

WELCOME

To the Ordination of

JUSTIN UZABEAGA

JOSHUA WHICKER

to the order of the Priesthood by
the Most Reverend Christopher Prowse.

APRIL 28, 2023.

ST CHRISTOPHER'S CATHEDRAL, CANBERRA.

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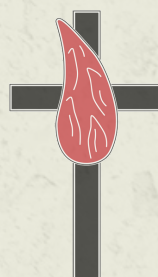


MGL ENTRUSTMENT TO MARY OUR MOTHER

Immaculate heart of Mary, I entrust myself to you
Draw me into the heart of Jesus your Son
Share with me the mystery of his Cross
And the fire of his Spirit.
Gentle mother, since Jesus gave me to you from the Cross,
I am yours.

Nurture me in his love and help me to pray
Guide me in his Spirit and teach me his ways.
Pure and chaste virgin, as I place my life in your hands
Bring me closer to Jesus your Son,
Make me obedient to the Father and humble of heart.
Have eyes of mercy on me in my weakness
Protect me from the evil one

And bring healing grace to my life.
So with your spirit of gratitude and praise
I may have your heart for the mission
To spread the Good News of God's Love.
Now and always. Amen.



ORDER OF SERVICE

Ordaining Bishop

Most Reverend Christopher Prowse

Archbishop of Canberra and Goulburn

Concelebration Priests

Most Reverend Brian G Mascord DD

Very Rev Stephen Fletcher MGL

Priests of the Missionaries of God's Love

Visiting Priests

Deacons

Rev Shehan Fernando MGL

Rev Terrence Shanaka MGL

Rev Suraj Jose Mattapallil MGL

Master of Ceremonies

Rev Trenton van Reesch

Acolytes

Missionaries of God's Love Brothers

Readers

Judy Bowe MGL

Lorraine Barker

Music – Coordinated by

Br Michael Last MGL

Nicholas Barry

Investiture

Miguel & Susan Uzabeaga

Rev Daniel Serratore MGL

Chris & Lisa Whicker

Rev Christopher Ryan MGL

Presentation of the Gifts

Peter & Judy Mullins

What gift of grace is Jesus my redeemer
There is no more for heaven now to give
He is my joy, my righteousness, and freedom
My steadfast love, my deep and boundless peace

To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus
For my life is wholly bound to His
Oh how strange and divine, I can sing, "All is mine"
Yet not I, but through Christ in me

The night is dark but I am not forsaken
For by my side, the Saviour He will stay
I labour on in weakness and rejoicing
For in my need, His power is displayed

To this I hold, my Shepherd will defend me
Through the deepest valley He will lead
Oh the night has been won, and I shall overcome
Yet not I, but through Christ in me

No fate I dread, I know I am forgiven
The future sure, the price it has been paid
For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon
And He was raised to overthrow the grave

To this I hold, my sin has been defeated
Jesus now and ever is my plea
Oh the chains are released, I can sing, "I am free"
Yet not I, but through Christ in me

With every breath I long to follow Jesus
For He has said that He will bring me home
And day by day I know He will renew me
Until I stand with joy before the throne

To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus
All the glory evermore to Him
When the race is complete, still my lips shall repeat
Yet not I, but through Christ in me

ENTRANCE HYMN

*Yet Not I But Through
Christ In Me*

CityAlight.

Music by Jonny Robinson,
Rich Thompson,
Michael Farren.

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Music by Br Michael Last MGL

**I will give you shepherds after my own heart,
says the Lord**

GREETING

In the name of the Father, and of the Son,
and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Peace be with you

And with your spirit.

PENITENTIAL RITE

Brothers and Sisters, let us acknowledge
our sins, and so prepare ourselves to
celebrate the sacred mysteries.

**I confess to almighty God
and to you, my brothers and sisters,
that I have greatly sinned,
in my thoughts and in my words,
in what I have done and in what I have
failed to do,
through my fault, through my fault,
through my most grievous fault;
therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin,
all the Angels and Saints,
and you, my brothers and sisters,
to pray for me to the Lord our God.**

KYRIE

May almighty God have mercy on us,
Forgive us our sins,
And bring us to everlasting life.

