#### Presbytery:

72 Grange Rd Glen Huntly Parish House & Library 74 Grange Rd Glen Huntly Parish Priest:

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#### Sunday Mass Schedule St Anthony's

Cnr Grange & Neerim Rds)
Saturday Vigil. . . . 6.30pm
Sunday. . . 8am, 11am, 5pm
St Aloysius'
(233 Balaclava Rd)
Sunday. . . . . . . 9.15am
Mass (Roman Missal 1962)
. . . 8am, 10.30am and 5pm

#### Weekdays at St Anthony's

Tuesday to Saturday incl ..... 9.15am Monday Mass:

St Aloysius' . . . 7am, 10am (Roman Missal 1962)

St Mary's (East Malvern) & Holy Eucharist (Chadstone) (ph: 9571 2407) . . . 9.05am Fatima Centre. . . . . 12pm

# Weekdays at St Aloysius (Roman Missal 1962)

Monday to Thursday..... 7am, 10am Friday.... 7am, 10am, 6pm Saturday..... 8am, 10am

# St Anthony's Reconciliation:

preparation.

Saturday. . . . . . . 9.45am
Eucharistic Adoration:
Sundays. . . 8.45 - 10.30am
Saturdays ... 9.45 - 10.30am
Rosary & Novena:
Wednesday. . . . . 6.30pm
Rosary:
Tuesday to Saturday. . . . 9am
Baptisms:
By appointment
Marriages:

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# The Parish of Saints Anthony & Aloysius



Glen Huntly & Caulfield 16 December 2018 - 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Advent

#### Please remember the following in your prayers

**The sick:** Virginia Potts, Vilma Woods, Anthony Breslin, Pansy Meneaud, Kathleen Dwyer, Wilma Hangan, Bev Chandler, Tony Camilleri, Jock Bristow, Kevin Bugden, Indrianto Halim, Michael Page, Asher Collins-Assey, Nelson Vijith Ratnayake, Peter Murphy, Gloria Anderson nee Bird

Recently Deceased: Rick Brumpton

Anniversaries: Kakumanu Bhagyam, Christine O'Sullivan, Dean Sutherland and Marge Emerson

#### Weekend Masses

Mass schedule at St Anthony's Church Glen Huntly commencing weekend 29-30 December: Saturday 6pm Vigil Mass Sunday 8.30am, 11am, 5pm Masses

BI John Henry Newman Parish provides 3 Sunday Masses at St Aloysius' Church.

#### **Advent**

St Mary's Parish Malvern East offers a final Advent liturgy "Leapt for Joy" Tuesday 18 December 7pm. The liturgy lasts 30 minutes with music and reflection by members of St Vincent de Paul.

St Mary's Church

91 Manning Rd Malvern East.

#### **Christmas Masses at St Anthony's**

Monday 24 December 6.30pm Mass 12 midnight Mass Tuesday 25 December 9.30am Mass 11am Mass

#### **Choir Practice**

Choir Practice for Christmas is held on Wednesday in St Anthony's Church 7.30pm. Everybody is welcome! You don't have to have great voice just be willing to sing for the Lord.

#### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Please note this program of Confession times at St Anthony's as we prepare for Christmas:

Tuesday 18 December 9.45am Wednesday 19 December 7pm Thursday 20 December 9.45am Friday 21 December 9.45am Saturday 22 December 9.45am Sunday 23 December 4pm Monday 24 December 9.30am

# **Christmas Season Blessing of Homes**

Blessing of homes is available in January. Please register at the Parish Office.

#### **Prep/Foundation Parents 2018**

Children are required on Christmas Eve for the 6.30pm Vigil Mass Pageant. There are no speaking parts, they just follow the leader, and costumes are provided. Please contact the Parish House if your child would like to take part.

# Christmas Day Dinner at St Anthony's Hall

Many completed invitation forms as well as helpers forms have been sent or dropped at church and the Parish House. Donated items have also begun to arrive. Thank you for all your quick responses. At the time of printing we have 165 guests and 30 volunteers.

Christmas Day is fast approaching! If you would like to come and celebrate this special day with us, or if you know any one who may be interested to come, please fill out the **yellow** invitation form in the Church porch and leave it in the boxes provided. All are welcome to attend, regardless of faith.

If you would like to donate money or items, please do **not** leave them in the church or street letter boxes, make sure you hand them in to the Parish House or Sacristy. We know from previous years, we need lots of potatoes, pumpkin, cauliflower and seasoning, if you can help with any of these. Thank you all for your generosity which brings the Christmas Dinner together and gives such pleasure to our guests. *Thank You!* 

# The Christmas Tree

If you are missing someone this year, write their name on one of the tags provided and hang it on the Christmas tree in Saint Anthony's Church. Then they will be with us in spirit.

# Can you help at the Hall?

- Sunday 16 December after 11am Mass to set up the tables for 1 hour only.
- Saturday 22 December 12.30pm to decorate, set tables and prepare take away plates.

