



# The Parish of Saint Anthony Glen Huntly

Parish Office/Parish House: 74 Grange Rd Glen Huntly

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**Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe, Year A**

**26 November 2023**

### 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

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

### WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Saturday:  
Holy Rosary at 8.50am  
followed by Mass at 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  
☎ 9563 6780

✉ office@santglen.catholic.edu.au

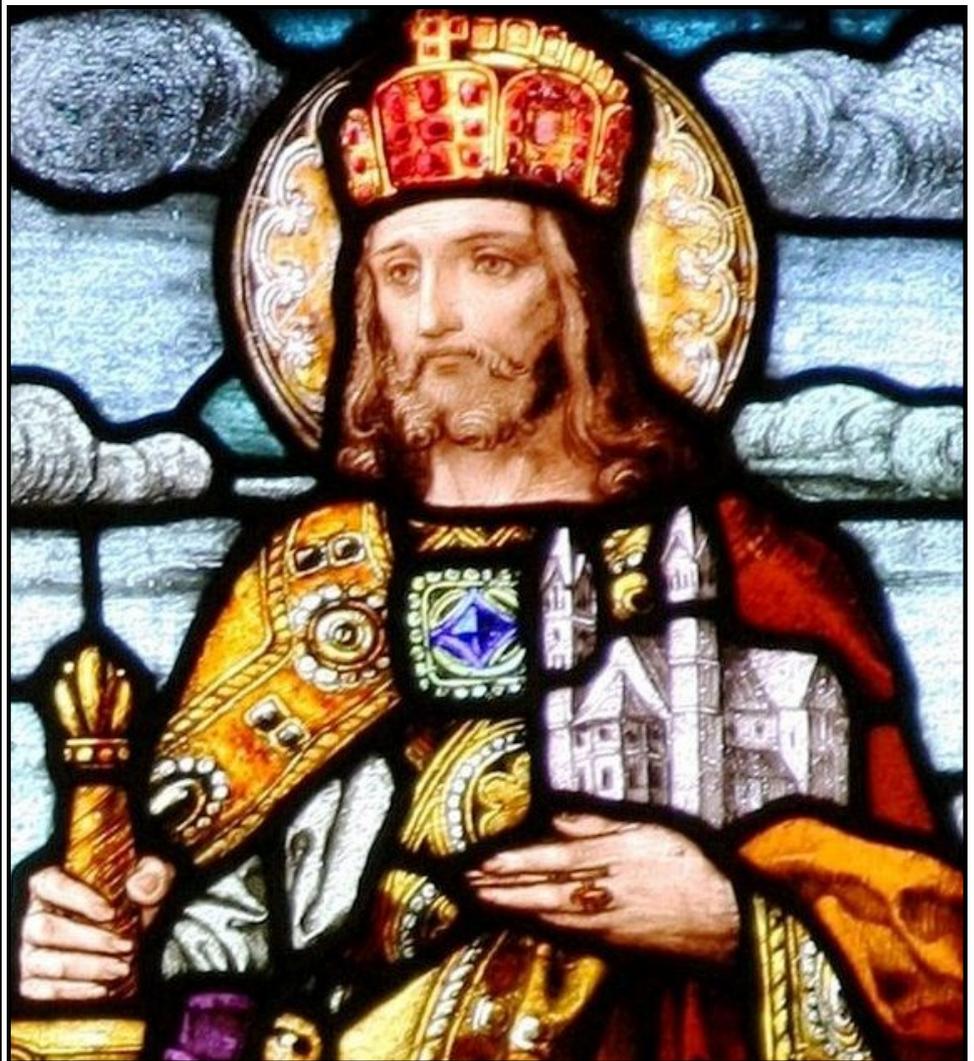
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**OUR SICK:** Justin Thomas, Chrishanthi Pereira, Gemma  
*(Names of the sick will be published for a month, unless otherwise requested)*

**RECENTLY DECEASED:** Fernando Santos, Denis and Deb Frazer, Sister Josephine Mahon, Jude Welivita

**ANNIVERSARIES & REMEMBRANCES:** Marieta and Rodrigo Santos, Dudley J Arathoon

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)



**CHRIST THE  
KING  
SUNDAY**

Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility. The safety and wellbeing of all persons is our priority. Any feedback in relation to St Anthony's policies & practices for keeping children safe, please email:  
[glenhuntly@cam.org.au](mailto:glenhuntly@cam.org.au).

For more information on Safeguarding please visit: <https://melbournecatholic.org/safeguarding>

## LITURGY OF THE WORD

### ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

How worthy is the Lamb who was slain, to receive power and divinity, and wisdom and strength and honour. To him belong glory and power for ever and ever

### TODAY'S READINGS

Ezek34:11-12. 15-17; Ps 22:1-3, 5-6; 1Cor 15:20-26. 28; Mt 25:31-46

### RESPONSORIAL PSALM

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want

### GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia! Blessings on him who comes in the name of the Lord! Blessings on the coming kingdom of our father David! Alleluia!

