

Ignite Youth announces third Catholic Conference in Greater Sydney Ignite Conference, Sydney 2023

Next year Ignite Youth is proud to be running one of Australia's most powerful Catholic Youth Conferences - **Ignite Conference** – in the **Diocese of Broken Bay**. From the **28th September to 1st October 2023**, this will be the third Ignite Conference held in Greater Sydney and the first hosted in the Diocese of Broken Bay.

Breaking open the theme 'Wonder', keynote guest speakers at Ignite Conference 23 include **Fr Rob Galea Therese Mills MGL, Brendan Malone (NZ) and Sam Clear (Archdiocese of Hobart)**. Key partners joining the Ignite Conference Team include platinum sponsors Australian Catholic University, NET Ministries Australia and Acts 2 College of Mission & Evangelisation.

"I am confident that Ignite will be four days of engaging main sessions and workshops, life-changing encounters with the Sacraments, dynamic music, and powerful preaching. May the 2023 Ignite Sydney Conference be an opportunity which will bring new hope and life to our community of the Church, and for the World Youth Day pilgrims, may it provide opportunities for them to continue their faith journey here at home."

- *Most Rev Anthony Randazzo DD JCL Bishop of the, Diocese of Broken Bay*

"Ignite is one of the best Catholic Youth Conferences Australia has to offer. The conference invites young people to encounter the love of God in a life-changing way. I recommend it to any young person hands down!"

- *Fr Chris Eaton, MGL*

2023 is the third time the Ignite Conference will be hosted in two cities across Australia; **Brisbane from 21st-24th September** at St Laurence's College, South Brisbane, and **Sydney from 28th Sept - 1st October** at the **Catholic Precinct Waitara, Diocese of Broken Bay**.

"If you'd have told me that I would go from not knowing what I believe in to having full faith in Jesus after the Ignite Conference, I would have laughed in your face... Attending this conference has completely altered my perspective of God and Church because it gave me something to believe in. I didn't know I needed the religious journey I've begun because of Ignite, and I'm so grateful for it."

- *15 yr old delegate*

Ignite Conference is so much more than a youth conference – **it has something for everyone**. It caters for creche aged children through to parents, teachers and parishioners. Families, high school groups, young adults, as well as priests and religious from around the country travel to Ignite Conference every year to be inspired, experience Jesus and sent out with a renewed passion for their Catholic faith. The main sessions feature live worship from Emmanuel Worship, powerful preaching and life-changing encounters with God.

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