



The Parish of Saint Anthony Glen Huntly

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Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C

30 October 2022

PARISH PRIEST
Fr Leenus Neetany 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-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
☎ 9563 6780

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

RECENTLY DECEASED: Mr Alfredo Palo

ANNIVERSARIES & REMEMBRANCES: Peter Neetany

PLEASE RING/EMAIL THE PARISH OFFICE IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE THE PARISH NEWSLETTER BY EMAIL



ALL SAINTS' DAY

ALL SAINTS DAY:

**Tuesday,
1st Nov.**

Mass at 9.15am

ALL SOULS DAY

**Wednesday,
2nd Nov.
Mass at 9.15am
and 7pm.**



All Souls Day

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

Forsake me not, O Lord, my God; be not far from me!
Make haste and come to my help, O Lord, my strong
salvation!

Today's Readings

Wis 11:22 – 12:2; 2 Thes 1:11 – 2:2; Lk 19:1-10

Responsorial Psalm

I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia! God loved the world so much, he gave
us his only Son, that all who believe in him might have
eternal life. Alleluia!

Communion Antiphon

You will show me the path of life, the fullness of joy in
your presence, O Lord

Next Sunday's Readings

2 Mc 7:1-2, 9-14; 2 Thes 2:16 – 3:5; Lk 20:27-38

Last Week's Stewardship Collections (loose & envelopes)

Church Stewardship	\$2,168
Presbytery Stewardship	\$1,184
World Mission Sunday	\$1,405

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

All Souls Day Wednesday 2 November

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 week-
end 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 in-
dulgence: sacramental confession, Eucharistic
communion and prayer for the Pope's intentions

Aid to the Church in Need

November Masses for your deceased loved ones
can be arranged through Aid to the Church in
Need which supports 1 in 8 priests worldwide.
www.aidtochurch.org/masses OR 1800 101 201

**CHILDREN MUST
HAVE ADULT
SUPERVISION**



Liturgy Roster Oct 22-23

Mass	Lector	Commentator	Sp Minister
Sat 6pm	P Bates	N Mudalige	J Aranha
Sun 9am	Y Jo-Sumarna	C Collins	R Meneaud
Sun 11am	L Nguyen	J Wong	A Francis
Sun 5pm	E Sebastian	J Kirkham	TBA

Liturgy Roster Nov 5-6

Mass	Lector	Commentator	Sp Minister
Sat 6pm	L Pereira	P Bates	J Aranha
Sun 9am	F De Marte	Y Jo-Sumarna	B Meneaud
Sun 11am	K O'Sullivan	K Campitelli	S Heuberger
Sun 5pm	E Sebastian	J Kirkham	TBA

Youth Meeting

All our Youth including those who would like to join
the World Youth Day are asked to register their
interest with the Parish Office latest by Friday 4th
Nov. via email, telephone message or by letting
Veronica or Fr Leenus know.

A meeting date will then be decided TBA.

Those who are below 18 years of age should be
accompanied by a parent to the meeting. All youth
are also invited to meet with Bishop Ireland when
he visits the Parish 25-27 November.

Please note that the minimum age is 16 years.



Subscription to St Anthony's Newsletter

St Anthony's Parish has now moved to a new
software by the Archdiocese that automatically
emails you our parish newsletter.

Please click on the link below to register your
subscription to the newsletter.

[https://www.melbcatholic.org/s/subscription?
id=0012w00000LOj5DAAT&req=subscribe](https://www.melbcatholic.org/s/subscription?id=0012w00000LOj5DAAT&req=subscribe)

Unfortunately the software will not allow us to
migrate our current distribution list, so you will
have to click on the link to get yourself subscribed.

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



**All are invited to a
Parish Meeting
On Fri. 4th Nov. at 7pm in the Church
in preparation for the Visit of Bishop Ireland
(25,26,27 Nov. 2022)**

All Committees and Groups of our Parish
need to be represented and all interested parishioners
are also invited to attend a meeting on 4th Nov. at 7pm in our church.

At this meeting we will discuss the timetable for the 3 day visit by the Bishop.
and also the various ways in which we can participate and make the Visit an enriching one.

Please be prepared to share your thoughts on the following questions, which
the Bishop has sent us as discussion points.

1. What are the present challenges for the community and for the life of the parish?
2. What are our priorities and goals?

Please involve others in your respective groups/committees and encourage them to reflect
on the above points and to attend the meeting.

Looking forward to seeing you all on Friday 4th Nov at 7pm in the church.

It would be great if you could let us know asap of your interest in attending the meeting,
You may use the Clip-Board kept at the church foyer, to register your interest.