### COMMUNION ANTIPHON

The Lord sits as King for ever. The Lord will bless his people with peace

### NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

Is 63:16-17; 64:1. 3-8; Ps 79:2-3. 15-16. 18-19; 1Cor 1:3-9; Mk 13:33-37

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

Church Stewardship	\$1,595
Presbytery Stewardship	\$ 985
Ephpheta Appeal	\$ 890

Please note that in last week's newsletter the financial report mentioned 'Net Deficit' instead of 'Net Surplus'. Apologies for the confusion this may have caused.

**Please do not leave money in the Parish Letter Boxes.**  
Credit Card/Direct Debit/EFT, Venue Hire, Donations & Maintenance Income will be reported once a month

## Liturgy Roster Nov 25-26

Mass	Lector	Commentator	Sp Minister
Sat 6pm	C Hampson	N Mudalige	R Aranha
Sun 9am	L Sils	C Collins	B Meneaud
Sun 11am	M Anthony	J Wong	T Ho
Sun 5pm	J Kirkham	E Sebastian	N/A

## Liturgy Roster Dec 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 Kornadi	L Shelton	J Ferguson
Sun 5pm	E Sebastian	J Kirkham	N/A

## Christmas/New Year Timetable

Christmas/New Year Timetable is ready for the three parishes.

It will be published in our next Newsletter.



## Columban Calendars 2024

Columban Calendars are now available for purchase in our Piety Stall for \$10 each.

A great gift for Christmas!

First come first served!



## St Vincent de Paul Society: Christmas Hampers

St Vincent de Paul Society Glenhuntly is currently organising Christmas Hampers for 51 families in this local area.

We are seeking non perishable donation items. Please leave your items in the St Vincent de Paul box in the front foyer of the church.

We ask if you could please make your donations over the coming week if possible so that they too may have an enjoyable Christmas!

Thank you in advance for your generosity. God bless one and all!

Contact: Lorraine: 0416 568 953 or Michael: 0433 425 453 or email: [eliasm@tpg.com.au](mailto:eliasm@tpg.com.au) or contact the parish office 9401 6336



## Sunday School

Our last Sunday School for 2023 will be this Sunday, 26 November.

Thank you to all the parents who faithfully send your children for this important formation in your child's life. Thank You!

## Musicians/Singers wanted for Christmas Masses

If you are gifted and can play an instrument or sing, please join us on Wednesdays for choir practice @ 7.30pm at the church. All welcome!



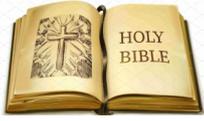
## SAFEGUARDING REQUIREMENTS WE ARE HERE TO HELP AND SUPPORT YOU!

In order to carry out ANY volunteer ministry for our parish, it is mandatory that you have a Working With Children (WWC) and Safeguarding Training to be compliant with the Archdiocese Safeguarding requirements. If you are experiencing any difficulty in doing the training or completing your WWC please do not hesitate to contact the parish office ([glenhuntly@cam.org.au](mailto:glenhuntly@cam.org.au)).

Please click on the link below to complete your Mandatory Online training

<https://melbournecatholic.org/safeguarding/safeguarding-training-and-upcoming-events/safeguarding-training-modules/>

Please help our parish to be compliant!!



## Advent Scripture Reflection



“Advent Scripture Reflection” sessions will be held on 4 consecutive Mondays,

at St. Anthony's Church, commencing on 27th November 2023. 7pm to 8pm.

The Sessions are prepared and will be conducted by Fr Pat and Team. The sessions will also have references to the inspiring examples from the life of St Vincent Pallotti. All Welcome!

*Please register*

*to actively take part!*

*Thank You!*

## Carols by Candlelight

Sunday, 10th December after 5pm Mass (till 9pm)  
at the Padua Pavilion (St Anthony's School Hall).

**We invite you to share your talent!**

*We are looking for:*

Solo or group performances Christmas themed, approx. up to 5 mins per performance

Music, singing, dancing (anything else?)

*Best Santa outfit wins a prize !*

To register please contact:

**Holy Cross & St Joseph's:** [elsternwick@cam.org.au](mailto:elsternwick@cam.org.au)

**St Anthony's:** [veronica.blair@cam.org.au](mailto:veronica.blair@cam.org.au)

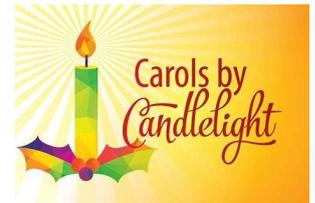
Organising Committee:

**St Anthony's:** Veronica Blair, Marita Dunphy, **Holy Cross:** Paul White and Christa Sumi

**St Joseph's:** Joanna Lam.

*All welcome*

*To be part of the  
Holy Fun Night*



## First/Second Rite of Reconciliation

Come one and all and make use of the special opportunity to reconcile with God and one another before Christmas!

The 2nd Rite of Reconciliation will be at St Anthony's Church on Tuesday, 19th December at 7pm,

and 1st Rite at St Joseph's on Saturday, 23rd December 5.30pm to 6.20pm.

