



The Parish of Saint Anthony Glen Huntly

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Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C

13 November 2022

PARISH PRIEST
Fr Leenus Neetany SAC

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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
Half an hour before all Masses
and Saturday 9.45am-10.10am

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION
Saturday 9.45am -10.15am

**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: Luke Dennis, Marie Alexander, Consuelo Malayang
(Names of the sick will be published for a month, unless otherwise requested)

RECENTLY DECEASED: Consuelo Malayang, John Miranda

ANNIVERSARIES & REMEMBRANCES: Ibor Kodagoda, Gerald Gomez, Diana Thacker

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Advent Gospel Reflection Sessions

At our church.

4 Mondays in a row.

Starting from

Monday, 21st November.

7pm to 8pm.

Come One N' All

Let's reflect and Pray together
and be prepared for a
Good celebration of Christmas

Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility. We consider the safety and wellbeing of all persons to be our highest priority. For further information on Safeguarding please visit:

<https://melbournecatholic.org/safeguarding>

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Entrance Antiphon

The Lord said: I think thoughts of peace and not of affliction. You will call upon me, and I will answer you, and I will lead back your captives from every place .

Today's Readings

Mal 3:19-20; 2 Thes 3:7-12; Lk 21:5-19

Responsorial Psalm

The Lord comes to rule the earth with justice.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia! Lift up your heads and see; your redemption is near at hand. Alleluia!

Communion Antiphon

To be near God is my happiness, to place my hope in God the Lord

Next Sunday's Readings

2 Sm 5:1-3; Col 1:12-20; Lk 23:35-43

Last Week's Stewardship Collections (loose & envelopes)

Church Stewardship \$1,800
Presbytery Stewardship \$ 924

October 2022 EFT and Credit Card Collections

Church Stewardship \$4,039
Presbytery Stewardship \$2,070

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

This weekend, Special Collection 12/13 Nov—Annual Appeal for the Deaf, John Pierce Centre

The John Pierce Centre is a Catholic organisation and a community centre.

JPC provides Mass in Auslan (Australian Sign Language) once a month at Prahran and throughout lockdowns via live streaming.

In 2022 they provided live streamed as well as in person Mass for the community. Providing access to faith in Auslan is key to the mission of JPC.

www.givenow.com.au/jpcdonations

Subscription to St Anthony's Newsletter

If you have not already subscribed, please click on the link below to subscribe to our newsletter:

<https://www.melbcatholic.org/s/subscription?id=0012w00000LOj5DAAT&req=subscribe>

If you are experiencing difficulty or require help, please ring the Parish Office who are happy to assist.

**CHILDREN MUST
HAVE ADULT
SUPERVISION**



Child Safety—Your Responsibility

As parents or family, it is your responsibility to care for and supervise your children, when attending Mass, within any church facilities, at morning tea after Mass, at special events in the parish, in the carpark, everywhere and at all times.

Liturgy Roster Nov 12-13

Mass	Lector	Commentator	Sp Minister
Sat 6pm	P Bates	L Pereira	R Aranha
Sun 9am	C Collins	TBA	R Meneaud
Sun 11am	J Wong	M Anthony	A Francis
Sun 5pm	J Kirkham	E Sebastian	TBA

Liturgy Roster Nov 19-20

Mass	Lector	Commentator	Sp Minister
Sat 6pm	S Pflieger	L Pereira	TBA
Sun 9am	Y Jo-Sumarna	C Collins	R Meneaud
Sun 11am	L Nguyen	K O'Sullivan	A Francis
Sun 5pm	E Sebastian	J Kirkham	TBA

Income & Expenditure October 2022

Income

Maintenance Donation	\$ 435
Rental Income	\$ 5,747
Service Fees	\$ 900
Thanksgiving Income	\$12,207
Other	\$ 937
Total Income	\$20,226

Expense

Archdiocesan Levy	\$ 5,526
Administration	\$ 4,481
Candles, Flowers & Hosts	\$ 628
Cleaning	\$ 1,437
Electricity, Gas, Water	\$ 1,420
Gardening	\$ 1,104
General Expenses	\$ 298
Insurance	\$ 3,752
Printing, Postage & Stationery	\$ 347
Repairs & Maintenance	\$19,236
Security	\$ 148
Telecommunications	\$ 55
Miscellaneous Expenses	\$ 847
Total Expenses	\$ 39,279
Net Deficit	-\$19,053

Plants, Trash & Treasure and Refreshments Sale.

A total of \$3,112.30 was raised.

Thank you to the Organising Committee and the dedicated volunteers and generous Customers!

All proceeds go to Tony's Café. There will be a gathering for all Tony's Café volunteers on Sunday 27 November. More details next week.

Bishop Anthony Ireland's visit of our Parish 25—27 November 2022

A meeting in preparation for Bishop Ireland's visit was held on Friday 4th November.

It was attended by 21 parishioners. Great inputs were received.

A short summary of the minutes was published last weekend.

The Three-Day Visit will be from Friday 25th Nov to Sunday 27th Nov.2022.

The full timetable will be published next weekend.

There will be a Forum with the Bishop on Saturday 26th Nov. Details TBA.

This is an opportunity to speak about priorities, goals and challenges.

The questions for the forum posed are:

1. Tell Bishop where you find Jesus in the life of your parish?
2. Where would you like to see the parish in 5-10 years?
3. How will this be achieved?

