



The Parish of Saint Anthony Glen Huntly

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Pentecost Sunday Year B

23 May 2021

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Shobha Thomas

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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

EUCCHARISTIC 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

Principal: Margaret Carlei

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OUR SICK: Joselito Ortiz, Bro Laurence King FSC
(Names of the sick will be published for a month, unless otherwise requested).

RECENTLY DECEASED: Johnson Carvalho

ANNIVERSARIES & REMEMBRANCES: Angelo Bicchieri, Gertrude Bates

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



O, God, who by the light of the Holy Spirit, did instruct the hearts of the faithful, grant that by the same Holy Spirit we may be truly wise and ever enjoy His consolations, Through Christ Our Lord, Amen.

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/Safeguarding-Children-and-Young-People-Code-of-Conduct-Declaration.pdf>

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Today's Readings

Acts 2:1-11; Gal 5:16-25; John 15:26-27; 16:12-15

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 103:1. 24. 29-31. 34. R. v.30

Lord, send out your Spirit
and renew the face of the earth

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia! Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of
your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love.
Alleluia!

Next Sunday's Readings

Deut 4:32-34. 39-40; Rom 8:14-17; Mt 28:16-20

Liturgy Roster 29-30 May 2021

Mass	Reader	Commentator	Communion
6.00pm	L Aranha	L Pereira	N/A
9.00am	M Dwyer	D D'Souza	B Meneaud
11.00am	M Anthony	TBC	A Francis
5.00pm	L Shelton	E Sebastian	N/A

LAST WEEK'S STEWARDSHIP COLLECTIONS

Church Stewardship (loose & envelopes) \$1,140
Presbytery Stewardship (loose & envelopes) \$ 680

Credit Card/Direct Debit/EFT

Venue Hire, Donations & Maintenance Income
This will be reported once a month. Thank you

Advance booking needed for 20 June 11 am Mass attendance, because of the First Holy Communion.

Due to number restrictions, all those who
are attending the 11am Mass on Sunday
20 June are required to book in advance via
trybooking.

Trybooking link:

<https://www.trybooking.com/BRKZD>
Bookings close on 18 June @ 8pm.

Please carry your face mask.

St Vincent De Paul Society. Volunteers needed

St Vincent de Paul Society has a diverse and
inclusive volunteer program that seeks to reflect
the diversity of the broader Victorian community.
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 to help those in need, please contact:
Surath on 0425 766 061 or
Kim on 0457 001 940.

It's **BBQ** Time!



BBQ
this Sunday after
11am Mass
Organised by
St Vincent De Paul
Society.

Come One & All and enjoy the BBQ.

Re-imagining Our Local Church as Mission Communities.

Copies of a letter from Archbishop Comensoli
re. Re-imagining our local Church as Mission
Communities is in our Church Foyer.
This can also be found on the Archdiocesan website.
Preliminary discussions have begun.
Veronica Blair has represented our Parish at a
meeting for lay parishioners this Saturday. Updates
on the topic will be communicated asap.

GWEN FITZGERALD CITIZEN OF THE YEAR

Congratulations to Gwen on being awarded
"Citizen of the Year 2021" by Glen Eira Council.

Gwen's award is in recognition of her work in
establishing and maintaining Tony's Cafe, a parish
based community meal program, which remained
open throughout last year's lockdown, providing
hundreds of meals every week.



MANDATORY USE OF VICTORIAN GOVERNMENT QR CODE SERVICE FROM 28TH MAY 2021

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

Volunteers required as COVID marshals to ensure people
are checking in at relevant Parish activities.

Those who do not have a mobile phone, please contact a volunteer at the foyer.

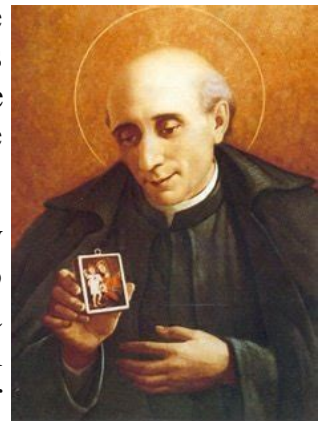




Gift of the Holy Spirit

To illustrate the power of gift of the Holy Spirit we could also be reminded of St. Vincent Pallotti, who as a primary school student was very poor at studies. Even his teachers would commend, ‘Little Vincent is a living saint, he is an angel among us, but what a pity he does not understand a thing’.

