

The Parish of Saint Anthony Glen Huntly

Fourth Sunday of Easter, Year B

21 April 2024

PARISH PRIEST Fr Leenus Neetany SAC IN RESIDENCE Fr Patrick Jackson SAC Brother Lindsay Rust SAC

> PARISH STAFF Shobha Thomas Sue Leong

COORDINATOR MUSIC & CATECHESIS Veronica Blair

PARISH OFFICE HOURS Tue, Thu & Fri: 10am-2pm

WEEKEND MASSES St Anthony's Church Saturday Vigil: 6pm Sunday: 9am, 11am, 5pm St Joseph's Elsternwick Saturday Vigil: 6.30pm Sunday: 10.30am Holy Cross Caulfield South Sunday: 9am

WEEKDAY MASSES St Anthony's Church Monday to Saturday: 9.15am (Holy Rosary at 8.50am) St Joseph's, Elsternwick Friday: 10am Holy Cross, Caulfield South Thursday: 10am

RECONCILIATION Half an hour before all Masses and Saturday 9.45am-10.10am

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION Saturday 9.45am -10.15am

Adoration, Rosary & Novena to Perpetual Help Wednesday 6.40pm

BAPTISMS & WEDDINGS Contact/email the Parish Office

PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK Contact the Parish Priest/Office

TONY'S CAFE *Take away meals only* Tuesdays: 12.30pm—1.30pm Thursdays: 3pm—5.30pm

VENUE HIRE Contact/email the Parish Office

ST ANTHONY'S PRIMARY SCHOOL Principal: Margaret Carlei ① 9563 6780 Ø office@santglen.catholic.edu.au ⊑ santglen.catholic.edu.au **OUR SICK:** Bernard Woon, June Ryans, Mary D'Cruz, Sung-Surn Koo (Names of the sick will be published for a month, unless otherwise requested)

Recently Deceased:

ANNIVERSARIES & REMEMBRANCES: Kakumanu Kumari, Alejandro Madjus, Cassie Berenger

IF YOU ARE NOT ALREADY ON OUR EMAIL LIST AND WOULD LIKE TO SUBSCRIBE TO OUR FREE WEEKLY NEWSLETTER, PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE OR CLICK ON THE LINK BELOW: WWW.MELBCATHOLIC.ORG/S/SUBSCRIPTION?ID=0012w00000LOJ5DAAT&REQ=SUBSCRIBE



Good Shepherd Sunday Vocation Sunday



LITURGY OF THE WORD		Liturgy Roster Apr 20-21		
Entrance Antiphon	Mass	Lector	Commentator	Sp Minister
The merciful love of the Lord fills the earth; by the word of the Lord the heavens were made, alleluia.	Sat 6pm	P Bates	N Mudalige	R Aranha
Today's Readings	Sun 9am	C Collins	M Woon	R Meneaud
Acts 4:8-12; Ps 117:1. 8-9. 21-23. 26. 28-29; 1 Jn 3:1-2;	Sun 11am	K O'Sullivan	K Campitelli	J Ferguson
Jn 10:11-18 Responsorial Psalm	Sun 5pm	E Sebastian	J Kirkham	N/A
The stone rejected by the builders has become the	Liturgy Roster Apr 27-28			
cornerstone.	Mass	Lector	Commentator	Sp Minister
Gospel Acclamation Alleluia, alleluia! I am the good shepherd, says the Lord;	Sat 6pm	L Pereira	N Mudalige	J Aranha
I know my sheep, and mine know me. Alleluia!	Sun 9am	C Collins	M Woon	Т Но
Communion Antiphon	Sun 11am	L Nguyen	L Korniadi	A Francis
The Good Shepherd has risen, who laid down his life for his sheep and willingly died for his flock, alleluia.	Sun 5pm	J Kirkham	E Sebastian	N/A
Last Week's Stewardship Collections (loose & envelopes)Church Stewardship\$1,510Presbytery Stewardship\$ 916Maintenance by cash\$ 100	This Sunday we observe as World Day of Prayer for Vocations. We publicly fulfill the Lord's instruction to, "Pray the Lord of the harvest to send labourer's into his harvest"			
March 2024 EFT and Credit Card Collections Church Stewardship \$3,869 Presbytery Stewardship \$1,420 Due to recent thefts, <u>do not</u> leave money in the Parish letter boxes Post Easter Activity Bowling act Classton Targe Bowling	Sunday School and Children's Liturgy of the Word This resumes this Sunday 21 April. For more details contact the Parish Office glenhuntly@cam.org or 9401 6336			
at Clayton, Zone Bowling. 1866 Princes Highway Service Road. This Sunday 21 st April after 11 am Mass Food available on-site or pick something up on the way. All welcome! Entertainment Book	English Language Classes Free English Language Classes have resumed at Tony's Café. Taught by an experienced and qualified teacher, each session lasts for 2 hours. Coming to class will not only help with your English language skills			
Were Endeducing with Endeducing End	(grammar, pronunciation and vocabulary) but also help you to connect with the community. 10.30-12.30 every Tuesday: 164 Neerim Rd St Anthony's Hall. All welcome.			
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Entertainment is an easy-to-use App packed with savings of up to 50% off and 2-for-1 offers, so you can save on takeaway, dining, shopping, groceries, gift cards, activities and more!

