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Parish Office
29 Grange Rd, West Hindmarsh

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

16 February 2025



Year C

*6th Sunday
in Ordinary
Time*

Responsorial Psalm

*Happy are they who
hope in the Lord*

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

*Rejoice and be glad;
your reward is great in
heaven.*

Alleluia!

Today's Readings

Jer 17:5-8

Ps 1:1-4

1 Cor 15:12, 16-20

Lk 6:17, 20-26

Mass Intentions

6.00pm Saturday Vigil OLM

Parish

9.00am SHC

Simone Mezzino

Salvatore Mezzino

Kaz Farinola

Joseph & Victoria Cappelluti

John Baptist Dsouza

Rose DeBari

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 18 Feb 12:15 pm** Liturgy at Sacred Heart Church (SHC) Hindmarsh
- ◇ **Wednesday 19 Feb 6:00 pm** Adoration and Candlelight Mass at Our Lady of the Manger Church (OLM) Findon
- ◇ **Friday 21 Feb 9:15 am** Mass at Our Lady of the Manger Church (OLM) Findon
- ◇ **Saturday 22 Feb 6:00 pm** Vigil Mass at Our Lady of the Manger Church (OLM) Findon
- ◇ **Sunday 23 Feb 9:00 am** Mass at Sacred Heart Church (SHC) Hindmarsh
- ◇ **Sunday 23 Feb 11:00 am** Mass at Our Lady of the Manger Church (OLM) Findon

Beatitudes and Woes

"But woe to you who are rich, for you have received your consolation. Woe to you who are filled now, for you will be hungry. Woe to you who laugh now, for you will grieve and weep. Woe to you when all speak well of you, for their ancestors treated the false prophets in this way." Luke 6:24-26

Luke 6:20-49 offers us a shortened version of the Sermon on the Mount found in Matthew's Gospel. Luke's version of this sermon takes place on a plain, "a stretch of level ground." The teachings in the two Gospels are very similar, despite their difference in length. Luke's teaching on the Beatitudes adds the "woe to you's" quoted above, which are not found in Matthew's version.

The early Church Father Saint Bede comments that Saint Luke's version of the "woes" are meant for those who are "uninstructed hearers" because they "must first be brought by terrors to good works." He goes on to say that the first part of the Beatitudes, the "blessings," are meant for the "perfect" because they "need but be invited by rewards" rather than fear of punishment. The fact that Saint Luke includes a teaching for both the sinner and the saint should lead us to the conclusion that we can benefit from both approaches in our spiritual lives.

When your spiritual life is strong and you are consistently avoiding serious sin, it might be more helpful to reflect regularly upon the blessings found in the Beatitudes. This will have the effect of drawing you into greater perfection as the desire for the reward of holiness becomes the object of your hope.

When your spiritual life is weaker and you are regularly struggling with more serious sin, it might be more helpful to reflect upon the woes of the Beatitudes. This will have the effect of deterring you from the cycle of sin you struggle with, on account of the fear of the consequences of those sins.

In the end, the Beatitudes and their subsequent woes are meant to point us interiorly to the desires of our hearts. We must become more and more aware of what occupies our thinking and desires. Ultimately, wealth or poverty, hunger or satisfaction, worldly praise or persecution do not matter. What matters is that our hearts are detached from the desires identified in this sermon so that we more fully desire only God and His holy will, regardless of the circumstances of life we find ourselves in.

Reflect, today, upon your own spiritual and moral life and first consider whether you are blessed to be living a life that more imitates the saints or whether you more often reflect the serious struggles of the sinner. From there, try to choose which form of teaching you need the most. Do you need to ponder the rewards of seeking even greater beatitude in life so as to grow deeper in holiness? Or do you need Jesus' clear condemnations to help you break free from the cycle of sin with which you are struggling? Humbly identify that which is most helpful to you right now in your spiritual life and allow this full sermon of Jesus to help you on your journey to the Kingdom of Heaven.

Lord of holiness, I do desire to follow You and become truly holy. Please free me from my sin so that I am able to avoid the consequences of those sins. Please help me to also desire the heights of holiness so that I will receive the great rewards that You promised to the saints in Heaven. 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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February 2025

16 Feb 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 22 Feb The Chair of Saint Peter
 26 Feb St Eufemia Mass @ SHC
 27 Feb St Eufemia Mass @ SHC
 28 Feb St Eufemia Mass @ SHC

March 2025

02 Mar Santa Eufemia Festa
 Italian Mass @ 11am at SHC
 05 Mar Ash Wednesday
 Mass at 9.30am SHC
 Mass at 6.00pm OLM
 Project Compassion Appeal
 09 Mar 1st Sunday of Lent
 17 Mar Saint Patrick
 19 Mar Saint Joseph
 23 Mar 3rd Sunday of Lent
 25 Mar The Annunciation of the Lord

