



St Albans | Sydenham

# Sacred Heart - Emmaus St. Albans - Sydenham

*'Where we Pray, Work, Share and Celebrate Together to carry forward the work of Christ under the lead of the befriending Spirit'*

## Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year A - 21st June

### Parish Priest:

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### Weekday Mass Times:

**Sacred Heart Church**  
Tuesday - Friday: 7:30am  
Saturday: 9:00am

### Weekend Mass Times:

**Sacred Heart Church**  
Saturday (Vigil): 5:00pm  
Sunday: 7:30am  
9:00am (Polish)  
10:30am  
2nd Sun of month: 5:00pm (Slovene)

### Emmaus Church

Saturday (Vigil): 6:30pm  
Sunday: 9:00am

### Sacrament of Reconciliation:

**Sacred Heart Church**  
Saturday: 9:30am  
4th Sat of month: 4:00pm (Maltese)

### Acknowledgement of Country

Sacred Heart - Emmaus Parish acknowledges the Wurundjeri people of the Kulin nation as the traditional custodians of the land upon which our Parish stands.

### Safeguarding Policy

Sacred Heart - Emmaus Parish is committed to the care, wellbeing & protection of children, young people & people at risk in our community. For matters of concern, contact 0413 841 936 or stalbans.csc@cam.org.au

### St Mary of the Cross MacKillop

My gratitude to God for all that is done for those I love - 2 Jun 1867



### Sacred Heart Feast

Last Friday night we celebrated our Sacred Heart Feast Day. Thank you to all the Parishioners who came to Celebrate this Special Mass and who enjoyed a Beveridge and Sausage sizzle after. A good time was had by all!



### Parish Men's Group - Friday 10 July

The first meeting for the Parish Men's Group (PMG) will be on Friday 10 July, 6pm at the Sacred Heart Presbytery. All men are invited to come along to meet, share, learn, pray and support one another over a meal. This is a great chance to meet others from our parish. Dinner will be provided. If you are interested please email the office for catering purposes StAlbans@cam.org.au or contact 9366 2146.

### New Website Launch

Last weekend we launched our new Parish website. Here is a quick guide on how to activate the QR codes provided here:  
1) Open your camera on your smart phone,  
2) View the QR code with your phone camera,  
3) Click on the link that is displayed on your screen, this will take you to the destination.

We ask you all to Like our Facebook page:



Subscribe to the Parish Newsletter:

View our New Parish Website, and add to your bookmarks or homepage:



Read our Parish Newsletter:

Alternatively you can visit these URLs:

- 1) Facebook: [www.facebook.com/SHEPARISH](http://www.facebook.com/SHEPARISH)
- 2) Parish Newsletters: [www.sheparish.com.au/news/](http://www.sheparish.com.au/news/)
- 3) New Website: [www.sheparish.com.au/](http://www.sheparish.com.au/)

### BBQ at Bunnings, Watergardens - Sun 21

The Fair Committee is organizing a BBQ on Sunday 21 June. Come and enjoy a sausage at Bunnings, Watergardens, between 9 - 4pm. Hope to see you there!



## Magazines

This weekend you will notice in the foyer at Sacred Heart Church we have a few magazines. We are trialing out having them there for Parishioners to borrow on good faith. If something is of interest please have a read, and return them so others have a chance to also read.

## Bereavement Meeting - Thurs 25 June

Next meeting is on Thurs 25 June, 7pm at Sacred Heart Presbytery.

## Peter's Pence Collection - Next Weekend

Next weekend we have a special collection for Peter's Pence. It's on every year on the Solemnity of Saints Peter & Paul, 29 June (or the Sunday closest). We are invited to pray in a special way for the Pope and to offer our contribution in the Church where we attend mass. The offering is to support the Holy Fathers Mission which extends throughout the entire world, from the proclamation of the Gospel to the promotion of integral human development, education, peace, and brotherhood among peoples. To support the numerous charitable



