

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 (14 - 20 June)

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:

The Most Holy Trinity Psalter Week 3, Year C/1

Sat: 5.35pm Rosary, 6:00pm **Mass**

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: 3 July.

Goodwin Village, Mass 9.30am held on the last Saturday of the month. Next date 28 June.

RECONCILIATION (Confession): Usually: **Sat 11am-12pm** (or by appointment). **Please note not available Sat 14 June.** Alternatively it is available at St Christopher's Manuka, Sat 11am - 12pm.

FATIMA DEVOTIONS: Next date: Sat 5 Jul 2025

'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.



Shepherd's Corner

Thank you to **Fr Khalid** who is presider at the Masses this weekend, while I take a weekend of leave. Often I like to spread my leave throughout the course of the year, rather than in one big block so I can attend interesting events with family & friends.



We have the **Vinnies Winter Appeal** hosted by our local conference this weekend. We are so blessed to have a local conference being witness to Jesus' Compassion. Our **Parish Feast Day** of Sacred Heart is coming up on 27 Jun & a big thank you to those who **donated for our new parish computers**- we will be able to cover the purchase cost combined with the allowed budget. *God Blessing Fr Emil*



A big thank you to all our wonderful parishioners who support our Parish, your generosity is very much appreciated. When you are a part of our **Planned**

Giving Programme through *Direct Debit* or e-Giving it gives us a predictable income stream allowing us to balance our budget for Parish running costs & our loan repayments.

When you use our Tap'n'Go machines or pop cash into the collection bags it is appreciated, however if you do not attend mass regularly it makes it hard to budget for our parish running costs.

- **If you would like to join our Planned Giving Program** we would *love* to hear from you. Pick up a form in the church entrance & return it to the Parish Office. Contact us for help with the process.

- **If you have changed your address etc.** please contact the Office so we can update your details.

- **If you are a current giver & have no changes** you do not need to contact us. Your giving will automatically continue for the next financial year.

- **If you give via envelopes** these will be available soon for pick up in the church & if you would like to change over to electronic giving, please contact us.

- A reminder that the 1st Collection after the Homily supports the Archdiocesan Clergy, not the Parish.

Once again, thank you for all of your support & if your preference is to still use the Qkr! App, Tap'n'Go, cash &/or envelopes we thank you for your consideration of the above & very much appreciate your support.

As advised in previous years there are no Tax Receipts issued. If you would like to know your giving amount for this financial year please contact the office.

St Vincent de Paul - Winter Appeal 14/15 June 2025 & Morning Tea

Please join St Vincent de Paul Conference Members in the Hall after the 10am Mass for a fundraising morning tea!

They will also be selling raffle tickets & accepting donations after each Mass this weekend. The raffle winner of the Basket of Goodies will be drawn at the morning tea.

If you are interested in learning more about the work of your parish conference contact Mark Mooney on 0450 354 551.



Vinnies CEO Sleepout Thu 19 June

Our local school Principal David Austin is participating in the Vinnie's CEO Sleepout for the 8th time! He has raised over \$80,000 over the years & is hoping to raise another \$12,000 this year. If you would like to support him/Vinnies please find more information & donate at: <https://www.ceosleepout.org.au/fundraisers/david-austin>



Archbishop Christopher Prowse's St Mary MacKillop's Pilgrimage to Eden, Our Lady Star of the See Church, Saturday 9 August. All Welcome!

Please join us on the pilgrimage to this special church for the Jubilee Year of Hope.

A summary of the program for the day:

- Pilgrimage walk - 11am from Eden Sports Ground
- Reconciliation available during the walk.
- Mass at 12pm
- Visit Mary MacKillop Hall
- Lunch, Tea & Coffee provided.

Please arrange your own transport & for enquiries, email woodb4922@gmail.com

Please remember all of our faithful departed:

Recent deceased: Joseph Chia

Anniversaries: Edyth Blakeley,

Brian Bernarding, Fr John Leonard &

Fr Michael O'Shea.

We also pray for the soul of

Tomislav Stojanovski

May they all rest in peace.



ROSTERS FOR PARISH MINISTRIES

For The Weekend/Sunday of 21/22 June 2025

Corpus Christi Sunday, Year C/1

Commentators and Lectors

6.00pm A Smith & S Short

8.30am R Langford & J Pearson-Lee

10am JL Wilson & J Allen

Extra-ordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

6.00pm B Gaynor

8.30am M Wolnicki

10am B Usback

Acolytes:

6.00pm A Smith

8.30am P Supple

10.00am G Selleck

Music Ministry:

6pm Volunteer please

8.30am S Fatiaki

10.00am M McKenna

Altar Servers:

Trained servers please volunteer at Mass

Church Linen June: P Cullen

Welcome Ministry:

6.00pm M Blackmore

8.30am N Hatley

10.00am F Pelosi

Altar Care (June 16): C Donohoe

Coming up in the Parish:

Tuesday 17 June

♦ MenALIVE - Hall - 7-8am, Morning Men's Group

Wednesday 18 June

♦ School of Religion - 4pm - Hall/Church

Thursday 19 June

♦ Friendship Group - Hall 10-12pm - Card, Mind Game

♦ Baptism Preparation Evening - Hall - 7pm

Friday 20 June

♦ Parish Office Closed.

Sunday 22 June Corpus Christi

♦ Children's Liturgy during the 10am Mass

Sacred Heart Solemnity Mass

6pm, Friday 27 June 2025

Held after the 5-6pm Holy Hour.

This **Mass** is being held for Fr Emil's **25th Anniversary of Ordination** to the Priesthood having occurred on The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus feast day in 2000.

After the Mass the Risen Lord Community will host a **supper** in the **Parish Hall** instead of the Healing service that would usually be held.

Also on Sunday 29 June after the 10am Mass

Fr Emil will present a PowerPoint reflection of the last 25 years in the Parish Hall with some morning **tea** to help celebrate the event, all welcome & please bring along a plate of food to share if able.



This weekend we welcome

Fr Khalid Marogi celebrating Mass with us while Fr Emil is in Galong.