



# WELCOME TO SACRED HEART PARISH HINDMARSH-FINDON

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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'

12 May 2024



Year B

*The  
Ascension of  
the Lord*

### Responsorial Psalm

*God mounts his throne  
to shouts of joy: a blare  
of trumpets for the Lord.*

### Gospel Acclamation

*Alleluia, alleluia!  
Go and teach all people  
my gospel. I am with you  
always, until the end of  
the world*

*Alleluia!*

### Today's Readings

**Acts 1:1-11**  
**Ps 46:2-3, 6-9**  
**Eph 1:17-23 or 4:1-13**  
**Mk 16:15-20**

### Mass Intentions

**6.00pm Saturday Vigil OLM**  
Parish  
**9.00am SHC**  
Parish  
**11.00am OLM**  
Ida Iannotti

### 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 14 May 12:15 pm** Mass at Sacred Heart Church (SHC) Hindmarsh
- ◇ **Wednesday 15 May 6:00 pm** Rosary and Candlelight Mass at Our Lady of the Manger Church (OLM) Findon
- ◇ **Friday 17 May 9:15 am** Mass at Our Lady of the Manger Church (OLM) Findon
- ◇ **Saturday 18 May 6:00 pm** Vigil Mass at Our Lady of the Manger Church (OLM) Findon
- ◇ **Sunday 19 May 9:00 am** Mass at Sacred Heart Church (SHC) Hindmarsh
- ◇ **Sunday 19 May 11:00am** Mass at Our Lady of the Manger Church (OLM) Findon

## *The End is the Beginning*

*Jesus said to his disciples: "Go into the whole world and proclaim the gospel to every creature. Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved; whoever does not believe will be condemned."*  
**Mark 16:15-16**

We celebrate today one more step in the completion of the mission of the Son of God. Humanity had sinned at the beginning of time and fallen from Original Innocence. God immediately began to prepare the world for the gift of eternal redemption by establishing a covenant with Noah, Abraham and Moses. He raised up various prophets and kings to further prepare His people for what was to come. And then, when the time was right, God entered our world through the Blessed Virgin Mary. Jesus, the Son of God, eventually entered into His public ministry, teaching, performing miracles, gathering the faithful to Himself, dying, rising and then appearing to His disciples in preparation for the Ascension. The Ascension completes the mission of the Son of God. Today we honor that definitive moment when God the Son, in His transformed and resurrected Human nature, ascends by His own power to the Father, bringing with Himself our humanity so that all humanity may ascend with Him.

As we celebrate the Ascension of Jesus, we must first see all that led up to that moment and seek to unite ourselves with all of those preceding events. We must listen to the words of the patriarchs and prophets of the Old Testament. We must especially listen to the teachings of Jesus in the New Testament and embrace His words without hesitation. And we must unite ourselves with His own death, dying to sin, so that we may also share in His Resurrection. Today, we must further see the invitation we are all given to ascend with Jesus to the Father. We must understand that where Jesus has gone, we are invited to follow if we only believe, embrace and live all that took place leading up to this glorious moment.

The Ascension was the end of Jesus' life on Earth but also the beginning of our sharing in the life of Heaven. As Jesus ascended, He commissioned His disciples to go forth and "preach the gospel to every creature." They were to preach to all about the saving plan of God that began at the time of Adam and Eve and was completed with the Ascension.

Reflect, today, upon your calling to not only share in this glorious moment of Jesus' Ascension but also your calling to go forth and to do all you can to draw others into this new life. Reflect upon Jesus, Who also speaks to you today to invite you to bring others to that mountain. By teaching friends, family and all with whom God has entrusted to you to share the Gospel, you fulfill Christ's mission to "go into the whole world" to gather the scattered people into the one fold of Christ so as to ascend with Him one day into eternity.

