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BAPTISMS

BOOKINGS TO BE MADE
THROUGH THE PARISH OFFICE.

MARRIAGES

BY APPOINTMENT ONLY

REGIONAL CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

ST FRANCIS XAVIER'S

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0421 533 761

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15th September 2024

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B – Green

**We acknowledge the Kurna people as the custodians of this region.
Let us share and learn together for reconciliation and justice.**

MASS TIMES

ST JOHN XXIII
Hope Valley

Saturday 6pm
Sunday 8am
Tuesday 9.15am
(Rosary Before Mass
commencing 8.50am)
Thursday 9.15am



HOLY TRINITY
Para Hills

Wednesday 7pm
Friday 9.15am
(Adoration Before Mass
commencing 8.30am)
Saturday 9.15am
Sunday 10am

Reconciliation (Confession)
Saturday after 9.15am Mass at Holy Trinity
and 5.30pm at St John XXIII

We congratulate our parishioners who are
celebrating a significant Wedding Anniversary this year.

45th
Marg & Robert Whennan

60th
Betty & Terry Roper

We thank you, God of all that is good, for the many blessings
received through our parishioners who celebrate their
significant Wedding Anniversaries this year.

May they continue to walk together in spirit and truth,
growing in love and unity so that they may always be
an example of the love that you have for each one of us.
We make our prayer through Christ our Lord. Amen.



Catholic
Charities

September is Catholic Charities Month

Help make a difference to the lives of South Australians.

In the month of September,
we are promoting the Catholic Charities Appeal
which supports the following agencies in South Australia:
Hutt St Centre, Aboriginal Catholic Ministry, Centacare Catholic Family Services,
Our Lady of La Vang and St Patrick's Special Schools.

Please take a leaflet with you to find out more about the September Appeal.

Donations can be made
using the reply paid slip on the leaflet,
online at <https://adelaide.goodgiving.com.au>,
via EFT using the banking details which can be found in the leaflet
or using the QR code.



Readings for Sunday 22nd September 2024
25th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B

1st Reading	Wis	2:12, 17 - 20
2nd Reading	James	3:16 - 4:3
Gospel	Mk	9:30 - 37

Saints & Feast Days

16th Sep	Ss Cornelius & Cyprian
17th Sep	St Robert Bellarmine St Hildegard of Bingen
19th Sep	St Januarius
20th Sep	Ss Andrew Kim Taegon, Paul Chong Hasang & companions
21st Sep	St Matthew

Our Community's Prayer Petitions

BULLETIN PRAYER LIST: Please note that names can only be added to this list by immediate family, or the ill person themselves (for reasons of privacy).

Please Remember in your Prayers
Those who are sick:

Phyllis Truman, Teresa McBride, Margaret Dunn, Clarence Rodericks, Sue Rodericks, Margaret Penny, Theresa Camilleri, Corrie Bowman, Martha Fernandez, Carmel Adams, Vesna Zagar, Kim Pope, Anne Hughes, David Truman, Bruce Tilley, Anne Valentine, Ken Randell, Mary Rose Probst, Emelia Pudelek, Maria Trotta, Joan Walmsley, Lil Buckley, Pat Collins, Margaret Pitt, Anne Van Der Arend, Patricia Kopf, Darcy Ridley, Jayden Lee, Maria Hand, Asher Caudle, Emma Gammon, David North, Elijah Neri, Marg Dolman, Sean Molloy, Antoinette Pascale, Reta Lockyer, John MacGrath, Mary Redmond, Marlen Piineda, Rosa Maria Santos, Betty Roper, Imperia De Ionno, Julie Reimann, Gerry Canavan, Kay Kennedy, Gary Lockyer, Rita Robinson, Yvonne Summers

Recently Deceased:
Emilia Rakowski

Migrant and Refugee Sunday
(Multicultural Mass)
at St Francis Xavier's Cathedral

Everyone is invited to celebrate Migrant and Refugee Sunday at St Francis Xavier's Cathedral **2.30pm on Sunday September 29.**

All are welcome!
Come dressed in cultural attire and enjoy an ice cream and coffee after Mass, as we celebrate the many cultures that make up our amazing church in Adelaide.

Parish Bulletin

If you would like to receive the bulletin via email please contact us at:
bulletin@paramodcath.com.au

ST VINCENT DE PAUL
HQ: 1300 729 202 from 9.00am — 1.00pm
or www.vinnies.org.au



St Vincent de Paul
Modbury Conference

Back to "normal" this last week with five calls for assistance, seven adults and four children.

