



Worship = Proclamation = Fellowship = Testimony = Evangelisation



Bishop Joseph Grech

Bishop Joe is the Bishop of the Diocese of Sandhurst. He is the founder of the Catholic School of Evangelisation in Australia, and is a prominent speaker worldwide in Catholic Charismatic Renewal circles. He contributed to the recent Rome Colloquium and was the keynote speaker at the World Youth Day event *Receive the Power Live!*



Bishop Christopher Prowse

Bishop Chris is the auxiliary bishop for Melbourne's Western zone. He has a special affinity for the Indigenous population in Melbourne and beyond, and has particular responsibility for Inter-religious dialogue. He has been a spokesperson in areas of doctrine and morals for the Archdiocese. He is currently chaplain to Catholic Charismatic Renewal, and is the chairman of the Archdiocesan Committee for Mission.

Mrs Jan Heath

Jan is a Catholic lay evangelist, from the Petrie Catholic Community, Brisbane. She has been instrumental in piloting the *Catholics Returning Home* program in many parishes around Australia and New Zealand, as well as the Little Rock Scripture Studies. With Fr Jack Soulsby she has traveled into Africa, Asia, Europe and other places, to preach the gospel of Jesus Christ. She has a great capacity to communicate at a popular level.



Day & Evening Program & Venue

FRIDAY 14th SESSIONS:

9.30 am ... Welcome, Praise & Worship	Confer. Centre
10.00am ... Bishop Prowse	Confer. Centre
11.00am ... Coffee Break	
11.30am ... Testimony	Confer. Centre
12 noon ... Eucharist	Confer. Centre
1.00 pm ... Ladies' Lunch	Confer. Centre
2.15 pm ... Evangelisation Activities ...	Local Area
2.30 pm ... Preparation for	Church
3.00 pm ... Confirmation	Church
5.15 pm ... Dinner Break (not provided)	
7.30—9.30pm ... FREE Youth Concert, Testimony & Stage Acts	Confer. Centre

SATURDAY 15th SESSIONS:

7.30 am ... Men's Breakfast	Confer. Centre
9.30 am ... Praise & Worship	Confer. Centre
10.00am ... Bishop Grech	Confer. Centre
11.00am ... Coffee Break	
11.30am ... Testimony	Confer. Centre
12 noon ... Eucharist	Confer. Centre
1.00 pm ... Seniors' Lunch	Confer. Centre
2.15 pm ... Evangelisation Activities	Local Area
5.15 pm ... Dinner Break (not provided)	
7.30—9.30pm ... FREE Family Concert & Creative Activity with parish groups ..	Confer. Centre

SUNDAY 16th SESSIONS:

9.30 am ... Praise & Worship	Confer. Centre
10.00am ... Testimony	Confer. Centre
10.30am ... Parish Eucharist with Fr. Lane & Fr. Ashkar	Church
11.30am ... Coffee break	
12 noon ... Jan Heath	Confer. Centre
1.00 pm ... B.B.Q. Lunch for parish	
12.15pm ... Adoration, Procession & Benediction	Church
3.30pm ... End of Conference.	

All lunches are provided for registered delegates, and for special groups as per program. The Conference Centre is behind the Church (Melways 9 J3)

A collection will be taken for the work of evangelisation.

Parish Evangelisation—Hope of the Church

Receive the Fire!

Since the Second Vatican Council (1962-65), the Catholic Church has focussed more emphatically on the need for evangelisation. Prior to the council the stress was on the gospel to foreign nations. Its emphasis now is on re-evangelisation. The message to the world remains unchanged from the commission given it by Jesus: *"Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptising them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."* Mt 28:19-20



The most effective evangelisation is to proclaim the saving work of Jesus to people who are easily incorporated into the local parish community.

Receive the Fire! will have a double focus.

First, there will be teaching and proclamation of the gospel message and how this is to be transmitted today.

Second, there will be opportunities for involvement in evangelising the parish of St Francis of Assisi. At their choosing, participants can join visits to retirement homes, visitation to parishioners, street evangelisation or creative evangelisation of children.

The conference will be a total experience of worship, fellowship, discipleship, service and evangelisation. It will be an experience of Church, hopefully never to be forgotten, and duplicated in many parishes around Australia.

Adrian Commadeur: Conference Chair