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# Sunday Mass Schedule

<u>St Anthony's</u> (cnr Grange & Neerim Rds) Saturday Vigil. . . . 6.30pm Sunday. . . 8am, 11am, 5pm <u>St Aloysius'</u> (233 Balaclava Rd) Sunday. . . . . . 9.15am Mass (*Roman Missal 1962*) . . . 8am, 10.30am and 5pm

# Weekdays at St Anthony's

## Weekdays at St Aloysius (Roman Missal 1962)

#### St Anthony's

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# The Parish of Saints Anthony & Aloysius

Glen Huntly & Caulfield 11 November 2018 - 32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Please remember the following in your prayers

**The sick:** Virginia Potts, Vilma Woods, Anthony Breslin, Pansy Meneaud, Kathleen Dwyer, Wilma Hangan, Bev Chandler, Tony Camilleri, Jock Bristow, Kevin Bugden, Indrianto Halim, Michael Page, Asher Collins-Assey, Nelson Vijith Ratnayake, Peter Murphy, Gloria Anderson nee Bird,

Recently Deceased: Salvatore Messina Anniversaries: Warren Michael Corteling, Lillian D'Brass

Pearl Florence Wickramasinghe

#### **Bishop Peter Elliott**

Pope Francis has accepted the retirement of Bishop Elliott from active ministry as auxiliary bishop of Melbourne. Bishop Elliott turned 75 on 1 October, the age specified by Canon Law for the retirement of priests and bishops (Canons 401, 411, 538).

#### Remembrance Day

100 years today since the end of the First World War. 16 million people perished in this most horrific war, including 60,000 Australians. At Fatima, Our Lady predicted a far worse war, which afflicted the world 1939-1945. Pope John Paul II often spoke of the "bloody century" - the 20<sup>th</sup> century - which saw so much human grief, death, dislocation and suffering. As we remember our war dead, we beg the Lord of nations to bless our world with peace.

#### Weekend Masses

It is timely for us to think about the number of weekend Masses celebrated at St Anthony's and St Aloysius. Priests are directed to celebrate no more than 3 Sunday Masses (Canon 905). The church is mindful of the spirituality and capacity of individual priests to celebrate the Eucharist with devotion, to preach with conviction, to lead the people in prayer, song and worship. 400 people attend 3 Masses celebrated at St Aloysius in BI John Henry Newman parish. A congregation of 20-25 regularly attend Sunday 9.15am English Mass. About 600 people attend weekend Masses at St Anthony's.

Beginning weekend 29-30 December, can we try this Mass schedule at St Anthony's Church: Saturday 6pm Vigil Mass Sunday 8.30am, 11am, 5pm Masses

This programme reflects the Mass schedule in nearby parishes. When Saturday night Mass was introduced in 1970s, Melbourne parishes provided late Masses mainly to provide for afternoon football. An earlier time allows families to spend Saturday evening together, and there are clear advantages both for summer and winter.

A programme of Saturday Vigil Masses for our school families has been prepared for 2019. Along with preparation for the Sacraments, our parish and schools must work to draw our whole parish family together for Sunday worship and community life.

#### **Retreat Evenings**

St Anthony's hosts retreat evenings for men and women this month.

*Men* are invited to register for a retreat given by Fr Paul Chandler on Wednesday 14 November, 7 - 9pm, St Anthony's Church.

Sr Damien (Sisters of St Paul de Chatres) will lead a retreat for *women*, Wednesdays 21 and 28 November, 7 - 9pm, St Anthony's Church.

Men's retreat: register with Surath 0425 766 061 sfernando3@gmail.com

Women's retreat: register with Alicia 0422 565 951 <u>aliciavoges13@gmail.com</u>

#### Rosary/Novena/Choir

Please note that rosary and novena to Our Lady will take place at 6.30pm on the Wednesdays of November. Choir practice during November will be in the School at 7.30pm. Enter via the red door on the ramp side of the church.

#### St Anthony's Mens Ministry

• Parish men are invited to pizzas at Annabella's Glenhuntly Rd, Glen Huntly, Friday 16 November, 7pm. Contact/ Inquiries: Lance 0435 966 983 *lance.voges@sap.com* 

## St Anthony's Legion of Mary

St Anthony's Legion of Mary meets at

St Anthony's Church Saturday 10.30am.

• The pilgrim statue of Our Lady of Fatima visits Fr Pritchard this week and Edyta Romecki family next week for family praver.

 To add your name to the list contact Alicia 0422 565 951

aliciavoges13@gmail.com

#### **First Holy Communion**

St Anthony's Sunday School class and students from De La Salle College Malvern will receive First Holy Communion at 11am Mass next Sunday 18 November. Candidates receive their Communion medal at 11am Mass today. We thank their catechists: Gwen Fitzgerald, Veronica Blair, Phung Tran and Joan Ferguson.

## **Christmas Day Dinner**

Bookings for Christmas Day Dinner at St Anthony's will open soon.

