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The Catholic Weekly

The Catholic Weekly offers news of the Church at every level in print and on digital platforms including our website www.catholicweekly.com.au and through social media forums such as Twitter, Facebook and Instagram.

The Catholic Weekly Newspaper offers the latest in local and world news. It is distributed to parishes, schools, universities, aged care facilities, hospitals, and other institutions across Australia and is also available to subscribers around the world.

There are over 20 supplements annually, including magazines and feature liftouts which are inserted into The Catholic Weekly throughout the year. These supplements are also uploaded onto The Catholic Weekly website.

The Catholic Weekly has a professional team of Award-winning Journalists and contributors presenting up-to-date stories daily on the important issues locally and from around the world.
The Catholic Weekly audience
24,000 approx
frequency weekly (51 editions p/year)

The Catholic Weekly online audience
50,000 approx
Australia only online p/month

www.catholicweekly.com.au
Journalists

The Catholic Weekly’s has a professional team of staff writers presenting up-to-date stories daily.

Marilyn Rodrigues
Prize-winning journalist Marilyn Rodrigues has worked on The Catholic Weekly since 2002, delivering not only outstanding coverage of the Church at every level – especially in national affairs - but authoring hundreds of opinion columns.

Peter Rosengren
Peter Rosengren is a multi-award-winning editor and journalist who together with his colleagues has consistently produced the best Catholic newspapers, magazines and websites since the 1990s.

Debbie Cramsie
Debbie Cramsie, a seasoned journalist who came to The Catholic Weekly from the secular arm of the industry, delivers outstanding stories about human life, the human heart and faith. She was won the admiration of numerous readers for her gritty, touching and evocative coverage of faith in the trajectory of life.

Adam Wesselinoff
Adam Wesselinoff is a postgraduate theology student and journalist for The Catholic Weekly. He is a former Opinion Editor at The Guardian.
Contributors

**News**

**Opinion**

**World**

*The Catholic Weekly's* is committed to presenting independent and accurate opinions on different topics from leading intellectual writers.

**George Weigel**
George Weigel is a distinguished senior fellow of the Ethics and Public Policy Centre in Washington, DC.

**Simcha Fisher**
Simcha Fisher is the author of *The Sinner’s Guide to Natural Family Planning* and blogs daily at simchafisher.com

**Dr Kevin Donnelly**
Dr Kevin Donnelly is a Senior Research Fellow at the Australian Catholic University and author of *The Culture of Freedom*.

**Anna Krohn**
Anna Krohn is an educator and educational writer who has worked for the John Paul II Institute for Marriage and Family and the Australian Catholic University in Melbourne.

**Monica Doumit**
Monica Doumit is the Director, Public Affairs and Engagement for the Archdiocese of Sydney and a columnist with *The Catholic Weekly*.

**James Parker**
James Parker lives in Western Australia and is a Catholic convert. As an abuse survivor and former gay rights activist, he is passionate about the godly restoration of men and women.

**Phillipa Martyr**
Dr Philippa Martyr is a Perth-based historian, lecturer and researcher.

**Father Flader**
Fr Flader is an American-born priest who arrived in Australia in 1968. A former director of the Catholic Adult Education Centre in Sydney, he has written *Question Time for The Catholic Weekly* since 2005.

**Mark Shea**
Mark Shea is a convert and widely read-Catholic writer and author, most recently of *The Best Kept Secret: a primer on the Church’s Social Teaching*.

**Anthony Cleary**
Anthony Cleary is the director of religious education and evangelisation for Sydney Catholic Schools.
NEWS CATEGORIES
Get all the latest up-to-date catholic news in print
Sundays just got better
News categories

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Local & International
We are devoted to sharing our vision of the church through local and international stories.

Opinion
Up-to-date news and analysis on the Plenary Council.

World
Sharing local and international stories

Movies & Books
Reviews on books and movies from a Catholic perspective

Evangelisation
All the latest news and updates on the renewal mission plan for Sydney
Supplements

Education

The Catholic Weekly’s popular education publications are an opportunity for Catholic schools and institutions to showcase what’s on offer as well as publicise their achievements. We have various sizes on offer for each publication.

- **HSC Achievers**
  - HSC Achievements aims to highlight the best students from our Catholic schools.

- **Boarding Schools**
  - An opportunity for institutions who have boarding and academic excellence on offer.

