

Why should I bring my voice to this conference?

We are experiencing cultural, social, environmental, political and economic changes in our world and you are invited to be curious and creative in this time of liminality, transition and interruption in how to lead with a mission heart now.

If you are:

- Passionate about mission and wanting to nurture your vocational heart for mission
- Striving creatively for justice, peace, reconciliation and inclusion
- Believing in God's mission of love and mercy in Australia and globally
- Serving or leading in an agency, organisation, community, Religious Congregation or parish
- Seeking professional and personal development
- Looking to engage with people of goodwill and diversity nationally and internationally in a multi-sector dialogue
- Interested in the dialogue and emerging themes for the Plenary Council
- Hoping to be empowered with a vision of mission that is collaborative, scriptural and deeply theological, that affirms, enables, encourages and inspires;
- Looking for a few surprises

Then this conference is for you!

Inspired by Jesus, this conference will focus on themes of encounter on the margins, inclusion, governance and synodality and challenge you to consider contemporary Mission in light of Pope Francis' teaching, witness and vision of liminal leadership in mission.

This is our fifth **Mission: one heart many voices** conference and we're taking the opportunity to do things differently. In response to the signs of the times, the conference will be held online and embrace the many opportunities this affords.

Who's putting this conference on?

Catholic Religious Australia in conjunction with Catholic Mission are convening the **Mission: one heart many voices** Conference. If your organisation would like to support this event, please contact the Conference organisers.

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When and where?

When: September 1–3, 2021
and/or September 4, 2021

Where: Online

Cost?

Registration:

September 1–3, 2021:
\$150

Daily:
\$60

September 4, 2021:
\$60

What next?

To register or for further information visit:
www.mohmv.com.au
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Leadership
Now

**"Come, let us talk
this over. Let us
dare to Dream."**

(Let us Dream Prologue 7)



A virtual conference
**1–3 September
2021**

A day with young
people exploring issues
that are especially relevant
to them and for us all.
**4 September
2021**

"Mission is a single but complex reality, and it develops in a variety of ways."

Redemptoris Missio #41

"As it is there are many members, yet one body."

1 Cor: 12:20

Who will be there?

Hopefully you and others who are open to sharing their wisdom, expertise and story. Hosting the conference online enables so many more people, nationally and internationally, to attend.

There will be a diverse range of international and local speakers, expert in their field, with broad lived and practical experience to deliver keynotes, specialised workshops and sessions to engage your heart. Some of these presenters are:



Some highlights?

Here's a snapshot:

- Meaning-making and challenging key note addresses
- Specialised workshops for in depth collaborative learning led by topic experts
- Inspiring special guest address by Craig Foster at the virtual conference cocktail party
- Unique conference mass and prayerful celebrations
- Innovative use of music, song, theatre, art and digital media
- Opportunities to meet friends and colleagues virtually, network and develop relationships and connections in a spirit of dialogue
- The transformative power of story
- Creative expressions of ideas, faith and action
- Dreaming, discerning and contemplating top tips for leadership for mission and actions for now
- A focus on Plenary Council
- Surprises!

"I am a mission on this Earth; that is the reason why I am here in this world."

Pope Francis
Evangelii Gaudium 273

1. **Dr Miriam-Rose Ungunmerr Baumann AM**

Aboriginal activist, educator and artist, 2021 Senior Australian of the Year

2. **Mr Hugh MacKay AO**

Social psychologist and researcher

3. **Dr Ursula Stephens**

Chief Executive Officer, Catholic Social Services Australia

4. **Mr Craig Foster AM**

Human Rights Activist, Sport & Social Responsibility, Author, Adjunct Professor, Broadcaster, Former Soccerroo

5. **HE Chiara Porro**

Ambassador of Australia to the Holy See

6. **Cardinal Luis Antonio Gokim Tagle**

Prefect of the Congregation for the Evangelization of Peoples, Metropolitan Archbishop Emeritus of Manila

7. **Sister Lyndall Brown rsj**

Spiritual Accompanier of Retreats and Workshops

8. **Mr Robert Fitzgerald AM**

NSW Ageing and Disability Commissioner

"Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you."

John 20:21