



The Parish of Saint Anthony Glen Huntly

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Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A

1 October 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
🌐 santglen.catholic.edu.au

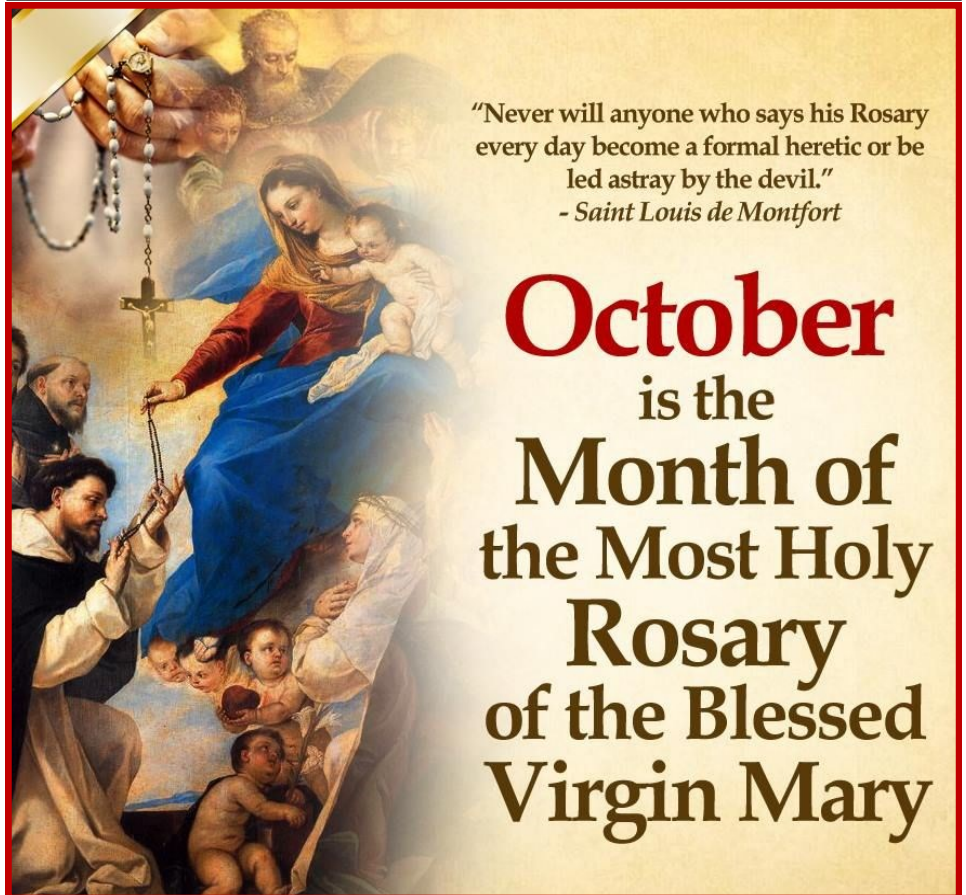
OUR SICK: Chris Bell

(Names of the sick will be published for a month, unless otherwise requested)

RECENTLY DECEASED:

ANNIVERSARIES & REMEMBRANCES: Michael Jackson (twin brother of Fr Pat Jackson), Bartholomew John, Josephine Philomena

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



*"Never will anyone who says his Rosary every day become a formal heretic or be led astray by the devil."
- Saint Louis de Montfort*

October is the Month of the Most Holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Opportunity for communal Rosary!

On weekdays, Holy Rosary at 8.50am followed by Holy Mass at 9.15am.

On Wednesdays as part of the Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help, we have Holy Rosary at 6.40pm as well.

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.

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

LITURGY OF THE WORD

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

All that you have done to us, O Lord, you have done with true judgement, for we have sinned against you and not obeyed your commandments. But give glory to your name and deal with us according to the bounty of your mercy.

TODAY'S READINGS

Ezekiel 18:25-28; Philippians 2:1-11; Matthew 21:28-32

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Remember your mercies, O Lord

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia! My sheep listen to my voice, says the Lord; I know them, and they follow me. Alleluia!

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Remember your word to your servant, O Lord, by which you have given me hope. This is my comfort when I am brought low.

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

Isaiah 5:1-7; Philippians 4:6-9; Matthew 21:33-43

Last Week's Stewardship Collections (loose & envelopes)

Church Stewardship \$1,460
Presbytery Stewardship \$ 996
Due to recent thefts, please do not leave money in the Parish Letter Box.
Credit Card/Direct Debit/EFT, Venue Hire, Donations & Maintenance Income will be reported once a month

Fr Joy Palachuvattil SAC

Pallottine Provincial from Epiphany Province, Nagpur, India, will celebrate the 11am Mass with us this Sunday, 1st October.

Refreshments at the Padua Pavilion will follow, felicitating him on his 60th Birthday!