April 2025

06 Apr 5th Sunday of Lent
 09 Apr Reconciliation
 13 Apr Palm Sunday
 17 Apr Holy Thursday
 18 Apr Good Friday
 20 Apr Easter Sunday
 25 Apr Anzac Day
 27 Apr 2nd Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy)



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, Michelle Dench, PA Merchant, L Parker and Frank O'Flynn.**

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



**Lent begins
 Ash Wednesday
 5th March 2025**

Sacred Heart Parish Hindmarsh ~ Findon

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

LENT, Holy Week & Easter 2025

ASH Wednesday March 5th Mass at 9:30 AM at SHC Hindmarsh
 At 6.00pm at OLM Church, Findon

Stations of the Cross & Mass on WEDNESDAYS At 6.00pm at OLM, FINDON

Stations of the Cross only on Fridays: at 6.30pm at Sacred Heart Church, Hindmarsh

Wednesday April 9th Reconciliation Penitential liturgy (No mass) - followed by
Individual Confessions for both the Mass Centres
 At 6.00pm at OLM Church, Findon

Palm Sunday- 13th APRIL



Vinnies Meeting

Tuesday, 4th March @ 7pm at OLM

Parish Community Connect Meeting

Thursday, 20th February @ 6.30pm at OLM

Parish Finance Council Meeting

Wednesday, 30th April @ 7pm at OLM

Liturgy Meeting

Tuesday, 18th March @ 7pm at Parish Office

Parish Pastoral Council Meeting

Tuesday, 25th February @ 6.30pm at SHC Hall

APRIM Meeting

Tuesday, 11th March @ 1.00pm at Parish Office

Clergy Gathering

Tuesday, 18th February - all day



Project Compassion will begin at the start of Lent on 5th March. Support Caritas Australia this Lenten season and help support vulnerable people around the world, now and For All Future Generations.

We thank you for your generosity and support.

KONKANI MASS

There will be a Konkani Mass **Saturday, 22nd March** at **Sacred Heart Church Hindmarsh** at **5:00pm**. All are welcome.

Wise Owls Regular Program - 2025

Gentle Fitness | Mondays 9:15am - 10:15am

Cost: \$5.00 | Findon Campus Catherine Community Centre

Especially designed for active aging, Wise Owls Gentle Fitness is offered by an experienced personal trainer who will support you to get moving, keep active, and improve your health and fitness. Referral required from My Aged Care. Contact ANFE on 8234 5550 for more information.

Carpet Bowls / Bocce | Tuesdays 1:00pm - 3:00pm

Cost: \$2.00 | Findon Campus Catherine Community Centre

The Wise Owls have come up with their own game of Indoor Bowls, mixing carpet bowls with bocce and a whole lot of laughter. This social and fun game is open to all skill levels! Bring some friends to form a team or simply just join in. Tea and coffee available.

Tai Chi | Thursdays 10:30am - 11:30am

Cost: \$2.00 +coffee | Findon Campus Catherine Community Centre

A gentle fitness program based on the ancient principles of Tai Chi, supporting strength, balance, and mental wellness. Enjoy 30 minutes of gentle exercise then feel free to join the group for a chai tea (or a coffee) in the cafe (additional cost), or stay for just a chat. No experience necessary.

Knit & Natter | Thursdays 1:00pm - 3:00pm

Cost: Gold Coin Donation | Findon Campus Café

Bring your own knitting projects and your friends, and share your patterns, tips, and ideas with others over a cuppa and a natter in our Cafe Community Hub. Don't have a project to do? Don't worry! There is plenty of craft, wool, and needles to get you started. Or just come along for the company!

Walking Group | Tuesdays & Fridays 8:30am

Cost: FREE | Kanbara Street, Flinders Park

Walking for the Heart Foundation for nearly 20 years, join the Wise Owls for an enjoyable walk along the River Torrens, Linear Park. Walk at your own pace in a small group. New members welcome! For further details, contact Shirley Harley on 8347 0655

Book Club | Book Swap and Library

Cost: FREE | Findon Campus Café

Come and browse our outdoor library outside the Findon Café. Books are regularly swapped over by Wise Owls and community members - there is always something new to read! Book donations welcome. Regular book exchange meetings are held throughout the year. Get in contact to find out more.

For further informatin & bookings please contact Katrina on 8406 5038 or katrina.braham@nazareth.org.au



Caritas Australia's Gaza Crisis Appeal

We urgently need your support.

The ceasefire means more aid can assist people in Gaza, but the need is immense and the recovery long.

Gaza's people cannot recover alone. They need the support of the global community to survive and rebuild.