Amen

Lord have mercy,
Christ have mercy,
Lord have mercy upon us.

Lord have mercy,
Christ have mercy,
Lord have mercy upon us.

GLORIA

Mass of Clare

Music by Stephen Kirk

**Glory, glory to God in the highest,
And on earth peace to people of good will.**

We praise you, we bless you,
We adore you, we glorify you,
We give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
Son of the Father,
You take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us;
You take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;
You are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One,
You alone are the Lord,
You alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ,
With the Holy Spirit,
In the glory of God the Father.

Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen.

THE COLLECT

Lord our God, who in governing your people
make use of the ministry of Priests,
grant a persevering obedience to your will
to these Deacons of your Church,
whom you graciously choose today for the
office of priesthood,
so that, by their ministry and life
they may gain glory for you in Christ.
Who lives and reigns with you in the unity
of the Holy Spirit,
God for ever and ever.

Amen

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

Read by Judy Bowe MGL

Acts 9:1-12

*Go, for this man is my chosen instrument to bring my
name before gentiles and kings and before the people
of Israel*

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 116(117)

Go out to all the world, and tell the Good News

SECOND READING

Lorraine Barker

Corinthians 5:14-20

He reconciled us to himself through Christ and he gave us the ministry of reconciliation.

GOSEPL

Dn Shehan Fernando MGL

John 6:52-59

For my flesh is real food and my blood is real drink.

THE ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD

THE CALLING OF THE CANDIDATES

Justin and Josh are called forward as they prepare to be ordained.

Deacon: Let those who are to be ordained priests please come forward

Fr Steve: Most Reverend Father, holy mother Church asks you to ordain these men, our brothers, to the responsibility of the priesthood.

Archbishop: Do you know them to be worthy?

Fr Steve: After inquiry among the Christian people and upon recommendation of those responsible, I testify that they have been found worthy.

Archbishop: Relying on the help of the Lord God and our Saviour Jesus Christ, we choose these men, our brothers, for the Order of Diaconate.

R: Thanks be to God.

HOMILY

Most Rev. Christopher Prowse

THE PROMISE OF THE ELECT

Justin and Josh are invited by Archbishop Prowse to make their promises as they declare their intention to undertake the office of the priesthood.

Archbishop: Dear sons, before you enter the Order of the Priesthood, you must declare before the people your intention to undertake this office.

Do you resolve, with the help of the Holy Spirit, to discharge without fail the office of Priesthood in the presbyteral rank, as worthy fellow workers with the order of bishops in caring for the Lord's flock?

Ordinands: I do.

Archbishop: Do you resolve to exercise the ministry of the Word worthily and wisely, preaching the Gospel and teaching the Catholic faith?

Ordinands: I do.

Archbishop: Do you resolve to celebrate faithfully and reverently, in accord with the Church's tradition, the mysteries of Christ, especially the Sacrifice of the Eucharist and the Sacrament of Reconciliation, for the glory of God and the sanctification of the Christian people?

Ordinands: I do.

Archbishop: Do you resolve to implore with us God's mercy upon the people entrusted to your care by observing the command to pray without ceasing?

Ordinands: I do.

Archbishop: Do you resolve to be united more closely every day to Christ the High Priest, who offered himself for us to the Father as a pure Sacrifice, and with him to consecrate yourself to God for the salvation of all?

Ordinands: I do, with the help of God.

Kneeling Before him, the Archbishop asks each ordinand:

Archbishop: Do you promise respect and obedience to the diocesan Bishop and to your legitimate superior?

Ordinands: I do.

LITANY OF THE SAINTS

Archbishop Prowse invites all present to invoke the intercession of the saints as we all join together in interceding for Justin and Josh as they come before God, their brothers and those present to receive ordination.