**St Vincent de Paul's
Flood Appeal**

The Archbishop has asked all parishes to
support the Society of St Vincent de Paul's
Flood Appeal for those effected by the
devastating floods

Contributions can be made by:
Calling 13 18 12

OR by visiting

[https://donate.vinnies.org.au/appeals-
vic/vinnies-vic-flood-appeal-2022](https://donate.vinnies.org.au/appeals-vic/vinnies-vic-flood-appeal-2022)

OR by making a monetary donation through
any Vinnies Shops at point of purchase

OR via your local IGA where purchase of a
token supports the recovery of Victorians
devastated by these recent floods.

May our thoughts and prayers be with all
who are impacted by the floods.

We also pray for the volunteers and
emergency workers assisting them in their
needs at this challenging time.

**St Anthony's Plant Sale
Next Sunday 6 November**

In conjunction with the plants sale,
there will be some pre-loved items
as well as coffee and cake.

We gratefully would like some cakes/slices.
These should be clearly labelled with
ingredients, date of preparation and
the first name of cook.

Drop off could be on Thu 3 Oct, Fri 4 Oct at
the Parish Office or on Sunday 6 Nov.

We are looking for lots of hands/volunteers to
help out on the day.

If you are not a gardener you may like to
consider donating a bag of potting mix or
some fertiliser. Every little bit helps.

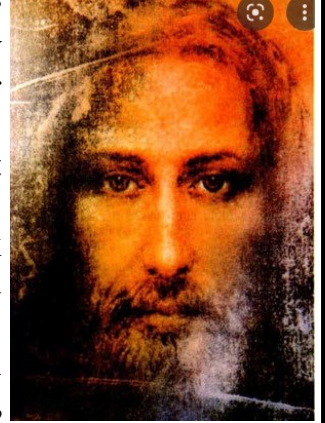
Proceeds will go to Tony's Café.



31st Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C

I'm sure, we are all desirous of seeing Jesus. Sometimes we may have imagined, 'if only I were born 2000 years ago, in Jerusalem or around there, could I have seen Jesus in person?' In fact believers and non-believers, saints and sinners alike long to see Jesus.

The then Governor of Judea, Publius Lentullus wrote to his senate concerning Jesus. "A man of tall stature, and comely, with very reverent countenance that the beholders may both love and fear; colour of his hair golden brown, curling and wavering about His shoulders. His forehead plain and very delicate; His face lovely red, without spot or wrinkle; His nose and lips so well formed; His beard, short, thickish, deep reddish brown; His eyes grey and clear; His look innocent and mature; Body proportion, most excellent; His hands and arms, delicate to behold; Pleasant in conversation, mixed with gravity; in speaking very temperate, modest, and wise. No one has ever seen Him *laugh*, but many have seen Him *Weep*. A man of singular beauty, surpassing all the children of men."



Pontius Pilate wrote to Tiberius Caesar describing Jesus. "Never have I seen a sweeter or more serene countenance. What a contrast between Him and His bearers. Once, I wrote to Jesus requesting an interview with Him at the Praetorium. He came. When Jesus the Nazarene made His appearance, my feet seemed tied up with an iron hand to the marble pavement and I trembled in every limb as a guilty culprit, though he was calm. For some time I stood admiring this extraordinary Man. I felt awed in His presence. I told Him that there was a magnetic simplicity about Him and His personality, which elevated Him far above everyone else."

No wonder Zacchaeus too desired to see Jesus. Zacchaeus was curious to see Jesus, because he knew there was a lot more to Jesus than his physical appearances. Zacchaeus knew that, Jesus could do anything for anyone. He could change water into wine, turn death into life, disease into health, calm the stormy seas, forgive sins and convert sinners into saints etc.

The desire of Zacchaeus to see Jesus was so sincere that he would do anything for the sake of it. He would put his pride away, run a mile, bent his knee, fold his hands, climb a tree, bow his head, give away his wealth, humble himself and risk his name; Would not allow anything or anyone to come between Jesus and himself: Like Zacchaeus anyone who sincerely desires to see Jesus, must take the trouble.

Then came; the most blessed moment in the life of Zacchaeus, when he could see the most holy face of Jesus; and in the clear grey eyes of the Lord he could see a loving gaze, and on his lips a gentle smile. Most surprisingly he could hear the sweet voice of Jesus calling him by name. "Zacchaeus come down, I will stay with you, today".

In fact, it was Jesus seeing Zacchaeus, more than Zacchaeus seeing Jesus. One may go through many years never wanting anything to do with the Lord; but one day will come when nothing can satisfy one's soul but the sight of Jesus. Psalm 105 says "Seek always the Face of the Lord. Zacchaeus received much more than he desired; so may we.

"A primary school student and his teacher are arguing about whether humans can be swallowed by whales.



Teacher: It's impossible for whales to swallow humans because whales have small throats.

Student: But Jonah got swallowed by a whale."

Teacher: That's not even a true story." Student: When I go to heaven, I'll ask him."

Teacher: What if Jonah is not in heaven?" Student: Then you can ask him."