Many Happy Returns of the Day, Fr Joy.
All very welcome!

Becoming Missionary Disciples using your head, heart & hands to evangelise

Archbishop Julian Porteous is one of the most courageous bishops in Australia today.

Topic: Becoming Missionary Disciples

Date: Wednesday 4th October

Time: 6.30pm (light supper). 7.00pm Talk

Cost: Free.

Venue: Greg Craven Conference Centre,
Australian Catholic University, Fitzroy

Registration essential: Catholicevents.com.au

Liturgy Roster Sep 30—Oct 1

Mass	Lector	Commentator	Sp Minister
Sat 6pm	P Bates	L Pereira	J Aranha
Sun 9am	P Rashad	C Collins	T Ho
Sun 11am	K O'Sullivan	M Anthony	A Francis
Sun 5pm	J Kirkham	E Sebastian	N/A

Liturgy Roster Oct 7-8

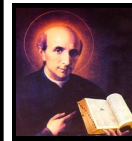
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Sun 11am	L Kornadi	L Shelton	S Heuberger
Sun 5pm	E Sebastian	J Kirkham	N/A

St Anthony's Plant Sale

Weekend Saturday 21 & Sunday 22 October



The organisers would be grateful of donations of ground cover. No ivy please and definitely no jade. There will be some pre-loved items and cakes Aus-Australia for sale. We are looking for donations and lots of hands to help out on the day. Please spread the word as the proceeds go towards Tony's Café, a parish outreach.



Pallottine Formation Course

Thank you to all who attended the Pallottine Formation Course run by Fr Pat Jackson and his formation team.

St Anthony's Parish Flats Lake Street, Carnegie.



Owned by the Parish since 1987, the flats are administered by the

Department of Families, Fairness and Housing (DFFH) and are available to those over the age of 55 who are applying for public housing.

Although the Parish has nomination rights, people who would like to be on the Parish waiting list must first be registered with DFFH, who will assess eligibility and provide an application number.

For more information please contact DFFH on 1300 555 or email callcentre@dhhs.vic.gov.au

SAFEGUARDING REQUIREMENTS WE ARE HERE TO HELP AND SUPPORT YOU!

If you are volunteering in any way in our parish activities, please note that your Working With Children (WWC) and Safeguarding Training is paramount in order 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).

Safeguarding training is available in other languages if English is not your first language.

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!!

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

THE BEGINNING OF THE END OF ABORTION.

27 September—5 November

Join other Christians for 40 Days for Life for prayer, fasting and an end to abortion. You are also invited to stand and peacefully pray during a 40 day vigil, at

118 Wellington Parade East, Melbourne.

Leader contact. Kathy Clubb 450464786

In Victoria, it is a criminal offense to witness for life, to offer help to women or to pray within 150m of an abortion facility. Please do not carry visible pro-life signs or banners into the exclusion zone.

Information to sign up:

www.40daysforlife.com/en/melbourne

You could also join the March.

March for the Babies Sat 7 Oct @ 1pm

Join in a peaceful walk starting from Treasury Gardens and ending at Parliament House.

Meet at Treasury Gardens (cnr Spring St & Wellington Pde) to protest against the full-term abortion in Victoria.

Those interested may join Fr Pat Jackson, who will leave for the march on 7th Oct, midday.

Men's Weekend (28—29 October 2023)

At St Scholastica's Parish Hall,

348 Burwood Hwy, Bennettswood.

menALIVE seeks to renew faith in God and encourage men to become an active force of renewal in the Church.

It's a space to reflect and share with each other.

Saturday 28 October

8—8.45am: Registration, 8.30pm:

End of Day 1 **Sunday 29 October**

8.30am: Start, 12.30pm: Mass, 1.30pm: Finish

Cost \$40 per head (Lunch & Dinner provided)

Enquiries / RSVP by 21 October

Ruki: 0413 477 125 / Peter: 0425 782 408

www.menalive.org.au

Volunteers required to form Parish Groups



We are looking for volunteers to help form the following Groups:

- 1. Planning Group:** to research, study and prepare draft guidelines for a Parish Pastoral Council and for other Committees and Groups.
- 2. Maintenance Group:** to prioritise and move forward with repairs and refurbishments especially of our church.

Please email/contact the Parish Office.

Thanksgiving Envelopes available in Church Foyer

Thanksgiving envelopes and receipts are located in the Church Foyer for pick up.

Please pick up and deliver to your parishioner friends who are unable to attend Mass.

A Big Thank You for supporting St. Anthony's Parish Glen Huntly.

Invitation to a Talk

St. Peter's C.E, Carnegie, Mother's Union invites us to an inspirational talk in their Parish Hall, 371 Neerim Rd.

on Wednesday, 4th October, at 1pm.

