

OUR PARISH

Contact the Parish Pastoral Council through the office email.

OUR PARISH MISSION:

"All the Church, all the Gospel, all the people, all the time"

OUR PARISH VISION:

All the Church - we will **WORSHIP** with an open heart.

All the Gospel - we will celebrate the **WORD** with joy.

All the People - we will care for the **WELFARE** of all.

All the Time - we will maintain our **WORKS** with integrity.

OUR PARISH SCRIPTURE

"Refresh my heart in Christ" - Philemon 1:20b

OUR PARISH SAFEGUARDING COMMITMENT

MHOc Parish & the Archdiocese of Canberra & Goulburn are committed to the care, wellbeing & protection of children, young people & people at risk in our community. If you need to communicate any concerns, please contact one of our Parish Safeguarding Contacts displayed on the posters on the main church notice boards & our website.

 Our parish is supported by CCTV and S1 Security. Smile!

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH (2 Nov – 8 Nov)

Remember to turn your phones off when in the church. A prayerful silence is respectfully requested as we gather to celebrate Eucharist.

Sacred Heart Church Mass & CS Times:

31st Sunday in Ord Time, Psalter Wk 3, Yr B/2

Sat: 5.35pm Rosary, 6:00pm **Mass, All Souls Day**

Sun: 8.30am & 10am **Mass**

Mon: 8.30am **CS** Tue: 5.30pm **Mass**

Wed: 8.30am **Mass** Thu: 8.30am **Mass**

Fri: 8.45am Morning Prayer of the Church,

9.00am Rosary, 9.30am **Mass,**

5pm - 6pm Evening Prayer & Adoration

The Pines Living, Farrer, Mass 11am held on the last Thursday of the month. Note Next date: 28 Nov.

Goodwin Village, Mass 9.30am held on the last Saturday of the month. Next date 30 Nov.

RECONCILIATION (Confession):

Saturdays 11am-12pm (or by appointment)

FATIMA DEVOTIONS: Next date: Sat 2 Nov

'The Five First Saturdays' Held on the 1st Saturday of the month: **Mass 9.30am**, followed by **confessions** with **benediction 10.30am**, concluding with a **Marian Movement of Priests cenacle**. See blue flyer.

BAPTISMS: Baptism information please see our website or contact the parish office.

WEDDINGS: By appointment, at least 6 months notice is essential. Phone the Office for details.

The BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL

is open daylight hours each day for Adoration & quiet prayer. The chapel is not to be used while Mass is being celebrated. Please do not leave cut flowers or candles in the Chapel.



Mary Help of Christians Parish South Woden, PEARCE ACT

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For information on how to join planned giving or donate to our parish see our website: www.mhoc.org.au/planned-giving/

Our parish acknowledges & celebrates the original custodians of this sacred land & we commit ourselves to the ongoing journey of reconciliation.



Bake Sale - Sun 10 Nov after 8.30 & 10am Masses

The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd is a Montessori method of Christian formation for children 3-12 years. It is grounded in scripture & the liturgy of the Church & allows children to hear the Gospel through the use of sensorial rich materials. Homemade cakes & slices. Funds raised go towards maintaining the atrium, the children's sacred prayer space, & training our catechists in this beautiful work. <https://cgsaust.org.au>

Please remember all of our faithful departed:

Recent deceased: Gordon Allen

Anniversaries: Thomas Anthony Robinson, Angela Paragalli, Juliana Compos Acevedo, Maria Tran, William Patrick Moloney, Mary Wilkins & Fr William Crahan.

We also pray for the deceased members of the Friendship Group & the Askander & Shano families. May they all rest in peace.

During November we pray for All Holy Souls

(see Shepherd's corner).

Under the **Memorial picture board** you will find the In Memoriam folders. You are welcome to look through them. Thank you to Kathryn Hailey & Christiane Patron.



St Thomas the Apostle Community Fete, 9 Nov Boddington Cres Kambah, 10am to 3pm.

Bring your mates & eat some Cake. Rides & Slides. Things to Buy. Raffles & Food, Before time flies buy a Pick a Prize. Available Prior, Found on Qkr! Info. St Thomas Parish Office. If you would like to help out please see our volunteer sign up site.

<https://signup.com/client/invitation2/secure/151692510056/false#/invitation>



Monster Christmas Garage & Plant Sale, 16 November, 9am to 1pm.

The Monster Christmas Garage & Plant Sale is our biggest sale of the year, with toys, books, clothes & much more! With unique vintage pieces, there is something for everyone. Location: 255 Goyder Street Narrabundah.

