

The Parish of Saint Anthony Glen Huntly

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St Anthony's Parish and the Archdiocese of Melbourne are committed to the care, wellbeing and protection of children,

young people and vulnerable people in our community and to the safety, wellbeing and dignity of all children and vulnerable adults in Melbourne. Further information can be found at:

WE PRAY FOR THE SICK: Virginia Potts, Vilma Woods, Kathleen Dwyer, Robert Clements,

Peter Murphy, Valerian Pinto, Gertrude Spiteri Staines, Robert Tampling, Tony Camilleri,

ANNIVERSARIES: Rachel and John Kelly, Catherine Smith, Barbara O'Sullivan

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Our Lord Jesus Christ the King of the Universe Year C

24 November 2019

Parish Priest Fr Gregory Pritchard

PARISH SECRETARY SHOBHA THOMAS

COORDINATOR MUSIC & CATECHESIS VERONICA BLAIR

PARISH ACCOUNTANT BERNARD NEGLINE

PARISH FINANCE OFFICER SUE LEONG

PARISH OFFICE TUE, THU & FRI: 10AM-2PM

MASSES AT ST ANTHONYS CHURCH Weekends Saturday Vigil: 6pm Sunday: 8.30am, 11am, 5pm Weekdays Tuesday-Saturday incl: 9.15am

RECONCILIATION Saturday 9.45am

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION Saturday 9.45am Sunday 9.15am

HOLY ROSARY & NOVENA Wednesday 6.30pm

BAPTISMS, WEDDINGS, PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK Contact the Parish Office

VENUE HIRE Contact the Parish Office

ST ANTHONYS PRIMARY SCHOOL *GLEN HUNTLY CAMPUS* Principal: Margaret Carlei Tel: 9563 6780 www.santglen.catholic.edu.au

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MAGNANIMITY: THE FORGOTTEN VIRTUE THAT TODAY'S WORLD NEEDS

Tom Tesoriero, Jeff Hoy, John Leonard, Asher Collins-Assey

In ancient times, there was admiration for people who believed that they were capable of doing great and noble things. Aristotle (+322 BC) described the magnanimous person as someone "worthy of great things". Humility is the courage to live in the truth of who we are who we are as beloved children of the Father; and magnanimity, the courage to expect and do great and noble things.

Magnanimity in the Christian understanding is the virtue of knowing who you are, doing those things that are an accord with your true nature, and contributing towards your becoming like God. Or in the words of St John Paul II (+ 2005), realizing that "we are not the sum of our weaknesses and failures; we are the sum of the Father's love for us and our real capacity to become the image of the Son." From this perspective the magnanimous person seeks to serve the Lord and become the image of the Son. They see sin as beneath them, too small to satisfy what they were truly made for. They see others not as problems to be solved but as persons to be encountered and accompanied towards their own greatness.

The question at the heart of magnanimity is "am I fulfilling my call to participate in God's mission for me in this world as I prepare for the world to come?"

St Teresa of Calcutta (+1997) understood well that the human virtues are developed primarily through habit. St Teresa knew that when we pray for the human virtues God in his wisdom does not infuse them in us, but rather gives us opportunities to develop them through practice, trial and in the case of St Teresa long suffering and hard work. Just as a person can become a great pianist by playing the piano, we become prudent by making good decisions. Grace builds on nature, and virtue builds on human effort that is guided and strengthened by grace. Without human effort, the moral virtues cannot form. As St Augustine reminds us, "God created us without us, but He did not will to save us without us."

St Teresa was one of the 20th century's greatest leaders not because she never made mistakes, or because she was strong-willed, or because she was a good manager. She was a great leader because she knew who she was as a beloved daughter of God and she responded to the call of greatness by reminding others of their own dignity. She understood well what it meant to cultivate the virtue of humility, alongside the virtue of magnanimity. St Teresa did not present a technique or a program to the challenges she faces, rather she grew in virtue so she could serve with fidelity to her mission and call others to greatness.

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ST VINCENT DE PAUL

Archbishop Comensoli has asked us to support the Vinnies Bushfire Appeal. St Vincent de Paul are on the ground throughout our communities providing support to people in need in times of disaster and tragedy. Donations can be made for the Vinnies Bushfire Appeal through www.vinnies.org.au

CHOIR PRACTICE

Please note week beginning December 2 choir practice will be moved from Wednesday 4 to Monday 2 December.

