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Sacred Heart Church Our Lady of the Manger
252 Port Rd Hindmarsh 176 Crittenden Rd Findon

IN THE CHARISM OF THE HEART OF CHRIST

'May the Sacred Heart of Jesus be everywhere loved'

21 January 2024



Year B

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Responsorial Psalm
Teach me your ways, O Lord

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, Alleluia!

The Kingdom of God is near: believe the Good News!

Alleluia, Alleluia!

Today's Readings.

Jonah 3: 1-5, 10

Ps 24: 4-9

1 Cor 7: 29-31

Mark 1: 14-20

Mass Intentions

6.00 pm Saturday Vigil
Parish

9.00 am SHC
Vincenza Mosca (2nd)
Tommaso Pignetti

11:00 am OLM
Parish

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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 23 Jan 12:15 pm** Mass at Sacred Heart Church (SHC) Hindmarsh
- ◇ **Wednesday 24 Jan 6:00 pm** Adoration and Candelight Mass at Our Lady of the Manger Church (OLM)
- ◇ **Friday 26 Jan 9:15 am** AUSTRALIA DAY—Mass at Our Lady of the Manger Church (OLM) Findon
- ◇ **Saturday 27 Jan 6:00 pm** Vigil Mass at Our Lady of the Manger Church (OLM) Findon
- ◇ **Sunday 28 Jan 9:00 am** Mass at Sacred Heart Church (SHC) Hindmarsh
- ◇ **Sunday 28 Jan 11:00 am** Mass at Our Lady of the Manger Church (OLM) Findon

True Fulfillment

After John had been arrested, Jesus came to Galilee proclaiming the gospel of God: "This is the time of fulfillment. The kingdom of God is at hand. Repent, and believe in the gospel." Mark 1:14-15

Jesus begins His public ministry immediately after being tempted by the devil while in the desert for forty days. As He begins His ministry, He declares: "This is the time of fulfillment." First, the beginning of Jesus' public ministry was, historically speaking, the "time of fulfillment," in that the new era of the Gospel and grace had just begun. But the "time of fulfillment" of which Jesus speaks also refers to each and every time that we hear the Gospel and respond. We do this by sincerely repenting of our sins and by becoming a fuller member of God's Kingdom. But ponder for a moment the specific word "fulfillment." What does this mean?

The word "fulfilled" can be contrasted with its opposite "unfulfilled." To be unfulfilled is always undesirable. In this world, many people find themselves unfulfilled and try to fill this void with many things. Interestingly, the three temptations that Jesus had just experienced in the desert are among the temptations that so many people give into during their search for fulfillment in life.

First, Jesus was hungry, and the devil tempted Him to turn stones into bread to satiate that hunger. This is a temptation to fleshly fulfillment. Second, the devil tempted Jesus to throw Himself off the pinnacle of the Temple to prove He was the Son of God. This is a temptation to fulfillment by pride—pride to convince another of one's importance and identity. Third, the devil showed Jesus all the nations of the world and promised them to our Lord if Jesus worshiped him. This is a temptation to fulfillment by obtaining earthly wealth and power. Of course, Jesus rejected all three temptations as a way of showing that none of these truly fulfill us. And He did this just prior to the beginning of His public ministry so as to then go forth preaching the true message of fulfillment. "This is the time of fulfillment. The kingdom of God is at hand. Repent, and believe in the gospel."

True fulfillment is only found in the Gospel, the message of Truth that Jesus shared during His three years of public ministry and then brought to completion by His sacrificial death and resurrection. Only those who heed His words and open themselves to the grace poured forth from the Cross are able to find the fulfillment that they seek.

Reflect, today, upon your own interior desire for fulfillment in life. How do you try to satiate this desire? Do you allow the evil one to trick you into thinking that fleshly desires, pride or wealth are the answer? Reject those temptations with our Lord and then immerse yourself in His Gospel message, which is the only source of fulfillment in life.

Lord of true fulfillment, You and You alone are the source of the fullness of life. I believe that with all my heart. Please give me the grace I need to reject all temptations in life and to cling only to Your holy Word and the grace given to all who follow You. Jesus, I trust in You.

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January 2024

21 Jan 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
 22 Jan St Vincent, deacon and martyr
 23 Jan St Timothy and Titus, bishops
 24 Jan St Frances de Sales, bishop and doctor of the Church
 25 Jan The Conversion of St Paul, Apostle
 26 Jan **AUSTRALIA DAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY**
 27 Jan St Angela Merici, virgin
 28 Jan 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 31 Jan St John Bosco, priest



February 2024

02 Feb Feast of the Presentation of the Lord
 04 Feb 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

We pray for all the sick in our community that God will grant them courage, healing and strength. We especially pray for healing for our parishioners **Franco Antonio Zardo, Michelle Dench and Carmen Balales.**



If you would like prayers or to add a name to our sick list, please contact the parish office. Thank you.