One day his mother suggested to him to pray the Novena to the Holy Spirit. Sainly and prayerful as he was, Vincent prayed diligently to the Holy Spirit for nine consecutive days. Then there came in him a transformation. From then on he stood top in his class as well as in the whole school. Even the senior students began come to him for help with their studies.



First Holy Communion to Sunday School Children

On Sunday, 27th June at 11 Mass.

Parents please enroll your children to our Sunday School for any Sacrament or even otherwise.



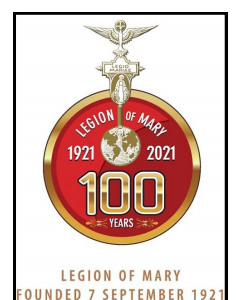
Visit of the Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima

On the occasion of the Centenary Celebration of the
Founding of the Legion of Mary
 the Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima
 will visit our Parish
 from 18th October 2021 to 5th November 2021.

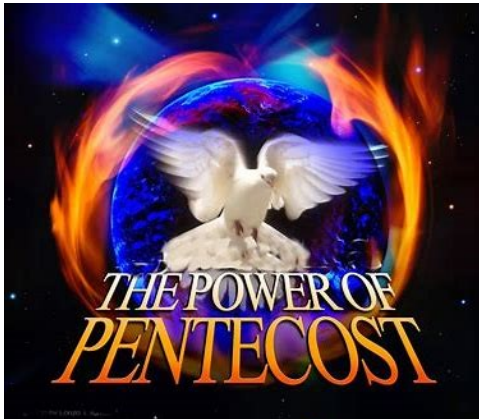
Let's look forward to her visit, with due preparations and prayers.

We invite more men and women to join our Parish's Presidium of Legion of Mary as members. Please Contact Gladys Zill or Parish Office.

We await your expression of interest.



PENTECOST SUNDAY



Dear brothers and sisters in Jesus,

Once, a huge Cargo Ship got stuck in the muck of the shallow waters. The whole day the Captain and the Crew tried to get the ship out of the muck. When all their efforts were of no success, the Captain said, 'leave it alone'. And he himself went back to his cabin and waited; they waited for the high tide to come. That night when the tide came, the waters lifted the thousand ton tanker off the muck and carried it, light as a feather, back into the ocean.

This is one little way of understanding the power of the Holy Spirit. On the day of Pentecost too, a similar but a spiritual tidal wave swept over the disciples. As we read in the 1st reading of today, 'on the 50th day after the resurrection of Our Lord, when the disciples were all together in prayer, there came from heaven a sound as of a violent wind which filled them and the entire house. It transformed their lives.

This explains why Pentecost is spoken of as the birthday of the church. On that day the infant church truly sprang into life. That day, what was thought to be impossible was made possible by the Holy Spirit. It seemed so unlikely that the small group of unlearned timid fishermen would come out into the open to preach Jesus to the world. They were fearful and lacked conviction and enthusiasm. But the spiritual tidal wave gave them a lift and it drove them to places unknown to them to accomplish a mission that was otherwise impossible.

In fact Jesus Himself had instructed them not to go about preaching, unless and until they are filled with the Holy Spirit. So they were behind the closed doors not only because they were afraid of being put to death, but the real reason for their was to pray for the coming of the Holy Spirit. It shows how important is the Holy Spirit in the life of any one. The Holy Spirit transforms our lives.

Holy Spirit is not something but someone. Holy Spirit is a Person. He is the 3rd Person of the Holy Trinity. The essence of this Person is Love. The Father loves the Son so intently; and in turn the Son loves the Father so intently. So intense is the love between the Father and the Son that, that love is a Person, whom we call the Holy Spirit.

Yet, of the three persons of the Holy Trinity, this third person is most neglected by most of us. Most of our prayers are addressed either to the Father or to the Son, Jesus. At the same time it is this same Holy Spirit, who inspires us to call upon the Father and the Son.

The same love of the Father and the Son is given to us in the person of the Holy Spirit especially through Baptism and Confirmation. We are therefore called the temples of the Holy Spirit. Let us make a conscious effort to acknowledge the transforming presence of the Holy Spirit in our lives. Let the Holy Spirit free us from the bondages we have got ourselves into; and lift us up to the spiritual heights unknown to us, filling us with enthusiasm, courage, understanding, and true love for our God and people.

Quote by St. Anthony of Padua

The creator of the heavens obeys a carpenter; the God of eternal glory listens to a poor virgin. Has anyone ever witnessed anything comparable to this? Let the philosopher no longer disdain from listening to the common laborer; the wise, to the simple; the educated, to the illiterate; a child of a prince, to a peasant.

