



Join us in *Fiat – A Weekend of Prayer*

Archbishop Peter A Comensoli has called for a weekend of prayer throughout the whole Archdiocese on Friday 24 to Sunday 26. at – A Weekend of Prayer coincides with the Feast of the Annunciation. As we continue to walk the journey of *Take the Way of the Gospel*, Archbishop Comensoli has asked us to begin the year in prayer together as one local Church community meditating on Mary's total 'yes' – as individuals, as parish communities and as a local Church of Melbourne.

Parishes, communities and movements are invited to dedicate at least an hour of prayer across the weekend.

Here are some parishes and communities who have already let us know what they are doing and have registered:

- Corpus Christi Seminary
- Emmanuel Community
- Greater Box Hill Parish
- Mansfield Catholic Parish
- St Kevin's Parish, Hampton Park
- St Patrick's Murrumbeena and St Kevin's Ormond
- St Joseph's Parish, Meredith
- · St John Vianney's Parish, Springvale North
- And more!

Will your community join in?

To register your hour of prayer:

- 1. Learn more about *Fiat* and how one parish is planning their hour of prayer.
- 2. Choose a type of prayer. Go through a non-exhaustive <u>list of ideas</u> for a *Fiat* hour of prayer.
- 3. Register via Trybooking.

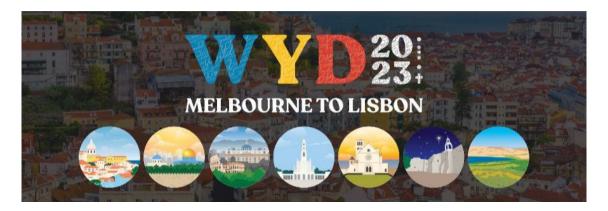
May this time be a moment of grace for the whole Church of Melbourne. Just as Mary listened to the Holy Spirit and gave her free and wholehearted 'yes' to the Lord, may we take the opportunity to do likewise.



Nightfever

Friday, March 24, 2023, 6pm – Midnight Sacred Heart Church, Rathdowne St & Pelham St, Carlton

We are excited to announce that the *Fiat* weekend of prayer will begin at the heart of our city in Sacred Heart Church, Carlton. Join young people as they gather from across the Archdiocese for a night of prayer, praise, and intercession. The light of *Fiat* will then travel outwards into our parishes and communities throughout the weekend.



World Youth Day Update

There are only 2 weeks left to go before registrations close on **Friday 17 March 2023**. Spots on *The Footsteps of Jesus* and *The Italian Way* pilgrimages are filling up fast so prospective pilgrims should register today! There is still time to reach out to your young parishioners and invite them on this life-changing opportunity to experience the Catholic faith with Archbishop Comensoli, hundreds of pilgrims from Melbourne and more than a million young people from around the world. Register today!

How can we support you?

As always, Proclaim: The Office for Mission Renewal is here to equip, advise and partner with parishes to build communities of grace who grow disciples. Find out more about what we offer here.

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