#### Some Good News!

45 men are studying for the priesthood at Corpus Christi College Carlton. These are the priests of tomorrow who will serve in Melbourne parishes.

Join with people from all around Australia pledging prayer for vocations to the religious life and priesthood.

Go to <a href="www.pledgetopray.com.au">www.pledgetopray.com.au</a> to find a variety of prayers for vocations and join this virtual community of prayer.

# **Stamps**

Please save your stamps. Cut the stamp leaving about ¼ inch on all sides and leave them in the box in the main porch. The money we raise goes to the missions. Thank you.

## **Monday 17 December**

6pm Graduation St Anthony's School

# **Tuesday 18 December**

6.30pm Graduation St Anthony's School

## Wednesday 19 December

1pm End Term IV

6.30pm Rosary & Novena St Anthony's Church 7.30pm Choir Rehearsal St Anthony's Church

Friday 21 December St Peter Canisius

#### **LITURGY ROSTER 2018**

#### 22-23 December - Saint Anthony's Church

Commentator **Special Minister** Mass Lector 6.30pm A O'Driscoll P Riggs P Bates M Dwver P Spotkaeff 8am 11am S D'Mello Т Но J Wong 5pm G Pollard E O'Keefe E O'Keefe St Aloysius' Church Mass 9.15am Lector M Kennedy

#### 24 December - Saint Anthony's Church

Commentator Lector **Special Minister** Mass 6.30pm L Pereira A O'Driscoll C Soervanto P Bates, T Ho

12midnight P Riggs C Collins K Campitelli

#### 25 December - Saint Anthony's Church

**Special Minister** Mass Lector Commentator 9.30am M Dwyer S D'Mello P Spotkaeff T Ho

11am L Nguyen J Wong

# LITURGY OF THE WORD

# 15-16 December - 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Advent C

Zeph 3:14-18 Phil 4:4-7 Luke 3:10-18 Psalm: Cry out with joy and gladness: for among you

is the great and Holy One of Israel.

Alleluia, alleluia! The Spirit of the Lord is upon Gospel:

me; he sent me to bring Good News to the

poor. Alleluia!

22-23 December - 4th Sunday of Advent C

Micah 5:1-4 Heb 10:5-10 Luke 1:39-44

25 December 2017 - Vigil Mass

Isaiah 62:1-5 Acts 13:16-17, 22-25 Mt 1:18-25

25 December 2017 - Midnight Mass

Titus 2:11-14 Isaiah 9: 1-7 Luke 2: 1-14

25th December 2017 - Mass during the day

9.30am Isaiah 62:11-12 Titus 3:4-7 Luke 2:15-20

**11am** Isaiah 52:7-10 Hebrews 1:1-6 John1:1-18 THANK YOU to generous parishioners who support the mission and upkeep of our Parish in Parish Stewardship. Please note that the Stewardship and Collection figures shown below are for both churches combined.

Parish Stewardship Pledge 2018 \$2.291.00 Parish Stewardship Envelopes \$ 925.00 Credit card/Direct debit (averaged) \$ 670.00 First collection loose change \$1,010.00 Total income for last week \$2,605.00 Income from venue hire etc is reported monthly.

# ST ANTHONY'S PIETY STALL

Open after all weekend Masses Well stocked with religious items (statues, crosses, rosary beads), greeting and Christmas cards, Melbourne Catholic, Entertainment Book, St Anthony's Centenary History and Cook Book. Columban Calendar 2019 \$10.

# ST ANTHONY'S ALTAR SERVERS

Young parishioners in years 5 & 6, secondary school and university are welcome to join our serving team. Speak to Fr Pritchard after Mass or contact the Parish Office.

#### **AUSTRALIAN NATIVITY SCENE**

www.australiannativityscene.org

St Elizabeth's Parish, 107 Bakers Rd Dandenong North Monday 10 December - Friday 11 January.

# The Rite of Reconciliation

What are the positive effects of confession? Confession reconciles the sinner with God and the Church.

The second after absolution is like a shower after playing sports, like the fresh air after summer storm, like waking up on a sunlit summer morning, like the weightlessness of a diver .... Everything is contained in the word "reconciliation" (from a Latin verb meaning "to bring back together, to restore"): we are at peace with God again. YOUCAT 239

## THE RITE OF CONFESSION

- 1. In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.
- 2. Priest welcomes you and says a prayer
- 3. Father it is ... weeks/months/years since my last Confession and these are my sins ...
- 4. Priest talks to you and then assigns a penance (prayer or act to do in the Church after Confession)
- 5. Act of Contrition
  - "O my God, I am very sorry that I have sinned against you. Because you are so good and with your help, I will not sin again".
  - Lord Jesus, Son of God, have mercy on me. a sinner.
- 6. The Priest will grant you absolution and the forgiveness of your sins.
- 7. Priest: The Lord has freed you from your sins; go in peace.

Person: Thanks be to God. Thank you, Father.