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CHRISTMAS MESSAGE 2021 FROM CATHOLIC ARCHBISHOP ANTHONY FISHER OP EMBARGOED WEDNESDAY 22 DECEMBER 2021

Good evening,

The Catholic Archbishop of Sydney, Most Rev. Anthony Fisher OP has released his Christmas message for 2021.

Please find below dropbox links to versions of this year's message. A transcript is also included.

Christmas ceremonies at St Mary's Cathedral

Media are welcome to St Mary's Cathedral at Midnight Mass (24 December) and for Christmas Day Solemn Mass (10:30am on 25 December), during which Archbishop Fisher will deliver the homily.

Media interested in covering either of these liturgies are requested to notify Michael Kenny by 5pm on 24 December on their attendance, so that arrangements can be made.

TV networks are requested to pool for both liturgies and there will also be a limit placed on the number of photographers who can attend.

Archbishop Fisher will not be available for any interviews on these days.

Midnight Mass

Friday 24 December.

Media are to meet at the College St entrance to St Mary's Cathedral at 11:30pm.

Contact: Michael Kenny (Michael.kenny@sydneycatholic.org or 0438 046 406) The Mass will also be livestreamed via the St Mary's Cathedral You Tube channel [here](#)

Christmas Day Solemn Mass

Saturday 25 December at 10:30am

Media are asked to meet at the College St entrance to St Mary's Cathedral at 10am. This Mass will also be livestreamed via the St Mary's Cathedral You Tube channel [here](#)

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Links to Christmas message

Dropbox Files:

Christmas Message 2021 (Final)- Archbishop Anthony Fisher OP-

https://www.dropbox.com/s/kk3mh9e9z5sawxa/2021_xmas_msg_v.06.1.mp4?dl=01

Christmas Message 2021 (No Overlay)- Archbishop Anthony Fisher OP-

https://www.dropbox.com/s/zed4ghfph9qczlj/2021_xmas_msg_v.03_no_overlay.mp4?dl=0

Christmas Message 2021 (Audio only)- Archbishop Anthony Fisher OP-

https://www.dropbox.com/s/axzlad60ezaia1r/2021_xmas_msg_v.03_audio_only.mp4?dl=0

Christmas Message 2021 (Script)- Archbishop Anthony Fisher OP-

<https://www.dropbox.com/s/xar4214xqh3py99/Christmas%20Message%20from%20Archbishop%20Anthony%20Fisher%20OP.pdf?dl=0>

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