

ACYF



SANDHURST PILGRIMAGE

MELBOURNE 2025

29 NOVEMBER - 3 DECEMBER

EDITION #TWO: 30 JULY 2025

INCLUDES HOW TO REGISTER

INFORMATION FOR PARISHES
& INDIVIDUALS

The information in this edition is correct at time of distribution.

Meet Our Pilgrimage Pastoral Leader



Archbishop-elect, Shane Mackinlay is pleased to appoint [Rev. Junray Rayna](#) as the Pastoral Leader of the Sandhurst Pilgrimage to ACYF. Father Junray is the Administrator (Priest) at St Kilian's Parish in Bendigo and is excited to accompany our young people on their Faith Journey to the Festival and beyond. Fr Junray enjoys getting to know people, inviting them to belong to a welcoming community and developing deep connections with Christ and with one another. He celebrates the wonder of God's creation through hiking and camping in the mountains and seldom misses his weekly surf in Torquay on his Monday 'day-off'. He is looking forward to spending time with the ACYF pilgrims in formation, prayer, and the many ways we can celebrate and share our Catholic Faith through the experience of pilgrimage.

Our Pilgrimage Chaplains

We are also pleased to announce that three Pilgrimage Chaplains have been appointed to accompany our pilgrims on their journey to ACYF and beyond.

[Rev. Adi Indra](#), [Rev. Nathan Verallo](#) and [Rev. Jackson Saunders](#) each bring valuable skills and a particular ministry lens to the leadership and guidance of our pilgrims. We look forward to introducing them to you in more detail over the coming months.

Please pray for all our Pilgrimage leaders and co-ordinators.

REGISTRATIONS NOW OPEN!



**Closing Date for Registrations:
12 September 2025**

How to Register as an Individual

This guide is designed to assist pilgrims who are registering only themselves. If you are registering on behalf of multiple people, see the Guide for Schools and Groups in Edition II for Schools. If you require support with an aspect of registration, contact Claire Spinelli or Harvest Journeys. (Details on Page 9)

STEP 1: Be Prepared

- Make sure you have read and understood the [Harvest Terms and Conditions](#) and the [ACYF Terms and Conditions](#). These Terms and Conditions can also be found on the landing page of the Booking Portal and on the Sandhurst Diocesan website. Please note that most of Harvest's Terms and Conditions apply to the tour coordinator (Catholic Diocese of Sandhurst). You will need to pay particular attention to:

BOOKINGS

Use of Harvest's online booking site may require you to register and provide certain data to Harvest, its affiliates or its suppliers. As a condition of using Harvest's online booking site, you represent and warrant that:

- the personal information you provide is true, accurate, current and complete, and you are entitled to provide such information; and
- you will maintain and promptly update the personal information held by Harvest to keep it true, accurate, current and complete.


If you provide any information that is untrue, inaccurate, not current or incomplete, or Harvest or its affiliates have reasonable grounds to suspect that such information is untrue, inaccurate, not current or incomplete, we have the right to suspend or terminate your account and refuse any and all current or future access to and use of the Harvest online booking site.

- Ensure you have enough time to complete your registration in one sitting. There is no option to save your progress. Allow about 30 minutes to comfortably and accurately complete your registration.
- Ensure you have all the necessary details on hand that you may not know from memory, e.g., emergency contact details.