3 November | All Saints Party

Dress up as your favourite Saint and join us to celebrate the Solemnity of All Saints at St Christopher's Cathedral! There will be activities for all the family, snacks, & a costume parade straight after the 11am Mass at the Haydon Hall (55 Franklin Street, Forrest). We hope to see you there!



Shepherd's Corner:

We have started the month of November where traditionally in our faith we pray for our deceased loved ones.

The parish has a touching tradition of a remembrance book at back of the church where you can enter your deceased loved ones names. It will be brought up in the offertory procession at weekend Masses. You can also put an offering in the envelopes (usually \$20) provided & list name(s) to pray for, these names will be put in the book. Please them in a collection bag during mass or drop into the parish office.

We also have our parish School fair on Friday 8 November (another traditional Catholic event!) more info in Bulletin.

Also, I like to encourage people to come to the Archbishop's yearly CCR teaching day next Saturday-flyer with more info. In foyer. *God's blessing Fr Emil*



New Monthly Healing Mass with RLC (*Risen Lord Community*): after the successful healing night the other week the RLC has offered to share monthly their healing ministry with our parish. The next one is **Friday 29 November** with **7pm Mass & healing service** in the church & to continue in 2025. More info to follow.



Bus Trip! The Friendship Group are heading to a Cherry orchard in Young on **Thu 28 Nov**. Departing 7.30am on Murphy St behind the school/church, return approximately 6pm. Cost is \$95 & includes bus, morning tea & lunch. We will also visit the Chinese Gardens in Young. RSVP, ASAP to Faye 0451 683 099.

Our Parish Welcomes Giovanni Rosales, Levi Joseph & Tobias Armati through the sacrament of baptism this weekend. May they be richly blessed with God's presence & feel the support of our Parish & their families.



Synodal Nature Cycle 16 Nov 2-6pm: The Marist Association invites you to journey on a synodal cycle way to a few sacred spots in Woden Valley. Beginning at Curtin Church & finishing at MHOc. Morning tea at Marist Chapel. See our website for full details. <https://www.mhoc.org.au/news/>



Monthly Morning Teas Please join us this weekend in the Church Hall for a hot cuppa after the 8.30am & 10am masses.

ROSTERS FOR PARISH MINISTRIES FOR THE SUNDAY OF 9/10 November 2024

Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B/2

Commentators and Lectors

6.00pm D O'Brien & C Paragalli

8.30am P Supple & E Tsen

10am J Davidson & R Coggan

Extra-ordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

6.00pm A Pantano

8.30am C West

10am F D'Castro

Acolytes:

6.00pm A Smith

8.30am G Joseph

10.00am G Selleck

Music Ministry:

6pm Volunteer please

8.30am S Fatiaki

10.00am C Walshe & D Kenny

Altar Servers: Trained servers please volunteer at Mass

Church Linen (November): B Wilson / V Palmer

Welcome Ministry:

6.00pm E Neal

8.30am B Garrety

10.00am L Henshaw

Altar Care (Nov 4): V Bray

Note: A reminder to leave parking at the church for limited mobility parishioners during weekend mass.



Are you interested in volunteering at the Sacred Heart Twilight Fair? We would love some volunteers to help us run the Homeware & Toy Stall!! Please email: shpsfaircommittee@outlook.com or call the Front Office on: 02 62862443.

Coming up in the Parish:

Saturday 2 November - All Souls Day

♦ Fatima Devotions - see This Week in the Parish.

Sunday 3 November

♦ Children's Liturgy during the 10am Mass

♦ Parish Monthly Morning Tea after the Sunday Masses

Wednesday 6 November

♦ School of Religion - Hall/Church from 4pm.

Thursday 7 November

♦ Friendship Group - Race Game

♦ Serra Club - Hall - 5.30-7pm

Friday 8 November

♦ Sacred Heart Primary Twilight Fair 3.30-7.30pm

Sunday 10 November

♦ Children's Liturgy during the 10am Mass

♦ Bake sale after 8.30 & 10am masses (see notice)

♦ Adult Faith Formation - Bible Study - Hall 11.30am

Please note: Fr Emil will be on annual leave from Monday 4 to Thursday 7 November. Thank you to Fr Leonse Kurian joining us for the weekday masses.

"Hearts on Fire! Listening to the Holy Spirit!

Archbishop's Day for Charismatic Renewal. **Sat 9 Nov 8:30am-3pm**, St Peter Chanel's Church, Weston St, Yarralumla. Archbishop Christopher Prowse & guest Anne Marie Gatenby. Free morning tea & BBQ lunch! Register at: <https://www.trybooking.com/events/landing/1298594>. Info. Susanna 0419 902 293.