



THE JOURNEY

- Starting in Melbourne, experience the early life of Mary and the MacKillop Family.
- Continue the story by coach to Hamilton, Portland and Port McDonnell.
- Spend two nights in Penola connecting with the Mary MacKillop and Fr Julian Tenison Woods' stories.
- Coach into South Australia and visit Our Lady Star of the Sea - a church built by Fr Julian Tenison Woods at Robe.
- Continue on to Adelaide where Mary professed her vows as a Sister of St Joseph and immerse ourselves in the unfolding story of the Congregation.
- Fly to Sydney and spend three nights at Mary MacKillop Place where Mary lived and died. Visit her burial site in the Memorial Chapel.
- Extra cost for those who wish to spend a couple of extra nights in Sydney before they return home.

A full itinerary is attached to the application form.

BOOKING & ENQUIRY DETAILS

For further information or to make an application, please contact:

Australian Pilgrimage Coordinator

02 8912 4818

MMP.NationalPilgrimage@sosj.org.au

Little did either of us then dream of what was to spring from so small a beginning.

Mary MacKillop 4.3.1891



The Sisters of St Joseph commissioned Jan Williamson to paint 'The Vision' as part of the Sesquicentenary celebrations of the Sisters of St Joseph of the Sacred Heart 1866-2016

'The Vision' by Jan Williamson

IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARY MACKILLOP

2017 Australian Pilgrimage
8 to 18 November



MARY MACKILLOP PLACE

OUT OF THE Ordinary



A Pilgrimage of
the Sisters of St Joseph

PILGRIMAGE

The notion of going on a pilgrimage and being a pilgrim is a very ancient one that belongs to the spiritual tradition of all great faiths.

Since early times Christians have been known as pilgrims because they journeyed to the sacred places throughout Christendom. These places of pilgrimage beckoned people to touch and become caught up in the atmosphere and spiritual realities that belonged to their origins.

Today we recognise that each of us is on a daily journey of faith but there is a time in life when we feel called to join with others; seeking, listening, reflecting and seeing the hand of God at work in our own lives.

Mary MacKillop Place offers such an opportunity to journey to significant places in Australia made holy by St Mary MacKillop. While on pilgrimage we are invited to reflect on St Mary MacKillop's life and to recognise her relevance in our own lives. Such reflection can encourage us to emulate her courage, perseverance, joy and deep faith.

Mary MacKillop Place, North Sydney is recognised as a national place of pilgrimage in Australia and is made sacred by Australia's first canonised saint being entombed in the Memorial Chapel.

'God is truly good to us all.'

Mary MacKillop, 9.7.1873

IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARY MACKILLOP

An Australian Pilgrimage

This pilgrimage has been prepared by the Sisters of St Joseph to help you enter more deeply into Mary and Julian's stories and spirituality.

The opportunity for prayer and reflection is a significant part of the Pilgrimage which is led by a team of Sisters of St Joseph.

Participate in ten days of sharing a journey will draw you more deeply into the story of the foundation of the Congregation by Julian Tension Wood and Mary MacKillop in Penola, and how their vision has unfolded.



COST

Costs include airfares, accommodation, coach travel, admission fees and all meals (but not drinks).

Ex Sydney twin share pp	\$3050
Ex Brisbane twin share pp (incl prior night)	\$3265
Ex Melbourne twin share pp	\$2990
Ex Perth twin share pp (incl prior night)	\$3560
Ex Adelaide twin share pp	\$3180
Ex Hobart twin share pp	\$3180
Ex Darwin twin share pp (incl prior night)	\$3600
Single supplement for all States	\$ 610

INSURANCE

Cancellation and/or travel insurance is recommended and available upon request.

DEPOSIT

\$200 of which \$50 is non-refundable and non-transferable.

APPLICATION

For an application form email

MMP.NationalPilgrimage@sosj.org.au

or phone Therese Leydon rsj 02 8912 4845 Mon/Wed

or Annie Bond rsj 02 8912 4818.

PLEASE FORWARD TO:

**Cardigan Touring Services,
Mary MacKillop Pilgrimage,
PO Box 4010, ALFREDTON, VIC 3350**

- Application Form
- Deposit Form
- Photo ID which includes your name e.g. Photocopy of Driver's Licence; or Passport; or State Identification Card

PLEASE FORWARD A COPY OF THE COMPLETED APPLICATION FORM TO:

**Australian Pilgrimage Coordinator, Mary MacKillop Place, PO Box 1081, NORTH SYDNEY, NSW 2059
OR email to MMP.NationalPilgrimage@sosj.org.au**