



CATHOLIC ARCHDIOCESE OF ADELAIDE

# WEEKLY E-NEWS

Information for parish and  
community weekly newsletters

*Living Catholic*  
12 April 2021

**Notices for bulletins:**

**Important information for parish teams:**

## COVID-19

As communicated last week, 100 per cent capacity is now allowed in places of worship with fixed seating (pews), provided masks are worn. If the number of attendees is 75 per cent of capacity or less, masks are not required.

In places of worship where there is no fixed seating, the number of chairs are limited to three per four square metres. The same rule applies, that is, 100 per cent with masks or 75 per cent without masks.

See attachments ([COVID Update](#) and [COVID-19 Capacity Requirements Diagram](#)) for more details.

## Child Protection and Children's Ministries

A reminder to all parishes and groups within the Archdiocese to be aware of and to revisit the policies, procedures and resources provided by the Catholic Archdiocese of Adelaide Child Protection Unit

<https://adelaide.catholic.org.au/our-people/child-protection-unit> in relation to any Children's Ministries or events.

The Child Protection Unit has asked for parishes to attend to the following as needed:

- to conduct or organise Child Protection training as required for those involved in ministry to children
- to complete the *Risk Assessment* document for each area of children's ministry or event as can be found at [https://adelaide.catholic.org.au/\\_files/f/45760/Risk%20Assessment%20Checklist%20Tool.pdf](https://adelaide.catholic.org.au/_files/f/45760/Risk%20Assessment%20Checklist%20Tool.pdf)

This would include all children ministries such as Sacramental Catechesis, Liturgy of the Word with Children, Religious Education and Formation of children and any other events held with children. Please be aware that it is important for adults working with children to work in pairs of adults or in clear view of another responsible adult. For further information, support, advice or additional resources, please contact the **Catholic Archdiocese Child Protection Unit** P: 8210 8159. **Family Faith Formation Advisors:** Sr Jenny Seal [jenny.seal@cesa.catholic.edu.au](mailto:jenny.seal@cesa.catholic.edu.au) Amanda Razon [amanda.razon@cesa.catholic.edu.au](mailto:amanda.razon@cesa.catholic.edu.au).

## Catechist Newsletter and Events

The catechist newsletter *Making Connections* can be found at the following link [Catholic Archdiocese of Adelaide - Newsletters](#) on the Archdiocesan website. If anyone is interested in becoming a catechist in Children's Ministry, please contact the Family Faith Formation Team.

Family Faith Formation Team Workshops

Date Claimers and Registration

**CATECHIST ENRICHMENT WORKSHOP**

Presenters: Family Faith Formation Team

When: **Monday May 3, 9.30am - 1.30pm**

Where: CEO Conference Centre, 116 George St, Thebarton

**For details and registration, please go to:**

<https://registrationcentre.cesa.catholic.edu.au/event-4229786> and register in the drop down box as Archdiocese of Adelaide.

## SACRAMENTS OF INITIATION: WHERE TO NEXT?

Presenters: Family Faith Formation Team

When: **Tuesday June 29, 9.30am– 2.30pm**

Where: CEO Conference Centre, 116 George St, Thebarton

**For details and registration, please go to:**

<https://registrationcentre.cesa.catholic.edu.au/event-4229874> and if from the parish, register in the drop down box as Archdiocese of Adelaide, or if from a school, register under your school's name.

Family Faith Formation Team: Amanda Razon [amanda.razon@cesa.catholic.edu.au](mailto:amanda.razon@cesa.catholic.edu.au) Sr Jenny Seal [jenny.seal@cesa.catholic.edu.au](mailto:jenny.seal@cesa.catholic.edu.au)

### Mary MacKillop Precinct – April/May Events

Please find attached our [April-May events flyers](#) with details of the many happenings we have planned for the coming two months. We hope you will accept our invitation to participate in any, or all of these events, and would be grateful if you could circulate the flyers to anyone, whom you think would appreciate them.

### Ministry Formation Program

Please see attached [MFP March Newsletter](#).

### Ministry Formation Program – Humble, Healing & Merciful Seminar

Please find attached a [flyer](#) with details of the upcoming MFP seminar, *Humble, Healing & Merciful: Exploration of our response to topical Ethical issues. Voluntary assisted dying (Catholic Perspective)*, presented by Dr David Kirchhoffer. The event will be held on Wednesday April 21 via ZOOM and will commence at 5.30pm. **RSVPs are essential by Monday April 19**, so please advise of your attendance on P: 8210 8169 or E: [mfpadmin@adelaide.catholic.org.au](mailto:mfpadmin@adelaide.catholic.org.au) Bulletin notice provided below.

## Bulletin notices

### 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](http://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.

### Worldwide Marriage Encounter – Virtual Weekend

Worldwide Marriage Encounter invites couples, priests and religious for a virtual marriage encounter weekend to enrich and revitalise your sacrament of service. It give you the opportunity to grow in your relationship with your spouse or your community. The Virtual weekend via Zoom will be held on April 30 – May 2, 2021 commencing at 7pm on Friday and concludes 4pm Sunday. Contact: Julie & Zyg Staszyc on P: 0437 388 513 or E: [sabookings@wwme.org.au](mailto:sabookings@wwme.org.au). For all other enquiries for enrichment programs and events contact Thomas & Maria E: [wwmcentral@gmail.com](mailto:wwmcentral@gmail.com). Visit us: <https://www.wwme.org.au> - For testimonies and update Click here for [WWME Weekend](#).

### Seminar on Voluntary Assisted Dying (a Catholic perspective)

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Flyers

[Click here](#) for flyers.