



CATHOLIC ARCHDIOCESE OF ADELAIDE

WEEKLY E-NEWS

*Information for parish and
community weekly newsletters*

Living Catholic
22 January 2024

Notices for bulletins:

Important information for parish teams:

Walk for Life

The Walk for Life will take place Saturday February 10 at Pennington Gardens, opposite St Peters Cathedral, North Adelaide, commencing at 10am. [Click here](#) for correspondence from Fr Dean Marin, Vicar General and [flyer](#)

Rite of Election 2024 – St Francis Xavier’s Cathedral, Sunday February 18

Do you have anyone in your community preparing for Baptism at the Easter Vigil?

Please register any Catechumens from your Parish to attend the Rite of Election using this [REGISTRATION FORM](#). All information regarding the liturgy and event details can be found on the registration form link or the Community Life & Worship [website](#) under *What we Offer > RCIA*. If you have any further questions regarding this liturgy, please call 8210 8130 or email worship@adelaide.catholic.org.au

The Southern Cross

A reminder there will be no January edition of *The Southern Cross*. The next edition will be ready for distribution on February 4. Any queries, please contact Jenny Brinkworth on 8210 8147 or jbrinkworth@adelaide.catholic.org.au

An Urgent Prayer for Peace from Caritas Australia

Please find attached a PDF entitled: An Urgent Prayer for Peace ([click here](#)) provided by Caritas Australia – you might like to pray this prayer at the conclusion of Mass or in local prayer groups. This prayer can also be found at: <https://www.caritas.org.au/resources/parish-materials/>

To support **Caritas Australia’s Gaza Appeal**, visit [www.caritas.org.au/donate/emergency\[1\]appeals/gaza-crisis/](https://www.caritas.org.au/donate/emergency[1]appeals/gaza-crisis/) or call 1800 024 413 toll free.

Bulletin notices ([Click here](#) for related flyers or attachments provided)

Australia Day Mass

Friday, January 26 at 9am in St Francis Xavier’s Cathedral

For over 60 years a special celebration of the Eucharist has been held in St Francis Xavier Cathedral to celebrate Australia Day. We come together to celebrate and give thanks for this wonderful country and to recognise the richness and diversity of the people who call Australia home. All are welcome to join us on this special occasion.

For more information please contact Archdiocesan Events on (08) 8210 8220 or events@adelaide.catholic.org.au

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Our Lady of Lourdes Mass

Saturday February 10 at 10am in St Francis Xavier's Cathedral

Each year, on World Day of the Sick a Mass is offered for those who are of ill health. This year Lourdes Day falls on a Sunday therefore, it will be celebrated on the Saturday. All are welcome to receive a blessing and anointing. For more information please contact Archdiocesan Events on (08) 8210 8106 or

events@adelaide.catholic.org.au

Celebration of the Feast Day at St Josephine Bakhita, Sunday February 11

Thursday February 8 is the Feast Day of St Josephine Bakhita and the African Catholic Community will celebrate Mass on **Sunday February 11 in St Francis Xavier's Cathedral at 2:30pm**. All are invited to attend.

Caritas 60th Anniversary Celebration

All Caritas Supporters, young and old are invited to **join the Archbishop on Sunday February 25 for Mass at St Francis Xavier's Cathedral (11am)** followed by a coffee and sausage sizzle to commemorate **60 years of Caritas in Australia**, with its foundations proudly in Adelaide! **All are invited** to join in unity as we continue to support those most vulnerable in our world. We look forward to celebrating this milestone with all parishes, schools and anyone who proudly supports the good work of Caritas Australia - helping us to create a just and compassionate world.

Make it a fun day out and join the **Adelaide Fringe – Festival of Hymns Event – Pipe Organ Recitals at 1pm in the Cathedral**.

Fringe Festival 2024 - Pipe Organ Recitals at the Cathedral of St Francis Xavier

21 February 1pm: Amir Robin-Karas

25 February 1pm: Festival of Hymns by James Lloyd

28 February 1pm: Jacinta Jakovcevic

6 March 1pm: Graham Bell

17 March 1pm: Young Organists

Confession and Prayer for Peace, on Friday Night at St Laurence's

Every Friday at 7pm there will be an hour of silent adoration of the Blessed Sacrament exposed at St Laurence's Church, North Adelaide. The intention is to ask for peace, especially in the Holy Land and Ukraine. St Laurence's Church is on the corner of Hill St and Buxton St, North Adelaide. Come when you can, even if only for a few minutes. Confession will be available from 7.30pm.

Young Adult Summer Eco Camp – Cancelled

Due to low numbers the Eco Camp in February has been cancelled.