

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

Love in all things

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Parish Pastoral Chair

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Parish Finance Chair

Mr Rob Holling

Planned Giving Chair

Mrs Julieta Navarro

Work, Health & Safety Officer

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.

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Love in all things

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT **Year C**

13 March 2022

"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:

Of you my heart has spoken, Seek his face. It is your face, O Lord, that I seek; hide not your face from me.

FIRST READING: Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

The Lord is my light and my salvation.

SECOND READING: Philippians 3:17 – 4:1

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Glory and praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ! From the shining cloud the Father's voice is heard: this is my beloved Son, hear him. Glory and praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ!

GOSPEL Luke 9:28-36

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him.

REFLECTIONS:- The Transfiguration is not a once off event for Jesus alone. It is a moveable feast for all of us who have become God's sons and daughters in Christ. Nothing we do stops God from loving us. God loves us as we are, not as we



like to be. As the old saying goes, 'you don't have to get good to get God. You have to get God to get good.' And so for a Christian, being vulnerable enough to tell those we love that we love them is no sentimental exercise but a participation in the heart of God. By taking the risk of doing this, others may clearly hear the voice of God through us and we may discover ourselves transfigured by the personal love of God for us too. In the process God may move from being an idea, an abstraction, even an object of curiosity to the focus of a loving experience that can give our lives meaning, purpose and hope. In this Eucharist then, let's ascend the mountaintop and let's listen to Jesus say, 'You are my son. You are my daughter. And I love you.'

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/ Youtube:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCbn7ewJW1 ExoIY -1z3XdSA

Live Streaming is available at Annunciation Church for Weddings and Funerals:- Cost: \$100.00

QR link to parish census form on website:

If you:

- are new to the parish,
- · have recently changed your address, or
- have not filled in the parish Census form,

please fill in the census form and press submit

Hectorville Catholic Community

Welcomes: - Isla Mullen & Paige Mills who will receive the Sacrament of Baptism.

Congratulations to Danielle Stentiford & Jason Johnson on their wedding last week and May God bless their union.

Prayers Are Asked For:

Recently Deceased:- Donato Carpinelli.

Those who have Died: Carmine Moffa, Michael Belperio, Arnaldo Barricelli & Barricelli & Mirra family, Radino & Rendina family.

Those who are Sick: Angela Perilli (Parish Office) & Annemarie Nemeth 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**

Covid Care Team: Dear Parishioners, Covid Care Team is now in place in the Parish. If you or anyone who are in isolation needs any assistance, kindly call the parish office so that the team will reach out to them in time.

IMPORTANT NOTICE:- Please take note that effective from 12:01am Saturday, 12th March 2022:-the following changes have been made:-

- 1. Churches may return to full capacity.
- 2. Places of Worship are included in the list of Defined Public Activities, therefore QR codes or sign-ins **ARE STILL REQUIRED.**
- 3. Masks are still mandatory.

Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: - Please be advised that in the absence of Fr Jeevan, there will be no mass on Sundays at 9.30am in St Marks. But there will be Liturgy of the Word and Communion Service. You are welcome to join the Annunciation Church for mass. Mass will resume on the 3rd of April. We thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD AND MASS OF THANKSGIVING

The Ordination to the Priesthood of Reverend Mr Anthony Beltrame and Reverend Mr Olek Stirrat was held on Saturday 12th March 2022 at 10.00am at the St Francis Xavier's Cathedral, Adelaide. Please keep them both in your prayers.

Parishioners are invited to attend their individual first **Mass of Thanksgiving** on the following date and times:-

Reverend Mr Olek Stirrat - 13th March at 2.00pm at Annunciation Church. Hectorville.

Reverend Mr Anthony Beltrame- 13th March at 4.00pm St Joseph's Church Tranmere, 484 Magill Road, Kensington Gardens.

Please Note: Monday, 14th of March is a Public Holiday and Mass will be celebrated at 7.00am.

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

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



PRAYER GROUPS & MEETINGS THIS WEEK

NO MEETINGS THIS WEEK



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Will be celebrated in English every Wednesday evening at 7.00pm in the

Annunciation Church.

VIA CRUCIS

Will be celebrated in Italian every Friday evening at 7.00pm in the Annunciation Church.

PETITION CROSS

From TODAY, Second Sunday of Lent until Good Friday, the Petition Cross will again be placed lying down at the front of the Church of the Annunciation. Throughout Lent, you may wish to write and offer a personal prayer petition to Jesus on the note paper provided; fold it and then nail it to Jesus' cross. The petitions will remain private. After Good Friday, the petitions will be discreetly removed, gathered together and offered up at Mass. "I have come so you may have life and have it to the full." John 10:10

PILGRIMAGE to St Joan of Arc Catholic Church - Victor Harbor

As part of the parish's Lenten preparations, this year we are having a pilgrimage to St Joan of Arc Catholic Church, Victor Harbor, South Australia on Tuesday, 5th April 2022. We will depart on the day at 9.00am and will return back at approximately 6.00pm. Please bring your own lunch.

