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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

26 May 2024



Year B

The Most Holy Trinity

Responsorial Psalm

Happy the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.

Gospel Acclamation

*Alleluia, alleluia!
Glory to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit: to God who is, who was, and who is to come.*

Alleluia!

Today's Readings

Deut 4:32-34, 39-40

Rom 8:14-14

Ps 8:14-17

Mt 28:16-20

Mass Intentions

6.00pm Saturday Vigil OLM

Parish

9.00am SHC

Parish

11.00am OLM

Maria Alvino

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 28 May 12:15 pm** Mass at Sacred Heart Church (SHC) Hindmarsh
- ◇ **Wednesday 29 May 6:00 pm** Rosary and Candlelight Mass at Our Lady of the Manger Church (OLM) Findon
- ◇ **Friday 31 May 9:15 am** Mass at Our Lady of the Manger Church (OLM) Findon
- ◇ **Saturday 01 June 6:00 pm** Vigil Mass at Our Lady of the Manger Church (OLM) Findon
- ◇ **Sunday 02 June 9:00 am** Mass at Sacred Heart Church (SHC) Hindmarsh
- ◇ **Sunday 02 June 11:00am** Mass at Our Lady of the Manger Church (OLM) Findon

The Essence of the Most Holy Trinity

"All power in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age." [Matthew 28:19-20](#)

Of all the great feasts we celebrate within the Church throughout the year, today's Solemnity presents us with a Mystery that is so deep and transcendent that our eternity will be spent in perpetual contemplation. The Trinity, the life of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, will never get old, never be fully understood, and will be the cause of our everlasting adoration and joy. Though the Church has used philosophical concepts to explain the Trinity, no human concept or description will ever fully explain Who God is. Though we can point to some general truths about God, we will never be able to fully depict the inner essence, depth, beauty and omnipotence of the Trinity.

As we consider that fact, it's important to understand that the Trinity is not *first* a theological mystery we try to define. Rather, the Trinity is *first* a communion of Persons we are invited to know. We do not primarily come to know God through intellectual deduction. We come to know God through prayerful union with Him. Though theology is exceptionally useful and important, the essence of God is beyond any and every philosophical concept we can define.

The Father, Son and Holy Spirit are Persons. And as Persons, they want to be known. And they want to be known primarily through a life of deep and intimate prayer. Praying to One Person, of course, is praying to all, since they are One God. But we are, nonetheless, called to a relationship of love with the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. And though our feeble minds may not be able to fully comprehend the essence of God, He will draw us deeper and deeper into a knowledge of Him if we let Him.

Prayer often begins by saying prayers, by meditating upon Scripture, and by listening. But true prayer is something much deeper. True prayer is contemplative prayer that ultimately leads to divine union. Only God can initiate this form of prayer in our lives, and only God, through this deep form of prayer, can communicate Himself to us as He is. Some of the greatest mystics of our Church, such as Saint John of the Cross and Saint Teresa of Ávila, explain in their mystical theology that the deepest knowledge of God does not come through concepts or images. In fact, if we wish to obtain a knowledge of God in His essence, we must allow Him to purge every concept of Who He is so that the pure light of His essence can be poured forth upon our minds. This knowledge, they say, is beyond knowing "about" God. It's the beginning of a knowledge "of" God.

Reflect, today, upon the Most Holy Trinity. As you do, say a prayer to God asking for a deeper and more intimate knowledge of Him. Ask Him to communicate to you His divine love and to open your mind and heart to a deeper understanding of Who He is. Try to humble yourself before the great Mystery of the inner life of God. Humility before the Mystery of God means that we know how little we know about Him and how little we know of Him. But that humble truth will help you move closer to the deeper relationship of love to which you are called.

Most Holy Trinity, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, please draw me into a relationship of love with You Who are one God and three divine Persons. May the mystery and beauty of Your life become more known and loved by me each day through the gift of transforming mystical prayer. Jesus, I trust in You.

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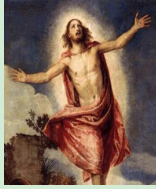
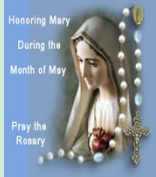
May 2024 *Attendance Counts at weekend Masses during May*

- 26 May THE MOST HOLY TRINITY
26 May Santa Maria D'Anzano Feast Italian Mass at SHC @ 10.30
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
24 Jun The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist
29 Jun Saint Peter and Saint Paul, Apostles
30 June 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time



July 2024

- 03 July Saint Thomas, Apostle
04 July Saint Elizabeth of Portugal



Centenary Meeting for SHC

Friday, 28th May @ 6.30pm at OLM

Vinnies Meeting

Tuesday, 4th June @ 6.30pm

Fundraising Committee Meeting

TBA

Finance Council Meeting

Wednesday, 24th July @ 6.30pm 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

Sunday Night Choir – June 2 at 7.15 pm

The Sunday Night Choir returns for another evening of music and singing on Sunday, June 2. This is a new initiative for 2024, sponsored by the Pastoral Services Team of the Adelaide Archdiocese, and is simply an evening to gather, sing, and meet new people. It's okay if this is your first time attending as we are a welcoming bunch.

