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The countdown to the 54th International Eucharistic Congress 2028 in Sydney is on!

The official website for the Congress, is now live and parishes across the country will begin to receive starter packs in the coming weeks with resources to help promote the international event.

The Congress brings together people from a wide area to bear witness to the real presence of Jesus Christ in the Eucharist and promote greater devotion to the Eucharist.

It involves large-scale Masses, Eucharistic adoration and other events, all to foster and build a love of the Eucharist.

It will be the second time Sydney has hosted the Congress, 100 years after it first hosted in 1928, when a Eucharistic procession along Macquarie Street, headed by Cardinal Bonaventura Cerretti, was witnessed by 500,000 people.

In his [2025 Pastoral Letter, The Mystery of Faith: Encountering Jesus Christ in the Eucharist](#), Bishop Anthony Randazzo said this Congress invites us into a deeper encounter with the central mystery of our faith: the Most Holy Eucharist.

"It offers a profound opportunity, not only to celebrate, but to renew our understanding, appreciation, and lived experience of the Eucharist, which is the source and summit of the Christian life," he said.