Parish Calendar 2026

PARISH OF OUR LADY OF THE SOUTHERN CROSS
St John the Baptist Catholic Church, Clifton Hill
St Joseph Catholic Church, Collingwood

NOVEMBER

MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS

Sunday 1st – All Saints' Day
- Usual services.

Monday 2nd – All Souls' Day
- St Joseph's at 8:30am, St John's at 7.30pm.

Sunday 8th
- Irish Mass of Commemoration – St John's at 2pm.
- Salesian Youth Club Mass – St John's at 5pm.

Saturday 14th
- OLSC Food Outreach – St Joseph's at 3pm.

Sunday 15th
- Samoan Choir – St John's at 11am.
- OLSC Teens Group Mass – St John's at 5pm.
- "A Sunday to Celebrate" with refreshments after 9am, 11am and 5pm Masses – St John's.

Saturday 21st
- "A Sunday to Celebrate" with refreshments after 6pm Mass – St Joseph's.

Sunday 22nd – Feast of Christ the King
- Usual services.
- World Youth Day (Observance).

Friday 27th
- Mass for the Recently Deceased – St John's at 7:30pm.

Sunday 29th – 1st Sunday of Advent
- First Sunday of Advent, Liturgical Year B.
- Samoan Choir - St John's at 11am.

DECEMBER

ADVENT AND CHRISTMAS

Saturday 5th
- Christmas Carols, Little Sisters of the Poor - time TBC.
- Anniversary of laying of the foundation stone of St Joseph's Chapel (1875) – St Joseph's at 6pm.

Sunday 6th – 2nd Sunday of Advent

Friday 11th
- Reflection and Reconciliation – St John's at 7:15pm.

Saturday 12th
- Parish Christmas Carols Service – St Joseph's, after Vigil Mass from 7pm.

Sunday 13th – 3rd Sunday of Advent
- Salesians Youth Club Mass – St John's at 5pm.

Friday 18th
- Reflection and Reconciliation – St Joseph's at 7pm.

Saturday 19th
- "A Sunday to Celebrate" with refreshments after 6pm Mass – St Joseph's.

Sunday 20th – 4th Sunday of Advent
- Samoan Choir – St John's at 11am.
- "A Sunday to Celebrate" with refreshments after 9am, 11am and 5pm Masses – St John's.

Thursday 24th – Christmas Eve
- St John's – Christmas Carols at 6pm, followed by Family Mass (English) at 6:30pm;
- St John's – Christmas Carols at 11:30pm, followed by Midnight Mass (English).
- St Joseph's – Family Mass (English) at 6pm;
- St Joseph's – Christmas Carols and Mass (Vietnamese) at 8pm.

Friday 25th – Christmas Day
- St John's - 9am (Italian) and 11am.
- St Joseph's - 10am (Vietnamese).

Friday 1st January 2027 – New Years Day
- St John's – 9:15am (usual service).
- St Joseph's – 10am (Vietnamese).

Keep a look out in the Parish Bulletin and the Church noticeboards for reminders, further details and any changes to our events closer to the dates.