Lord, have mercy.	Lord, have mercy	Saint Martin de Porres,	pray for us
Christ, have mercy.	Christ, have mercy	Saint Rose of Lima,	pray for us
Lord, have mercy.	Lord, have mercy	Saint Clare,	pray for us
		Saint Catherine of Siena,	pray for us
Holy Mary Mother of God,	pray for us	Saint Therese of Avila,	pray for us
Immaculate Heart of Mary,	pray for us	Saint Margaret Mary Alcoque,	pray for us
Saint Michael,	pray for us	Saint Theresa de Jesus de los Andes,	pray for us
Holy Angels of God,	pray for us	Saint Pio of Pietrelcina,	pray for us
Holy Abraham,	pray for us	Saint John Vianney,	pray for us
Holy Moses,	pray for us	Saint Therese of Lisieux,	pray for us
Holy Joshua,	pray for us	Saint Elizabeth of the Trinity,	pray for us
Saint John the Baptist,	pray for us	Saint Mary of the Cross,	pray for us
Saint Joseph,	pray for us	Saint John Henry Newman,	pray for us
Saint Peter and Saint Paul,	pray for us	Saint John Paul the Second,	pray for us
Saint Andrew,	pray for us	Blessed Miguel Pro,	pray for us
Saint John,	pray for us	Blessed Carlo Acutis,	pray for us
Saint Thomas,	pray for us	All holy men and women, Saints of God,	pray for us
Saint James,	pray for us		
Saint Matthias,	pray for us	Lord be merciful,	Lord deliver us, we pray.
Saint Barnabas,	pray for us	From all evil,	Lord deliver us, we pray.
Saint Mary Magdalene,	pray for us	From every sin,	Lord deliver us, we pray.
Saint Stephen,	pray for us	From everlasting death,	Lord deliver us, we pray.
Saint Ignatius of Antioch,	pray for us	By your Incarnation,	Lord deliver us, we pray.
Saint Agatha,	pray for us	By your Death and Resurrection,	Lord deliver us, we pray.
Saint Agnes,	pray for us	By the outpouring of the Holy Spirit,	Lord deliver us, we pray.
Saint Perpetua and Saint Felicity,	pray for us		
Saint Lawrence,	pray for us	Be merciful to us sinners,	Lord, we ask you,
Saint Justin,	pray for us		hear our prayer.
Saint Thomas More,	pray for us	Govern and protect your Holy Church,	" "
Saint Peter Chanel,	pray for us	Keep the Pope and all the ordained in	" "
Saint Maximillian Kolbe,	pray for us	faithful service to your Church,	
Saint Francis of Assisi,	pray for us	Bless these chosen men,	" "
Saint Dominic,	pray for us	Bless and sanctify these chosen men,	
Saint Ignatius Loyola,	pray for us	Bless, sanctify, and consecrate	" "
Saint Francis de Sales,	pray for us	these chosen men,	
Saint Alphonsus Liguori,	pray for us	Bring all peoples together in peace	" "
Saint Athanasius,	pray for us	and true harmony,	
Saint Augustine,	pray for us	Comfort with your mercy the troubled	" "
Saint John Chrysostom,	pray for us	and the afflicted,	
Saint Benedict,	pray for us	Strengthen all of us and keep us in your	" "
Saint Bernard,	pray for us	in your holy service,	
Saint Thomas Aquinas,	pray for us	Jesus, Son of the living God,	" "
Saint Anthony of Padua,	pray for us		
Saint Francis Xavier,	pray for us	Christ, hear us.	Christ, hear us.
Saint John of the Cross,	pray for us	Christ, graciously hear us.	Christ, graciously hear us.

THE LAYING OF HANDS

Following ancient custom, Archbishop Prowse lays hands on Justin and Josh, invoking the Holy Spirit and praying for them in silence for a short period. As a sign of the unity of the presbyterate, all priests present also lay hands on Justin and Josh.

THE PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

Archbishop Prowse prays aloud the prayer of consecration over Justin and Josh. It is this prayer, together with the laying on of hands, that constitute the essential elements of the Sacrament of Ordination. Following this prayer, Justin and Josh will be priests.

THE INVESTITURE WITH STOLE AND CHASUBLE

Justin and Josh, now ordained priests, are assisted by their parents and representatives from the MGL priests as they put on the stole and Chasuble, the vestments proper to priests.

