




Bulletin Notices 24 June 2026






<p>Australian Catholic Bishops Conference (Lara Kirk)</p>	<p>The Sixth World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly, 26 July 2026</p> <p>If you would like to celebrate World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly within community, you will find resources from earlier years and a brief explanation of this year’s theme - <i>‘I will never forget you’</i> (Is 49:15) - at the Vatican Dicastery Website,</p> <p>For current, Australian resources, the Archdiocese of Brisbane has generously created and made available resources for this year's World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly at https://archdiocesanministries.org.au/world-day-for-grandparents-and-the-elderly/</p> <p>Going forward, if you would like to be kept in the loop, on behalf of your ecclesial group or movement, regarding family ministry related happenings, please make yourself know to me by email at lara.kirk@catholic.org.au.</p>	
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Carried over from 17 June 2026

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<p>Fr Brian Boyle Diocesan Administrator</p>	<p>Sandhurst Formation Institute “Growing as Communities of Mission”</p> <p>Join people from all over the Diocese at the SFI; two days to explore “Gospel, Mission, and Pastoral Outreach”; the First Direction of the Sandhurst Strategic Mission and Pastoral Goals.</p> <p>Opening Reflection and Closing with Bishop René Ramirez RCJ; Keynotes on both Friday and Saturday: “What is the Mission and What Does that Mean?”, and “Growing as Communities of Mission”. Many seminars to choose from, inter-parish dialogue, intergenerational dialogue and a special Youth Stream (16 – 35s).</p> <p>Friday 21 – Saturday 22 August 2026 at Riverlinks Eastbank, Shepparton https://sandhurst.catholic.org.au/item/3078-sandhurst-formation-institute-2026</p> <p>For more information, go to our website: https://sandhurst.catholic.org.au/item/3078-sandhurst-formation-institute-2026</p> <p>Or check out the Facebook Event: (20+) Diocesan Formation Institute Facebook</p>	<p>Poster</p> <p>Flyer</p> <p>Youth Flyer</p> 
<p>Mission & Pastoral Life</p>	<p>NEXT Unpacking the Planning Resources Sessions (Online)</p> <p>The Diocese is offering a second series of online Zoom sessions to introduce and unpack the Resources for Parish Mission and Pastoral Planning, developed to support parishes in creating or strengthening their parish plans in alignment with the Sandhurst Strategic Mission and Pastoral Goals.</p> <p>The sessions will explain the planning process, including a synodal approach to decision-making and guidance for Conversations in the Spirit. The resources also complement the Parish Visitation Program and provide practical tools to support parish planning and action.</p> <p>A range of dates and times is available. Participants are asked to register via TryBooking and are encouraged to have either a hard copy or digital copy of the Resource Book available during the session.</p> <p>We warmly invite parish leaders and members to attend and engage in this important and prayerful work of bringing the Diocese's mission and pastoral goals to life.</p>	



Catholic Diocese of Sandhurst

	<p>30 June 10:00 am – 11:30 am https://www.trybooking.com/DNFPL</p>	
	<p>30 June 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm https://www.trybooking.com/DNFPR</p>	
	<p>1 July 10:00 am – 11:30 am https://www.trybooking.com/DNFPX</p>	
	<p>2 July 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm https://www.trybooking.com/DNFQD</p>	
<p>Sandhurst Youth Ministry</p>	<p>World Youth Day 2027 Expressions of Interest Now Open Sandhurst Youth Ministry (SYM) is now accepting <i>Expressions of Interest</i> for our pilgrimage to WYD Seoul, South Korea, August 2027.</p> <p>If you feel called to be part of this once-in-a-lifetime journey of faith, community, and encounter and are between the ages of 18 and 35, we invite you to take the first step! Head to our website for more information and fill out a no-obligation expression of interest.</p> <p>Contact SYM with any queries: sandhurstyouthministry@sandhurst.catholic.org.au.</p>	
<p>Kerry Stone Diocesan Justice Coordinator</p>	<p>Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Sunday Every year, on the first Sunday in July, Catholics come together across Australia to acknowledge and celebrate the gifts of Australia’s First Peoples. Today, we acknowledge that God has been walking with Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Peoples, making His Presence known through a continuous living culture over many thousands of years. This year is particularly special as it’s the 40th anniversary of Pope John Paul 11’s visit to Alice Springs so cherished by our First Nations people as they recall Pope John Paul 11’s words, “The Church herself in Australia will not be fully the Church that Jesus wants her to be until you have made your contribution to her life and until that contribution has been joyfully received by others”.</p> <p>This day also marks the start of NAIDOC Week, a time for celebrating Indigenous culture across the Australian community. For a range of information about First Nations people and the Catholic Church go to www.natsicc.org.au</p>	

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