



ACU CENTRE  
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Training  
workshop



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## Ministering the Chalice

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As parishes across Australia contemplate the introduction or reintroduction of the chalice the ACU Centre for Liturgy is offering face-to-face refresher workshops for existing Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion on ministering the chalice in Melbourne in April 2026.

### THESE WORKSHOPS:

- Explore the significance of the Eucharist and liturgical ministry.
- Provide a brief overview of the Mass, with a focus on the Liturgy of the Eucharist.
- Include practical demonstrations relating to ministering the chalice and host.
- Conclude with a discussion on key considerations of Communion ministry.

In the lead-up to each workshop advice will be provided for parish-wide catechesis to prepare the community for the introduction or reintroduction of the chalice.

**Date:** Thursday 16 April, 6pm - 9pm

**Venue:** St Mary's Church 204 Grimshaw St., Greensborough, Vic. 3088

**Nominations by:** 13 April 2026

OR

**Date:** Friday 17 April, 6pm - 9pm

**Venue:** St James the Apostle Parish, 336 Derrimut Rd, Hoppers Crossing North

**Nominations by:** 14 April 2026

### WORK WITH YOUR LOCAL COMMUNITY

Engagement with your local community is a key feature of this program, and participants from parishes, schools and Church organisations are nominated by their parish priest as the first step in the registration process.

For more information visit [acu.edu.au/LiturgyMelbourneChalice](http://acu.edu.au/LiturgyMelbourneChalice) or phone (02) 9701 4751

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