ANOINTING OF HANDS WITH THE SACRED CHRISM

Archbishop Prowse anoints the hands of the newly ordained priests with the Sacred Chrism. This anointing with the Sacred Chrism - which represents the Holy Spirit - signifies that the new priests' hands are being prepared for the sacred duties they will undertake in their priestly ministry.

PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS

The gifts of Bread and wine - prepared for the celebration of the Eucharist - are brought forward by the International Leaders of the Disciples of Jesus Community.

PRESENTATION OF THE BREAD AND WINE

The Archbishop presents the bread and wine to the newly ordained priests. Justin and Josh receive the 'tools of their trade', being instructed to understand, imitate, and conform themselves to the Eucharist.

KISS OF PEACE

The Archbishop greets Justin and Josh with the fraternal greeting "peace be with you." All priests present likewise greet the newly ordained priests.

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFETORY HYMN

Take, Lord Receive

Text inspired by Spiritual Exercises of St Ignatius.

Words and Music by John Foley SJ

Take, Lord, receive all my liberty,
My memory, understanding, my entire will.
Give me only Your love and Your grace, that's enough for me.
Your love and Your grace, are enough for me.

Take, Lord, receive all I have and possess.
You have given all to me, now I return it.
Take, Lord, receive, all is Yours now.
Dispose of it, wholly according to Your will

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

The Lord be with you.

And with your spirit.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right and just.

SANCTUS

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of hosts.

Heaven and earth are full of your glory:

Hosanna in the highest!

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest!

Hosanna in the highest!

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

**When we eat this bread and
drink this cup we proclaim your death oh Lord
until you come again.**

COMMUNION RITE

At the Saviour's command and formed by
divine teaching, we dare to say:

**Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name;
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.**

Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil,
graciously grant peace in our days,
that, by the help of your mercy,
we may be always free from sin
and safe from all distress,
as we await the blessed hope
and the coming of our Saviour, Jesus Christ.

**For the kingdom,
the power and the glory are yours
now and for ever.**

Lord Jesus Christ,
who said to your Apostles:
Peace I leave you, my peace I give you,
look not on our sins,
but on the faith of your Church,
and graciously grant her peace and
unity
in accordance with your will.
Who live and reign for ever and ever.

Amen

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

And with your Spirit

Let us offer each other the sign of peace.

LAMB OF GOD

**Lamb of God you take away the sins of the world
Have mercy on us;**

**Lamb of God you take away the sins of the world
Have mercy on us;**

**Lamb of God you take away the sins of the world
Grant us peace.**

Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes
away the sins of the world. Blessed are those
called to the supper of the Lamb.

**Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter
under my roof, but only say the word and my
soul shall be healed.**

COMMUNION HYMN

Ave Verum Corpus

William Byrd (1543–1623)

**Ave verum Corpus
Natum de Maria Virgine
Vere passum, immolatum
In cruce pro homine
Cujus latus perforatum
Unda fluxit sanguine
Esto nobis praegustatum
In Mortis examine
O dulcis, O pie,
O Jesu Fili Mariae
Miserere mei
O dulcis, O pie,
O Jesu Fili Mariae
Miserere mei
Amen.**

Hail, true body
Born of Virgin Mary:,
truly suffered and was sacrificed
on the cross for the sake of mankind,
from whose pierced side
flowed water and blood;
Be a foretaste for us
in the trial of death.
O sweet, O merciful,
O Jesus, Son of Mar
Have mercy on me.
O sweet, O merciful,
O Jesus, Son of Mary
Have mercy on me.
Amen.

Holy is the Lamb

Words and Music by Gus & Iggy (Louisa Daniels and Marilyn Ng)

We come to you as beggars
And you spread out a feast.
We humbly fall before you,
You meet us on our knees.

And we cannot comprehend this,
That your mercy could surpass
each and every sin;
Extraordinary King.
You're the one who rules the heavens
Yet you come as child to offer us everything.
Oh what can we bring?

We sing holy, holy is the lamb
We sing holy, holy is the lamb
We sing holy, holy is the lamb
We sing holy, holy is the lamb
Holy is the lamb

You call us to your table,
Your boundless love is seen.
Your body fills our hunger.
Your blood washes us clean.