PRAYER FOR Persecuted Christians

*Lord, Jesus Christ, as the Good Shepherd,
You call all people to Yourself,
but You also warned us that
following You would not be easy.
Today, many Christians suffer and
are persecuted for love of You.
In them, You continue Your passion for
the redemption of the world.
It is a grace to carry the cross with them.
Grant us love, courage
and a readiness to sacrifice
so that we can aid and console
our brothers and sisters in faith.
Fill us with Your merciful love for one another,
that we may also bless
our enemies and forgive them.
Thus, we want to joyfully testify to Your presence
in the world and find fullness of life in You.
Amen.*



RED WEDNESDAY PRAYER VIGIL

7.30pm, Wednesday 23 November 2022

St. Patrick's Cathedral, 1 Cathedral Place, East Melbourne

The Catholic Archdiocese of Melbourne and Aid to the Church in Need are working in partnership to mark Red Wednesday throughout all parishes, schools and communities in our Archdiocese.

You are invited to join the Catholic Archdiocese of Melbourne and participate in Red Wednesday, a day dedicated to praying for, and standing in solidarity with, Christians who face increasing violence, torture and often death for their peacefully held faith in Jesus Christ.

All are welcome to St Patrick's Cathedral for a Prayer Vigil with Exposition: Joining many other cathedrals and churches around the world, St Patrick's Cathedral will be floodlit in red on this night.




Free English Language Classes

On Tuesdays at 10am free English Classes will be offered to those interested.

If you or anyone else you know would like to learn English please contact either Gwen Fitzgerald, Fr Leenus or the Parish Office.

Venue for the classes: TBA

Church Toilets in trouble

We regret to say that our church-toilets are not in order. Direction to the alternative can be found in the foyer. 

The sewage system here does not function on gravity, instead 2 pressure motor pumps are used, controlled by a central unit.

Unfortunately, all 3 units seem to need replacement. Takes time and good money

Repairs to the Parish Hall

We are happy to let everyone know that the long awaited major repairs to our Parish Hall are underway.

As of this week the repairs are starting on the Front Roof and the Hall Floor.

We are grateful to the Victorian Government for part-funding the expenses.

Thank you everyone for your role!

Will keep you updated!

Pallottine Cenacle Prayer at our Glen Huntly Church. On Tuesday, 22nd Nov. 7.30pm.

Such prayer sessions are organised by the Pallottines on 22nd of each month at different venues. This time it will be at our church. **All are welcome to participate.**

The Theme for this month's Cenacle Prayer will be "Remember in November".

Pope at Mass in Bahrain: Love always and love everyone.

Pope Francis last week started his third day in Bahrain by celebrating Holy Mass in the National Stadium. In his homily, the Holy Father reminded all those gathered, of the prophet Isaiah's words about the Messiah whom God will raise up: "His power shall grow continually, and there shall be endless peace".



He noted that, although this sounds like a contradiction, as "we often notice that the more power is sought, the more peace is threatened", the prophet announces the extraordinary news that "the Messiah to come will indeed be powerful, not in the manner of a commander who wages war and rules over others, but as the 'Prince of Peace' who reconciles people with God and with one another."

The Holy Father then asked those present to stop and reflect on the phrase "to love always and to love everyone". Jesus' words today invite us to love always, said the Pope. "He knows that within our relationships there is a daily struggle between love and hatred", and in this way, too, within our hearts "there is a daily clash between light and darkness". With this in mind, the Pope noted that Jesus suffers when He sees, all around the world, "ways of exercising power that feed on oppression and violence, seeking to expand their own space by restricting that of others, imposing their own domination and restricting basic freedoms, and in this way oppressing the weak".

The Pope went on to ask what we are to do in such situations, before responding that "the Lord asks of us not to dream idealistically of a world of fraternity, but to choose, starting with ourselves, to practice universal fraternity, concretely and courageously, persevering in good even when evil is done to us, breaking the spiral of vengeance, disarming violence, demilitarizing the heart".

We must always strive for peace, said the Pope, adding that "peace cannot be restored if a harsh word is answered with an even harsher one, if one slap leads to another." Pope Francis went on, then, to focus on the concept of loving everyone. He noted that although we can be committed to loving, it is not enough if we restrict this commitment to our close circles. "If we want to be children of the Father and build a world of brothers and sisters, the real challenge is to learn how to love everyone, even our enemies."

Bringing his homily to a close, Pope Francis stressed that the power of Jesus is love, and He gives us the power to love in this way, a power which "to us, seems superhuman", he said. Finally, the Pope thanked all those present in Bahrain's National Stadium and assured them that with him he brought the affection and closeness of the universal Church, "which looks to you and embraces you, which loves you and encourages you". **Pope Francis**

Meals on Wheels: A cat dies and goes to heaven. God meets him at the gate and says, 'You've been a good cat and you have had hard times chasing after your prey and sleeping on hard floor'. So God orders the angels to give the cat a warm bed and a fluffy pillow. Later that day, six rats die and go to heaven. God meets them at the gate and says, 'All your life you had hard times, running to escape from your predators. So God takes pity on them and orders the angels to fit wheels on to the feet of the rats. Next morning, God checks on the cat and asks, 'How are you doing? The cat says, 'Thank you for sending me 'meals on wheels'.