- **Open Days**
  - Open days give our schools the opportunity to highlight events for prospective students and parents.

- **Schools Week + Pathways**
  - To coincide with Schools Week this publication highlights what Catholic Schools have on offer.

- **School Leaders**
  - Our Catholic School Leaders are given a forum highlighting opportunities given at their school.

- **Spotlight on Arts & Music**
  - An artistic publication showcasing the talents and achievements students and teachers have fulfilled.

- **Sports Stars**
  - Sports Stars highlights our talented sports champions, their achievements in school and across the broader sporting arena.

- **Uni Open Days**
  - All the information you need when it comes to choosing an institution for further study.

- **Tertiary Guide**
  - Your go to for all tertiary information.

- **HSC Results**
  - A comprehensive analysis of all the latest HSC results.
Features

Magazines

The Catholic Weekly’s magazine supplements are an opportunity for our readers to engage with businesses and organisations who work as Catholic charities, formation institutions, services, Wills, vocations and retirement with integrity and Catholic values.

Retreats
This guide is a source of trusted information about facilities, services and special features regarding your retreat.

Charities
This magazine gives Catholic charities a superior vehicle designed to showcase their unique missions.

Agencies Guide
This guide is used as a reference when people need convenient information about Catholic agencies.

Vocations
Provides individuals who are searching for in-depth information to identify an appropriate order and to help them act on their decision.

Gift of time
This booklet is a guide informing our readership how to go about leaving a bequest in their Will to their charity of choice.

Retirement Living
A comprehensive magazine about retirement life and future planning.

Preferred Suppliers
A trusted resource for Catholic organisations families, parishes, hospitals and more.
Supplement specifications

**EDUCATION**

**Schools Week + Pathways & Sports Stars**  
MAGAZINE (Book 355mmH x 278mmW)

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**School Leaders**  
MAGAZINE (Book 215mmH x 275mmW)

1 x FP EDITORIAL + 1 x FP ADVERT  
Advert Size: 172mmH x 255mmW

**Tabloid Education Features**  
(On page in *The Catholic Weekly*)

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**Spotlight on Arts & Music**  
(Music, Dance, Drama, Visual Arts, Media Arts)

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**MAGAZINES**

**Retirement Living**  
(Book 315mmH x 275mmW)

1 x FP ADVERT + 1 x FP Bonus editorial  
Advert size: 295mmH x 255mmW

1 x HP ADVERT + 1 x HP Bonus editorial  
Advert size: 120mmH x 255mmW

**Preferred Suppliers**  
(Book 240mmH x 170mmW)

1 x FP EDITORIAL + 1 x FP ADVERT  
Advert Size: 208mmH x 150mmW

**Retreats**  
(Book 350mmH x 275mmW)

1 x FP ADVERT  
Advert Size: 310mmH x 245mmW

1 x FP - EDITORIAL + IMAGES + ADVERT  
Advert Size: 153mmH x 245mmW

HP - EDITORIAL + IMAGES + ADVERT  
Advert Size: 152mmH x 120mmW

QP - ADVERT ONLY - 152mmH x 120mmW

**Vocations**  
(Book 355mmH x 278mmW)

1 x FP - EDITORIAL + ADVERT  
Advert Size: 150mmH x 250mmW

HP - EDITORIAL + IMAGES + ADVERT  
Advert Size: 150mmH x 114mmW

**Ages**  
(Book 270mmH x 195mmW)

1 x FP - EDITORIAL + ADVERT  
Advert Size: 115mmH x 175mmW

**Charities**  
(Book 315mmH x 275mmW)

2 x FP - EDITORIAL + IMAGES + FP ADVERT  
1 x FP - EDITORIAL + IMAGES + ADVERT  
FP 295mmH x 255mmW  
FP (Bleed) 325mmH x 280mmW

**Gift of Time**  
(Book 230mmH x 185mmW)

2 x FP - EDITORIAL + IMAGES + ADVERT  
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# Supplement pricing 2022

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Marketplace

Employment & Classifieds

*The Catholic Weekly’s* Marketplace presents an opportunity for trades, businesses and employers looking to advertise their business to prospective clients.

