



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:

cam.org.au/Safeguarding-Children-Young-People-and-Vulnerable-Persons/Safeguarding-Children-and-Young-People/Safeguarding-Children-and-Young-People-Policy
cam.org.au/Commitment-to-the-safety-of-children-and-young-people

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C

27 October 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

EUCCHARISTIC 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
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Principal: Margaret Carlei
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WE PRAY FOR THE SICK: Virginia Potts, Vilma Woods, Kathleen Dwyer, Robert Clements, Peter Murphy, Valerian Pinto, Gertrude Spiteri Staines, Robert Tampling, Tony Camilleri, Tom Tesoriero, Jeff Hoy, John Leonard, Asher Collins-Assey

RECENTLY DECEASED: Fr James Feenan PE, Fr Joseph Yu PE, Fr Christopher Toms

ANNIVERSARIES: Bette Rogers

ALL SAINTS DAY

Friday 1 November
Masses 10am *St Anthony's School*
8pm

ALL SOULS DAY

Saturday 2 November Mass 9.15am
Eucharistic Adoration and Reconciliation: 9.45am

A book has been placed on the altar rail in front of Our Lady's statue. Please write the names of your deceased family and friends to be prayed for on All Souls' Day. 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.

November is a special time to pray for the dead. A plenary indulgence may be gained for the dead, by visiting a church on 2 November and praying the Lord's Prayer and the Creed. Three conditions are required for gaining the indulgence: sacramental confession, Eucharistic communion and prayer for the Pope's intentions.

CONGRATULATIONS! THANK YOU!

- 5 children receive First Holy Communion today Sunday 11am Mass. We congratulate them! We thank their parents, families and Sunday School catechists. Please note that there will be reserved seating for families of the first communicants at the front of the church.
- Thank you for welcoming Fr David Willis OP and Fr Martin Wallace OP over recent weekends.
- Congratulations to St Anthony's Tennis Club. New courts were blessed and opened last Sunday. Well done to Anthony Straford, Kate Birrell and committee!
- Back to St Aloysius 100 years reunion Saturday 16 November 3-5pm: Tour St Aloysius campus, look through old photos, afternoon tea. RSVP 11 November 9532 9416. Facebook-100 years At St Aloysius

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

St Anthony's Parish Conference is up and running! The conference has now elected President - Lance Voges Vice President Surath Fernando Treasurer Chi Nguyen and Secretary Kim Dao. 11 members have now begun the work of visiting families in need in our local area, with support and guidance from the Brighton East Conference as well as St Vincent de Paul head office Box Hill. The conference meets in St Anthony's Church fortnightly on Tuesday evenings. Our next meeting is Tuesday 29 October 7pm. The St Vincent de Paul Society provides emergency relief support and home visitation and is open to everyone. Interested in becoming a member? Please add your name to the list located in the church porches.

Welfare Assistance Line (Free Call):
1800 305 330

Enquiries: Kim at Dao.kim2010@gmail.com

PARISH MAINTENANCE COLLECTION

This weekend October 26-27.

- St Anthony's Altar Society

Flowers	\$ 396
Church requisites	\$ 776
- St Anthony's Parish House

Red Energy Gas	\$ 134
Trees Pruning/Grubbing	\$ 91
Plumbing	\$ 282
Telstra	\$ 101
- St Anthony's Hall

Red Energy Gas	\$ 183
Hot water service mtce	\$ 350
Jim's Mowing Gardening	\$ 275

St Anthony's Parish Finance Committee thanks parishioners for their generous support of the Parish Maintenance Collection and Parish Stewardship

LITURGY OF THE WORD

26-27 OCTOBER 30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR C

Sirach 35:12-14, 16-19 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18 Luke 18:9-14

2-3 NOVEMBER 31ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR C

Wisdom 11:22-12:2 2 Thess 1:11-22:2 Luke 19:1-10

MEDITATION

God, who knows us through and through, knows what we need. Nevertheless, God wants us to ask, to turn to him in times of need, to cry out, implore, lament, call upon him, indeed even to struggle with him in prayer.

Certainly God does not need our petitions in order to help us. It is for our own sake that we are supposed to offer prayers of petition. Someone who does not ask and does not want to ask shuts himself up in himself. Only a person who asks opens himself and turns to the Author of all good. Someone who asks goes back home to God. Thus the prayer of petition brings man into the right relationship to God, who respects our freedom.