What's even better, 20% of every membership purchased goes to support St Anthony's Parish -Tony's Cafe!

Head to the Entertainment website to purchase a membership and choose Tony's Café as the organisation you want to support.

Basic member is just \$69.00. https://www.entertainment.com.au/?gad_source =1&gclid=EAIaIQobChMIhvLDlafKhQMVZRSD Ax0CpQfSEAAYASAAEgLWcPD BwE

All welcome. **Classes for Confirmation**

Wednesday at 7.30pm in the church.

The Sacrament of Confirmation will be conferred at St Anthony's by Bishop Tony Ireland on Sunday 20th October during 11 am Mass.

Formal preparation will begin in Term 2, on Sunday 21st April during Sunday School, which is held at 10am on Sunday mornings.

For more information please contact Veronica Blair via the Parish Office, glenhuntly@cam.org.au, 9401 6336.



Help us celebrate ANZAC Day at Tony's Café.

ANZAC Day Barbeque at Tony's Café

Anzac Day this year falls on a Thursday and is a public holiday.

Tony's Café will be open for lunch from 12.30 –1.30

Please note this change of time.

Because this is a barbeque there will be NO PARKING in the grounds.

Don't forget to bake some ANZAC biscuits and drop them off to the Parish House early in the week, or to the Hall itself on Tuesday or Thursday. All welcome

Youth Meeting Monday, May 6th at 6.30pm

Emma Bakker, the Youth Discipleship Specialist from the Archdiocese Proclaim Office has consented to lead another Youth Meeting on Monday, 6th May at 6.30pm at Holy Cross Parish Hall.

Emma has recommended that the meeting be attended by "those who are capable and available to lead/coordinate the Youth Group"

(Youth Leader: aged 18-25: and Youth Coordinators: aged above 25)



Parish Development Day For our 3 Parishes Saturday, 18th May 2024 10am to 3.30pm



Plant Sale



Potential gardeners start planting seedlings in preparation for our upcoming plant sale in Spring!

Birthday of St Vincent Pallotti



This Sunday 21 April, we will be celebrating the birthday of St Vincent Pallotti at St Patrick's Parish, Murrumbeena Cnr Murrumbeena Rd and Dalny Rd.

> Holy Mass at 5pm, followed by a Light Meal. All Welcome. Spread the word! If possible bring a plate to share!

March 2024 Income and Expenses

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Income	
Candles & Piety Stall	\$ 434
Donations	\$ 100
Insurance Premium reimbursement	
from Newman Parish & MFS	\$ 22,198
Maintenance Collections	\$ 437
Rental Income	\$ 9,008
Service Fees	\$ 200
Thanksgiving Income	\$ 14,354
Total Income	\$ 46,731
Expense	
Administration	\$ 4,333
Candles, Flowers & Hosts	\$ 4,555
	\$ 020
Catering	\$ 297 \$ 1700
Cleaning	\$ 1,790 \$ 2,152
Electricity, Gas, Water	\$ 2,152
Gardening	\$ 360
Miscellaneous Expenses	\$ 348
Motor Vehicle Expenses	\$ 215
Printing, Postage & Stationery	\$ 982
Repairs and Maintenance	\$ 620 \$ 297 \$ 1,790 \$ 2,152 \$ 360 \$ 348 \$ 215 \$ 982 \$ 4,032 \$ 55 \$ 103
Security	\$ 55
Subscriptions	\$ 103
Supply Fees	\$ 400
Telecommunications	\$ 56
Total Expenses	\$ 15,743
Net Surplus	\$ 30,988

