Calendar Dates for 2012

45th World Day of Peace Vatican City	**1st January 2012**
World Day of Prayer for the Sick (Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes)	**11th February 2012**
Ash Wednesday	**22 February 2012**
Good Friday (Annual Collection for the Church in the Holy Land)	**6th April 2012**
Easter Sunday	**8th April 2012**
World Day of Prayer for Vocations (4th Sunday of Easter)	**29th April 2012**
World Communications Day (6th Sunday of Easter)	**13th May 2012**
Week of Prayer for Christian Unity – Australia Week between Ascension and Pentecost	**20th – 27th May 2012**
Our Lady Help of Christians Patroness of Australia	**24th May 2012**
Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday (1st Sunday in July)	**1st July 2012**
Apostleship of the Sea (2nd Sunday in July)	**8th July 2012**
Bible Sunday (4th Sunday in July)	**22nd July 2012**
National Vocations Awareness Week Sunday 5th August: General Christian Vocation of every person. Sunday 12th August: Vocations to Priesthood and Consecrated Life.	**5th – 12th August 2012**
The Assumption of Mary	**15th August 2012**
World Day of Migrants and Refugees (Last Sunday in August)	**26th August 2012**
Child Protection Sunday (Second Sunday in September)	**9th September 2012**
International Day of Peace	**21st September 2012**
Social Justice Sunday (Last Sunday in September)	**30th September 2012**
World Mission Day (2nd last Sunday in October)	**21st October 2012**
World AIDS Day (UN) (1st December)	**1st December 2012**
International Day of People with Disability (United Nations) (3rd December)	**3rd December 2012**
Solemnity of Christmas (Christmas Day)	**25th December 2012**
Feast of the Holy Family	**30th December 2012**