



Hectorville
Catholic
Community

Annunciation Church

Love in all things

Parish Bulletin

Churches of Annunciation & St Mark's

20 Montacute Road, Hectorville SA 5073

St Mark's Church: Cnr Reid Ave and Harrison Streets, Magill SA 5072

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Year B

7 February 2021

“Moved by God’s love, we the people of Hectorville Catholic Community work for fullness of life and joy for all by living out together our love for God, each other and all God’s creation.”

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

O come, let us worship God and bow low before the God who made us, for he is the Lord our God.

1st READING: Job 7: 1 – 4, 6 – 7

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Praise the Lord who heals the broken-hearted.

SECOND READING: 1 Corinthians 9: 16 – 19, 22 – 23

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia!

He bore our sickness, and endured our suffering.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Mark 1: 29 – 39



COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

Let them thank the Lord for his mercy, his wonders for the children of men, for he satisfies the thirsty soul, and the hungry he fills with good things.

REFLECTIONS

As Catholics we believe in the power of miracles and that the source of them is always the grace of God. But we do not have to see them as something done to us from without. Rather, we can see them as unlocking something from within. For some people Jesus' word or touch set free the healing power God had placed in them. For others it came through another person's intercession. The same holds true for us today. Miracles are happening everyday. Today's Gospel reminds us that they do not happen for show or for the sake of the crowd. They are realisations of faith. Taking Peter's mother-in-law as our model we are healed and strengthened so that we can witness to God's saving power, serve the Kingdom of God in any way we can, and continue to wait on the Lord.

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Mrs Julieta Navarro

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Mass & Confession Times

Annunciation Church

Sunday 8.00 am

9.30 am (Italian)

11.00 (Family Mass)

5.30 pm

Monday to Friday 7.00 am

Friday 9.15 am

Saturday – Novena 8.30 am

Mass 9.00 am

Public Holidays 9.00 am

Confessions

Saturday 9.30 – 10.30 am

St Mark's Church

Saturday (Vigil) 6.00 pm

Sunday 9.30 am

Confessions Saturday

evening : Immediately following Mass.

Office Hours 9 am – 4.30 pm

Monday to Friday

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Love in all things

Hectorville Parish is a Child Safe and Family Friendly Environment. Our Child Protection Officer's are: Franco Canil (0419 183 936) and Danika Tremonte (0439635454).

FIRST AID KIT is located in Sacristy (where Priests vest) on right hand side.

WEBSITE FOR THE PARISH

Please log on to www.hectorvilleparish.com.au

Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/HectorvilleParishSA/>



Hectorville Catholic Community

Welcomes

Marcus Cittadini, Arianna & Valentina Di Biase & Evelyn Khoury who will receive the Sacrament of Baptism today.

Prayers Are Asked For:

Recently Deceased: Giovanna Puccini.



Those who have Died: Kurian Joseph, Francesca Costa, Oliviero Lancione, Alessandro Piantadosi & Family members, Daniela Iuliano(1 mth Mind) & Concetta Longo(1 mth Mind).

Please call the Parish Office at 83369988 or via email: admin@hectorpar.com.au for booking of Mass intentions.

Those who are Sick in Nursing Homes, Hospitals and the housebound. *May the Good Lord give them comfort and peace in their suffering.*

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CORONA VIRUS PRAYER

Lord Jesus Christ, you travelled through towns and villages "curing every disease and illness."
At your command, the sick were made well.
Come to our aid now, in the midst of the global spread of the Corona virus, that we may experience your healing love.
Lord, healer of all, stay by our side in this time of uncertainty and give us peace. **AMEN**

ADORATION

TODAY Sunday, 7 February at 4.00pm in Annunciation Church. All are very welcome.

TAMIL MASS

Next Sunday 14 February in Annunciation Church at 3.00pm. All welcome.

VOLUNTEERS

Dear Parishioners,

Due to COVID-19, we have had to undergo lots of changes especially with our Masses and some of our parishioners were not able to volunteer due to the restrictions that were in place. Currently we are trying to get back to some normality and routine with the Masses and we hope that all our Volunteers, especially Commentators and Readers would start volunteering according to the roster.

Communion Ministers are still not allowed to give out communion at Nursing Homes.

Thank you and May God Bless You All.
Fr Jeevan Gabriel

For **Ash Wednesday**, the ashes used are made from the burning of **palms** blessed in the **previous** year's **Palm Sunday** celebration. If anyone still has their blessed palms, can you kindly bring it to the Parish office or Church. *Thank you.*

NEW WEBSITE LAUNCH

Hectorville Catholic Community is excited to announce the launch of our updated website. The website can be accessed from Monday, 25th of January 2021. Please log on to www.hectorvilleparish.com.au. The new site has a fresh new look and was designed for our parishioner's and visitors' pastoral needs.