Parish Events	Where	When	
Choir Practice	St Anthony's Church	Wednesdays at 7.30pm.	
Sunday School	Parish House/The Glen 74 Grange Rd, Carnegie	During School Term. Every Sunday at 10am.	
Children's Liturgy of the Word	Church & School	During School Term. Every Sunday at 11am Mass	
Improve or Learn English	Parish Hall (164 Neerim Rd)	Every Tuesday 10.30am—12.30pm	
St Anthony's Playgroup	St Anthony's School	During School Term. Every Wednesday 9—10.30am	
St Anthony's School Enrolments	St Anthony's School	Contact 9563 6780	
Tony's Café	Parish Hall (164 Neerim Rd)	Take away meals only. Tue: 12.30—1.30pm & Thu: 3—5.30pm	
Al-Anon	The Glen (behind Parish House)	Tuesdays 7—9.30pm	
Legion of Mary	St Anthony's Church	Every Friday after 9.15am Mass	
St Vincent de Paul	Parish House	Every 1st Tuesday of the month at 7pm	
Sacre Coeur Prayer Group	The Glen (behind Parish House)	Every Friday 7.30—9pm	
Baptism Preparation	St Anthony's Church	Every 2nd Friday of the month at 7pm. Email/Contact the Parish Office	

4th Sunday of Easter, Year B, Good Shepherd Sunday: Vocation Sunday!

Dear brothers and sisters in the Risen Lord!

Jesus, by his words and example, has proved that he is truly our Good

Shepherd. He said, "The Good Shepherd lays down his life for the sheep." We know that Jesus, in caring for us, laid down his own life; and then having risen to new life he still cares for us. There is none like Jesus who can be called "The Good Shepherd"

By calling Jesus as our Good Shepherd, we also imply that we are his "sheep". Though, in many respects we are unlike the sheep, in many other respects, we are like the sheep. Sheep are weak animals. They, being prey animals, are also defenceless. Left alone, the sheep cannot survive. The sheep need a shepherd to care for them and to protect them: So do we. In saying this we do not mean to under-estimate our abilities, nor deny our self-esteem.

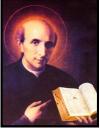
No one can deny that in spite of our manifold abilities, health, wealth and intellectual capabilities our existence heavily depends on God. In fact, everything that we need to sustain our lives come from God. Therefore, on this Good Shepherd Sunday, we acknowledge God's role in the life of everyone, and express our gratitude.

Though we are compared to weak and defenceless sheep, we are called to be like "Leader-Sheep". Leader-sheep are a special breed of sheep found mostly in Iceland. They have the intuitive quality of sensing the danger in advance. Whether the danger is from predators or an avalanche or bad weather, the 'leader-sheep' get to know the impending danger and quickly



lead the rest of the flock and the shepherd to safety. Despite our inadequacies, we are called to be like the leader-sheep in one way another.

Whatever may be our state of life, we are to lead and protect each other. For this reason Good Shepherd Sunday is also called Vocation Sunday. 'Vocation' means 'being called'. We are being called to care for one another in the name of Jesus, our Good Shepherd.



Today, 21st of April 2024 marks 229th Birthday of St Vincent Pallotti. He answered the call from God to serve his fellow humans in the best way possible. The circumstances were inadequate, but Vincent answered the call and proved to be "a good shepherd" after Jesus "The Good Shepherd".

St Vincent Pallotti encourages us to be good apostles and work towards realising the dream of everyone becoming "One fold under One Shepherd".

Information Session for the Permanent Diaconate

Are you being called to serve? The Permanent Diaconate is open to single and married men, aged between 30 and 60 years, who want to serve God and the Church as ordained ministers. COME & SEE! An Information Session about the Permanent Diaconate will be held on 4 May 2024 Saturday, 10:00 -11.45 am at the Catholic Theological College (CTC), 278 Victorian Parade, East Melbourne. https://vocations.melbournecatholic.org/about/what-is-a-vocation/permanent-diaconate

Contact: 03 9412 3357 or email diaconate@cam.org.au

A Sunday School teacher said to her children, "We have been learning about how powerful the Kings and the Queens were in Biblical times. But there is a higher power. Who can tell me what the higher power is?" Little Johnny shouted out, "I know, the Aces."



