



WELCOME TO SACRED HEART PARISH HINDMARSH-FINDON

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

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



7 July 2024



Year B

*14th Sunday
in
Ordinary
Time*

Responsorial Psalm

*Our eyes are fixed on the
Lord, pleading for his
mercy.*

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

*The Spirit of the Lord
is upon me; he sent
me to bring
Good News to the
poor*

Alleluia!

Today's Readings

Ezek 2:2-5

Ps 122

2 Cor 12:7-10

Mk 6:1-6

Mass Intentions

6.00pm Saturday Vigil OLM
Parish

9.00am SHC
Rosa Zardo Slater
Don Altamura
Amador Castillo

11.00am 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 09 Jul 12:15 pm** Liturgy of the Word at Sacred Heart Church (SHC) Hindmarsh
- ◇ **Wednesday 10 Jul 6:00 pm** Adoration and Candlelight Mass at Our Lady of the Manger Church (OLM) Findon
- ◇ **Friday 12 Jul 9:15 am** Mass at Our Lady of the Manger Church (OLM) Findon
- ◇ **Saturday 13 Jul 6:00 pm** Vigil Mass at Our Lady of the Manger Church (OLM) Findon
- ◇ **Sunday 14 Jul 9:00 am** Mass at Sacred Heart Church (SHC) Hindmarsh
- ◇ **Sunday 14 Jul 11:00am** Mass at Our Lady of the Manger Church (OLM) Findon

The Sacred Heart Catholic Parish (Hindmarsh-Findon) invites you to **Hearts United Christmas in July**. Don't forget your dancing shoes!

Child under 12 - Free Entry

Nazareth Primary Campus McKillop Hall, 176 Crittenden Rd, Findon
7pm-11pm | 20 July 2024

TICKET PRICE: \$25
incl. a glass of wine or soft drink

Tickets available after Mass at each Mass center through Cathy, Kath, and Sandra

Email: shparish@shphf.com.au

Tickets available by Cash, EFT
For further details contact Parish Office on 8346 3901

BYO supper • Bring cash for raffles
Drinks available for purchase

Dear Parishioners,
Please buy a ticket for the only chance this year to join us for a wonderful evening to dine together as a community, and encourage our parish musicians who have been exceedingly giving extra time for this event. Hope to see you all in great numbers. Thank you
God bless, Father Santhosh

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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
29 Grange Rd., West Hindmarsh | Mailing address: PO Box 34, Welland 5007
E: shparish@shphf.com.au **Parish Priest:** Father Santhosh Nazareth CSC

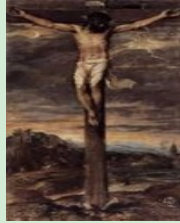
July 2024

11 July **Saint Benedict, abbot**
13 July The Blessed Virgin Mary on Saturday
16 July Our Lady of Mount Carmel
21 July 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time
22 July **Saint Mary Magdalene**



August 2024

02 Aug Friday in the 17th Week in Ordinary Time
03 Aug **Saint Dominic, priest**
06 Aug **The Transfiguration of the Lord**
08 Aug Saint Mary of the Cross
11 Aug 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time
15 Aug **The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**
18 Aug 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time
23 Aug Saint Rose of Lima, virgin
24 Aug **Saint Bartholomew, Apostle**
27 Aug **Saint Monica**
31 Aug Saturday in the 21st Week in Ordinary Time



The month of July is dedicated to the Most Precious Blood of Jesus.

"The Precious Blood" which we worship is the Blood which the Savior shed for us and reassumed at His glorious Resurrection; it is the Blood which courses through the veins of His risen, glorified, living body at the right hand of God the Father in heaven; it is the Blood made present on our altars by the words of Consecration; it is the Blood which merited sanctifying grace for us and through it washes and beautifies our soul and inaugurates the beginning of eternal life in it."

Devotion to the Precious Blood is not a spiritual option, it is a spiritual obligation, and that not only for priests, but for every follower of Christ. This passage in the oldest document, outside of sacred scripture, from the first century of the Christian era – to be exact, from Pope St. Clement I, dated about 96 A.D. Says Pope Clement: "Let us fix our gaze on the Blood of Christ and realize how truly precious It is, seeing that it was poured out for our salvation and brought the grace of conversion to the whole world."

The Precious Blood, which is the first element in our devotion means that we have a deep sensitivity to the awfulness of sin. Sin must be terrible. It must be awful. It must be the most dreadful thing in the universe. Why? Because it cost the living God in human form the shedding of His Blood.



*Lord Jesus, You became Man in order
by your Passion and Death and
the draining of your Blood on the Cross,
might prove to us how much You, our God, love us.
Protect us, dear Jesus, from ever running away
from the sight of blood.
Strengthen our weak human wills
so that we will not only not run away from the cross,
but welcome every opportunity to shed our blood in spirit
in union with your Precious Blood,
so that, dying to ourselves in time
we might live with You in
Eternity.
Amen*



Centenary Meeting for SHC

Tuesday, 9th July @ 6.30 at Parish Office

Vinnies Meeting

Tuesday, 30th July @ 7.00pm

Fundraising Committee Meeting

Thursday, 11th July @ 6.30pm at OLM

Finance Council Meeting

Wednesday, 24th July @ 6.30pm at OLM

Liturgy Meeting

Tuesday, 20th August @ 6.30 at TBC

Parish Pastoral Council Meeting

Tuesday, 17th September @ 6.30pm at IHM

APRIM Meeting

Tuesday, 10th September @ 1pm at Parish Office

Sunday Night Choir – August 11 at 7.15 pm

The Sunday Night Choir returns for another evening of music and singing on Sunday, August 11. 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 10th August** 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, 11th August 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

Australian Catholic Communications Congress

Registrations are now open for the **2024 Australian Catholic Communications Congress** being held in Sydney from August 28-30.