DAY OF THE UNBORN CHILD APPEAL

A special collection will be taken at all Masses this **weekend 6 & 7th February 2021** to assist the work of Birthline. The Right of Life Association S.A., Matercare Australia and Genesis Pregnancy Support Inc.

Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes

Thursday, February 11 at 10am in St Francis Xavier's Cathedral. Each year, on World Day of the Sick a Mass is offered for those who are of ill health. All are welcome to receive a blessing and anointing. Bookings to attend the Mass are limited due to density restrictions but can be made via

<https://www.trybooking.com/BOGUU>

For more information please contact Archdiocesan Events on (08) 8210 8220 or events@adelaide.catholic.org.au

Saints of the Week

St Scholastica: 10 February 2021



LENT

Begins with Ash Wednesday. It is a penitential season of prayer, self-denial and helping others.



ASH WEDNESDAY-Wednesday 17.02.2021

Mass Times will be as follows:-

Annunciation Church	7.00am
	9.15am
	7.30pm (Italian)
St Marks	7.30pm

VIA CRUCIS

Will be celebrated in Italian every Friday evening at 7.00pm in the Annunciation Church beginning Friday, 19th February 2021.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Will be celebrated in English every Wednesday evening at 7.00pm in the Annunciation Church beginning Wednesday, 24th February 2021.

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of fast and abstinence. The law of fasting binds those who have completed their eighteenth year, until the beginning of their sixtieth year: the law of abstinence binds those who have completed their fourteenth year (CCL 97, 1251-52). Catholics are obliged to receive Holy Communion at least once a year between Ash Wednesday and Trinity Sunday.

When Life is a “Drudgery”

Job was clearly expressing feelings that we all face at times. He speaks of a sleepless night. Feelings of a loss of hope.

The key to understanding this passage is to look at Job’s whole life. Even though he felt this way, it did not direct his decisions. He did not give in to ultimate despair; he did not give up; he persevered. And it paid off! He stayed faithful to God through his tragedy of losing everything precious to him and never lost faith and hope in his God. In his darkest hour, even his friends came to him telling him he was being punished by God and that all was lost for him. But he wouldn’t listen.

The tragedy of Job took place for a reason. It was to teach us this essential lesson of dealing with the heavy burden’s life can throw at us. For those of us who carry heavy burdens, Job can be a real inspiration because we can relate to him. We can relate to his pain and learn from his perseverance in hope.

Reflect, today, upon Job. Let his life inspire us. If we are finding a particular burden in life weighing us down, then try to praise and worship God anyway. Give God the glory due His name simply because it is due His name and not because we do or do not feel like doing it. In this, we will find that our heavy burden leads to our strengthening. We will become more faithful by being faithful when it’s very difficult to do so. Job did it and so can we!

BISHOP ELECT

FR MICHAEL ODIWA –

Laminated cards are available at the Church doors today.

Please take a card. It is free.



DAILY GOSPEL 2021

The Daily Gospel is unique among the resources currently available in providing substantial guidance and aid for everyday of the Liturgical year. There books are available to be purchased from the Parish office. Cost is \$10 per book.



YOUTH MASS – 1ST SUNDAY OF EVERY MONTH AT 5.30PM AT THE ANNUNCIATION CHURCH. ALL ARE WELCOME.

For it is God who is working in you, enabling you both to desire and to work out His good purpose.

Times of waiting help us develop character

Have you noticed that a lot of the time we want

things ‘now’. We want our teachers to give us less homework, ‘now’. We want our parents to get off our case, ‘now’. We want our lives and our relationships to get better, ‘now’. We live in a world where things often happen fast and we are so used to instant downloads and results and action that it’s sometimes hard for us to be patient and wait for things to change.

A lot of the things in God’s word require a process. Maybe you pray for something and you don’t get the results of your prayer right away. You have to wait and wait and wait and it seems like it’s taking forever. The waiting time is often the hardest part.

Today’s Truth: Times of Waiting Help Us Develop Character

But it’s in the times of waiting that God helps us develop character in our lives. You might be waiting for that special relationship that will turn into a marriage. In the waiting time, God might challenge you to get closer to him.

Waiting isn’t always comfortable, but it’s good for us. In those times of waiting on the promises of God, we can develop godly character.

Today if you’ve been waiting for change for a while, don’t give up. God is working in your life. Through this situation, he’s going to build character into your life.

