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YEARS OF MERCY



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On January 8, 1846  
the first community  
of Sisters of Mercy  
arrived in Australia from  
Ireland, disembarking  
at Fremantle, Western  
Australia.

They were:  
Sr. M. Ursula Frayne  
Sr. M. Catherine Gogarty  
Sr. M. Anne Xavier Dillon  
Sr. M. Ignatia de la Hoyde  
Sr. M. Aloysius Kelly  
Sr. M. Baptist O'Donnell  
Catherine O'Kelly  
[Later Sr. M. Evangelista]

We give thanks for their  
generosity and courage  
and remember and  
celebrate the women  
who have followed them  
and all women and men  
who today continue the  
mission of Mercy.



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## Walking in their Footsteps - Saturday the 9th of April.

An experience of **PILGRIMAGE** for the Sisters of Mercy, their colleagues and friends.

We will begin our journey at the Swan River and walk to the  
Convent of Mercy Victoria Square,  
where we will bless our new Holy Door.

Followed by morning tea.

**All are welcome**

There will be various starting points.

RSVP to: [Jan.elliott@ismapng.org.au](mailto:Jan.elliott@ismapng.org.au) or call: 08 9328 6991

By 4 April for catering purposes.

Upon registration material regarding the  
Pilgrimage route will be sent to you.