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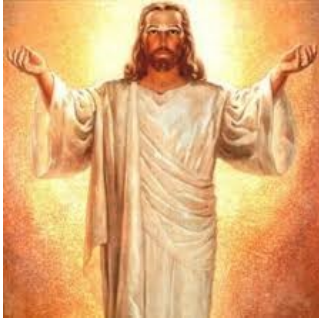


IN THE CHARISM OF THE HEART OF CHRIST
'May the Sacred Heart of Jesus be everywhere loved'

Sacred Heart Church
252 Port Rd Hindmarsh

Our Lady of the Manger
176 Crittenden Rd Findon

07 May 2023



5th Sunday of Easter

Year A

Responsorial Psalm

Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in You.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, Alleluia!

I am the way, the truth, and the life, says the Lord; no one comes to the Father, except through me.

Alleluia, Alleluia!

Today's Readings

Acts 6: 1-7

Psalm 32: 1-2, 4-5, 18-19

1 Pet 2: 4-9

John 14: 1-12

Mass Intentions

6.00 pm Saturday Vigil

Deceased relatives of
Kathleen Hewitt Conroy

9.00 am SHC

Maria Saveria Zerella &
Ugo Zerella

11:00 am OLM

Mick Harley (3rd)

11:00 am Italian SHC

Nicola Pica (1 year)

PARISH VISION STATEMENT

As a people who believe and trust in the love of God for us, revealed in the heart of Jesus, we live out this love in a welcoming and inclusive community that provides life-giving support and service to all people.

YOU ARE WELCOME TO JOIN US FOR MASS

- ◇ Tuesday 09 May 12:15 pm Mass at Sacred Heart Church (SHC) Hindmarsh
- ◇ Wednesday 10 May 6:00 pm **Rosary** and Candlelight Mass at Our Lady of the Manger Church (OLM)
- ◇ Friday 12 May 9:15 am Mass at Our Lady of the Manger Church (OLM) Findon
- ◇ Saturday 13 May 6:00 pm Vigil Mass at Our Lady of the Manger Church (OLM) Findon

Mothers Day Sunday 14th May **Please bring your Mother's Day Prayer Intentions**

- ◇ Sunday 14 May 9:00 am Mass at Sacred Heart Church (SHC) Hindmarsh
- ◇ Sunday 14 May 11:00 am Mass at Our Lady of the Manger Church (OLM) Findon

"I am the Way, the Truth and the Life"

Are you saved? Hopefully the answer to this is "Yes" in three ways:

You were saved by grace through Baptism, you continue to be saved by God's grace and mercy as you freely choose to follow Him, and you hope to be saved in your final hour so as to enter the glories of Heaven. Anything we accomplish in life means nothing if we cannot answer "Yes" in this threefold way.

It's also important to be reminded of how we are saved. How is it that we were, are and hope to receive the precious gift of salvation? The answer is simple: Through the life, death and Resurrection of Jesus Christ, our one and only Way to the Father. There is no other way we obtain salvation than through Him.

Sometimes we can fall into the trap of thinking that we achieve salvation by simply being "good." In other words, do your good works save you? The proper answer is both "Yes" and "No." It is "Yes" only in the sense that our good works are a necessary part of union with Christ. Without Him we can do nothing good. But if we have accepted Christ into our life and, thus, if we are on the road to salvation, then good works will be necessarily present in our life. But the answer is also "No" in the sense that Jesus and Jesus alone is the only Savior. We cannot save ourselves no matter how hard we try to be good.

This discussion is especially familiar among our evangelical Christian brothers and sisters. But it's a conversation we should be quite familiar with also. At the heart of this conversation is the Person of Jesus Christ. He and He alone must be the central focus of our lives and we must see Him as the Way, the Truth and the Life. He is the only **Way** to Heaven, He is the fullness of the **Truth** we must believe, and He is the **Life** that we are called to live and is the source of this new life of Grace.

Reflect, today, upon the central and singular role of Jesus in your life. Without Him you are nothing, but with Him you obtain the life of perfect fulfillment. Choose Him in a very personal and concrete way this day as your Lord and Savior. Humbly admit that you are nothing without Him and let Him into your life so that He can offer you to His loving Father in Heaven.

