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St Christopher's Parish Singing Mums Annual Report

This past year again found the Singing Mums doing what they do best: singing as prayer, to enhance liturgy. In addition to our regular Masses on the second Sunday of the month, the Mums contributed to the Carols Night, Holy Week Liturgies, funerals, Confirmation and St Christopher's Graduation Mass. We were happy to be able to sing for Lucy Fyfield's wedding (Her mother, Marita, is a member of the "Mums".)

We celebrated our fifteenth year of music and fellowship in grand style in August with a luncheon at Sutherland Winery in Yarra Valley. This was followed by a celebratory Mass the next day at St Christopher's. The parish joined us in a morning tea afterward. It was a beautiful celebration – one that we will not soon forget.

We sadly sang goodbye to Noelle Todorov, one of our most enthusiastic and longstanding members. We wish her well as she starts her new life in Adelaide.

We have added a new member, Sharne Rolfe, to our ranks. We hope that she enjoys her time with the Mums!

As always, the Mums balance their musical bent with friendship. We support each other and enjoy each other's company. This was evidenced by a number of social events, including a family picnic, a games night and a family weekend at Lake Tyers.

The Singing Mums are always open to embrace new members into our musical / pastoral community.

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