*My ascended Lord, all things throughout history were but a preparation for the moment when You drew fallen humanity into Heaven to be with Your Father forever. Help me to always heed Your holy words, so that I, too, will share in Your Ascension. Use me, dear Lord, to also go forth and to draw many others to You so that the Kingdom will be filled with all those whom You have called. Jesus, I trust in You.*

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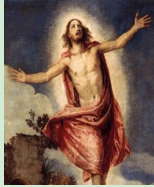
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Office Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday | 10:00am—2:00pm  
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29 Grange Rd., West Hindmarsh | Mailing address: PO Box 34, Welland 5007  
E: [shparish@shphf.com.au](mailto:shparish@shphf.com.au) **Parish Priest:** Father Santhosh Nazareth CSC

**May 2024 \*Attendance Counts at weekend Masses during May\***

- 12 May Ascension of the Lord
  - 12 May MOTHER'S DAY
  - 13 May Our Lady of Fatima
  - 14 May Saint Matthias, Apostle
  - 18 May SATURDAY in the 7th week of Easter
  - 19 May PENTECOST SUNDAY
  - 19 May Santa Rita Festa
  - 20 May The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church
  - 21 May Tuesday in the 7th week in Ordinary Time
  - 22 May Saint Rita of Cassia
  - 24 May Our Lady Help of Christians
  - 26 May THE MOST HOLY TRINITY
  - 31 May The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
- June 2024**
- 02 June The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ
  - 04 Jun Tuesday in the 9th week in Ordinary Time
  - 07 Jun The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus
  - 08 Jun The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary
  - 09 Jun 10th Sunday in Ordinary Time
  - 11 Jun Saint Barnabas, apostle
  - 15 Jun The Blessed Virgin Mary on Saturday

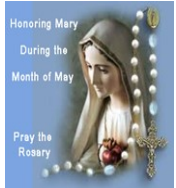


We pray for all the sick in our community that God will grant them courage, healing and strength. We especially pray for healing for our parishioners **Franco Antonio Zardo** and **Michelle Dench**.  
 If you would like prayers or to add a name to our sick list, please contact the parish office. Thank you.



**Praying the Rosary during May**

As we honour Mother Mary during the month of May, you are invited to join us each Wednesday at the Candlelight Mass at 6.00pm as we pray the Rosary.



**"The family that prays together stays together." -**

**Venerable Patrick Peyton**



Please visit <https://www.hcfm.org> for information and prayers

**Statue of Mary** Please consider hosting the Statute of the Blessed Virgin Mary for a week in your home. You are encouraged to register your name with Fr Santhosh or contacting the office if you are interested.  
**Thank You**



**Centenary Meeting for SHC**  
 Friday, 28th June @ 6.30pm at OLM

**Vinnies Meeting**  
 Tuesday, 7th May @ 6.30pm

**Fundraising Committee Meeting**  
 Tuesday, 21st May @ 6.30pm at OLM

**Finance Council Meeting**  
 Wednesday, 15th May @ 6.45pm at OLM

**Liturgy Meeting**  
 Tuesday, 11th June @ 6.30pm at OLM

**Parish Pastoral Council Meeting**  
 Tuesday, 4th June @ 6.30pm at SJSH

**APRIM Meeting**  
 Wednesday, 29th May @ 11.30am at Parish Office

**thank you!** Thankyou for your support with our Bingo evening it was a great Community get together.  
 We raised \$1,200 for our building project. Thank you to Jack, what a great job you did calling out the numbers for the first time. Much appreciated!




**Liturgy and Music Ministry Focus Day**

The Secondary Religious Leaders Association are hosting the first Liturgy and Music Ministry Focus Day with special guests Gen Bryant and Lauren Bierer. Participants will partake in a range of learning in music and liturgy, and importantly, how we can keep this contemporary and exciting for young people.

**Where:** Nazareth Catholic College Middle Years Campus - 1 Hartley Road, Flinders Park

**When:** Monday, 20 May 2024 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Please register at: <https://www.trybooking.com/CRHED> or contact [convener@srela.com.au](mailto:convener@srela.com.au)



**SAVE THE DATE – 2024 Adelaide Diocesan Assembly**  
**June 14 and 15 2024**  
 Parishes, schools and communities are asked to mark their calendars for the 2024 Adelaide Diocesan Assembly which will take place on the evening of Friday June 14 and Saturday June 15. Further information and invitations will be sent out soon.