## Liturgy Rosters

21st JUNE 2026		
Sacred Heart 5:00pm Mass		
	Name	Surname
Reader of the Word	Budi	Sianto
Prayers of the faithful	Sandra	Galea
Communion - 1	Claire	Tanner
Communion - 2	John	Tonna
Communion - 3	Stella	Tonna
Sacred Heart 7:30am Mass		
	Name	Surname
Reader of the Word	Rosemarie	Slater
Prayers of the faithful	Sandra	Tanner
Communion - 1	Rosemarie	Slater
Communion - 2	Richard	Micallef
Communion - 3	Carmela	Castillo
Sacred Heart 10:30am Mass		
	Name	Surname
Reader of the Word	Vinie	Weir
Prayers of the faithful	Kristine	Dionsio
Communion - 1	Kathleen	Carter
Communion - 2	Eugene	Carter
Communion - 3	Noel	Heldt
Emmaus 6:30pm Mass		
	Name	Surname
Reader of the Word	Linh	Vu
Prayers of the faithful	Sabrina	Gonsalves
Communion - 1	Jan	Szostak
Communion - 2	Fabian	Cesar
Communion - 3	Jocelyn (Josh)	Pinheiro
Emmaus 9:00am Mass		
	Name	Surname
Reader of the Word	Anna	Due
Prayers of the faithful	Maree	Connell
Communion - 1	Mary	Caruana
Communion - 2	Anna	Due
Communion - 3	Veena	Moraes

works in aid of people and families in difficulty, populations afflicted by natural disasters and wars, or who are in need of humanitarian assistance or support for development.

## Proclaim26 - Fri 26 June & Sat 27 June

Proclaim26 is an inspiring two-day gathering to equip, form and send clergy, lay leaders and all who want to share Christ Jesus, in this particular time, into their communities. Sherry Weddell, internationally-renowned author and speaker on missionary discipleship, will headline two days of inspiring keynotes and practical workshops.

To look at the full program: [melbournecatholic.org/proclaim26](http://melbournecatholic.org/proclaim26)

To register: [www.trybooking.com/events/landing/1584312](http://www.trybooking.com/events/landing/1584312)

## Melbourne Synod - 2026

Preparations for a Synod to be held in the Archdiocese of Melbourne in 2026 are underway. This month we welcomed the news of Bishop Martin Ashe as the incoming Chair of the Synod Commission. The purpose of the Synod is to help shape the evangelical and missionary priorities for the Archdiocese for the years ahead. The Synod will take place in early December 2026.

## Enrolment open for Sacred Heart Primary School

For enrolment enquires or to book a school tour, ring 9366 0266 or 9366 0022 or email: [admin@shstalbans.catholic.edu.au](mailto:admin@shstalbans.catholic.edu.au)

## National Census - 11 August 2026

With Australia's next national Census to be held on 11 August 2026, Catholics are encouraged to identify their religious affiliation to ensure accurate representation. The Census data informs government and Church planning, helping parishes, schools and Catholic services understand community needs and allocate resources effectively.

## Sacraments

**Baptisms** - occurring this Sunday 21 June at Emmaus Church

**Funeral** - for Sandra Evans on Friday 19 June, 11am at Emmaus

## We Remember in our Prayers

**Recent Death** - Sandra Evans; Bill Bamford;

### Anniversaries / Remembrances for Sacred Heart -

Michael & Josephine Piacentini; Joe Xuereb; Emmanuel & Frank Grech; Amelie Grech, Lukarda Cardona, Suor Maria Pierangela Debono; Frank & Bernadette Siracusa; Paul Aquilina & Bonello Family; Josset Vella, Charlie Camilleri & Emma Borg; Fr Joshua, Peter Muscat, Maria & Tony Mercieca; Leo & Bernice La'Personne, Jim McGowan; Darryl Robson, Rita Brown, Mary Legay; Teodoro Raco; Tony Spiteri; George Marriott, Dorcas Marriott; Charlie Camilleri, Emma Borg, Josette Vella;

### Anniversaries / Remembrances for Emmaus -

Aaron D'Souza; Arthur, Rita, Gary, Carl, Keith, Duddley & Marina Moss; Irene D'Souza; Peter & Clara Parnis; Vilma Aruliah; Rosemary Davis; Ophelia & Charles Sampath; Mervyn Dique, Ken, David, Denis & Michael Johnstone;



## Readings

**This Week:** First Reading: [Jeremiah 20:10-13](#)

Second Reading: [Romans 5:12-15](#)

Gospel: [Matthew 10:26-33](#)

**Next Week:** First Reading: [2 Kings 4:8-11. 14-16](#)

Second Reading: [Romans 6:3-4. 8-11](#)

Gospel: [Matthew 10:37-42](#)