**Classifieds specifications**

- **Classified notices**
  - Minimum cost $20
- **Boxed advert**
  - From $35+GST
  - 40mmH x 85mmW - $35
  - 50mmH x 85mmW - $45
  - 60mmH x 85mmW - $55
  - (Larger sizes available)

- **Classified ad material deadline**
  - 3pm Thursday

**Employment adverts**

Please email Katie for a quote at: advertise@catholicweekly.com.au

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**Employment**

Our Employment page is an opportunity for employers to advertise positions vacant, targeting prospective employees. We have various sizes available. Speak to our advertising/marketing people for more information.

**Classifieds**

Classifieds connects our audience with specialised services including trade, businesses and events. Speak to our advertising/marketing people for more information.
Advertising dimensions

The Catholic Weekly

PRINT

FP 370mmHx260mmW
HP 180mmHx260mmW
HP VERTICAL 370mmHx128mmW
QP 180mmHx128mmW
10x4col 100mmHx172mmW
10x3col 100mmHx128mmW
10x2col 100mmHx84mmW
BANNER 50mmHx260mmW

Contact our advertising and marketing representatives for further details
Advertising rates newsprint

Contacts

Steve Richards: Advertising & Marketing Manager (02) 9390 5404
Katie Clarke: Advertising Sales (02) 9390 5402
PLEASE NOTE: Advertising agencies ADD 10% to rates shown.

Display Ads – Newsprint (All rates quoted are exclusive of GST)

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Ad Production

Display advertisers – are requested to provide complete material.
Classified advertisers – are requested to provide a word doc via email
Advertising information

Readership

24,000 approx. *(The Catholic Weekly is not subject to any readership audit)*
The bulk of *The Catholic Weekly* is distributed across NSW including greater Sydney and international
* Special editions (e.g. Easter and Christmas) can often double the regular distribution quantity.

Circulation

8,000 approx. printed weekly (available at most parishes from Friday afternoon)

Subscriptions

There are approximately 1,200+ weekly subscribers

Inserts (Flyers, Brochures)

Quantity: 8,000 (based on average weekly run)
Casual Rate: $180+GST per thousand
Deadline: Delivered to our printer by noon 13 days prior to Sunday publication
Specifications: Minimum and maximum acceptable sizes, weights, packaging etc provided on application
Availabilities: We limit the number of inserts per edition
Instructions: Bundles must be clearly marked with publication name and date.

For details call Steve Richards (02) 9390 5404

Material Format

High resolution PDF, High resolution JPEG 300dpi.

Production Costs

Advertisers are advised to provide complete material to correct specifications. We are able to provide advertising
design for the preparation of artwork at $50 per hour. One proof is given for minor changes. Subsequent changes of
complicated, time consuming jobs may be charged. Please ask for details.

Advertising deadlines (See page 18)

Insert delivery to our printer: Tuesday prior to the week of publication
Display ad material: By 4pm Thursday prior to the week of publication
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Distribution channels are through Parishes, Catholic organisations, Schools, Retirement villages, hospitals, Aged Care facilities and Tertiary institutions.

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DIGITAL
The Catholic Weekly
Online
Online categories

The Catholic Weekly offers news of the Church at every level including a website and social platforms.

Online

www.catholicweekly.com.au

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Local and international contributors sharing their views on world issues.

Features
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An array of advertising tiles including leaderboard, MREC and verticals for client promotion.

Supplements
Magazines and supplements The Catholic Weekly produce annually.
Digital Audience

AGE GROUP

1. 25-34
2. 35-44
3. 55-64
4. 45-54
5. 65+
6. 18-24

GENDER

1. female
2. male

USERS (1 JULY - 31 AUG 2021) - AUSTRALIAN CITIES AVERAGE

1. Sydney 28,735
2. Melbourne 6,234
3. Brisbane 2,902

USERS (1 JULY - 31 AUGUST 2021) - AUSTRALIAN STATES

1. New South Wales 58,976 67.65%
2. Victoria 12,692 14.56%
3. Queensland 6,874 7.88%
4. Western Australia 3,852 4.42%
5. South Australia 2,536 2.91%
6. Australian Capital Territory 1,605 1.84%
7. Tasmania 512 0.59%
8. Northern Territory 101 0.12%
Digital rates

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www.catholicweekly.com.au
(All rates quoted are exclusive of GST)
(please check restrictions and availability for each website with sales staff prior booking).