FATHER LANCY'S FAREWELL & FATHER SANTHOSH'S INITIATION AS PARISH PRIEST

On **Saturday 3rd and Sunday 4th February** we will mark the end of Fr Lancy's time in our community and acknowledge Fr Santhosh as our new Parish Priest.

Both priests will celebrate all three Masses that weekend. All in the community are then invited to gather at Our Lady of the Manger following the 11am Mass and share a **Meal of Celebration** together. During this time, we will acknowledge and thank Fr Lancy for his 4 years of friendship, service and commitment to us and welcome Fr Santhosh in his new role. Further details will follow in coming weeks.

Please keep this date free so that we can truly celebrate this significant milestone as **One Community**, which Fr Lancy and our Parish Pastoral Council have strived to achieve over these 4 years.

CENTENARY MEETING FOR SHC

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FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE MEETING

23rd January at 7.15 at SHC Hall

**** Note change of location due to Father Lancy's commitments****

FINANCE COUNCIL MEETING

24th January at 7pm at OLM

LITURGY MEETING

6th Feb @6:30pm at OLM

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING

Tuesday 20th February @ 6:30pm in the SHC Hall



PARISH OFFICE NOTICE

The Parish Office is open, with reduced attendance

Just a reminder that Anne-Marie will be on leave until 22nd Jan. Please email the office during this time. Phone messages will also be checked periodically. We thank you for your patience and understanding.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament & Mass

There will be **NO** First Friday Adoration and Mass during the months of January or February at Sacred Heart Church Hindmarsh.



Carpark Fundraising at Sacred Heart Church

Soccer Matches at Cooper's Stadium have begun again— if you would like to volunteer and be added to the **Carpark WhatsApp Group** please let Sandra know on 0402 894 613. If you can help **please arrive about an hour before games begin.** Thank you!

PARISH NEWS

Father Lancy D'Silva CSC has been appointed as, from Friday 9th February, 2024 **Dean of the Cathedral and Administrator of the Adelaide Cathedral Parish.** Father Lancy's last weekend will be the 3rd/4th Feb here in the parish.

Fr Santhosh Nazareth CSC will be appointed as **Parish Priest of the Sacred Heart Parish (Hindmarsh—Findon),** from Friday 9th February, 2024

Father Santhosh will be on holidays from the parish:

DECEMBER 31ST 2023 – 3RD FEBRUARY 2024

We wish Father a safe trip as he travels to visit family in India, and look forward to his return as our Parish Priest in 2024!

LOVE ADELAIDE—WALK FOR LIFE. Every life is a gift. Join us as we walk for life to bring an end to abortion. Please wear a white T shirt **Saturday 10th February 2024 10am—12pm Pennington Gardens** (Opposite St Peter's Cathedral). \$5 Donation Parking—Adelaide Oval Carpark (enter from Pennington Tce). Gates open from 9am—bring your tickets! Don't forget to bring a drink bottle and slip, slop and slap! No megaphones or personal signs. Love Adelaide will provide official signs for the walk. Please follow the direction of the marshalls and police and walk with love. Free Tickets at trybooking.com/events/landing/1124380 or at loveadelaide.org.au



February	Events	are at : Coopers STADIUM
Sat 03	7:15pm	Adelaide United vs Central Coast Mariners
Fri 09	7:15pm	Adelaide United vs Perth Glory
Sat 24	7:15pm	Adelaide United vs Western Sydney Wnd. FC
March		
Sat 09	4:30pm	Adelaide United vs Melbourne Victory
Fri 29	7:15pm	Adelaide United vs Western United FC
April		
Fri 12	7:15pm	Adelaide United vs Macarthur FC

ST EUFEMIA SOCIETY FESTA

The St Eufemia Tridium of Masses will begin on the 1st of February 2024. Masses will run each evening: **1st and 2nd Feb at 7:30pm,** and **3rd Feb from 7:00pm** at SHC Hindmarsh. The St Eufemia Festa will be held on **February 4th 2024** at Flinders Park Football Club, Hartley Road, beginning with a Procession from 10:00am and concluding at 10pm. **All are welcome!** Please see the link below for more information <https://www.facebook.com/photo/?fbid=787588430079835&set=pcb.787588550079823>



Quote of the Week

"Virtue is nothing without the trial of temptation, for there is no conflict without an enemy, no victory without strife"

St Leo the Great



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14TH FEBRUARY 2024**