**Public Rosary – Praying the Rosary for Peace**  
**First Saturday of every month.**  
 You are invited to join Our Lady on Saturday 1st June and pray the Rosary outdoors, together united, to pray for peace in Mary MacKillop Plaza (adjacent to St Francis Xavier’s Cathedral) at 8.40am after the 8am Mass. All welcome. For more information contact:  
 Mr Patrick Greenrod – Legion of Mary – 0414 769 635


**Our Lady of Mt Carmel - Divine Mercy Devotion Sunday**  
**Every first Sunday of the month – Sunday, 2nd June from 3pm to 4pm,**  
 Our Lady of Mt Carmel Church, Pennington, Cnr Torrens Road and Pennington Tce. Eucharistic Adoration, Stations of the Cross, Hymns, Divine Mercy Chaplet and Benediction.  
 Bring your own Rosary Beads. A devotional resource supplied.  
 Enquiries: Julia Bobic (08) 8268 8116 - Albert Park/Pennington Parish

**Congratulations to ANN FINLAY** on winning our Mother’s Day Raffle.  
 Our pamper basket was made up by Annette and the goodies inside were donated by our committee.

**Congratulations!**

We also like to thank the following sponsors and the winners:-  
 Lakes Hotel - Angela Rendell  
 Tavern 540 - Owen Clarke  
 Salon Fletcher - Natalina  
 Donation Champagne & Chocolates - Lisete Pinheiro

A big thank you to all for your support with our Mother’s Day Raffle. You all have made a mother very happy as well as supporting the disadvantage.  
**God bless you!**



**BAPTISM**

*We welcome into our faith Community*  
**Eleonora Carpinelli**

*who celebrate the Sacrament of Baptism this weekend within our Sacred Heart Hindmarsh–Findon Parish*

*Please keep the family in your prayers.*







## Centenary of Sacred Heart Church 1924 - 2024

**SAVE THE DATE**  
**Sunday November 24<sup>th</sup>**  
Combined 9:30am Mass  
Sacred Heart Church



### Centennial Event Acknowledgement of Volunteers

**Volunteers are so vital to communities**, as their gifts, time and energy provide many resources that are needed for a community to function effectively. At our Masses next weekend 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> May, we will acknowledge and give thanks for all that is done by many people to create a lively community, making a difference in the lives of others.

All are invited to gather after each Mass for a **Cuppa, Cake & Chat** to celebrate!

#### **Parish Pastoral Council**

Our Parish Pastoral Council consists of 24 people across our parish, including reps from all our school communities. The Council works with Fr Santhosh to support our community to live out our Vision statement of 'being a welcoming and inclusive community that provides life-giving support and service to all people.'

#### **Parish Pastoral Council Report:** *Brief report - April 30<sup>th</sup> PPC meeting*

Renovation of the Presbytery will hopefully be completed by mid June. *Fundraising committee* has raised \$3,700 from carparking fees, Zumba, Bingo evening and bottle collections so far this year. We are looking forward to our Christmas in July' event.

The *Launch of our Centenary Year* on April 7<sup>th</sup> was a great success. Next events are acknowledging our *Volunteers* (18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> May) and *Feast of Sacred Heart* (7<sup>th</sup> June)

*Sacramental programme* is underway in all of our schools.

*World Day of Prayer* was a successful ecumenical event involving people across our region.

A draft *Pastoral Plan* was worked through, linked to our Centennial year activities. One focus to include *co-ordination of outreach* to those not visible in our community (unable to gather because of health or age)



The 75<sup>th</sup> Marian Procession will be held on **Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> May** beginning at Victoria Park and processing up Wakefield Street into Victoria Square.

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 please contact

Archdiocesan Events on 8210 8220 or [events@adelaide.catholic.org.au](mailto:events@adelaide.catholic.org.au)

#### **Marian Procession Volunteering**

The Archdiocesan Events Office is currently seeking volunteers to support at the Marian Procession in a range of roles. If you are available and willing to help, please contact [events@adelaide.catholic.org.au](mailto:events@adelaide.catholic.org.au) or 8210 8220. Volunteer roles are needed for Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> May and Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> May (which is the date of the event and begins at 2pm).

## Mother's Day



We wish all our mothers a very Happy Mother's Day.

To the mums of many, the mums of one, the expecting mums, the spiritual mothers, and those who anxiously await the gift of motherhood.

Each of us is called to live "true love" to the fullest of our capacity and today, in a special way, we thank God for the gift of Mothers.