STEP 2: Register

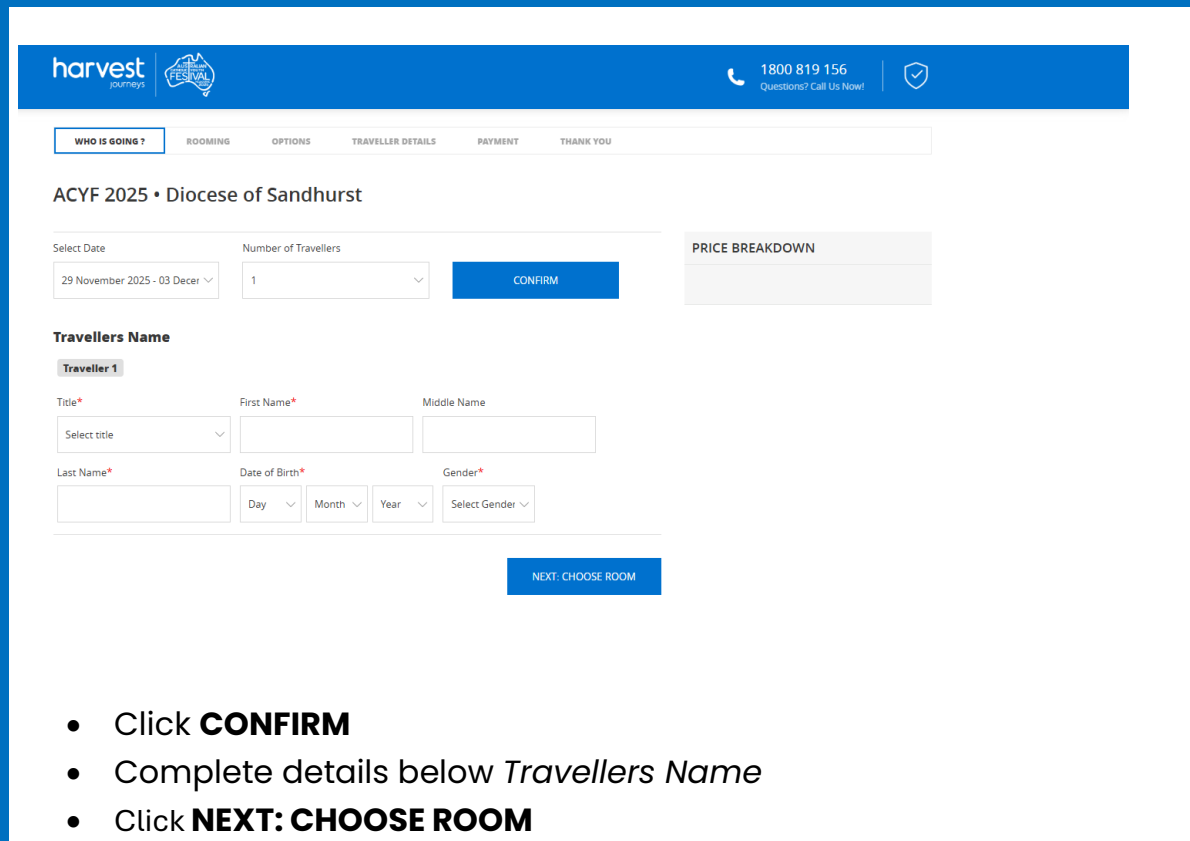
- Open the **ACYF 2025 – Diocese of Sandhurst Booking Portal** by clicking on the link below. The link is also available on the Catholic Diocese of Sandhurst website. The link is not public so cannot be accessed via a search engine, e.g., Google.

[ACYF 2025 • Diocese of Sandhurst](#)




The screenshot shows the top section of the booking portal. It features a blue header with the 'harvest journeys' logo and the 'AUSTRALIAN CATHOLIC YOUTH FESTIVAL' logo. A navigation bar includes '1800 819 156 Questions? Call Us Now!' and a shield icon. The main content area has a large blue banner for the festival with text: 'AUSTRALIAN CATHOLIC YOUTH FESTIVAL', 'DEEPEN YOUR RELATIONSHIP WITH JESUS', 'EXPERIENCE THE BREADTH OF THE CHURCH', 'CONNECT WITH OTHER YOUNG PEOPLE', and 'BE EMPOWERED TO LIVE YOUR FAITH'. Below the banner are several small images. To the right is a booking form with 'Select Date' (29 November 2025 - 03 December 2025) and 'Number of Travellers' (1). A 'BOOK NOW' button is prominent. Below the form is a 'PRICE BREAKDOWN' section. At the bottom, there are tabs for 'OVERVIEW', 'INCLUSIONS / EXCLUSIONS', 'ITINERARY', 'GROUP CONTACT', and 'COSTS, SUBSIDIES AND PAYMENTS'. A paragraph of text describes the festival and the Diocese of Sandhurst's role, accompanied by the Diocese of Sandhurst logo.

- Click **BOOK NOW**.



The screenshot shows the 'Travellers Name' form in the booking portal. The header includes the 'harvest journeys' logo and the 'AUSTRALIAN CATHOLIC YOUTH FESTIVAL' logo. A navigation bar includes '1800 819 156 Questions? Call Us Now!' and a shield icon. Below the header is a navigation bar with tabs: 'WHO IS GOING?', 'ROOMING', 'OPTIONS', 'TRAVELLER DETAILS', 'PAYMENT', and 'THANK YOU'. The main content area is titled 'ACYF 2025 • Diocese of Sandhurst'. It features a booking form with 'Select Date' (29 November 2025 - 03 Decer) and 'Number of Travellers' (1). A 'CONFIRM' button is visible. Below the form is a 'PRICE BREAKDOWN' section. The 'Travellers Name' section is titled 'Traveller 1' and includes fields for 'Title*', 'First Name*', 'Middle Name', 'Last Name*', 'Date of Birth*' (with Day, Month, and Year dropdowns), and 'Gender*' (with a 'Select Gender' dropdown). A 'NEXT: CHOOSE ROOM' button is at the bottom.

