

# The Parish of Saint Anthony Glen Huntly

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## Ascension of the Lord Year B

16 May 2021

#### PARISH PRIEST

Fr Leenus Neetany SAC

# PARISH STAFF

Shobha Thomas Sue Leong

# COORDINATOR MUSIC & CATECHESIS

Veronica Blair

#### **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

Tue, Thu & Fri: 10am-2pm

#### WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday Vigil: 6pm Sunday: 9am, 11am, 5pm

#### WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday-Saturday: 9.15am

#### RECONCILIATION

Saturday 9.45am-10.10am and 5.30pm—5.50pm

## **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

Saturday 9.45am -10.15 am

# Adoration, Rosary & Novena

Wednesday 6.40pm

#### BAPTISMS & WEDDINGS

Contact the Parish Office preferably by email

#### 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 the Parish Office

# ST ANTHONY'S PRIMARY SCHOOL

☑office@santglen.catholic.edu.au □ santglen.catholic.edu.au Our Sick: Joselito Ortiz

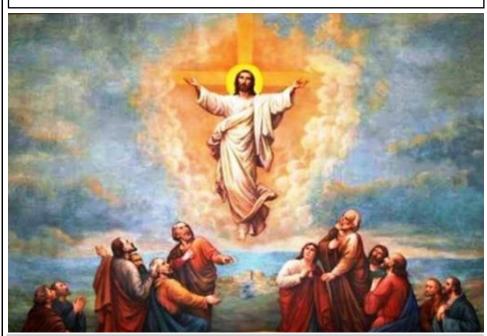
(Names of the sick will be published for a month, unless otherwise requested).

RECENTLY DECEASED: Nelly Able

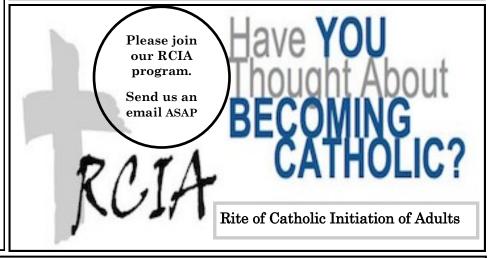
ANNIVERSARIES & REMEMBRANCES: Mary Francis Vakayil, Claudine

Eguaras, Andrea Caporas

PLEASE RING/EMAIL THE PARISH OFFICE IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE THE PARISH NEWSLETTER BY EMAIL OR WOULD LIKE A SICK, DECEASED OR ANNIVERSARY OF A FAMILY MEMBER MENTIONED IN OUR NEWSLETTER



Together with the psalmist, let us acclaim, "the Lord goes up with shouts of joy; the Lord goes up with trumpet blast." Alleluia, alleluia!



St Anthony's Parish is committed to the safety, wellbeing & dignity of all children, young people & vulnerable adults in our community. Clergy, employees & volunteers are required to sign the Code of Conduct on an annual basis.

To read and sign the Code of Conduct Form, please visit:

https://melbournecatholic.org/uploads/documents/Safequarding-Children-and-Young-People-Code-of-Conduct-Declaration.pdf

#### LITURGY OF THE WORD

#### **Today's Readings**

Acts 1:1-11; Ephesians 1:17-23; Mark 16:15-20

#### **Responsorial Psalm**

God mounts his throne to shouts of joy: a blare of trumpets for the Lord.

#### **Gospel Acclamation**

Alleluia, alleluia! Go and teach all people my gospel. I am with you always, until the end of the world.

#### **Next Sunday's Readings**

Acts 2:1-11; 1Corrinthians 12:3-7, 12-13; John 20:19-23

Liturgy Roster 22-23 May 2021			
Mass	Reader	Commentator	Communion
6.00pm	P Bates	L Pereira	N/A
9.00am	E Moraes	C Collins	P Spotkaeff
11.00am	J Wong	L Korniadi	S Heuberger
5.00pm	E Sebastian	L Shelton	N/A

#### LAST WEEK'S STEWARDSHIP COLLECTIONS

Church Stewardship (loose & envelopes) \$1,135 Presbytery Stewardship (loose & envelopes) \$ 617

Credit Card/Direct Debit/EFT Venue Hire, Donations & Maintenance Income This will be reported once a month. Thank you

# Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help (All Wednesdays).

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament with

Rosary at 6.40pm, followed by Novena

## St Vincent De Paul Society

St Vincent de Paul will be holding a BBQ after 11am Mass on Sunday 23 May 12pm

Are going through hardship and require assistance with food, bills, furniture or just need a listening ear?

Our dedicated team of volunteers are here to help, please call:

Welfare Assistance Line (Free Call) 1800 305 330 (Victoria only) Monday to Friday 10am - 3pm

#### Volunteering:

St Vincent de Paul Society has a diverse and inclusive volunteer program that seeks to reflect the diversity of the broader Victorian community. With over 8,000 volunteers across Victoria, our volunteers have been the heartbeat of our organisation for over 160 years.

Since the start up of the Glen Huntly Conference in May 2019, our volunteers have assisted over 450 people in the local area of Glen Huntly/Carnegie. Our volunteers conduct home visits and without our valued volunteers our organisation would not be able to help people who turn to us each year in their time of need.

If you would like to volunteer and join as a member of our conference to help those in need, please contact:

Surath on 0425 766 061 or Kim on 0457 001 940.