We pray especially today for all mothers living and deceased, who gave us life, fed, nurtured and looked after us. We also thank you God for the gift of our Heavenly Mother, Mary, Queen of Heaven.

## Happy Mother's Day

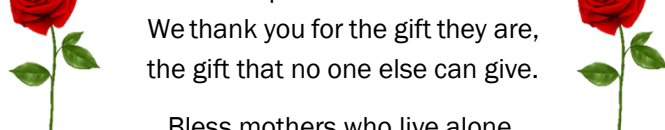


### *Mother's Day Prayer*

God, fountain of all life, today we remember with special affection our mothers who gave us life and nurtured us in love, those still with us, and those you have called to your eternal embrace.

Fill them with your Spirit on this day, and with them, all the women in our life who have mothered us so generously.

We ask your blessing upon mothers who are surrounded by those they love, and who give of themselves, providing a listening ear and a warm heart to their spouse and their children in all the ups and downs of life.



We thank you for the gift they are, the gift that no one else can give.

Bless mothers who live alone, mothers who have never married, mothers whose families are grown up and away from home, foster mothers who are raising the children of others, mothers whose children are being raised by others, mothers who have outlived their children.

God of life, we ask you to be with all the mothers to assure them of your love and of their value every moment of their lives as they rejoice in the friendship of your Church on earth and in heaven.

May Mother Mary our Heavenly Mother continue to Intercede for your children and especially our mothers to her son Jesus.

This we pray through Christ our Lord. Amen.



Don't forget you can follow our Parish on Facebook and Website to stay up to date with events and notices.

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Facebook: [www.facebook.com/sacredhearhindmarshparish](https://www.facebook.com/sacredhearhindmarshparish)



### The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus



There will be **First Friday Mass**  
**Friday 7th June 2024 at 6:30pm** at  
**Sacred Heart Church Hindmarsh.**  
All welcome!

### KONKANI MASS

There will be a Konkani Mass **Saturday, 8th June at 5pm** at **Sacred Heart Church Hindmarsh** followed by refreshments in the hall. We encourage everyone to attend this community event, especially the youth within our community.

**May Census.** We thank all our volunteers assisting us with our Annual May Mass count. This year, the Archdiocese have asked us to provide the attendance of our parish community. We thank our community for your patience and cooperation as we collate these figures throughout the month of May.

### Adelaide Botanic Gardens Tour

The Catholic Archdiocese of Adelaide invites you to the Adelaide Botanic Gardens Tour to celebrate Indigenous native flora for Laudato Si' Week

on **Saturday 18th May** from 12pm to 1.30pm

meeting spot is at The Visitors Centre (North Terrace Adelaide SA 5000).

Spots/places are limited so register early at [www.trybooking.com/COVVG](http://www.trybooking.com/COVVG)



### Become a Catholic Earthcare Parish

Join like-minded Earthcare communities and parishes by becoming a **Catholic Earthcare Parish** and be supported in reaching your *Laudato Si'* goals! You will be kept up to date with the latest events, conversations, and approaches to integral ecology and achieving social and ecological justice. Be supported to create and implement your Laudato Si' Action Plan! What are you waiting for? Please [click here](#) to find out more or contact Caritas representative Tracey on 0439 810 250.



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## The Ascension of the Lord



Read Matthew 28:16-20 as a family and find out what Jesus called his followers to do. Draw clouds, rainbows and sunshine around Jesus welcoming him to heaven!

Church of Saint Leo the Great - [www.stleothegreat.com/childrens-corner](http://www.stleothegreat.com/childrens-corner)



O My Ascended Lord,  
forty days after You rose from the dead  
You ascended to the right hand  
of the Father in Heaven,  
taking up Your throne  
from which You pour forth  
both judgment and mercy.

As we honor this great mystery  
of Your divine and human life,  
I beg for mercy upon me and  
upon the whole world.  
Free us from all sin, and  
open the floodgates of Your mercy  
so that all people will share one day,  
body and soul,  
in the glory of Your Beatific Vision.

Jesus, I trust in You.

### *Quote of the Week*

**At His Ascension, our Lord entered Heaven and He keeps the door open for humanity to enter."**

*Oswald Chambers*