NOVEMBER IS A SPECIAL TIME TO PRAY FOR THE DEAD

Envelopes for the November offering for Masses for the faithful departed are available in the church porches. These can be placed in the weekend collections.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

23-24 NOVEMBER CHRIST THE KING YEAR C

2 Samuel 5:1-3

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 Col 1:12-20
 Luke 23:35-43

30 NOVEMBER-1 DECEMBER 1ST SUNDAY OF ADVENT YEAR A Isaiah 2:1-5 Romans 13:11-14 Matthew 24:37-44

MEDITATION

When the world comes to an end, Christ comes—for all to see. The dramatic upheavals that are foretold in Sacred Scripture—the wickedness that will be plainly manifest, the trials and persecutions that will put the faith of many to the test—these are only the dark side of the new reality: God's definitive victory over evil will be visible. God's glory, truth, and justice will stand out brilliantly. With Christ's coming there will be "a new heaven and a new earth". "He will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning nor crying nor pain any more, for the former things have passed away". *YOUCAT n111*

LITURGY ROSTER 30 NOV-1 DEC 2019				
Mass	Lector	Commentator	Holy Communion	
6pm	A O'Driscoll	L Pereira	J Aranha	
8.30am	M Dwyer	C Collins	B Meneaud	
11am	L Nguyen	J Wong	C Soeryanto T Ho	
5pm	G Pollard	E Sebastian	T Kunjan	

THANK YOU to generous parishioners who support the mission and upkeep of our Parish in Stewardship.

Parish Stewardship Pledge 2018	\$2,291	
Credit card/Direct debit	\$ 670	
First collection loose change	\$ 935	
Parish Stewardship Envelopes	\$ 889	
Total income for last week	\$2,494	
Income from venue hire etc is reported monthly		

NO WEEKDAY MASSES MONDAY-SATURDAY

12 NOON DAILY MASS MONDAY—SATURDAY FATIMA CENTRE 205 POATH RD MURRUMBEENA

WEEKEND 23-24 NOVEMBER

Saturday 6pm Vigil Mass, Sunday 5pm Mass Fr Ramsay Williams Sunday 8.30am 11am Masses Fr Paschal Corby OFM Conv

TUESDAY 26 NOVEMBER

12.30pm Tony's Café St Anthony's Hall 7pm St Vincent de Paul St Anthony's Church Kim Dao: dao.kim2010@gmail.com

WEDNESDAY 27 NOVEMBER

630pm Holy Rosary and Novena 7.30pm Choir practice

THURSDAY 28 NOVEMBER

5pm Tony's Café St Anthony's Hall

FRIDAY 29 NOVEMBER

8pm Sacre Coeur PG St Anthony's Hall

SATURDAY 30 NOVEMBER ST ANDREW

10.30am Legion of Mary St Anthony's Church Alicia Voges 0422 565 951 aliciavoges13@gmail.com Saturday 6pm Vigil Mass Yrs F-1-2



CHRISTMAS DAY DINNER AT ST ANTHONY'S HALL Wednesday 25th December 2019.

The Dinner begins after 11am Mass at approximately 12.30pm and is for anyone who may not be celebrating the great feast of Jesus' Birth with fami-

ly or friends. If you are from overseas, interstate, away from family, lacking the energy or where-with-all to organize a Christmas Dinner or looking for a safe place to celebrate, this is the place for you. Come along and enjoy a friendly traditional meal. Everyone is most welcome!

If you would like to be a guest please complete the yellow form attached and someone will contact you. Feel free to pass the sheet to others. If you would like to help with the Dinner, please fill out the green form, also attached. Help is always needed on the day and also beforehand.

All forms and donations of food or goods can be left in the boxes in the church porches or at the Parish House. Financial donations should be handed to Father Pritchard, Gwen or Veronica or placed in the letter box in the door of the Parish House. **Definitely do not use the street letterbox.** Please note we accept cash or funds via direct transfer but would rather not handle cheques.

Thank you all for supporting the Dinner. Your help brings it all together and it's wonderful to see so many happy people enjoying the feast of Jesus' Birth together.

THE RETURN OF THE PILGRIMS

All our travelers have returned from the Holy Land, the Camino walk and Medjugorje respectively and will share some of their experiences after 11 am Mass on Sunday 1 December. All welcome to see photos. Please BYO lunch or snack, tea and coffee available.

SIMPLE SEWING

We are looking for someone with a sewing machine who could hem some cloths for the church. Please contact Veronica via the Parish House 9401 6336 or <u>veronica.blair@cam.org.au</u>

PARISH MAINTENANCE COLLECTION this weekend 23-24 November

St Anthony's Altar Society	
Flowers	\$ 700
Church requisites	\$1,208
St Anthony's Parish House	
Red Energy Gas	\$ 134
AGL Electricity	\$ 541
Telstra	\$ 199
SE Water	\$ 147
St Anthony's Hall	
AGL Electricity	\$1,392
Plumbing faulty tap	\$ 282
SE Water	\$ 558
St Anthony's Church	
Red Energy Gas	\$3,764
SE Water	\$ 410
St Anthony's Presbytery	
AGL Electricity	\$ 264
SE Water	\$ 303

LOURDES DAY MASS Saturday 7 December 10.30am

Includes blessing of the sick with water from the shrine at Lourdes. Each person will receive a gift pack containing Lourdes water (sourced from the Grotto), rosary beads and prayer St Patrick's Cathedral Melbourne.