New Horizons 2021: Youth and Young Adult Ministry Leaders Conference

February 26/27 2021 at St Mary's College, Adelaide. - Leaders of ministries and activities for young people in parishes, schools, communities and agencies in the Archdiocese of Adelaide are invited to attend this year's *conference*. The event will include Mass with Archbishop O'Regan, keynote presentations, workshops, resources, networking and collaboration opportunities and training from the Catholic Office for Youth and Young Adults. Registration is \$10 and includes meals and conference materials. Register online at <http://www.trybooking.com/BOCUB>. Contact Peter Bierer in COYYA for more information E: peter.bierer@cesa.catholic.edu.au or P: 8301 6866 or visit www.cathyouthadelaide.org.au

The Spirit of the Liturgy

The Spirit of the Liturgy - a short course presented by Dr Jenny O'Brien of the Archdiocese's Office for Worship. Held across five evenings, commencing on Thursday February 11, the course explores the feasts and seasons of the Liturgical Year and looks at the various liturgical ministries commonly undertaken within the parish community. The course will be held in the Cathedral Hall of St Francis Xavier's Cathedral in the city, cost is \$50 per person. To register your interest, please contact the Office for Worship on P: 8210 8130 or visit our website on www.ofw-adelaide.org.au.

Seeking Expressions of Interest for the Archdiocesan Council for Ministry for Young People -Applications close February 8 2021.

The Council for Ministry for Young People in the Archdiocese of Adelaide is seeking expressions of interest for council members. The CMYP is responsible for discerning broad Archdiocesan directions for the engagement of young people in the life and mission of the Church by providing advice and leadership to the Archdiocese of Adelaide and works closely with the Catholic Office for Youth and Young Adults. The term for new members will begin in March 2021. Applicants should be at least 18 years old and out of school. Apply online at <https://forms.gle/8gPTHVehRWsbt2Dw7>. For more *information*, contact Peter Bierer in the Catholic Office for Youth and Young Adults, peter.bierer@cesa.catholic.edu.au 8301 6866.

FREE Lenten Reflection Booklets-
"Rebuild My Church"- 2021 are available at Church doors. Please take a copy.

SOUTHERN CROSS NEWSPAPER

February 2021 issue is available at church doors.
today. Cost is \$2.00

Worldwide Marriage Encounter celebrates World Marriage Day February 14

Worldwide Marriage Encounter celebrates World Marriage Day every year on second Sunday of February all over the world to honour husbands and wives for their commitment and love towards each other and their families, the basic unit of society. It salutes the beauty of their faithfulness, sacrifice and joy in daily-married life. The World Marriage Day theme is "Love one another".

Couple Prayer: "Father, as we prepare for World Marriage Day, we thank you for your tremendous gift of the Sacrament of Marriage. Help us to witness to its glory by a life of growing intimacy. Teach us the beauty of forgiveness so we may become more and more One in Heart, Mind and Body. Strengthen our dialogue and help us become living signs of your love. Make us grow more in love with the church so we may renew the Body of Christ. Make us a sign of unity in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Brother. Amen".

In case you need further information, please do contact us. Embracing you with love and prayers,

Thomas and Maria,

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Ecclesial Team SA
& Northern Territory on P: 0405 188 436 / 0470

121 085, E: wwmcentral@gmail.com or W:

<https://www.wwme.org.au>.

Discover MacKillop in 2021

Mary MacKillop College warmly invites girls in Year 5 and 6 to spend a day with us.

Meet our staff and students while participating in a range of interactive activities and lessons.

Come 'n' Try Days
Term 1 Wednesday 24 February
Term 2 Wednesday 2 June
Term 3 Thursday 12 August

10-14 High Street Kensington SA 5068
(08) 8333 6300
admin@marymackillop.sa.edu.au
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Be a MacKillop girl!!

BOOK NOW

ROSTER - Sunday 14 February 2021

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Annunciation Church

8.00am M Murphy, M O'Donnell, P Burger & B De Conti.

9.30am S Zollo, L Petroccia, M Traforti & J Ionni.

11.00am M Kenny, T Macolino, P Watson, C Orlando, G Parletto, E Geelan & L Fernando.

5.30pm R Binetti, J Petric, V Youhanna, A Ward K Petric & D Tremonte.

St Mark's Church

6.00pm(Vigil) J Leydon, O Ferreira, G Ferreira & J Ture.

9.30am **Commentator needed**, N Martini, B Tobin, S Piteo & E Kiss.

ALTAR SOCIETY

Annunciation Church: B De Conti & B Fabris.

St Mark's Church: J Ture & J D'Angelo