Bring friends too! There will be songs in three-part harmony, so the ability to read music notation is.

Rehearsals are on the first Sunday of every month, starting at 7.15 pm in the St Francis Xavier Cathedral Hall (free car parking available).

Visit: ofw-adelaide.org.au/sundaynightchoir for more info or contact Lauren Bierer lbierer@adelaide.catholic.org.au / 8210 8107.

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 Paris

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. If you have any questions, please email Sarah Moffatt smoffatt@adelaide.catholic.org.au

We pray for all the sick in our community that God will grant them courage, healing and strength.

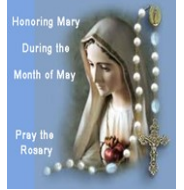
We especially pray for healing for our parishioners **Franco Antonio Zardo** and **Michelle Dench**.

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 – Praying the Rosary. Families have kindly opened their homes to the Statute of the Blessed Virgin Mary during this month. These families have committed to praying the Rosary for the week in their home. We sincerely thank these families for their commitment to Praying the Rosary. **If you are interested - please register with our office.**



This coming week is **National Reconciliation Week**, a time for all Australians to learn about our shared histories, cultures, and achievements, and to explore how each of us can contribute to achieving reconciliation in Australia.

Reconciliation must live in the hearts, minds and actions of all Australians as we move forward, creating a nation strengthened by respectful relationships between the wider Australian community, and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples.

Further information:

<https://www.reconciliation.org.au/our-work/national-reconciliation-week/>



Pope Francis has designated this Sunday as the first **World Day of Children.**

We recognize the gift that children are in our lives and pray that they may always know that they 'are precious' in God's eyes.

(Isaiah 4:3) Jesus wants us to join actively with him, on this World Children's Day, to become builders of a new, more humane, just and peaceful world. *Letter from Pope Francis to the Children of the World* https://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/messages/bambini/documents/20240302_messaggio-bambini.html

Prayer from Pope Francis' Letter to Children

Come, Holy Spirit, show us your beauty, reflected in the faces of children all over the world. Come, Jesus, you who make all things new, who are the way that leads us to the Father, come and remain with us always. Amen.





**Centenary of Sacred Heart Church
1924 - 2024**

SAVE THE DATE

Sunday November 24th
Combined 9:30am Mass
Sacred Heart Church



God of Love,

*in this Centennial year
our hearts are full of
gratitude
for the many blessings
that have enriched
our Sacred Heart Community.
We give whole-hearted thanks
for all who have ministered
within, and contributed to,
the life of this community so
generously.*

*Jesus, you taught us how to
Love, to reach out to our
brothers and sisters,
especially those most in
need. May we always be
aware of your presence in
our lives and grow more
deeply in kindness and
compassion, humility and
forgiveness.*

*Spirit of Love,
inspire us to make a
difference in our world
by being God's heart on
earth, bringing hope and joy,
peace and justice,
to God's people and creation.
Amen.*

*May the Sacred Heart of
Jesus be everywhere loved.*

A Spiritual Growth Retreat

- Saturday 1st June 9:15am - 3:30pm and Sunday 2nd June 9:30am - 3:30pm.
- Our Lady of the Sacred Heart - 420 Seaview Rd Henley Beach.
- Speaker: Fr Manu Kumbidiyamackal msfs
- Mass 9:15am Saturday and Mass 9:30am Sunday
- Talks given by Fr Manu
- Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Silent Reflection, Reconciliation, Prayer Ministry, and Benediction.
- Please bring your own lunch. Tea/coffee provided.
- Enquiries and bookings phone Pauline 0403 002 240
- RSVP by 30th May
- Cost by Donation. — All Welcome



**Feast of The Most
Sacred Heart of Jesus**

Friday 7th June 2024 at 6:30pm

*Sacred Heart Church Hindmarsh.
All welcome!*

This great feast of the Sacred Heart is a powerful reminder of how the Lord desires to dwell within us.

May the Feast of the Sacred Heart be a reminder of how much the Lord loves you. Without love we are empty vessels. We need the love of God to strengthen, renew, and guide us on our journey.

This feast day was established to bring our attention to His Most Sacred Heart and have us to pause in the midst of our busy lives to be restored and renewed.



**Catholic Archdiocese of Adelaide
Archbishop of Adelaide**

**Caritas Appeal
Floods and Devastation in Kenya**

As we reflect on the recent devastating widespread floods that have swept through Kenya, causing loss of life, destruction of homes, crops, livestock, and infrastructure, our thoughts are with the people affected.

The urgency of the situation calls for a compassionate response as much will be needed in recovery efforts. Caritas Australia has launched a targeted Appeal for Kenya and the Australian Caritas Office has given assurances that monies collected under this Appeal will support the people of Kenya at this time. Individuals can contribute directly via the Caritas website at

<https://www.caritas.org.au/global-issues/help-fight-hunger-in-kenya/>

Let us continue in our prayers of solidarity for the people of Kenya and respond generously.



