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Farewell Mass for Cathedral

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St Mary's Cathedral will close on Sunday August 27 for extensive renovations and reconstruction that will take approximately two years to complete.

A farewell Mass is to be held at St Mary's Cathedral on Sunday August 13, and is to celebrate the conservation and welcome the completion of the new extensions.

Auxiliary Bishop Donald Sproxton, Perth Vicar General Father Brian O'Loughlin and seminary rector Father Donald Hughes OMI will concelebrate the Mass.

There will be a display of the history of the Cathedral and the plans for the new Cathedral from August 8 through to August 27. There will also be guided tours and explanations of the proposed plans, at 10.30am on August 8, 10, 14, 17, 21 and 24, and at 2pm on August 13, 20 and 27.

Group and school tours can be arranged during this period by contacting Mr John Winship on 9291 8925.