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# Weekly Notices | 11 - 12 September 2021

Please refer at our website for updates, information, and online Mass with Fr Sean Cullen. <a href="https://www.hfi.org.au">www.hfi.org.au</a>

Please see the website for a message about Covid-19 Vaccinations from Bishop Brian Mascord

# **Plenary Council 2021**

In less than a month, the Church in Australia will commence its fifth Plenary Council – the first in 84 years. 279 members will begin a process of dialogue focusing on 6 themes that were developed from the responses of over 220,000 people.

#### Checkout:

- the latest media release which is online here,
- the agenda and is online here
- Plenary Council by the numbers; and
- Archbishop Coleridge Why a Plenary Council are available

In coming weeks, we will share short clips from our DoW delegates, that have been shared with the Plenary 2020 organising committee.

Men's Kickstart Program: Monday Nights 13, 20, 27 September and 4 October <u>Starts next week</u> – register now with blokes from right around the Diocese and Australia. <u>Kickstart</u> is being facilitated by menALIVE for the Diocese of Wollongong, hosted online by Peter Gabauer and Colin Bennett and the menALIVE leaders from the Diocese of Wollongong.

To register go to <a href="https://www.dow.org.au/events/ancmgkickstart">https://www.dow.org.au/events/ancmgkickstart</a>

Kickstart will run on Monday evenings 13, 20, 27 Sept and 4 Oct from 7.30-8.30pm. Sessions are short and sharp and a great way for men in lockdown to come together to engage with the theme 'Brothers What must we Do' developed by the ACBC with some excellent keynotes including:

- Man of God: Tomasz Juszczak
- Man of Service: Tim Davis
- Man of Character: Shayne Bennett
- Missioning and Sending: Archbishop Julian Porteous

# **Youth Ministry Online**

Click on the link below for some great worship and challenges as you explore faith with some very awesome leaders! **Enjoy!** 

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCTphLF5OdSt8V\_yo7ZLrVgg



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#### **Season of Creation**

The **Season of Creation** begins **September 1**, on the designated **World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation**. It concludes on **October 4**, **the Feast of St. Francis**.

The Office for Justice, Ecology and Peace have created five prayer cards which focus on the themes of the statement: Cry of the Earth, Cry of the Poor.

This week's prayer focuses on A prayer for conversion

# **Bishop's Sacramental Program Parental Survey**

A discussion paper to assist in the development of a Sacraments of Initiation policy for the Diocese is being developed and Bishop Brian is seeking feedback from parents and, via parishes, is reaching out especially to parents with children in state schools who have presented their sons daughters for the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist. If that is you, we would love to hear from you!

You can access the Survey by simply clicking here: <a href="https://dow.sh/SacramentsSurvey">https://dow.sh/SacramentsSurvey</a> and we would be most grateful for your feedback.

### The Chosen – A TV Series about Jesus – watch during lockdown!

The Chosen is a new 'free to view', television program that creatively presents the life of Christ and his followers. The shows are of the highest quality and is receiving acclaim around the world across denominations. Go to <a href="https://watch.angelstudios.com/thechosen">https://watch.angelstudios.com/thechosen</a> to watch or get the free app for use on your phone / laptop via *The Chosen app* 

# Caritas Australia – Your Support is Needed

Your support can provide aid and relief to humanitarian crises, like the one currently unfolding in Afghanistan, Lebanon and Haiti, where hundreds of thousands of people are now facing displacement, drought, COVID-19 and poverty.

To provide support, you can donate to Caritas Australia's Emergency Response Appeal at <a href="https://www.caritas.org.au/donate/emergency-appeals/">https://www.caritas.org.au/donate/emergency-appeals/</a> or by calling 1800 024 413 toll free.

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