

Keynotes Presentations

Keynote Friday 10:50 – 11: 45

Fr Richard Rosse and Ann O'Brien

What's the Mission and What Does That Mean Today?

The mission that Jesus gave the Church to '*go and make disciples*' (Matt 28:19-20) has not changed, but the social and cultural world in which our church communities are immersed and to which they are sent is now vastly different to the world of only a few generations ago. This has huge implications for how the Church carries out Jesus' commission in ways that bear the 'fruit' that he envisaged, commanded and empowered us for.

Keynote Saturday 10:50 – 11: 35

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Growing as Communities of Mission

To grow as Communities of Mission within the co-mission of Jesus, in the power of the Holy Spirit, we would be wise to take notice of what's producing 'fruit' in parishes that have intentionally set out on a mission-focused path. This encompasses leadership and parish culture, parishioners growing as disciples rather than consumers, calling forth gifts not filling 'job gaps', knowing the essential Good News and being able to authentically communicate it.

About the Keynote Speakers

Fr Richard Rosse PP and Ann O'Brien, Parish Evangelisation Coordinator, are from Caroline Springs Parish, western Melbourne. They will share their insights and lived experience creating a community of belonging and growing as community of mission.

Caroline Springs Parish (St Catherine of Siena) stands out for its intentional, community-driven approach to missionary discipleship. Built in a rapidly expanding demographic hub in Melbourne's west, the parish has carefully cultivated a vibrant, family-centric culture that actively engages its culturally diverse and young population.



Presenters & Seminars

For more information about Presenters and Seminars, please go our [website](#).

REGISTRATIONS ARE ESSENTIAL

To help us to facilitate this Event, we require you to register your attendance.

This Event spans over two days. Each day is different and you are encouraged to attend both days, but welcome to attend just one day.

You must register for each day you will attend.

GENERAL STREAM



REGISTER FOR FRIDAY

<https://www.trybooking.com/DIFUR>



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YOUTH STREAM (16– 35)



REGISTER FOR FRIDAY

<https://www.trybooking.com/DMEGB>

Designed for school students, relevant for youth and young adults.



REGISTER FOR SATURDAY

<https://www.trybooking.com/DMPYJ>

Designed for youth and young adults, relevant for school students.



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AS

COMMUNITIES OF MISSION

Keynote Speakers



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2 DAYS

exploring

Gospel Mission and Pastoral Outreach

Strategic Direction 1 of the Sandhurst
Strategic Mission and Pastoral Goals.

- A range of Seminars to choose
- Interparish Dialogue
- Dedicated Youth Stream
- Intergenerational Dialogue
- Music with Gen Bryant



Opening Reflection

Bishop René Ramirez RCJ

**Understanding the Mission Lens
in all we do**

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QUESTIONS?

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SEMINAR OPTIONS

Seminar Group 1

Friday 12:45 pm & Saturday 11:45 am

- A A Change of Era -**
Sent on Mission in our Time
Mick Chalkley
- B FRI Growing as a Community of Mission -**
Going from maintenance to mission
Fr Richard Rosse & Ann O'Brien
- B SAT The Five Systems of Parish Mission Renewal**
Renewing Structures for Mission
Fr Richard Rosse & Ann O'Brien
- C Good News is to be Lived and Shared -**
Evangelisation at the Heart of Mission
Dr Chris Cotter, Fr Junray Rayna, Fr Novelito Lim
- D Intentional about Gospel Mission & Pastoral Outreach? -** Make a Plan. Carry it Out.
Christine Sebire
- E Mission & Synodality -**
Essential to Each Other in Parish and School
Kim Butler, Fr Nathan Verallo

Seminar Group 2

Friday 1:55 pm & Saturday 1:25 pm

- A The Eucharist -**
A Divine Mystery to be Encountered, Celebrated,
Lived Very Rev. Dr Brian Boyle
- B FRI Leadership for Mission -**
Key to Growing a Community of Mission
Fr Richard Rosse & Ann O'Brien
- B SAT Evangelisation in Practice Today -**
Essential for Growing a Community of Mission
Fr Richard Rosse & Ann O'Brien
- C Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults -**
Core Parish Businesss
Anthony Kilmartin & Mary Zobec
- D Youth Ministry -**
Journey from Encounter to Discipleship
Geoff Gowdie
- E Mission to Care for Creation -**
A Mission for all
Melina Ey & Kerry Stone

FRIDAY 21 AUGUST

- 8:30 AM** Registration & Morning Tea
Gather at Riverlinks
- 9:30** Greeting
Acknowledgment of Country
Introduction & Outline of the Day
- 9:45** Prayer
Bishop René Ramirez RCJ Reflection
Understanding the mission lens in all that we do.
- 10:15** Interparish Discussion 1
What are we about today?
- 10:50** Keynote
What is the mission and what does that mean today?
- 11:45** Interparish Discussion 2
What we heard/learnt
- 12:15 PM** Lunch
- 12:45** Seminar Group 1
- 1:55** Seminar Group 2
- 3:05** Intergenerational,
Interparish Discussion
What we share
- 3:45** Mass
- 4:30** Finish

SATURDAY 22 AUGUST

- 8:30 AM** Registration & Morning Tea
Gather at Riverlinks
- 9:30** Greeting
Acknowledgment of Country
Outline of the Day
- 10:15** Interparish Discussion 3
What stood out for me yesterday?
What are we about today?
- 10:25** Keynote
Growing as Communities of Mission.
- 11:20** Interparish Discussion 4
What we learnt
- 11:45** Seminar Group 1
- 12:50 PM** Lunch
- 1:25** Seminar Group 2
- 2:30** Intergenerational,
Interparish Discussion
- 3:00** Bishop René Ramirez RCJ
Go - Advance on the mission
Jesus has given us.
- 3:15** Wrap-up Looking ahead
- 3:30** Finish