Adult Confirmation

There will be an opportunity for the celebration of the sacrament of Confirmation for adults who have been baptised but not yet confirmed.

This celebration will be held at the
**6pm Mass in St Francis Xavier's Cathedral
on Saturday July 20.**

Archbishop Patrick O'Regan will be the celebrant. For further information and to register for Adult Confirmation, contact the Office for Worship P: 8210 8130, or Orla Wright P: 8210 8166.

We have our **Collecting Bottles & Cans** fundraising project running to raise money for our Community Centre.

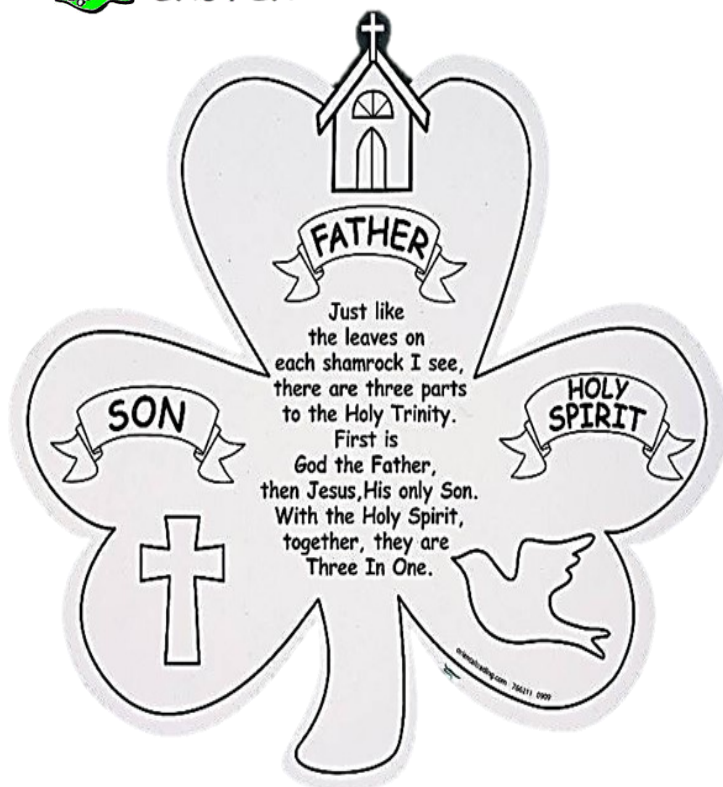
Tuong has kindly volunteered to collect these from your home.

Thanks to Tuong we have so far raised \$1,307

Please save your bottles and cans!
Your help is appreciated. Thank you!



The Most Holy Trinity



"And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age."

Church of Saint Leo the Great - www.stleothegreat.com/childrens-corner



Most Holy Trinity
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit

I worship You with profound love and adoration.

*I bow before Your greatness and perfect holiness.
You are the One God in Three Persons.
I give to You my life, all that I am, and all that I will be.*

Please take me to Yourself and do with me what You choose.

*I am Yours, my God.
Do with me what You will so that You will be glorified in my life.
Most Holy Trinity, have mercy on me.
Jesus, I trust in You*

Quote of the Week

"Know that the greatest service that man can offer to God is to help convert souls."

St. Rose of Lima

Hearts United Christmas in July



Save the Date
Saturday, 20th July



Further details to follow in due course.

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.



SHARING IN JESUS' BELIEF IN GOD

PRESENTED BY
MICHAEL FALLON MSC

An opportunity for prayer, reflection, and sharing

Formation Evening
Monday 3 June 2024
7:30-9:00 pm (AEST)
Via Zoom



bit.ly/LCFreflection24

This evening is for anyone looking to explore and deepen their Spirituality of the Heart. Learn from our resident expert and Spiritual Companion, Fr Michael Fallon MSC. With a Licentiate in Sacred Scripture (LSS) from the Pontifical Biblical Institute in Rome, Fr Michael has lectured widely around Australia and internationally. Also a prolific writer, Fr Michael has published numerous works, including introductory commentaries on all the Old and New Testament books (mbfallon.com).

To register please use the QR code, or email, or visit our social pages.



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Workshop: *Introducing Drawn into the Joy of the Gospel – Formation in the Archdiocese of Adelaide*

Various dates and locations

What is formation? Why is formation important for Catholics?

How do we provide formation opportunities in our local communities?

Join Fr James McEvoy and Peter Bierer for this workshop exploring *Drawn into the Joy of the Gospel: Formation in the Archdiocese of Adelaide* and its applications to local communities, parishes and schools in the Archdiocese of Adelaide.

Workshop dates and locations vary across the Archdiocese.*

June dates:

Thursday June 20, 7pm – Brighton Catholic Parish Hall
Saturday June 22, 10am – St Joseph's School Hall, Tranmere
Thursday June 27, 7pm – Holy Family Centre, Salisbury Parish

*Additional dates and locations to be announced for August and September in the mid-north, south-eastern deaneries and the Adelaide Hills.

RSVP at: trybooking.com/CRMMC

For more information contact Peter Bierer at pbierer@adelaide.catholic.org.au [Flyer](#)