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**SEALED—THE SAINT WHO DIED FOR PENITENTS—
AND THE SECRECY OF CONFESSION III**

Bishop Peter Elliot

The Canon Law of the Church binds every priest hearing confessions. There is no squiggle room for his conscience, or exceptions and special cases. The priest is so strictly bound to the seal that, if he violates it directly, he incurs automatic excommunication. This is why, in July 2019, the Vatican department for confessional matters, the Sacred Penitentiary, repeated the rules regarding the seal in a special instruction, addressed to the whole Church. The instruction sets the issue in the real context of media “tell all” trends and the political forces that seek to sweep aside confidentiality without respect for people.

Apart from St John Nepomucene, other priests have held firm and maintained the sacred silence in the face of intimidation and threats. One man stands out, a young New Zealand Columban priest, Fr Francis Vernon Douglas, who was working in the Philippines when the Japanese invaded and occupied the country. The Japanese allowed him to continue his ministry, along with other priests from the allied nations, as long as they limited their work to spiritual matters. That was no problem until the Japanese began to lose the war.

In 1943 Fr Douglas was induced to minister to some Filipino guerrillas and American servicemen who were hiding in the mountains. This risky work compromised him. The Japanese police knew he was hearing confessions and they arrested him. He was repeatedly tortured to force him to tell what he had heard in confession. But he said not a word, keeping the holy silence of a faithful pastor. Then, broken in body, he was taken away and he was never seen again. Unlike St John Nepomucene, his body has never been found. Yet there are moves to canonize this brave young priest who kept the great secret “even unto death”. Like St John Nepomucene, his witness speaks to us, to encourage and inspire us today as we face new pressures and challenges *catholicweekly.com.au*

LITURGY ROSTER 2-3 NOVEMBER 2019

Mass	Lector	Commentator	Special Minister
6pm	P Bates	TBA	R Aranha
8.30am	A O’Driscoll	C Collins	B Meneaud
11am	L Nguyen	M Anthony	T Anthony T Ho
5pm	E O’Keefe	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	\$1,185
Parish Stewardship Envelopes	\$1,121
Total income for last week	\$2,976
World Mission Day	\$ 985
<i>Income from venue hire etc is reported monthly</i>	

TONY’S CAFÉ

- All welcome to enjoy Tuesday 12.30pm lunch and Thursday 5pm dinner at St Anthony’s Hall.
- Thank you for the egg cartons. We have enough to go on with now and will advertise again when more are needed.
- Attention gardeners! Start potting and preparing for our usual plant sale at Handmade Show Saturday 14 December . Contact Rosa 0422 119 377 or Gwen.

ST ANTHONY’S PIETY STALL

Columban Calendar 2020: \$10.

COMBINED SOCIETIES OF MARY combinedsocietiesofmary.com

- Feast of Christ the King and procession. St Patrick’s Cathedral East Melbourne Saturday 22 November 7.30pm
- Immaculate Conception of Our Lady Holy Cross Church 707 Glen Huntly Rd Elsternwick Sunday 8 December 1.30pm

TUESDAY 29 OCTOBER

12.30pm Tony’s Café St Anthony’s Hall
7pm St Vincent de Paul St Anthony’s Church

WEDNESDAY 30 OCTOBER

630pm Holy Rosary and Novena St Anthony’s Church
7.30pm Choir practice St Anthony’s Church

THURSDAY 31 OCTOBER

5pm Tony’s Café St Anthony’s Hall

FRIDAY 1 NOVEMBER ALL SAINTS DAY

10am Mass St Anthony’s School
Class visit F-2 St Anthony’s School
8pm Mass/Sacre Coeur PG St Anthony’s Church

SATURDAY 2 NOVEMBER ALL SOULS DAY

9.15am Mass St Anthony’s Church
9.45am Eucharistic Adoration and Reconciliation
10.30am Legion of Mary St Anthony’s Church
Alicia Voges 0422 565 951 aliciavoges13@gmail.com

SUNDAY 3 NOVEMBER

11am Mass Sausage Sizzle St Anthony’s Mens Ministry
5pm Fr Ramsay Williams