Our "Sing Along" concert is coming up on Friday, November 8th at 7pm. Please support us in this, our only, fundraiser. There will be raffles and supper provided.

Our immediate needs in the pantry are
Tinned Peas, Tinned Meat,
Coffee, and Rice.

If you can, please put any or all of these in the basket. We appreciate the assistance this provides us in keeping the pantry stocked against the expected assistance demand.

Thank You

Thank you to the Parish community for your prayers during my recent illness. Your support has been a comfort.

Best wishes,
Debra McMahon



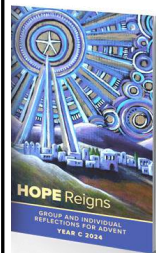
Season of Creation Event:
Mercy Grove

The Holy Family Catholic Parish invites you for a prayerful and reflective afternoon at the Mercy Grove, Belair National Park, to celebrate the Season of Creation.

The event will occur on
Sunday September 22 at 2pm.

For registration and further information, please access the following link:
<https://www.trybooking.com/CULAQ>

Advent Reflection Book



We will be placing an order for "Hope Reigns" reflection book for Advent 2024 published by Evangelisation Brisbane

The estimated cost of the books is \$6.50 - \$7 (depending on postage costs). Books will be available to collect from the Parish office in early November.

If you would like to purchase a copy please contact the Parish office to place your order before

Thursday 10th October 2024

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

I will walk in the presence of the Lord, in the land of the living.

**Inner Healing
Silent Retreat by Fr Stephen Howe LC.
For men and women 18+**

Saturday September 28, 9.30-3.30pm.
Our Lady of the Rosary Church,
14 Barker Road, Prospect.

Fr Stephen is currently Parochial Vicar at
St Peter - St Denis Roman Catholic Church
in New York.

We appreciate him giving his time whilst visiting
Australia to lead this retreat.

For bookings and inquiries please call:
Jenny 0410 036 952 or Grace 0413 380 833

**United Nations International Day of Peace
Seaford Christian Churches**

The Seaford Christian Churches are inviting
members of other religions to join us on this day
in the light and faith of St John Paul II,
who gathered leaders of all religions at Assisi in 1986.

When: Saturday, 21 September 2024

Time: 10.30 – 12 noon

Venue: The Wirra, Seaford Christian Churches,
97 Main Street, Seaford.

Email: sem1@adam.com.au
and Tel: (08) 8392 4522

Car Boot Sale at the Monastery

The Monastery will be hosting a car boot sale
on the oval on November 10th
between 9:30am - 1:30pm.

There will be a stall for our gift shop, a book stall for
our parish library and a coffee van on the day.

We welcome everyone to join us on the day!

**If you would like to book a car space for \$25.00,
please contact the office on 8338 8700.**

2025 DAILY
MASS BOOK



2025 Daily Mass Book

We will be placing an order for the
2025 Daily Mass Book this year.

The estimated cost for the books is \$30,
(depending on postage costs),
Books will be available to collect
from the Parish office early November.

If you would like to purchase a copy please contact
the Parish office before Thursday 10th October 2024
to place your order.

**Please note these books do not contain
the full Readings for the Masses.**



**PRE-ORDER
2025 Columban Calendar**

If you would like to pre-order a copy of
the 2025 Columban Calendar
please contact the parish office on
P: 8264 7590 or
E: bulletin@paramodcath.com.au



**TO HOPE AND ACT
WITH CREATION**

SEASON OF CREATION 2024

The firstfruits of hope
(Rom 8:19-25)

**SEASON OF CREATION REFLECTION
by Nick Brodie**

After Jesus spoke of a future involving personal suffering and political rejection Peter remonstrated with him. Jesus in turn rebuked Peter, explaining that such thinking was not of God. Much of the import of this short exchange seems to hinge on the openness of Jesus' assertions. Peter reacted not only to what Jesus said but the way he said it. Jesus' warnings were not given in secret but declared openly.

It is rather understandable that Peter was worried. Perhaps he thought that Jesus would attract unwanted attention from the authorities, or that his gloomy talk would put off potential followers. Either way, Jesus was having none of it. The truth, however dangerous or unpopular, should not be hidden.

Hearing this Gospel during the Season of Creation we might contemplate what truths get hushed up today. Do we encourage our leaders to speak openly about pollution and climate change, or do we collude in their silences? Does our society condemn or condone littering? Are our parishes in environmental denial, or models of sustainability and ecological responsibility? Ultimately, facing even the darkest future with hopeful action is a key part of Jesus' message. Christ's followers are called to bear their share of the cross and face tomorrow's problems today.