Theme: Rwanda a journey of forgiveness genocide to today. RSVP Jennifer 95685527

Pallottine Retreat/Reflection Day Saturday, 21st October 2023



Cuppa at 10.00 a.m. ready for 10.30 start. at **The Glen, Glen Huntly, enter via 74 Grange Road.**

The input for the sessions in the morning will be provided by Pallottine Rector General, Zenon Hanas SAC and by Vice General, Derry Murphy SAC. (Mass included) Conclusion at 3.30pm.

All Welcome! RSVP to Anne at prayerpromoter@uacpallottines.org.au by 18 October

Save the Date

Night of the Witnesses – 22 November, 7pm at St Patrick's Cathedral.

Aid to the Church in Need invites you to an evening of prayer, testimony, song, adoration and reflection to honour the witness of twelve recent Christian martyrs and to stand in solidarity with Christians all over the world who are suffering persecution for their faith in Jesus Christ.

Archbishop Peter Comensoli will preside and His Beatitude, Patriarch Joseph Absi of the Melkite Greek Catholic Church will be one of the international guest speakers who will share personal testimony of persecution for the faith. For more information please visit: www.aidtochurch.org/notw

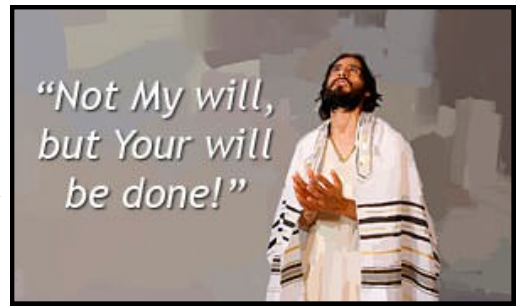
Sausage Sizzle Fundraiser at Bunnings

on 29th Sep. 2023 for Church Maintenance

Income by EFT and in Cash			\$ 1,096.40
Expenses	Sausage, onions, oil, drinks, ice, sauces, bread etc		\$ 351.77
THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HELPED			Surplus
			\$ 744.63

THANK YOU!

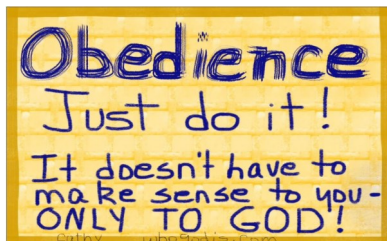
26th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A. Obedience goes a long way!



Obedience is a good quality; in fact, it is a virtue that is much appreciated. Unfortunately, it is also often misunderstood to be a quality 'good for kids only'. For the adults, 'obedience' may seem 'not applicable' at all. For many it is a "cold prickly" word. Since obedience has in it an element of submissiveness, it is not so welcome among the equals.

However, here I am reminded of what we believe about the Most Holy Trinity. The Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, the 3 Persons of the One Godhead, are equals; equal in majesty, equal in divinity, equal in status etc, yet, how the Second Person, Jesus Christ made himself completely submissive to God the Father!!! Jesus is our perfect model of obedience. His obedience was not out of compulsion or pressure, but out of love for his Father and out of his love for us all. Even though his obedience meant experiencing suffering and death, even death on a Cross, he completely submitted himself. As the result of this we have our Salvation through his obedience.

In today's Gospel Jesus, the most perfect obedient One, teaches us as to what is true obedience. Obedience is not just a word of "Yes", but a commitment that is carried out in our actual life. It reminds us of Jesus' words, "Not everyone who calls out to me, 'Lord! Lord!' will enter the Kingdom of Heaven, but only those who actually do the Will of My Father ...".



From the very first Chapter of the Bible we learn that the very Creation of the Universe was made possible, because God's every word was being obeyed. From the very beginning, God was calling the humans to obedience. Obedience was the one thing the Creator asked of our first parents, Adam and Eve, because it was so crucial to their intimacy and fellowship with God. Obedience to God leads us to the fulness of life and fellowship with him, but disobedience leads to eternal separation from him.

From the first page of the Bible to its last page, from Genesis to Revelation— from Paradise lost to Paradise regained, through the entire Bible God reveals his deep longing for us to walk in sweet, close fellowship with him through our obedience. God longs for us to obey because obedience opens the door for his greatest blessings in our lives. It positions us for God's greatest work in us. Obedience is the key to ensuring that we will not miss out on any of the adventures God wants to do in and through our lives.

And again, obedience enables God to glorify himself in and through us. Obedience to God is the best way of saying 'I love you God'. One of the best ways of measuring our love for God is to see how we obey his Commandments. There is much joy in obedience; let our obedience be whole hearted.

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



Q: Who invented Daylight Saving Time?

A: A guy who was an hour late to Mass one Sunday.

**If you are late for this Sunday's Mass,
blame the Daylight Saving time!**