# 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

#### Annunciation Church

Hectorville

Catholic Community

Love in all things

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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 7.00 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 Ph: 8336 9988 Fax: 8336 4040 email: admin@hectorpar.com.au Website: www.hectorvilleparish.com.au

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## THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

15 August 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:**

A great sign appeared in heaven: a woman clothed with the sun, and the moon beneath her feet, and on her head a crown of twelve stars.

#### FIRST READING:

Revelation 11:19; 12: 1 - 6,10

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM:** The queen stands at your right hand, arrayed in gold.

#### **SECOND READING:**

1 Corinthians 15: 20 - 26

### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:**

Alleluia, alleluia! Mary is taken up to heaven, and the angels of God shout for joy. Alleluia!

#### GOSPEL

Luke 1: 39 – 56



#### **COMMUNION ANTIPHON:**

All generations will call me blessed, for he who is mighty has done great things for me.

**REFLECTIONS-** The Gospel for this day reminds us that Mary's Assumption into heaven is best understood with regard for the full spectrum of Catholic beliefs about the person of Christ and the person of Mary. Only Mary, who was born without stain of original sin—the Immaculate Conception—could give birth to Christ, who is fully God and fully human. Mary is the first to receive the fullness of the redemption that her son has won for all of humanity. The Church, therefore, recognizes Mary as the sign of the salvation promised to all. Today's Gospel highlights Mary's faith. Mary's faith enabled her to recognize the work of God in her people's history and in her own life. Her openness to God allowed God to work through her so that salvation might come to all. Mary is a model and symbol of the Church. May we be like Mary, open and cooperative in God's plan of salvation.

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 Priest's 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 Elisabetta Marinos, Indiana Zaccagnini L Antonio Russo who will receive the Sacrament of Baptism today.

Prayers Are Asked For: Recently Deceased: Donato Gentilcore, Justin Chang & Tony Pilkington.

Those who have Died: Mary Chang, Napoleone Massicci, Romano Martini, Antonia Dal Molin & deceased family members of the Ciccozzi & Lancione families, Giovanni & Filomena Moschetta & Gabrielle & Caterina Allevi, Irma, Anna & Davide Chiro, Giorgio & Adelina D'Angelo, Michael Milanese & family members, Rendina & Radino family members, Donato Vignogna, Grace Seneca(1 Mth Mind), Maria La Montagna(1 Yr Mind) & Michelino Lombardi(1 Mth Mind).

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

Angela Perilli (Parish Office) and those who are Sick in Nursing Homes, Hospitals and the housebound. May the Good Lord give them comfort and peace in their suffering. \*\*\*\*\*

#### 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

**IMPORTANT NOTICE:-** Please take note that with the change of restrictions of 1 person per 1.5 sqm effective from Friday, 13th August 2021: -Annunciation Church can now accommodate 226 people per mass and St Marks Church can accommodate **202 people per mass.** No bookings are required but the wearing of masks is MANDATORY.

a) Weddings and funerals are capped at 50 people QR Code Check In/ Sign In sheet - is still COMPULSORY. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.

ADORATION- TODAY, SUNDAY- 15 August at 4.00pm in Annunciation Church. All are very welcome.

#### A special THANK YOU

I would like to thank all the Parishioners for your ongoing support for the Priests and the Parish. Your contribution and generosity are greatly appreciated. Fr Jeevan Gabriel SMM -Parish Priest

#### Wedding Anniversaries Mass

The blessing of wedding anniversaries Mass for 1, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55

and 60 or more years which used to be celebrated in the St Francis Xavier



Cathedral in the past years will be now celebrated at the Annunciation Church on Sunday, 19th of September 2021 at all Masses. Please contact the Parish Office at 8336 9988 with your name, year of anniversary and address. Thank you.

Please take note that the YOUTH MASS will now be on every 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month starting from August at 11.00am at THE ANNUNCIATION CHURCH. All are welcome.