Please donate to Caritas Australia's Gaza Crisis Appeal.

You can donate online www.caritas.org.au/gaza or phone 1800 024 413

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PARISHIONER DETAILS

As our Community grows, we as a Parish feel it is important to keep our records updated and correct.

With this in mind, please collect forms at the entrance of each centre to update your details.

Once completed, please email to the parish office or return to Father Santhosh.

Please contact the parish office if you have any questions.

Thank you



Children's Liturgy

A friendly reminder that Children's Liturgy is offered every Sunday to all primary school aged children at:

9.00am Mass @ Sacred Heart Church, Hindmarsh

Mass is led by the young people of our community. We extend a warm welcome to ALL families and young people from our community to join us to engage in the Gospel with other children.

All Welcome



Share God's Word

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

Friday 7th March 2025

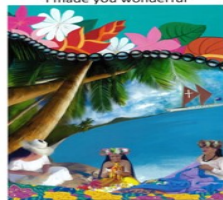
Woodville Uniting Church

World Day of Prayer celebrating the Cook Islands will be held at the Woodville Uniting Church

44 Woodville Road, Woodville South on Friday 7th March 2025 at 1.30pm.

Everyone is most welcome to come

World Day of Prayer 2025
Cook Islands
"I made you wonderful"



Please remember we are always **Collecting Bottles & Cans** for our Parish fundraising .

Tuong has kindly volunteered to collect these from your home.

Please save your bottles and cans!

Your help is appreciated. Thank you!



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



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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ST EUFEMIA SOCIETY FESTA

The St Eufemia Tridium of Masses will begin on Wednesday, 26th February at Sacred Heart Church, Hindmarsh. Masses will run each evening:

Wednesday, 26th February and Thursday, 27th February at 7.30pm

Friday, 28th February at 7.00pm

Sunday, 2nd March will begin with a Procession from 10:00am followed by Mass at 11am at Sacred Heart Church, Hindmarsh.

All are welcome!

please note that SHC carpark will be unavailable from Friday 28th February until Monday 3rd March



THE BEATITUDES

Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.

Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.

Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be filled.

Blessed are the merciful, for they shall obtain mercy.

Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.

Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.

Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

"The Beatitudes teach us that God, in order to give Himself to us, often chooses unthinkable paths, perhaps the path of our limitations, our tears, our defeats."

Pope Francis

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC PARISH
INVITES YOU TO A



*Praise, Worship
and Adoration*
NIGHT

EVERY 1ST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH,
BEGINNING FEBRUARY FROM 6:30PM
AT SACRED HEART CHURCH HINDMARSH

Parish Community Connect

Building community involves connecting people together. Providing opportunities to gather enables stronger relationships to develop, allows for a sense of fun and brings about a greater awareness of people who make up our community.

Our original 'Fundraising Team' has chosen the title 'Parish Community Connect' to better describe what we hope to do in 2025.

Building on the strong community foundations laid over many years, we'd like to continue to develop these through different gatherings and activities.

Please consider participating in the occasions planned throughout the year, bringing your gifts, skills and energy. Your suggestions for different events are very welcome and new ideas are good ideas!



Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time

"Jesus makes us HAPPY"



Carpark Fundraising at Sacred Heart Church

Soccer Matches at Cooper's Stadium is starting 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!

March	Events are at:	Coopers STADIUM
Sat 8	4:30pm	Adelaide United vs Brisbane Roar
Fri 14	7:05pm	Adelaide United vs Macarthur FC
April		
Sat 5	7:05pm	Adelaide United vs Sydney FC
Fri 18	7:05pm	Adelaide United vs Wellington Phoenix

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



Father God, I come before you and ask for a deeper awareness of Your constant presence in my life.

Help me to see and recognise that You are with me each and every day.

Open my eyes to the signs of Your love and guidance, and grant me the wisdom to surrender myself to You.

May I be filled with gratitude for Your love and presence, and may it bring me comfort, strength and assurance in every day life and especially in times of need and distress.

Quote of the Week
 Even in the most difficult and darkest of times, there is light and goodness all around us
Unknown Author

Bingo Night!

When: Sat 22nd Feb	Where: O.L.M (176 Crittenden Rd. Findon)	Open: 6.30pm
Eyes Down: 7:00pm	ENTRY \$20	Soft Drinks & Bottles of Wine to Purchase
BYO Food, Drinks & Nibbles	Tea & Coffee Provided	Bring your Friends!

Please don't forget to bring your markers

CAKE STALL

We invite you to donate cakes & biscuits (please label list of ingredients for consumers) in support of funding our new office space

FUNDRAISER

AFTER 11AM MASS ON
SUNDAY, 23RD MARCH

OUR LADY OF THE MANGER, FINDON