My Lord and my Savior, I say "Yes" to You this day and accept You into my life as my Lord and Savior. I thank You for the gift of Baptism which began my life of grace and I renew my choice to follow You, this day, so that You may enter more fully into my life. As You enter into my life, please offer me to the Father in Heaven. May all my actions be directed by You so that I may be an eternal offering with You, dear Jesus. Jesus, I trust in You.

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PARISH OFFICE | PHONE 08 8346 3901

Office Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday | 10:00am—2:00pm

Please Note: If the office is unattended, please leave a message and we will return your call ASAP

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May 2023 *Attendance Counts at weekend Masses during May*

07 May	5th Sunday of Easter
09 May	PPC Meeting 6:30pm, St Michael's Beverley
14 May	Mother's Day and 6th Sunday of Easter
21 May	Solemnity of the Ascension of Our Lord Marian Procession
24 May	Solemnity of Our Lady Help of Christians
28 May	Pentecost Sunday (End of Eastertide)
29 May	Memorial of The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church
31 May	Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary May Coffee Circles End



June 2023

04 Jun	Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity
11 Jun	Solemnity of the Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ
13 Jun	Feast of St Anthony - Mass at SHC, 6:30pm
16 Jun	***Feast of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus***
17 Jun	Memorial of the Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary
18 Jun	11th Sunday in Ordinary Time
24 Jun	Solemnity of The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist Hearts United Inaugural Dinner @7pm, MacKillop Hall, Nazareth Primary Campus, Findon
25 Jun	12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

From the Archdiocese

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 May 19 to Saturday May 20** in the afternoon. \$170 incl. your accommodation and all meals. Contact The Monastery office on P: 8338 8700 or E: conference@themonastery.net.au to book.

Healing Mass Thursday 11th May

Rosary 7pm; Mass 7:30pm including the Sacrament of Anointing, followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Reconciliation, Prayer Ministry with Candlelit music in the Spirit of Taize and individual Blessings with the Blessed Sacrament in the Monstrance. Tea/Coffee & light supper At Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Church 420 Seaview Road Henley Beach. All welcome. Enquiries: Pauline 0403002240. Prayer Meetings are held every Thursday Night at 7pm.

SA History Festival

Full details available online at: <https://festival.history.sa.gov.au/events/Mary> MacKillop Museum is in there! See page 34. We would love you to join us for either, or both, **the guided Mary MacKillop Walk** (Sunday, May 7, 10.30-12.00) or the presentation by Sr Mary Ryan rsj called: **'Beyond Boundaries and Bigotry: Mary MacKillop's (not Catholic) Backers'** (Saturday, May 13, 2.00-4.00). Includes an optional tour of our award-winning Museum.

The Feast of St George Preca - 9th May

We will be celebrating the feast with a mass on **Friday 12th May at 7.30pm** at Nazareth Senior campus at Flinders Park. St George is the founder of the Preca community which supports parents in the faith formation of their children. Families meet every Friday night at 7.30pm at Flinders Park for activities, including the 'Come and See' youth group, and also get together for picnics, camps, school holiday activities and special events throughout the year. All families are welcome. Come and see!

Rosary Prayer Group

Come along and pray the Rosary with us, each Friday morning after the 9:15 am Mass at Our Lady of the Manger Church. Weather permitting, we pray outside in the gardens, however during times of inclement weather, the Rosary is prayed inside the Church. All are welcome.



Thank you very much to everyone for all of your help ushering cars into the carpark at SCH for last week's Soccer Game. You wonderful people turned up despite the cold weather and the downpour! Thank you for your determination and dedication—you're all just amazing! God bless you!



