Sunday, 3 September is our annual Fathers' Day Cake Stall to raise money for the bus hire for our October Crex Pilgrimage. All donations of cakes greatly appreciated. Thank you.

A group of our parishioners have published a magazine Agony. It is on sale at the bookstore for \$20. Please see Sean Haylock if you are interested in contributing to future editions.

There is a proposed 4-Day Retreat for Men with Fr Adrian Wee. (Jan 2024 in Belair) Please take a flyer for details, or make a booking at the table after the 9.15am Mass.

Fr McCaffrey is currently on leave from 17th – 27th August.

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 Daniela Vergulis, Vincent Moran, Jana Basani, Damian Wyld, Anthony Green (Benedict Green and Anna Ros's son), Brianna Hockley (Jess Marsh's niece), Kathryn Nader, Tony Caruso, Vincenza Martucci (Ines Barson's mother). Please also remember the recently deceased, especially Louise Obrist (Gaby Freer's mother), Hanna Winnicka (Joanna Rzad's mother), Alexandra Vergulis, and those whose anniversaries occur about this time.

## 17 Sep: Milestone Wedding Anniversaries

Celebrations for milestone wedding anniversaries in the Archdiocese will be held in the Adelaide Cathedral Parish on Sunday 17 September to commemorate couples in their life-long commitment of marriage. **This special blessing is only for couples completing 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, years or more of marriage in 2023.** Please contact the Parish office via email: [acp@adelaide.catholic.org.au](mailto:acp@adelaide.catholic.org.au) or call 82108155 with the following details:

- ◆ Full names: You and your spouse.
- ◆ Date, month and year of Marriage.
- ◆ The Church in our parish that you currently attend Sunday Mass.

Kindly send us your details no later than 7 Sep 2023. **If you belong to another Parish, please ensure you contact your local Parish for registration.**

For those who register, certificates will be sent to the church where you attend Sunday Mass.

## 24 Sep: Kangaroo Island Parish Fundraiser

### BUY TICKETS ONLINE!



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# FUNDRAISER

FOR THE KANGAROO ISLAND CATHOLIC PARISH

Join us in supporting the Kangaroo Island Catholic Parish to fundraise for new Parish accommodation.

Be entertained by Belgian sleuth, Hercule Poirot, as he investigates a murder while attending a Halloween seance at a haunted palazzo in Venice, Italy.  
Directed by and starring Kenneth Branagh.

**24 SEPT 2023 • 2 PM • REGAL THEATRE**



**TICKETS \$25 – INCLUDES MOVIE, CHOC TOP, POPCORN & BOTTLE OF WATER.**

**THERE WILL BE RAFFLE PRIZES TOO.**

📍 **REGAL THEATRE, 275 KENSINGTON RD**

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Search for 'Kangaroo Island Parish'  
Book tickets

For queries: ☎ (08) 8210 8155  
✉ [acp@adelaide.catholic.org.au](mailto:acp@adelaide.catholic.org.au)

Adelaide Catholic Cathedral Parish invites you to a fundraiser for the Kangaroo Island Catholic Parish to watch the upcoming Hercule Poirot film, A Haunting in Venice. There are some attractive raffle prizes too!

**Tickets:** \$25 (Movie, choc top, popcorn & water).

**Date:** September 24, 2023, 2.15pm for 2.45pm start.

**Location:** Regal Theatre, 275 Kensington Road.

**Purchase tickets:** Scan the QR in the poster to buy tickets or call the Parish Office to purchase tickets over the phone. **T:** 8210 8155.

## 24 Sep: Migrant and Refugee Sunday

The 109th World Day of Migrant and Refugee will take place on Sunday, 24 September 2023 with the theme, 'Free to choose whether to migrate or to stay'. World Day of Migrants and Refugees (WDMR) has been celebrated since 1914. It is an occasion to recognise the courage and fortitude of these people and heighten our level of empathy and understanding for the plight and difficult decisions they have had to make.

The Archdiocesan celebration of World Migrant and Refugee Sunday will take place on Sunday, 24 September 2023 at St Francis Xavier Cathedral at 2:00pm with the annual Multicultural Mass. All are welcome to participate in the celebration.