An early bird price is available for people who register before the end of June. For further information, please visit

<https://mediacongress.catholic.au/>



The July issue of *The Southern Cross*, is now available for \$2. Please take home a copy today.

Faith and Miracles

Jesus said to them, "A prophet is not without honor except in his native place and among his own kin and in his own house." So he was not able to perform any mighty deed there, apart from curing a few sick people by laying his hands on them. He was amazed at their lack of faith. [Mark 6:4-6](#)

Why was Jesus "not able to perform any mighty deed" in His hometown of Nazareth? Because the people who had known Him since He was a youth lacked faith in Him. But why wouldn't Jesus simply perform awe-inspiring miracles with the hope of winning them over? Why not try to convince them by raising someone from the dead or by revealing His transfigured glory to His kinfolk, as He did on the Mount of Transfiguration to three of His disciples? The answer goes to the heart of the workings of faith in each soul.

Jesus' goal in His hometown was not to convince the people that He was the Son of God, the Messiah. He could have easily convinced them of this by the most incredible of miracles and proved Who He was. But doing so would have undermined the reason He came. He came to ignite authentic faith in people's hearts, not to convince them through clever reasoning or by the proof of miracles. Miracles were offered to those who already had faith, so as to increase their faith and to show them mercy. But when one lacked faith, a miracle could not increase that which was absent. It might have convinced them on a rational level, or at least impressed them greatly, but that is not true faith.

By analogy, say your spouse said to you, "I love you," and your response was "Prove it." How would they do so? What could they do to prove that they truly love you? Perhaps they could show charity, kindness, compassion and the like. These qualities certainly are manifestations of authentic love. But deep down, no one can prove they love another. Instead, love must be offered and received in a spiritual way. When that happens, each person somehow simply knows they love and are loved. This is the mystery of spiritual and authentic love.

The same is true with faith. Faith can't be proved. It can't be analyzed rationally. It must be embraced and lived. If the people in Jesus' hometown were to have faith in Him, this gift of faith would start within their own souls. They would look at Him and listen to Him. By their openness and a special personal revelation from God, they would come to know and to believe Who He was. Faith comes first from within, when God communicates to the heart.

Reflect, today, upon your own level of faith in Jesus. When you look into your own soul, what do you see? Do you see a heart that knows Christ Jesus as its Lord? Have you discovered the presence of God within you, speaking to you, revealing Himself to you? Or do you primarily look for external signs and proofs of God's presence and love? Look into your soul today and ponder the depth of faith that you discover there. When you discover this gift, gaze at it with love, for you are seeing God's revelation of Himself to you.

My revealing Lord, You continuously speak to me in the depths of my heart, revealing to me Your divine presence and love. Give me a heart that is truly open to You on the deepest level, so that my faith will grow and I will know for certain Your divine love. Jesus, I trust in You.

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SACRED HEART CHURCH
1924 - 2024



Centennial Event

**Gathering of Parishioners
Past & Present**

Wednesday, 24th July at 10.30am
Sacred Heart Church, Hindmarsh

All are invited to an informal gathering for **Mass at 10.30am** at Sacred Heart Church followed by a **Cuppa & Chat**.

Great opportunity to catch up with others who have lived in our parish and to reminisce on early time!



Centenary Year

Sunday 24th November 2024, 9.30am Mass

Sacred Heart Church - 252 Port Road, Hindmarsh

Eucharistic Celebration by Archbishop Patrick O'Regan

[Note: No 9am Mass at SHC or 11am Mass at OLM]

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 **Mary Cusack, 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.

Keep the Fire Burning: Strong in Faith

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday
7th July 2024

www.natsicc.org.au

On Sunday July 7 parishes around the country will celebrate **Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday.**

The National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Catholic Council (NATSICC) has developed resources to be used in the Sunday Mass. These can be found [2024 ATSI Sunday \(natsicc.org.au\)](https://natsicc.org.au) and include suggestions such as youth activities to explore Australia's history and seek ways in which they can become change makers.

End of Financial Year receipts for **Planned Giving – Envelopes and Direct Debits** are available for collection at both mass centres this weekend. Thank you for your generous support of our parish.

ACBC Research Project Absent from the Table

The Australian Catholic Bishops Conference is undertaking a research project aimed at investigating why some Catholics do not participate in regular weekly Sunday Mass (Sunday Mass includes the Saturday Vigil). <https://bit.ly/AbsentFromTheTableSurvey>

QR code:
The survey closes on **Tuesday, 20th August 2024.**
Parishioners are encouraged to reach out to those they know who could participate in the survey.

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

Sacred Heart Catholic Parish Hindmarsh-Findon

THE SACRAMENTS OF CONFIRMATION and FIRST COMMUNION WILL TAKE PLACE:

Sat 27th July at 6:00pm at Our Lady of the Manger Church
Sat 3rd August at 3.30pm at Our Lady of the Manger Church
Sat 10th Aug at 6:00pm at Our Lady of the Manger Church
Sun 18th Aug at 9:00am at Sacred Heart Church

We invite you to pray for these children and their families as they prepare for this significant moment in their faith journey.



14th Sunday in Ordinary Time
"Jesus of Nazareth"



"The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, for he sent me to bring glad tidings to the poor."

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



Almighty and eternal God,
Thou hast appointed Thine
only-begotten Son
the Redeemer of the world and
willed to be appeased by his blood.
Grant, we beg of Thee,
that we may worthily adore this price
of our salvation and
through its power be safeguarded
from the evils of the present life
so that we may rejoice in its fruits forever
in Heaven.
Through the same Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Quote of the Week

"Fear not, I am with you; be not dismayed; I am your God. I will strengthen you, and help you, and uphold you with my right hand of justice."