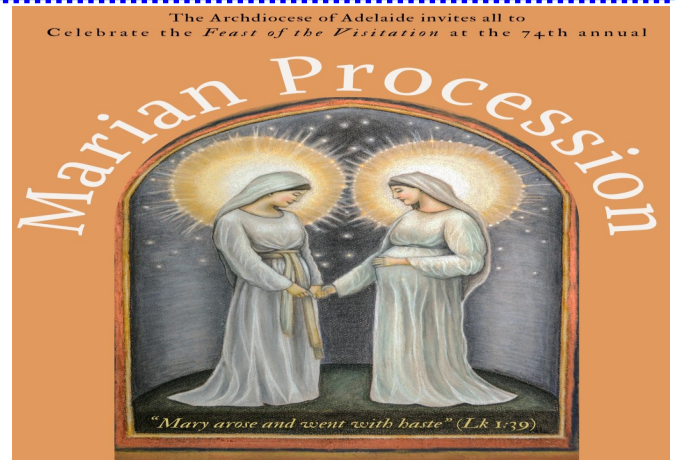
Update! There will be a special Soccer Elimination Final game on **Friday 5th May** with the potential for another game next weekend if Adelaide United win. See back page for details.

Vinnies Blue Bucket Appeal This year our Annual Collection will be held on the weekend of **20th and 21st May 2023**. We thank this wonderful Parish Community for your loving support and generosity of Vinnies. *God bless you!*



Save the Date! Vinnies Winter Soup Night

15th July 2023 after the 6pm Mass at OLM. This year come and enjoy delicious **Soup, Pizza and Dessert**. Prices: \$15 Single, \$20 Family. Tickets at the door. We look forward to seeing you there!



Marian Procession Sunday May 21st 2023

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. For more information, contact Archdiocesan Events on P: 8210 8220.

Marian Procession Volunteering

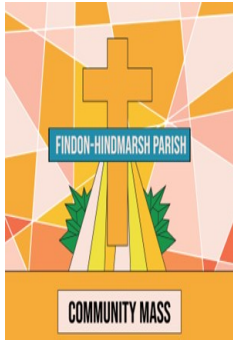
The Archdiocesan Events Office is currently seeking volunteers for the Marian Procession in a range of roles on **Saturday May 20 and Sunday May 21**. If you are available to help, please contact E: events@adelaide.catholic.org.au or P: 8210 8220.

Statue of Mary – Praying the Rosary. 8 families will kindly open their homes to the Statute of the Blessed Virgin Mary during **May and June**. These families have committed to praying the Rosary for the week in their home. The Statue of Mary will be taken by Fr Lancy to its first host family this Saturday 29th April and will move to a new home each week. We sincerely thank these families for their commitment to Praying the Rosary over coming weeks. **We would like to keep this going for the rest of the year, if you are interested - please register with Fr Lancy.**

Parish Pastoral Council Meeting

Tuesday, 9th May

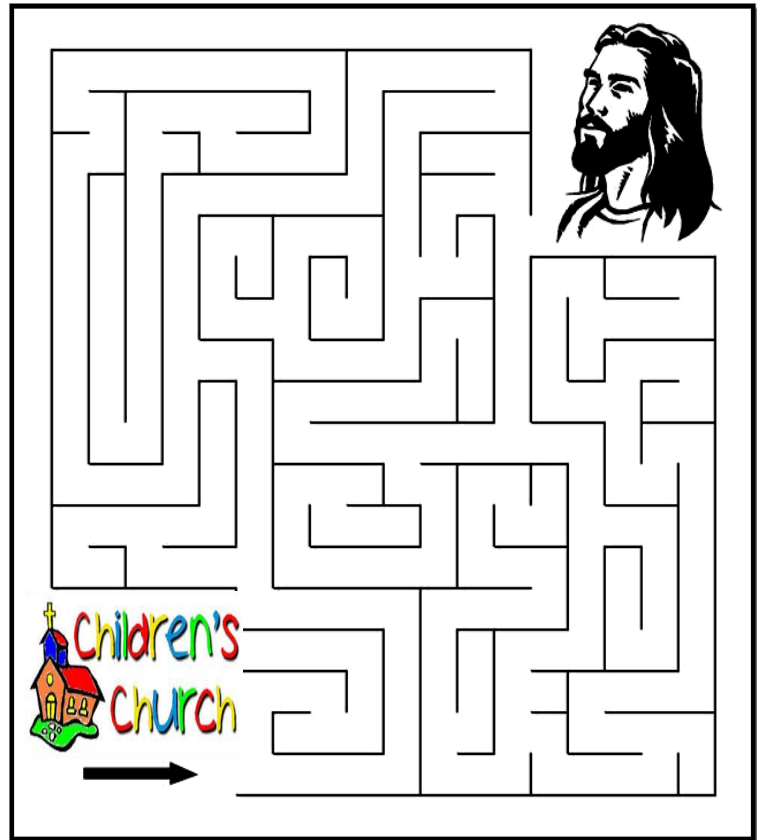
at 6:30pm, St Michael's College Beverley



