

After saying this, Jesus raised his eyes to heaven and said: "Father, the hour has come: glorify your Son so that your Son may glorify you; ..."

"I pray not only for these but also for those who through their teaching will come to believe in me. May they all be one, just as, Father, you are in me and I am in you, so that they also may be in us, so that the world may believe it was you who sent me. I have given them the glory you gave to me, that they may be one as we are one. With me in them and you in me, may they be so perfected in unity that the world will recognise that it was you who sent me and that you have loved them as you have loved me." (John 17:1, 20-23)

Our Vision Statement

We work for the ultimate unity of all humankind to be united with God.

How You Can Help

We would welcome anyone willing to help in:

- *Street ministry**
- *Singing in the choir**
- *Helping at our monthly meal sharing**
- *Donations**
- *Fundraising projects**



**Emeritus Archbishop
Barry Hickey
Spiritual Advisor**

The heart of the Holy Spirit Choir and Street Ministry is to be with Jesus wherever he is. We look for him outside the camp, at the margins where Jesus loved to be, with those who struggle.

In the letter to the Hebrews we read: Jesus died outside the camp, outside the city walls. Let us go there to meet him and suffer with him. (Hebrews 13:13)

I am honoured to be with the Street Ministry when I can. I ask people of good will to join me. I celebrate chant Mass as well, where Jesus is also present, hidden under the veils of bread and wine. He is the heart of all that we do.

-Emeritus Archbishop Barry Hickey

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**To love with a pure heart,
to love everybody,
especially to love the poor,
is a twenty-four-hour prayer.**

-St. Teresa of Calcutta

THE STORY OF THE HOLY SPIRIT CHOIR AND STREET MINISTRY INCORPORATED (HSCASM)

2015: Yayoi (Rebecca) Kobayashi formed a choir and started to sing for the Vigil Mass on the first Saturday of each month at the church of St. Peter the Apostle, Bedford. She and the choir members organised meals for her street friends.

2018: The choir was named the *Holy Spirit Choir (HSC)* and continued to sing and organise supper for parishioners and street friends at St Peter the Apostle. The choir began to sing at St Emilie's, Canning Vale as well.

2019: Fr Jeronimo, parish priest of Bedford parish, suggested to include "*and Street Ministry*", and the name was changed to the *Holy Spirit Choir and Street Ministry (HSCASM)*.

14 July 2019: The *HSCASM* became a registered not-for-profit charity organisation. Emeritus Archbishop Barry Hickey became our Spiritual Advisor.

17 January 2022: The *Holy Spirit Choir and Street Ministry Incorporated* became an association incorporated under the Associations Incorporation Act 2015.

OUR ACTIVITIES

Liturgical Music Ministry

We aim for "*Beautiful Catholic Sacred Music*" incorporating plain chant at the Bedford and Canning Vale parishes.

Street Ministry

We go to the street to meet people and get to know each other. We pray the rosary on the street and invite the people to join us for food and fellowship afterwards. We invite the street people to come to the Vigil Mass and dinner on the first Saturday of each month at Bedford parish.



Small Christian Communities

Small Christian Communities are small groups of Christians who meet regularly to share their lives and faith. We have set up two such groups, involving both parishioners and street people.



CEBU, PHILIPPINES MINISTRY

Sick Children's Ministry

HSCASM members in Cebu visit children from poor families who are in hospital and supply milk and medicines for them. This has been saving many innocent lives.



Youth Ministry

We sponsor well-deserving students, who lead Saturday Praise and Worship and conduct catechism classes for Street Kids.



Street Ministry

HSCASM members in Cebu distribute food to over 100 homeless people every week.