Monday 12 November St Josaphat **Tuesday 13 November** 12.30pm Tony's Café St Anthony's Hall Wednesday 14 November 6.30pm Rosary & Novena St Anthony's Church 7pm Men's Retreat Evening St Anthony's Church 7.30pm Choir Rehearsal St Anthony's School Thursday 15 November St Albert the Great 10am Reconciliation Yrs 3-6 St Aloysius School 11.30am Yrs 3-4 visit St Aloysius School 5pm Tony's Café St Anthony's Hall Friday 16 November Sts Margaret & Gertrude 9.15am F -1-2 Mass St Anthony's Church 10am F-1-2 visit St Anthony's School 7pm Pizzas at Annabella's Men's Ministry 8pm Sacre Coeur PG Meeting St Anthony's Hall Saturday 17 November St Elizabeth of Hungary 10.30am St Anthony's LM St Anthony's Church

#### LITURGY ROSTER 18 NOVEMBER 2018 Saint Anthony's Church

Mass	Lector	Commentator	Special Minister	
6.30pm	L Pereira	M Bennet	P Bates	
8am	M Dwyer	C Collins	C Arendtsz	
11am	J Wong	M Anthony	T Ho	
			B Madhusudan	
5pm	E O'Keefe	E Sebastian	T Kunjan	
St Aloysius' Church Mass 9.15am Lector M Kennedy				

**THANK YOU** to generous parishioners who support the mission and upkeep of our Parish in Parish Stewardship. Please note that the Stewardship and Collection figures shown below are for both churches combined.

Parish Stewardship Pledge 2018	\$2,291.00	
Parish Stewardship Envelopes (54)	\$1,746.50	
Credit card/Direct debit (averaged)	\$ 670.00	
First collection loose change	\$ 950.00	
Total income for last week	\$3,366.00	
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#### LITURGY OF THE WORD

Daniel 12:1-3 Hebrews 10:11-14, 18 Mark 13:24-32

## ST ANTHONY'S ALTAR SERVERS

Young parishioners in years 5 & 6, secondary school and university are welcome to join our serving team. Speak to Fr Pritchard after Mass or contact the Parish Office.

## ST ANTHONY'S PIETY STALL

Now well stocked with religious items (statues, crosses, rosary beads), greeting cards, Melbourne Catholic, Entertainment Book, St Anthony's Centenary History and Cook Book. It is open after all weekend Masses.

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### PLENARY COUNCIL 2020

St Joseph's Parish Malvern hosts a Listening and Dialogue session, Kildara Centre, 39 Stanhope Street, Malvern. Saturday 1 December 10am - 12noon.

## WIDENING THE DOOR OF HOPE

A response to the Victorian Assisted Dying Legislation which comes into effect June 2019. Tuesday 20 November 7.30pm Mercy Theatre, Australian Catholic University, 115 Victoria Pde Fitzroy. Inquiries: 9926 5727.

## CONCERTS AT ST PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL

• Enjoy an evening of works by J S Bach performed by Calvin Bowman. Wednesday 14 November 7.30pm. Tickets: trybooking.com/ZESS.

• Hamer Singers: *The Tenderness of Silent Minds* Sunday 25 November, 3.30pm hamersingers.com.au/concert-info.html

## COMBINED SOCIETIES OF MARY

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- Christ the King Saturday 24 November 7.30pm St Patrick's Cathedral
- Immaculate Conception of Our Lady Sunday

9 December 1.30pm Holy Cross Church, Elsternwick.

## LOURDES DAY MASS

Saturday 1 December 10.30am St Patrick's Cathedral Melbourne. This Mass is for the sick, elderly and carers, hosted by the Order of Malta.

# Rejoice and be Glad (Mt 5:12)

The Christian life is a constant battle. We need strength and courage to withstand the temptations of the devil and to proclaim the Gospel. This battle is sweet, for it allows us to rejoice each time the Lord triumphs in our lives. We are not dealing merely with a battle against the world and a worldly mentality that would deceive us and leave us dull and mediocre, lacking in enthusiasm and joy. Nor can this battle be reduced to the struggle against our human weaknesses and proclivities (be they laziness, lust, envy, jealousy or any others). It is also a constant struggle against the devil, the prince of evil. Jesus himself celebrates our victories. He rejoiced when his disciples made progress in preaching the Gospel and overcoming the opposition of the evil one: "I saw Satan fall like lightning from heaven" (Lk 10:18)

Hence, we should not think of the devil as a myth, a representation, a symbol, a figure of speech or an idea. This mistake would lead us to let down our guard, to grow careless and end up more vulnerable. The devil does not need to possess us. He poisons us with the venom of hatred, desolation, envy and vice. When we let down our guard, he takes advantage of it to destroy our lives, our families and our communities. "Like a roaring lion, he prowls around, looking for someone to devour" (1 Pet 5:8).

Pope Francis