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL SACRAMENTS

#### Confirmation

Sacrament of Confirmation on Friday 8 October 7pm. Eligible students (Year 6 and over) should attend Sunday School classes from now. Please contact the Parish Office or Veronica Blair veronica.blair@cam.org.au

#### **First Holy Communion**

This will be held on Sundays 20 June 11am (for St Anthony's school children) and 27 June 11am (for Sunday School children). Bookings via Trybooking essential. Details TBA.

#### THANK YOU

Thank you to all for your generosity in donating rose petals and lavender which was distributed to the mothers on Mothers Day.

#### CHAPLAINCY APPEAL 2021

This Sunday at all Masses there will be a special collection towards Chaplaincy Appeal. The Chaplins of CatholicCare Victoria support thousands of Victorians every year in hospitals, prisons and youth justice centers and those living with HIV/AIDS.

Envelopes in the Church Foyer.



# Feast of St Anthony of Padua, Patron Saint of Our Parish & School.

The Feast of St Anthony of Padua, 13th June falls on a Sunday this year. If you have any suggestions as to how to celebrate this Feast Day of our Parish Patron Saint in the most fitting way (Considering also the Covid Restrictions) please let our Parish Office know of your suggestions by email/phone or in person.



# Cenacle Prayer Afternoon All are invited.

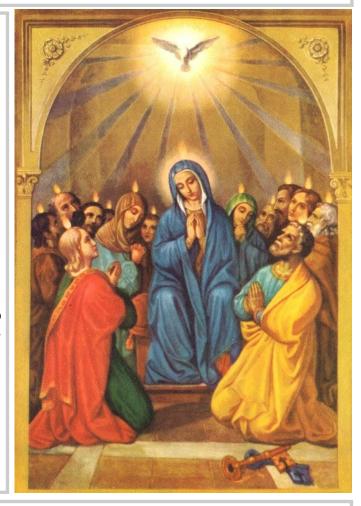
at Pallottine Community, 85 Studly Park Rd, Kew.

An hour of Prayers and a bit of Socializing.

On Saturday, 22 May. 2pm to 4pm.

# This is also the Feastday of Mary Queen of the Apostles.

Mary is called by this title, because, it was Mary who took the command of Our Lord seriously and gathered his disciples together in the Upper-room (Cenacle room) and encouraged them to keep praying for the coming of the Holy Spirit. Left to themselves, the disciples would not have done it, and there would not have been any Pentecost, and they would not have been enabled to preach the Gospel throughout the whole world.





URGENT ATTENTION TO ALL PARISHIONERS
MANDATORY USE OF VICTORIAN GOVERNMENT
QR CODE SERVICE
STARTING 6PM FRIDAY 28 MAY 2021.



Last Friday 7 May 2021, the Victorian Government announced that it is moving to a single QR Code COVID-19 check-in system.

This means that by 6pm on Friday, 28 May,

#### all Parishes must use the free Victorian Government QR Code Service

and have COVID marshals in place to ensure people are checking in at relevant Parish activities (e.g. Mass, weddings, funerals, baptisms etc. and use of Parish spaces for community events).

Manual record keeping (pen and paper) can only be used if electronic record keeping is temporarily unavailable such as during an internet outage.

Please download the free Service Victoria App on your mobile phones to make it easier to check in.



#### THE ASCENSION OF OUR LORD

Can we really say, that it was 'after' He completed His work of redemption that Jesus ascended into heaven? Or, is it not more accurate to say, that it was 'with' HIs Ascension, that Jesus completed His Work of redemption?. In other words, Jesus' Redemptive Work includes

### 1) His Death, 2) His Resurrection and 3) His Ascension.

By His Death, Jesus destroyed our death.

By His Resurrection, Jesus restored us to life.

By His Ascension, Jesus made us sharers in his divinity.

# Just before His Ascension Jesus gave his Disciples two commands:

- 1) To be together and to keep praying for the coming of the Holy Spirit upon them. (This command is now applicable to us in our days).
- 2) To go out into the whole world, once filled with Holy Spirit, to preach and to baptise. (We are the disciples of Jesus, today. Do we follow this command of Our Lord in our own possible ways and circumstances?)

That day Jesus also gave them a Promise, that even though He was leaving for heaven, He would continue to be with us until the end of this world.

So, Jesus is present to us in a very special way in the Holy Eucharist. How do we respond to His living presence in the Blessed Sacrament?

## GLOBAL WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHINA 23-30 May 2021

The Archbishop has asked for the upcoming week of prayer for the people of China in the week of 23-30 May 2021. There are reports that the persecution of people of faith in China has increased n recent times.

This not only includes Catholics and Christians but also Buddhists, Muslims and other believers who are routinely persecuted, imprisoned and tortured.

Earlier this year, the President of the Federation of Asian Bishops' Conference, His Eminence Charles Cardinal Bo issued a call for a worldwide week of prayer for the Church and the people of China. More information and resources can be found at www.globalprayerfor china.org

We pray that all believers in China are given the freedom to practice their faith and that human dignity and respect is always upheld and respected.

Fr Joe Caddy AM Vicar General

# Quotes from St Anthony of Padua

- Actions speak louder than words; let your words teach and your actions speak.
- Charity is the soul of faith, makes it alive; without love, faith dies ...
- The life of the body is the soul; the life of the soul is God.