The next **Community Mass** will be held at Our Lady of the Manger Church, Findon on **Sunday 21st May at 11am**. Hosted by Nazareth Primary School. All families are welcome!



Quietly pray the Our Father as you find your way to Jesus. Always keep Jesus in your heart and follow his light, Jesus loves you!



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THE EUCHARIST

A 5 week course within the Certificate of Pastoral Liturgy program presented by Dr. Jenny O'Brien. Explore the history and development of the Eucharist according to the Roman rite. As well as focusing on the Eucharistic celebration itself, participants will gain insight and knowledge about Eucharistic devotions, consider architecture and space, and have the opportunity to develop practical skills in preparing for Eucharistic celebrations.

Thursdays, June 1st - 29th, 7pm-9pm

Cathedral Hall, 39 Wakefield St. Adelaide

✉ worship@adelaide.catholic.org.au

🌐 www.ofw-adelaide.org.au/cpl

☎ 8210 8130

CONTACT FOR MORE DETAILS



Cost of the course is \$50,
email officeforworship@adelaide.catholic.org.au to register.

Adult Confirmation

A celebration of the Sacrament of Confirmation for Adults who have been baptised but not yet confirmed will be held at the **6pm Mass at St Francis Xavier's Cathedral on Saturday July 29**. 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 July 15 and Saturday July 22, from 1.30-3pm, in the hall adjacent to the Cathedral. For further information and to register for Adult Confirmation, please contact the Office for Worship on P: 82108130, or Kathy Horan on P: 82108288.



Join us this Saturday at **Our Lady of the Manger**, after the **6:00pm Mass** for a light supper. Please feel free to bring a plate to share and a **gold coin donation to support our May Coffee Circles for Mary's Month of May**.



Congratulations

Elma and Henry Lozada celebrated **20 years** of Marriage last weekend at Sacred Heart Church Hindmarsh. You are both wonderful witnesses of the love of God and the beauty of the vocation of Marriage. May God bless you with many more happy years of married life together!

Quote of the Week

"I tell you that you have less to suffer in following the cross than in serving the world and it's pleasures". St John Vianney

Fifth Sunday of Easter

Church of Saint Leo the Great

www.stleothegreat.com/childrens-corner

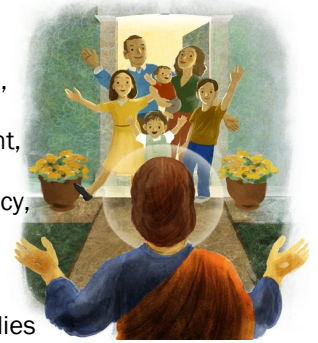


The Family That Prays Together Stays Together
The Try Prayer! It Works! Contest...

Children of grades R-12 enrolled in a Catholic school, religious education program, parish, or other organization, including homeschool, are eligible to enter. Entries will be judged on content, ability to capture and interpret the theme, artistic and technical proficiency, and adherence to rules.

The Contest is a simple way for teachers, catechists, and parents to encourage young people & their families to pray together. We provide an engaging prompt and reflection questions for families to discuss during dinner. Then, students use their creative skills to express their reflections in prose, poetry, artwork or video.