Ancient God in present time,
You come to be our bread and wine
And we're not worthy to receive you, Lord,
But only say the word and we'll be healed.

THANKSGIVING HYMN

Way Maker

Words and Music by Osinachi Kalu Okoro Egbu

You are here, moving in our midst
I worship You
I worship You
You are here, working in this place
I worship You
I worship You

(You are) Way maker, miracle worker
Promise keeper, light in the darkness
My God, that is who You are

You are here, touching every heart
I worship You
I worship you
You are here, healing every heart
I worship You
I worship You

You are here, turning lives around
I worship You
I worship You
You are here, mending every heart
I worship You
I worship You

Even when I don't see it, You're working
Even when I don't feel it, You're working
You never stop, You never stop working
You never stop, You never stop working

VOTE OF THANKS

Frs Justin and Josh will briefly address the congregation

FIRST BLESSING

Following traditional custom, Frs Justin and Josh will offer their first priestly blessings to Archbishop Prowse, Fr Steve Fletcher MGL and Fr Ken Barker MGL, their parents, and representatives of the Disciples of Jesus Community.

CONCLUDING RITE

SOLEMN BLESSING

The Lord be with you.

And with your spirit.

Bow down for the blessing.

May God, who founded the Church and guides her still,
protect you constantly with its grace,
that you may faithfully discharge your duties.

Amen.

May he make you a servant and a witness
in the world to divine charity and truth,
and a faithful minister of reconciliation.

Amen.

And may he make you a true shepherd
to provide living bread and word of life to the faithful,
that they may continue to grow in the unity of the
body of Christ.

Amen.

And may almighty God bless all of you,
who are gathered for these sacred rites,
the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Go in peace, glorifying the Lord by your life.

Thanks be to God.

RECESSIONAL HYMN

Driven By Love

Words and Music by Lindy Conant, Kirby Kaple, Andy Byrd, Jeremy Riddle, Jordan Frye and Ben Fitzgerald

To know You and to make You known
This is the anthem of our souls
Send us out we will go
Anywhere You lead us Lord

Driven by love
Till all have heard
We'll carry Your name
To the ends of the earth
We'll carry Your love
And shine with Your light
Till the whole world knows You
And lifts You high

Our eyes we set on Jesus
As we obey the great commission
As the Father sent His only Son
Jesus You are sending us
Jesus You are sending us

To a broken world around us
Let us be Your heart oh God
To the unreached and forgotten
Let us be Your healing arms
There's a task You've laid before us
Your voice we can't ignore
You said go into the nations
As Your final words



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The MGLs rely on the kind support of our community. We are grateful for all donations, no matter the amount. Each of these donations go towards supporting our missionary work, including through training young men who have been called to a life of spreading the word of God.



RECEPTION

*Please join us
for light
refreshments*

St Benedicts Narrabundah
school hall

10 Tallara Pkwy, Narrabundah
ACT 2604

<http://cg.org.au/narrabundah>



For those wishing to receive a 'first blessing' from Frs Justin and Josh, they will be making themselves available for a brief period at the reception on Friday night, and for a longer period of time following their first Masses. We ask that preference be given on Friday night to those who are unable to attend their Mass of Thanksgiving.

MASSES OF THANKSGIVING

Fr Joshua's Mass of
Thanksgiving

29 April, 10am

St Benedict's Parish,
Narrabundah

Followed by Morning Tea

Fr Justin's Mass of
Thanksgiving

30 April, 11:15am

St Benedict's Parish,
Narrabundah

Followed by a Light Lunch

Please bring a plate to share.