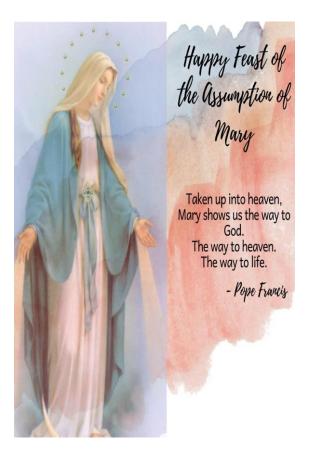


#### **CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES CHILDREN'S LITURGY -11.00AM MASS EVERY SUNDAY** -ANNUNCIATION CHURCH

**CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS FOR 2021** We are now taking enrolments for all our programs. If you are interested in knowing more, please phone the parish office at 83369988 or email admin@hectorpar.com.au. Further information is also available on our Parish website.

#### PRAYER GROUPS & MEETINGS THIS WEEK

• **Baptism Formation**: Tuesday, 17<sup>th</sup> August, 7.00pm at the Annunciation Church.



#### **CARITAS AUSTRALIA**

Caritas Australia has expressed their heartfelt thanks to all the wonderful parishioners who have donated so generously to Project Compassion 2021 this Lenten Season. Our Parish has donated an amount of \$11,780.40 which is the highest donation collected in the whole of our diocese. Thank you for your generosity and kindness. Fr Jeevan Gabriel

#### **Diocesan Assembly Announcement**

The Archdiocese of Adelaide will be holding a Diocesan Assembly this Adelaide Diocesan Diocesan Assembly September. The Assembly is a meeting of representatives from parishes, schools, communities and groups to discuss the life of our local church, discern a new vision for the diocese and prepare for the upcoming Plenary Council. The Diocesan Assembly Announcement Video, can be viewed via the following YOUTUBE link:-

https://youtu.be/rplS4bvv4FU.For more information on the Diocesan Assembly, and to share your response to the consultation question, visit www.adelaidediocesanassembly.org or contact Sarah Moffatt in the Diocesan Offices on P: 8210 8100.



#### The Assumption of the Mother of God

Today's celebration is one of the four great Solemnities by which our Blessed Mother is honored. Obviously, no other person other than our Lord is honored and celebrated with as much solemnity as the Mother of God.

The Solemnity of the Assumption honors the fact that when the Blessed Virgin Mary completed her life on earth, she never experienced death. Instead, at that glorious moment, she was singly privileged to be taken body and soul into Heaven to be with her resurrected Son so as to adore the Most Holy Trinity forever. It's an amazing fact to consider that she is the only person, other than Jesus, who retains her body and soul, united as one in Heaven, in anticipation of that glorious day when the new Heavens and Earth will be created and when all the faithful will rise so as to live in a new bodily form forever with God.

This Dogma of the Assumption reveals to us many things worth prayerfully pondering. First and foremost, Mary's Assumption was a result of her Immaculate Conception and the fact that she remained sinless throughout her life. The from Assumption follows the Immaculate Conception because death follows from sin. It was not the original plan of God that we experience the death of our bodies and the separation of our bodies and souls. Again, this is a consequence of sin. But since the Blessed Virgin Mary was preserved from all sin from the moment of her conception by the future grace won by her Son on the Cross, and because she freely remained free from sin throughout her life by her ongoing cooperation with that grace, then she not only did not experience death, she could not. Death had no power over one who was without sin.

The Gospel passage quoted above comes from the beginning of Mary's song of praise, her *Magnificat*, by which she not only gives the greatest glory to God but also reveals who she is. She is the one whom "all generations" will call "blessed." She is the one for whom "the Almighty has done great things." She is the one who will eternally proclaim "the greatness of the Lord" and whose spirit will forever rejoice in God her Savior. And she is that lowliest of servants whom God has raised up to the greatest glory.

Reflect, today, with the whole Church, upon the Most Glorious Ever-Virgin Mary who was conceived without sin, remained sinless throughout her life, never experienced death, and was taken body and soul into Heaven where she now adores the Most Holy Trinity and intercedes for us and for the whole Church. This is a Solemnity of great rejoicing! Share in this joy with the whole Church and with all the saints in Heaven!



