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Dear Brothers & Sisters in Christ

Xavier School of Mission – 18 & 19 July 2026

I write to invite you to a significant formation opportunity. Xavier School of Mission began as an annual event based at Holy Spirit Seminary to equip and form leaders in evangelisation. I am delighted that this year our Diocese is partnering with the seminary to host our own local Xavier School of Mission event here in Rockhampton on 18 and 19 July.

Mission should be at the heart of all our decisions and activities, and I am grateful for all those who carry out the mission of the Church in our parishes, schools and ministries. This event provides an opportunity for our people from across the Diocese to come together and be renewed, equipped and connected before being sent out on mission once again.

The weekend will feature keynote presentations from Dr Maeve Heaney and Rev Dr Andrew Chase, alongside a reflection from myself on the Mission of the Church. There will also be times of prayer, discussion, and celebrating local stories of faith and ministry.

I warmly invite all members of our Diocese to join us for this event, especially those involved in the diverse ministries of our parishes. I encourage all parishes to consider extending personal invitations to those in your communities who could most benefit from this experience.

Please register online at <https://app.tickets.org.au/CDOR/XSOM26>. I look forward to seeing you there.

Yours in Christ,

Most Rev Daniel Meagher
Bishop of Rockhampton