



# The Parish of Saint Anthony Glen Huntly

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**Third Sunday of Lent, Year B**

**3 March 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

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**OUR SICK:** Lyn Read, Samantha Hind, Elliott Bradley, Glen Arathoon, Remedios Patawaran, Teresa & Gerald Loiacono, Shashi, Paula Dalton  
*(Names of the sick will be published for a month, unless otherwise requested)*

**RECENTLY DECEASED:** Dr Suzette Munoz

**ANNIVERSARIES & REMEMBRANCES:** Winifreeda & Victor Fernando

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](http://WWW.MELBCATHOLIC.ORG/S/SUBSCRIPTION?ID=0012W00000LOJ5DAAT&REQ=SUBSCRIBE)



We Are  
the Temple  
of GOD

## Stations of the Cross in Lent

St Anthony's, Fridays after 9.15am and 7pm Masses

Holy Cross, Thursdays after 10am Mass.

St Joseph's, Fridays after 10am Mass.

## LITURGY OF THE WORD

### ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

My eyes are always on the Lord, for he rescues my feet from the snare. Turn to me and have mercy on me, for I am along and poor.

### TODAY'S READINGS

Ex 20:1-17; Ps 18:8-11; 1 Cor 1:22-25; Jn 2:13-25

### RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Lord, you have the words of everlasting Life.

### GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory! God loved the world so much, he gave us his only Son, that all who believe in him might have eternal life. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!

### COMMUNION ANTIPHON

The sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for her young: by your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God. Blessed are they who dwell in your house, for ever singing your praise.

### NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

2 Chr 36:14-16. 19-23; Ps 136; Eph 2:4-10; Jn 3:14-21

### Last Week's Stewardship Collections (loose & envelopes)

Church Stewardship \$1,570  
Presbytery Stewardship \$ 964

*Due to recent thefts, please do not leave money in the Parish Letter*



### Project Compassion Boxes



Project Compassion boxes and envelopes are now available in the Church Foyer. Your contribution goes to Caritas Australia to help support vulnerable people around the world!

You can also donate:

[Caritas.org.au/project-compassion](http://Caritas.org.au/project-compassion)

### Lenten Scripture Reflection Sessions



Every Monday during Lent, Fr Pat will conduct reflection sessions from 7pm—8pm at St Anthony's, Glen Huntly. All welcome!

### Choir Practice

Choir Practices for Easter are ongoing, Wednesday nights in the church, from 7.30-8.30pm.



Instrumentalists are also welcome.

### Liturgy Roster Mar 2-3

Mass	Lector	Commentator	Sp Minister
Sat 6pm	N Mudalige	S Pflieger	J Aranha
Sun 9am	P Rashad	Y Jo-Sumarna	R Meneaud
Sun 11am	L Kornjadi	L Shelton	J Ferguson
Sun 5pm	E Sebastian	J Kirkham	N/A

### Liturgy Roster Mar 9-10

Mass	Lector	Commentator	Sp Minister
Sat 6pm	L Pereira	C Hampson	R Aranha
Sun 9am	C Collins	M Woon	B Meneaud
Sun 11am	K O'Sullivan	L Kornjadi	A Francis
Sun 5pm	J Kirkham	E Sebastian	N/A

### Our Seminarians

Eight men have entered into our Melbourne Seminary for this year:

Chinh Tran, Rohan Prince, Luke Kennedy, Luke Emslie, Tung Phan, Joseph Maae, Patrick Harris and Mathews Noble.

Please keep them in your prayers.

### Easter Egg Raffle

3 prizes, to be drawn at Easter Vigil. Tickets are \$2.00 each and available after Masses in the main porch of the church.

Proceeds to the Parish.



### Young Volunteers are needed

Volunteers are needed to take part in the Pageant of the Crucifixion on Good Friday morning. (11yrs and older) There are no speaking parts and no special costumes needed.

Please contact the Parish Office or leave your name with Father Leenus or Veronica Blair if you would like to take part.

### Washing of the Feet

We are looking for 12 volunteers, men and women (18 yrs and over) for Washing of the Feet on Holy Thursday 28 March at 7.30pm Mass.

Please ring/email the Parish Office or leave your name with Fr Leenus or Veronica Blair.

**CHILDREN MUST  
HAVE ADULT  
SUPERVISION**



### Safeguarding Children and Young People

All children and young people who come to our parish have a right to feel and be safe.

The welfare of the children and young people in our care will always be our first priority and we have a ZERO tolerance for any form of abuse.

For more information on Safeguarding: [melbournecatholic.org/safeguarding](http://melbournecatholic.org/safeguarding)

## St Anthony's School Enrolments 2025

**ENROLL NOW!**

Enrol NOW for 2025, School Tours

Wed 6 and Tue 19 March:

9.00am - 11.00am

OR OTHER DATES BY APPOINTMENT

Contact 9563 6780 to make a booking for a school tour.

## Sunday School Resumes

Sunday School provides a general Catholic Education for all children, including Sacramental preparation at 10am at the Parish House, 74 Grange Rd.