- Click **CONFIRM**
- Complete details below *Travellers Name*
- Click **NEXT: CHOOSE ROOM**

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WHO IS GOING? **ROOMING** OPTIONS TRAVELLER DETAILS PAYMENT THANK YOU

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Tour Code - YF25-SAN | Tour Departure Date - 29 November 2025

Rooming

Option 1

Select Tour Option

Select Tour Option


Select Tour Option

University Single Rooms

PRICE BREAKDOWN

- Rooming

- In the drop-down menu you will see only **University Single Rooms** as an option. Select this option.

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Option 1

Select Tour Option

University Single Rooms

Select Travellers

Mrs Example Individual Sandhurst

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PRICE BREAKDOWN

- Rooming

NEXT: OPTIONS

- A *Select Travellers* box will pop up. Click in the box next to your name to **tick the box**.
- Click **NEXT: OPTIONS**

- **ADDITIONAL COMMENTS:**

Type in anything here that will help us understand your travel needs i.e., nervous traveller, first time traveller etc.

You can leave this blank if you have nothing to add.

- Click **NEXT: TRAVELLER DETAILS**

- *Traveller Details:*

Complete these details as required

(* These are copied from the first page for a single registration)

- ✓ Title*
- ✓ Gender*
- ✓ First Name*
- ✓ Middle name*
- ✓ Last name*
- ✓ Preferred/Chosen Name
- ✓ Date of Birth*
- ✓ Email
- ✓ Mobile Number
- ✓ Address
- ✓ Medical Requirements
- ✓ Dietary Requirements
- ✓ Additional Info.
- ✓ Allergies/Restrictions/Disabilities/Special Requests
- ✓ Emergency contact: Name, Telephone, Email, Relationship

- **Student/Staff Details**

This section is optional so you may skip it.

If you are a Year 10 or 11 student who is not enrolled in a Catholic School, please complete this section as well as the Parish/Community/Movement Question.

- **Parish/Community/ Movement**

Specify the name of your parish, community or Youth Group.

- **Diocese of Sandhurst Transportation**

There will be three main departure and return points: Shepparton, Bendigo and Wangaratta. Select the one closest to you from the dropdown menu.

- T-Shirt Size

All pilgrims will be supplied branded Sandhurst ACYF T-shirts. Select your size from the dropdown menu.

- Billing contact

The Diocese of Sandhurst will send you an invoice for the cost of the pilgrimage, less any subsidies for which you are eligible.

Check that *Existing Traveller* has a blue dot next to it.

DO NOT CLICK *I require an invoice for my company*.

Check *Traveller Details* and *Address Details*

- CLICK **CONTINUE TO PAYMENT**

- Check the traveller details.

Please submit your payment.

Mode of Payments:

Diocese of Sandhurst Payment

Individual pilgrims, schools and groups will be invoiced for the outstanding payments when eligibility has been reviewed, and subsidies have been calculated. No payment is required on booking. Please ensure the details of the individual or organisation responsible for the payment under 'Billing Contact' for invoicing purposes.

- I acknowledge that I have read, understood, and agree to comply with both the [Harvest ACYF 2025 Booking Terms and Conditions](#) and the [ACYF 2025 Official Event Terms and Conditions](#), on behalf of all participants in this booking.

COMPLETE BOOKING

- TICK the BOX to acknowledge that you have read and understood the Terms and Conditions
- Click **COMPLETE BOOKING**



You are invited to an 
**ACYF GROUP
LEADER CHECK-IN**

6 August 2025, Wednesday
3:45PM - 4:30PM
Online via Teams

Meeting ID: 495 048 610 178 7
Passcode: JZ79Sv7J

Join us to check in about how you are going or with any questions you may have for the co-ordinators.

TEAMS MEETING LINK: [JOIN THE MEETING](#)

WHAT TO LOOK OUT FOR IN COMING EDITIONS

- Introducing our Pilgrimage Chaplains: Father Adi, Father Nathan and Father Jackson
- Formation Resources and Opportunities in preparation for the Pilgrimage
- Itinerary Details
- Opportunities at ACYF (Workshops, presenters, prayer spaces)

GET IN TOUCH



- Follow Sandhurst Youth Ministry on Facebook and Instagram
- Stay up to date by visiting the website:
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