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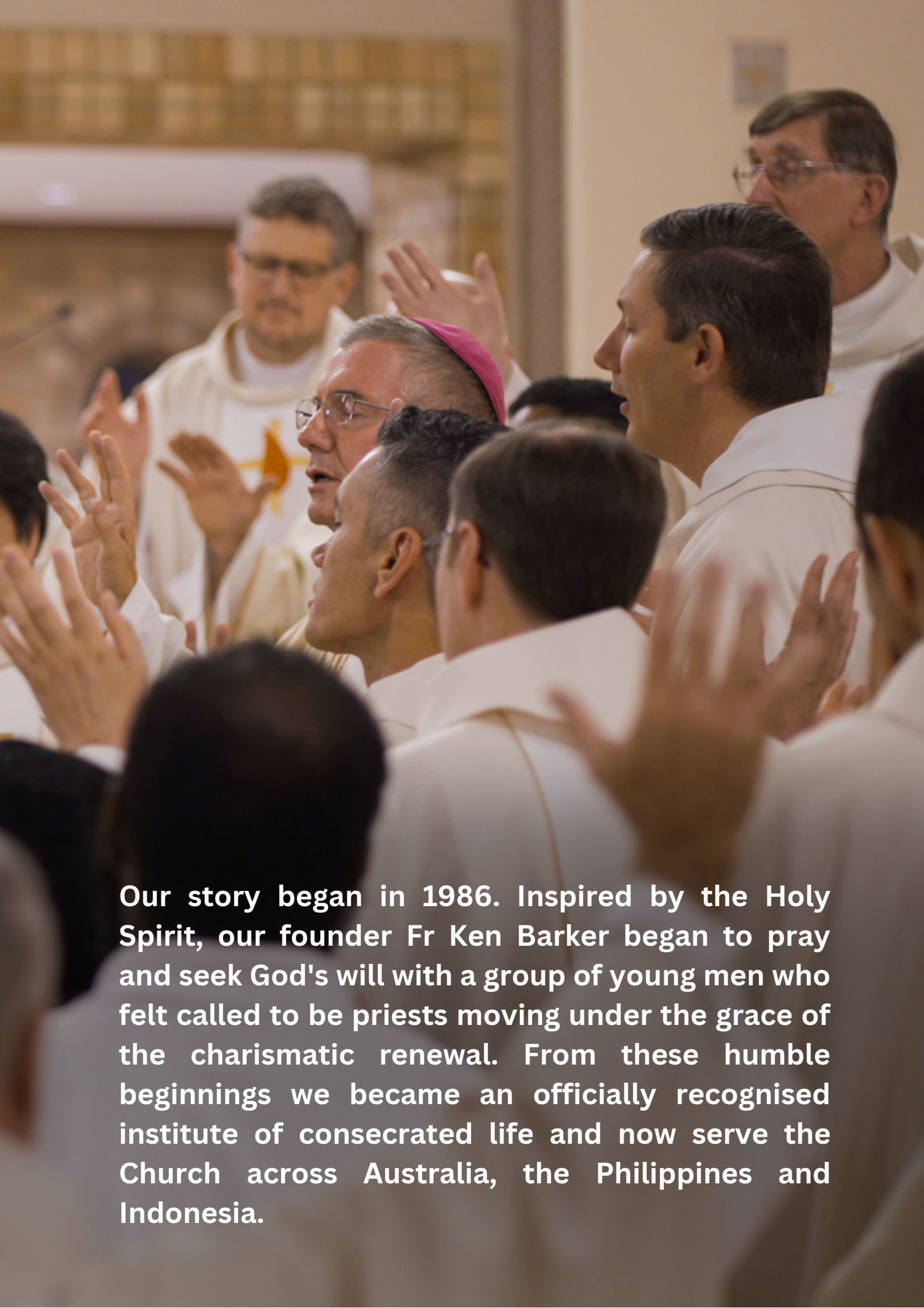
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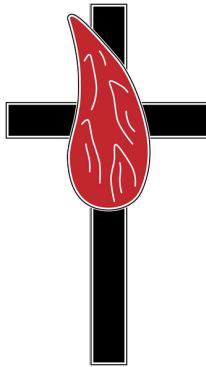


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bringing the fire of God's love to earth



Our story began in 1986. Inspired by the Holy Spirit, our founder Fr Ken Barker began to pray and seek God's will with a group of young men who felt called to be priests moving under the grace of the charismatic renewal. From these humble beginnings we became an officially recognised institute of consecrated life and now serve the Church across Australia, the Philippines and Indonesia.



***"I have come to set the earth on fire,
and how I wish it were blazing already"***

Luke 12:49