There will be **NO** Sunday School on Sunday 10 March.



## Children's Liturgy Resumes

Children's Liturgy has resumed. Every Sunday during the 11am Mass. Parents are welcome to accompany their children. For more information, contact the Parish Office.



## Good Friday Appeal Fundraiser, 17 March

Cake stall, second hand items (in good condition), games for everyone, colouring competition.



## Sunday School Helpers

Have you ever thought about helping in the Sunday School? We have a great team of catechists who sometimes need an extra pair of hands. This could involve helping with the sign-in at the start, assisting with an activity or taking a small group.

If you can help, please contact Veronica Blair via the parish email or phone. Many thanks.

## Pilgrimage Walk



This Sunday  
3rd March,

Starting at 1pm at St Anthony's Church, Glen Huntly.

The walk this year is about 4 km and the weather is set to be cloudy and warm, at least at this stage.

Together with our sister parishes we are focussing on the Stations of the Cross.

Please BYO lunch, water, hat and sun screen. Transport is available in the parish bus for those who might find the route too long.

Please ring or email the Parish Office to reserve a seat on the bus.

**11am:** Mass at St Anthonys for those who wish.

**12-1pm:** Lunch outside the church. Please BYO food. Tea and coffee provided.

**1pm:** Introductory prayer and blessing. Stations of the Cross 1 and 2 at St Anthony's

**1.30pm:** Walk to Holy Cross Church via Neerim Rd. 2.8 km

**2.20pm:** Arrive at Holy Cross Church 707 Glen Huntly Rd

**2.30pm:** Stations of the Cross 3 – 8

**3pm:** Walk to St Josephs Church Elsternwick 1.4 km

**3.30pm:** Arrive at S Josephs, 71 Orrong Rd.

**3.35pm:** Stations of the Cross 9 – 14

**4.15pm:** Refreshments.

Everyone is welcome to walk, run, scoot or cycle the route.

## Good Friday Holy Land Appeal—Friday 29 March

Each year, the Good Friday Holy Land Collection supports Christian people living difficult lives in countries far from our shores, and for the upkeep of sacred places of pilgrimage. This year we are once again invited to give generously to the collection, which will be taken up on Good Friday.

For 800 years, the Franciscan friars have been a constant and faithful presence in Israel and Palestine, Egypt, Syria, Jordan, Lebanon, Rhodes and Cyprus—the countries that make up the Franciscan Custody of the Holy Land. They have offered pastoral care and shared the struggles of local Christian communities, who often face particular challenges because of their minority status.

In recent years, the COVID-19 pandemic has had an enormous impact on the people of the Holy Land, with sometimes catastrophic consequences for both their health and their incomes. The absence of pilgrims has meant there is less work for locals, and also fewer financial resources to support the friars in their mission of caring for the holy places, running parishes and schools, and ministering to orphans, refugees, the homeless and others.

Please give generously.

**3rd Lenten Sunday, Year B**  
**Cleansing of the Jerusalem Temple by Jesus**

Dear brothers and sisters in Jesus,

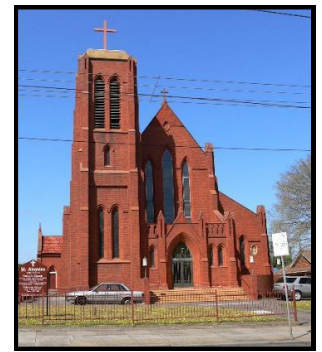
Today's Gospel draws our attention to our own churches. The Gospel for this Sunday speaks of the cleansing of the Jerusalem Temple by Jesus. The people of Israel loved their Temple. They were proud of it. The temple was for them everything, their lives centred around it. We too love our Churches and are proud of them.

By 'our Churches' I mean, St Anthony's, St Joseph's, Holy Cross and St Aloysius' Churches. Firstly, let's be grateful to God for providing us with these places of worship. Let's also be grateful for his Eucharistic Presence in them. We are appreciative of our churches also for their grandeur looks, architecture and elegance.

The Jerusalem Temple was far more grandeur, beautiful and elegant than ours. Jesus himself must have been appreciative of it. Yet he was not happy about everything that was going on in there. He expressed his unhappiness by chasing out the unwanted and thus cleansing the Temple in a dramatic way. If Jesus were to walk into our churches today, would anything in them make him upset and angry? What could we do to make our churches more pleasing to God! How else could we offer him fitting worship for his living presence in our Churches?

Jesus spoke of his own body as the temple. St Paul speaks about our own bodies as the temples of the Holy Spirit. So then, the same appreciation and gratefulness we have for our Churches, we should have also for our bodies. Not only our souls matter to God, but very much so our bodies. We have a great responsibility of looking after our physical health as well as our spiritual purity. We are called to be in a state of grace always; a fitting dwelling place for God.

*Fr Leenus*



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

The costs of things have soared high. When I was a kid I could walk into a store with a dollar in pocket and come out with what ever I wanted. But nowadays, CCTV cameras everywhere!

