

Place:
Our Lady of Good
Counsel Church,
Gathering Space

**10 Whitehorse Road
Deepdene**

When:
Thursday evenings

**10 October
17 October
24 October**

Time:
7.30-9.00 pm

RSVP:
Friday, 4 October

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THE INAUGURAL JOHN HASSETT MEMORIAL SOCIAL JUSTICE SERIES CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING AND ACTION



The inaugural series will be launched by Very Rev Joe Caddy, Episcopal Vicar for Social Welfare and Vicar General of the Archdiocese of Melbourne. The three part series will be facilitated by Ashley Mitcham.

Ashley is a wife, a mother to three children, and a budding theologian. She is a graduate of the Australian Catholic University, holding a Bachelor of Theology with Honours. For the last

four years, Ashley has worked at ACU as an academic tutor in Biblical Studies and Catholic Social Thought. She is currently preparing to take on doctoral studies in systematic theology.

This series will explore the principles of Catholic Social Teaching week by week and conclude with the renewal of the John Hassett Social Justice Network.



John Hassett was a longtime parishioner at Our Lady of Good Counsel Deepdene and married to Val for 55 years. John was the convener of the Parish Social Justice Network and he served more than once on the Parish Council. John's career as a lawyer and County Court judge was predominantly centred on Criminal Law. He was renowned as a wise and respected dispenser of justice.

His legal career along with his Catholic faith gave rise to his abiding interest and commitment to social justice. He served as Chair of the Catholic Archdiocesan Commission for Justice, Development and Peace and was a member of the Australian Catholic Social Justice Council. John died on 5 September, 2018.

