

# NATIONAL CONFERENCE EVANGELISATION

Encounter • Discipleship • Mission

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The Australian Bishops Commission for Evangelisation, Laity and Ministry will host a national online conference for evangelisation from October 20-22.

The conference will promote understanding and explore practices of evangelisation in Australia through *encounters* with Christ, formation in *discipleship*, and *mission* in the world.

Opening with a reflection on the Plenary Council and Australian reports to the General Synod on Synodality, the conference will then explore personal experiences and local strategies of evangelisation.

The program will feature live plenary sessions with panels, testimonies, prayer and music, followed by a wide variety of keynote sessions and conversation starters around key themes.

The conference offers formation for those in leadership and ministries, as well as for lay Catholics seeking to live out their baptismal mission in the world.

Bishops are invited to promote local gatherings to participate in the conference, encouraging community leaders, ministries, and laity to come together to dialogue on evangelisation. Attendees will have access to content for a period after the conference to deepen their local discussions.

The National Centre for Evangelisation is coordinating the conference with support from ACBC staff. For further details, contact Malcolm Hart, NCE Director:  
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## Thursday 20 October

- 5pm Local acknowledgments and prayer
- 6pm LIVE: Plenary Session  
Theme - Launching into the Deep
- 7pm LIVE: Keynote sessions (5 options)
- 8pm Local Conversations Starters

## Friday 21 October

- 9am Local acknowledgments and prayer
- 9:30am LIVE: Plenary Session  
Theme - Evangelisation
- 11am LIVE: Keynotes sessions (5 options)
- 12pm Local dialogue and lunch
- 2pm Local Conversations Starters
- 3pm Inter-community Dialogue  
Break
- 6pm LIVE: Plenary Session  
Theme - Encounter
- 7pm LIVE: Keynote sessions (5 options)
- 8pm Local Conversations Starters

## Saturday 22 October

- 9am Local acknowledgments and prayer
- 9:30am LIVE: Plenary Session  
Theme - Discipleship
- 11am LIVE: Keynotes sessions (5 options)
- 12pm Local dialogue and lunch
- 2pm Local Conversations Starters
- 3pm Inter-community Dialogue  
Break
- 6pm LIVE: Plenary Session  
Theme - Mission
- 7pm LIVE: Keynote sessions (5 options)
- 8pm Local Conversations Starters

*\*All times above are AEDT*

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