ONLINE ADVERT SIZES

Outside Skin (Template provided) $4000/4xweeks (28 days) or $1333 (7 days) (solas)
Top Leaderboard (90pxH x 728pxW) $2,500/4xweeks (28 days) or $833 (7 days) (shared with up to max. 6 advertisers)
News Leaderboard (90pxH x 728pxW) $2000/4xweeks (28 days) or $666 (7 days) (shared with up to max. 6 advertisers)
Top & Lower Medium Rectangle (250pxH x 300pxW) $2,000/4xweeks (28 days) or $666 (7 days) (shared with up to max. 6 advertisers)
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Lower Leaderboard (90pxH x 728pxW) $500/4xweeks (28 days) or $166 (7 days) (shared with up to max. 6 advertisers)

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ONLINE ADVERT SIZES

EDM CONNECT NEWSLETTER

Leaderboard 90pxHx728pxW

Medium Rectangle 250pxHx300pxW

Half page 600pxHx300pxW

EDM CONNECT
255pxHx680pxW
Advertising Terms and conditions

1. The advertiser must take full responsibility in relation to copyright of the said advertisement. This includes all graphic and reading matter.

2. The advertiser must ensure that the advertisement complies with all aspects of trade practices law and therefore insures all responsibilities should be taken on these terms. Therefore the responsibility is on the person, company, or agent submitting the advertisement for publication.

3. The advertisers and their agents must accept full responsibilities for proceedings brought against the publication arising out of the publication of the advertisement. The provision of any material automatically constitutes acceptance of this clause.

4. The booked space shall only be used for the advertisement of the business to which the booking is made.

5. Design/layout/alterations to advertisements carried out by the staff of the publisher shall incur a fee of 10% of the total cost of the advertisement (based upon the total cost of the first publication of the advertisement after the design/layout/alterations are made).

6. The Catholic Press Newspaper Company P/L (the publisher) reserves the right to increase rates for advertisements with a minimum of one month notice. Contracted rates are valid for the life of the contract. New rates will be re-negotiated from then on.

7. The publisher reserves the right to decline advertisements for publication considered to be inappropriate in relation to the foundations of the publication and the Catholic Archdiocese of Sydney. The final decision on all advertising material remains at the discretion of the Editor.

8. The publisher will use every care to ensure the correct insertion and layout of an advertisement, however cannot guarantee insertion on any specific date or position within its publications. Accidental errors in relation to the advertisement do not invalidate the order.

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11. Copy for booked advertisements must be submitted at the offices of the publisher by noon of the Friday, nine days before publication date unless alternative arrangements have been made. Copy arrangements must be made prior to this in relation to the form in which it will be presented. If the copy deadline is not met, the publisher reserves the right to charge full rate for the advertisements, or alternatively place the previous advertisement published within the publication at the quoted rate.

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A second week of public hearings on the Morrison Government’s Religious Freedom Bill has seen Church representatives face increasingly sharp questions about Catholic schools’ treatment of LGBT teachers and students.

Mark Edwards OMI, the Bishop of Wagga Wagga, was joined at the 20 January public hearing of the Senate Legal and Constitutional Legislation Committee by Sally Egan and Dallas McInerney from the National Catholic Education Commission, and Professor of Law Roque Reynolds, from the Australian Catholic University.

Labor Senator Louise Pratt and Greens Senator Janet Rice interrogated the Catholic representatives about their position on two submissions, from Rainbow Catholics InterAgency for Ministry and Catholics for Renewal, both of which allege the Religious Freedom Bill will discriminate against LGBT Catholics.

The Bill will “fail to protect the moral equality of such individuals … for the sake of protecting institutional rather than individual rights”, Catholics for Renewal’s submission stated, adding that the same-sex marriage plebiscite “discredited all claims by religious leaders to be speaking on behalf of the individuals composing their congregations”.

“Do you talk to gay Catholics about their issues?” Pratt asked; Rice followed up with a number of questions about whether the representatives were “aware of engaging with any LGBTIQA+ Catholics in your consultation”.

McInerney replied that the church does not exclude anyone from its considerations, “intentionally or otherwise”, and is not “requiring self-declaration before we have a conversation”.

Drawing on the Catholics for Renewal submission, Rice said the Religious Freedom Bill would protect religious hierarchies at the expense of individuals who wish to make up their own mind about matters of religious faith, morals and doctrine. Under the