#### OUR LADY OF FATIMA STATUE

There are still dates available for parishioners to have the Statue of Our Lady of Fatima in their homes for a week at a time. Please ring Parish office on 83369988 if you

wish to have the statue.



#### SAN PELLEGRINO ANNUAL MASS

The Annual Mass for San Pellegrino will be celebrated in Annunciation Church on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> August at 7.00pm. All very welcome.

#### National Day of Prayer for Pandemic

Parishes and other Catholic communities are being encouraged to participate in a National Day of Prayer in this time of pandemic on Sunday, August 22. It is an initiative of a broad range of Christian communities, including the National Council of Churches Australia. The theme is "Lord have mercy" and it calls people to be especially united in prayer, both individually and, where possible, in our liturgies. Find out more at: http://www.nationaldayofprayer.org.au/LordHave Mercy/

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Worldwide Marriage Encounter – Australia Virtual Weekend- A weekend of discovery ... a lifetime of love. Worldwide Marriage Encounter invites couples, priests, and religious for a virtual marriage encounter weekend to enrich and revitalize your sacrament of service. It allows you to grow in your relationship with your spouse or your community. Details are as follows: WHAT: Virtual weekend via Zoom

**WHEN:** September 10-12, 2021

**TIME:** Commencing at 7pm on Friday September 10 – Concluding 4pm Sunday September 12 Contact: Julie & Zyg Staszyc: M: 0437 388 513, E: sabookings@www.me.org.ev

E: <u>sabookings@wwme.org.au</u>.

Visit us: <u>https://www.wwme.org.au</u> – for testimonies and update.

### SOUTHERN CROSS NEWSPAPER

August 2021 issue is still available at church doors this weekend. Cost is \$2.00.

#### MFP – Building Community for a Joyful, Hope-filled and Servant Community Seminar

You are invited to attend the "Building community for a joyful, hope filled and servant community seminar" to be held on Saturday August 21, 2021 9.30am to 3.30pm in Room 7 & 8, Catholic Education Centre at 116 George Street, Thebarton. RSVP is essential by Friday August 13 for catering and administrative purposes. Please contact Sonia Kravinskis on P: 8210 8169 or E: mfpadmin@adelaide.catholic.org.au.

#### Mission One Heart Many Voices Conference

Mission One Heart Many Voices Conference is being held on September 1 – 3 online. To register or for further information visit: <u>www.mohmv.com.au</u> or contact P: 1800 257 296 or E: <u>mohmvconferenceteam@catholicmission.org.au</u>.

#### Invitation to the Diocesan YOUTH Assembly

Parishes, schools, communities and agencies are invited to nominate young people ages 16 to 30 for participation in the Diocesan YOUTH Assembly to be held at Nazareth Catholic College, Findon campus on Saturday August 21 2021. The Youth Assembly is an opportunity for young people to contribute to the Diocesan Assembly and Plenary Council. More information is available on the COYYA website <u>www.cathyouthadelaide.org.au</u>. For further information, contact Peter Bierer in the Catholic Office for Youth and Young Adults P: 8301 6866 or E: <u>peter.bierer@cesa.catholic.edu.au</u>.

### ROSTER Sunday 22 August – 21<sup>st</sup> Week in Ordinary Time <u>Annunciation Church</u>

- 8.00am M O'Donnell, C Turk, B De Conti & P Burger.
- 9.30am S Zollo, P Meola, A Mignone, N Ianera & C Cantone.
- 11.00am N Pinneri, A Mc Carthy, T Romeo, E Geelen, P Maio, P Watson & L Fernando.
- 5.30pm E Spencer, J Shearer, A Anthony, A Ozgo & M Nguyen.

### St Mark's Church

6.00pm(Vigil)K Hannagan, A Hamman, J Ture & J DÁngelo.

9.30am N Porcaro, N Martini, S Carson, D Gocur & S Piteo.

### ALTAR SOCIETY

Annunciation Church: C Papalia & B Ferraro. St Mark's Church: S Spajic & A Hamann.