If you are not planning to be reconciled, ask yourself “why not?” Allow God to forgive you.

## God's Word 2024—Daily Reflections

A companion on the journey to pray, share, grow in God's love and be nourished by the Word of God. Includes Bible readings set down for each day, with a reflection.

**Now available in our Piety Stall for \$20.**

## Bunnings Sausage Sizzle, Chadstone 3 December

Volunteers required for our church fund raiser on Sunday 3 December.

Please contact/email the parish office if you are able to help out. Thank You!



## St Anthony's Glen Huntly Christmas Day Takeaway Dinner 2023

Christmas is a time when families come together to celebrate the Birth of Christ.

Sometimes this can be difficult, especially due to a rise in COVID cases. As a result, we will be offering a traditional Christmas Day TAKEAWAY Dinner,

available for collection at St Anthony's Hall between 12pm and 1.30pm on Christmas Day. Or, if you live locally and are not able to come and collect a meal, we are happy to deliver to you at home.

If you would like to enjoy a delicious meal, please fill out a **yellow** invitation. If you know someone else who would like a meal, pass this invitation on to them. If you would like to help with the Christmas Dinner, please fill out a **green** form.

Both **yellow** and **green** forms can be collected from the doors of the church, or at St Anthony's Parish Hall, 164 Neerim Rd, Caulfield East or at the front door of the Parish House, 74 Grange Road.

All completed forms can be returned via email: [stanthony.christmasdinner@gmail.com](mailto:stanthony.christmasdinner@gmail.com) or left at the following locations:

**Tony's Café at St Anthony's Hall:** 164 Neerim Rd, Caulfield East.

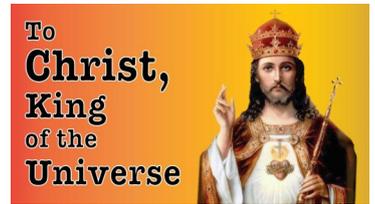
Tuesdays: 12.30pm—1.30pm and Thursdays: 3pm—5.30pm

**St Anthony's Parish House:** 74 Grange Rd, Glen Huntly

(in an envelope marked *Christmas Dinner*). For more information please contact us on 9401 6336 or 0432 087 494



**Solemnity**  
**Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe,**  
**Year A**



Dear brothers and sisters in Jesus,

2023 years ago a boy was born in a cave-manger, and they called him a King; “Where is the new born King they asked.” 33 years later he was brought face to face with another king. Pontius Pilate, who asked Jesus “are you a king?” and Jesus answered, “you say so”. Jesus probably meant to say, ‘You say that I am “a king”, but I say “I am the King,” The King of kings’. So, we gladly acclaim Jesus to be the King of kings and Lord of Lords.

The irony was that Pilate the king was in his royal robes, but the King of kings, the King of the Universe was facing him wearing just a tunic, that too torn by the flogging. Pilate was seated on a majestic throne, King of kings was made to stand there, his too hands tied. Pilate was wearing a crown of Gold and Jewels, while the King of kings was made to wear a crown of thorns. Pilate the king was holding a sceptre, showing his authority and power, while the King of kings, Jesus was given a reed to hold in mockery. Pilate the king was in his full earthly glory, while the King of kings was standing like a sheep ready for slaughter.

That was some 2000 years ago. Today as we celebrate not the Good Friday, but the Solemnity of Christ the King, we see that the roles are reversed. Today the King of kings has the Clouds for his throne. He is even riding on the Clouds as his chariot. No soldiers around him pulling and pushing, but millions of angels to carry out his orders. The King of kings is shown today in his full power and glory. Brought before his Judgement Seat is not Pontius Pilate, or Herod or Caesar only, but the whole humanity, including you and me.

Rome could not convict Him.  
 The cross could not conquer Him.  
 The grave could not contain Him.  
 Satan could not defeat Him.  
 Why? Because He was and is,  
 and forevermore shall be, the  
**KING OF KINGS**  
**& LORD**  
**OF LORDS!**

Let us be thankful to Christ the King for having called us to partake in His eternal Kingdom. Let us always remain loyal to Christ not only on this feast of Christ the King, but on every day of our life, be submitted to Him. He loves to be the King of our hearts, the King of our lives. Let us invite Him to rule over our lives as He wills.

Parish Events	Where	When
Choir Practice	St Anthony's Church	On Wednesdays at 7.30pm
Sunday School	Parish House/The Glen 74 Grange Rd, Carnegie	School Term, every Sunday at 10am
Children's Liturgy of the Word	Church & School	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	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 & Wednesdays 6.30—9pm
Legion of Mary	St Anthony's Church	Every Friday after 9.15am Mass
St Vincent de Paul	The Glen (behind Parish House)	First Sunday of the month 3—4pm
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



A Sunday School teacher, after she talks to her students about heaven and hell, draws a long line on the floor. She then says “those of you who want to go to heaven come to this side of the line.” Everyone, except little Johnny, moves across to the side of the line the teacher was pointing. Teacher asks Johnny “Don't you want to go to heaven?” Johnny replies, “ Yes, I want to go to heaven, but not now.”