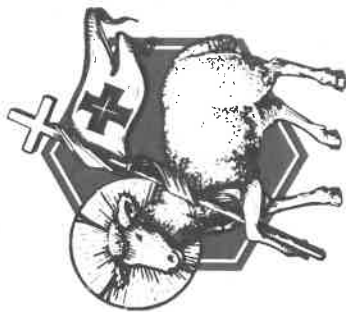
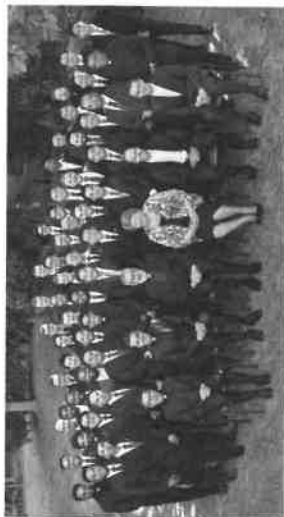


PRAY FOR YOUR FUTURE PRIESTS



DAILY PRAYER FOR SEMINARIANS AND VOCATIONS

ARCHDIOCESE OF MELBOURNE 2020



PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

O God, who chose the Apostles to make disciples of all nations, and who by Baptism and Confirmation has called us to build up Your Holy Church, we implore You to choose from among us, your children, many priests and religious who will love You with their whole hearts and will gladly spend their lives to make You better known and loved by all.
Through Christ Our Lord,
Amen.



The Archdiocese is committed to the safety, wellbeing and dignity of all children and vulnerable adults.

DAILY PRAYER CALENDAR

- SUN** Vocations from our own Parish
- MON** Men preparing for Ordination to the Priesthood
- TUE** Fifth, Sixth and Seventh Year Men and those studying overseas
- WED** Second, Third and Fourth Year Men
- THU** First Year Men
- FRI** Vocations Ministry in the Archdiocese.
- SAT** Applicants for the Seminary and Prospective Seminarians.

PRAYER FOR SEMINARIANS

Jesus, we thank you for the great gift of your priesthood in the Church. We pray for all priests and those in formation for the priesthood. Form their hearts to be more like your own, the Heart of the Good Shepherd who lays down his life for the sheep. Draw them to your Heart, and bless them with courage and zeal as they serve you and your people. Give them great joy as they proclaim the Good News of your Resurrection, wisdom and trust as they discern your will. We ask this with great confidence in you. Amen.
St. John Vianney, patron of priests,
pray for us.

Dear friends,
Thank you for your prayerful support of our seminarians – your future priests! Your spiritual support is necessary for them during this important time of formation as they grow in love of the Lord, the Church and neighbour. I invite you to join me in prayer for them and the intentions on this Prayer Calendar.

Please also remember those young people in your family, your parish and your community who may be considering a vocation. Your prayer may be enough for them to be bold like our Blessed Mother Mary and say, 'yes' to the call of Jesus to serve in our local Church of Melbourne.

Archbishop Peter Comensoli
Archbishop of Melbourne

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