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“A Prayer for Our Earth”

All powerful God, you are present in the whole universe
and in the smallest of your creatures.

You embrace with your tenderness all that exists.

Pour out upon us the power of your love,
that we may protect life and beauty.

Fill us with peace, that we may live
as brothers and sisters, harming no one.

O God of the poor, help us to rescue the abandoned
and forgotten of this earth, so precious in your eyes.

Bring healing to our lives, that we may
protect the world and not prey on it,
that we may sow beauty, not pollution and destruction.

Touch the hearts of those who look only for gain
at the expense of the poor and the earth.

Teach us to discover the worth of each thing,
to be filled with awe and contemplation,
to recognize that we are profoundly united with
every creature as we journey towards your infinite light.

We thank you for being with us each day.

Encourage us, we pray,
in our struggle for justice, love and peace.

(Laudato Si', n. 246)

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Alleluia, alleluia! My only glory is the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ,
which crucifies the world to me and me to the world. Alleluia!**

PRAYER MEETINGS & ACTIVITIES DURING THE WEEK

Mon	16th Sep	Legion of Mary	5pm	Holy Trinity
Thu	19th Sep	Multicultural Melodies	10am - 12noon	St John XXIII
Fri	20th Sep	Craft Group	9am - 11.45am	St John XXIII



DEVELOPMENT FUND 2024

Congratulations to this week's winner

No 93, Phyllis Truman
Drawn by Alex Balayance

To join, or for more information please contact:
Barbara Mathews 8258 8806

REACH OUT REMINDER

Tuesday 17th September 2024:

Reminding everyone that this coming Tuesday, directly after the 9.15am Mass at St John XXIII, all Reach Out members and friends are invited to our Morning Tea Meeting at the Hope Valley Lutheran Homes Community Centre Coffee Shop.
Address: 1215 Grand Junction Road, Hope Valley.
Looking forward to an enjoyable hot 'cuppa' and chat with you all.

Maureen Kenny
Reach Out President
Mobile: 0418 821 859

Long Term Volunteer Opportunities in the Australia-Pacific Region The Cagliari Project, Salesians of Don Bosco

We are seeking long term (6-12 month) volunteers for departure in January 2025 to work with young people in our Salesian communities in Samoa, Cambodia, Timor Leste, Solomon Islands and Mongolia.

Applications close October 31st, 2024.

Send us an enquiry:
www.cagliari.org.au or
lhichaaba@salesians.org.au

Giving App

Download the Adelaide Archdiocese's **Find a Mass App** on your mobile phone and set up direct giving to the first and second collections, as well as special appeals.

Or go to www.goodgiving.com.au to set up direct giving from your computer.

The App also features daily readings, events, news from *The Southern Cross* and podcasts.



THE SOUTHERN CROSS

The September edition of The Southern Cross is available from both Mass Centres at a cost of just \$2 or online at www.thesoutherncross.org.au



COUPLES FOR CHRIST AUSTRALIA
(Established August 1988)

COUPLES FOR CHRIST AUSTRALIA (CFCA) CHRISTIAN LIFE PROGRAM (CLP)

Couples for Christ Australia (CFCA) is a parish-based community dedicated to supporting family life, through our various Family Ministries.

We are delighted to invite you once again to attend a Christian Life Program, a 7-week program, featuring a series of inspiring talks on living the Christian faith. Join us for 7 Sundays starting 29th September to 10th November 2024, 2:00pm – 5:00pm at Salisbury Catholic Parish Family Centre.

We offer this program FREE for everyone seeking peace and deeper relationship with Jesus Christ.

This program is especially intended for married Christian couples, Christians of other denomination, people from all sectors of society, widows, separated or divorced men and women. Participants do not need to have any current religious or spiritual involvement/affiliation. All singles in their 20's to 30's are also welcome!

See contact details or scan the QR code below for more details.

For more info, call/text:

Nick Dangcalan – 0401939608
Edwin Cedamon – 0431450492
Vivianne Abejo – 0412407159
Cris Desales – 0426586832



SECURITY REMINDER

PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE ANY VALUABLE ITEMS VISIBLE IN YOUR CAR WHILE ATTENDING MASS AT EITHER MASS CENTRE.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY SEPTEMBER BABIES

16th Sep Margaret Penny
17th Sep Michael McLoughlin
Lewis Souter
18th Sep Danielle Ellis
19th Sep Joan Norris
20th Sep Meredith Knowles
Michelle Javier
Eric Cruz