- 1. PROSE** – Submit an essay of 50 to 250 words on A4 paper.
- 2. POETRY** – On A4 paper, submit a poem of a minimum of 10 lines and a maximum of 30 lines. Poetry may rhyme or be written in free verse.
- 3. ARTWORK** – (painting, drawing, scrapbooking, or collage) Any of these mediums can be submitted on no larger than A4 paper. Also, include a brief description of the work.
- 4. VIDEO** – Videos may be no longer than two minutes. Ensure the file is saved and uploaded as an .MP4, .MOV, or .MPEG format and in Standard Definition. Each entry must be accompanied by an official entry form. Entry Forms are now available at the back of the Church / in the foyer for collection. **Prizes will be awarded to the best entries!**



Please submit your entries to the Parish by no later than May 15th 2023. <https://www.familyrosary.org/tryprayer>
Email: shparish@shphf.com.au or hand your entry to Father Lancy or Father Santhosh.

Parish Fundraising Drive



Sacred Heart Parish Hindmarsh-Findon Fundraising Initiative
'May Coffee Circles'

Dedicated to our Blessed Virgin Mary

What an extraordinary community we have here within Sacred Heart Parish Hindmarsh—Findon

During this Month of May, we would like to introduce an exciting new FUNdraising initiative,

'May Coffee Circles'

May Coffee Circles is an opportunity to gather with your Circle of Friends/Parishioners (your Coffee Circle) whilst helping to raise some funds towards our Parish Community Development.

It's this simple:

If you would like to Host a **May Coffee Circle** in your home, simply email or phone the Parish Office to Register and collect your Coffee Circle Jar and Envelope.

Then:

As a Host of your **May Coffee Circle**, invite a circle of friends/parishioners to morning or afternoon tea during the month of May.

As a Guest to a **May Coffee Circle**, simply bring along some cheer and a donation for your morning or afternoon tea for your Hosts 'Coffee Circle Jar'.

May Coffee Circles can be hosted from Monday 1st May to Wednesday 31st May, 2023.

As May is also the month we dedicate to our Blessed Virgin Mary, our May Coffee Circles are invited to pray a Decade of the Rosary in honouring Mother Mary.

So why wait, Host your **Coffee Circle** this May!

"Where two or three are gathered in my Name, there am I in the midst of them"
Matt 18:20

Please call Linda 0422 943 276 or Anne-Marie 8346 3901 with any enquiries.

Hosts can forward **May Coffee Circle Donations** directly to the parish office, or place donations in Envelopes provided on weekend Collection Plates.

Blessings, Sandra Bahlij

On behalf of the Parish Fundraising Committee

Parish Fundraising....the story so far!



We have raised a total of **\$5900** this year. This amount has come via funds raised from the carparking for soccer, bottle refunds and Christmas Carol night.

BUT....we have a long way to go still!

We need to raise a total of **\$40 000** by the end of the year.

Together...we can do this!

Mother's Day Card Making with Ally

Thank you very much to Ally and co. for running a very successful Mother's Day Card Making afternoon. Everyone involved had a wonderful time! **God bless you!**



Happy Mother's Day

Next weekend is Mother's Day! If you would like to add the name of a special mum / significant woman to our prayer intentions for Mother's Day, please pick up a **Mother's Day Prayer Card** after Mass today and bring them along to Mass next weekend, where they will be offered up during the Mass.

Bottle and Can Fundraising Drive for Parish Community Centre

Thank you to those who have kindly been donating their recycling bottles and cans for our Community Centre. If you would like to have your bottles and cans collected directly from your home, please contact Tuong 0413 564 905 or Josfel 0466 264 511. Alternatively, please contact the Parish Office. No collection is too large or too small. Thank you



Save the Date!

**Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus
"Hearts United Inaugural Dinner"**

Saturday 24th June, 2023 @ 7.00pm
Community Dinner and Entertainment
MacKillop Hall Nazareth Primary Campus
176 Crittenden Road Findon

Start Time		Teams
May - Special Elimination Final Game !!!		
Fri 5th	7:15pm	Adelaide United vs Wellington Phoenix
July		
Mon 24th	8:30pm	FIFA Women's World Cup 2023 Brazil vs Panama
Fri 28th	8:30pm	FIFA Women's World Cup 2023 China PR vs Haiti
Sun 30th	2:00pm	FIFA Women's World Cup 2023 Morocco vs Korea Republic
August		
Tue 1st	8:30pm	FIFA Women's World Cup 2023 England vs China PR
Tue 8th	8:30pm	FIFA Women's World Cup 2023 Round of 16