Cost is \$30.00 per person.

If you are interested to go on this Lenten Pilgrimage, please ring the parish office (08-83369988) to book your seat and to make the payment.

SEVEN CHURCHES WALK -This year the 7 Churches Walk will take place on Saturday 9th April 2022. More details will be made available closer to the date.

Dear Parishioners,

We are on the lookout for new singers and musicians to play at our 11am and 5:30pm masses. Starting this month we would like to dedicate the 11am 2nd Sunday of each month to welcoming new singers and musicians into our parish. Therefore, if you or someone you may know is interested in joining our parish music, please get in touch with either Nathan de Souza or Mark Jaksa on the details below so that we can get you involved. We look forward to hearing from you.

Nathan

Parish Music Coordinator

Nathan de Souza Email: nathanids001@gmail.com Mark Jaksa Email: mark jaksa@bigpond.com

Message from Fr Jeevan

Dear Parishioners, greetings from Bangalore, South India. Hope you're all doing well and safe from



Covid. I understand that your preparation for Easter during this Lent is also meaningful and drawing closer to Christ.



It's been two weeks since I came down to India Wonderful

reunited with family after 22 long years. Lot of mixed feelings and emotions were exchanged at my arrival. Tears of joy were shed and lot of hugs and kisses. My family organised a fantastic and a memorable birthday celebration which I cherished. My mother revived her life after I joined her company. She's looking pretty good now. It's good news. Life is normal now in India though there are few Covid cases. Hope to return soon if everything goes well. Have a wonderful season of Lent. God bless you all.





Biru 30, lives in a

rural village in Jharkand State in India's east. He lost mobility in one of his legs, after contracting polio as a child, which makes it difficult for him to walk. With your generous support, Biru was able to access an entrepreneurship and livelihoods development program, run by Caritas Australia's partner, Caritas the skills, support Не gained encouragement he needed to establish his own bicycle repair business. Now, Biru is able to provide a good life for his family – and an essential service to his community. Please donate to Project Compassion 2022 and help people living with disabilities in India gain access to education and clean water, empowering them with skills to build a better future. Together, help we can vulnerable communities face their challenges today and build a better tomorrow For All Future Generations. You can donate through Project Compassion donation



boxes and envelopes available from Parish, by visiting your lent.caritas.org.au, or by calling 1800 024 413.

PROJECT COMPASSION **BOXES** ENVELOPE PACKS are still available at church doors TODAY. Please take a box or envelope pack for use during Lent.

Joy at the Transfiguration

Jesus took Peter, James and John and they went up a high mountain together. These three Apostles had no idea what was coming. Most likely while on the way they were wondering why they had to go up the mountain. But the mountain is a symbol of our upward journey to Heaven. It takes focus and drive, commitment and resolve to go there, and it's an elevated place, a place away from the ordinary occurrences of life.

So, they were on this difficult climb up the mountain and suddenly they stopped in shock and awe. They saw before their eyes Jesus changed in a glorious way, His clothing being whiter than any white they had ever seen.

Jesus, who up until this moment had kept His divinity veiled, lifted the veil ever so slightly. And with the lifting of that veil, His divinity shone through brighter than anything this world could ever contain. And Peter, James and John did not know what to think. So why did Jesus give these Apostles this very brief experience of His glory? Because they would need that taste of His goodness for the road ahead. They would need to forever remember what their final destiny was. They would need to hold this experience close as they endured the many crosses and sufferings ahead. And they would use this experience to remind themselves that whatever they had to endure on the journey up the mountain of life is worth it. Because on the summit is a glory so great that no hardship they would have to endure would ever prove to be too big. God wants to give that message to us through them. He wants us to ponder this experience they had and He wants us to try to enter into it so that we too can willingly press on during the journey.

Reflect, today, at the beginning of Lent, on the glory of God that makes the crosses we endure all worth it. Take advantage of this experience of Peter, James and John and try to make their experience our own. Be consoled by God's glory and never forget that this is the ultimate promise He gives to all who press on.

Fringe Organ Recital -St Francis Xavier's' Cathedral on Wednesday March 16. Archdiocese of Adelaide with the Adelaide Fringe invites you to attend the third and final Lunchtime Organ Recital at the Cathedral on Wednesday, March 16 from 1pm to 1.30pm, featuring organist Graham Bell. Entry is free. All are welcome. Please phone Archdiocesan Events for any further information P: 8210 8220.

Vinnie's Pooraka Hub - Volunteers Needed

Vinnie's has opened a new assistance centre at Pooraka and is seeking volunteers on Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 10:00am to 2:00pm to provide support those in to need. Vinnie's members are most welcome. Interested parishioners would be provided with training and support. Further information can be obtained from Hectorville Vinnie's President, Mark Jaksa (0421 mark jaksa@bigpond.com) 617 or our Regional President, Neil Dwiar (0402 345 493, ndwiar@svdpsa.org.au).

SOUTHERN CROSS NEWSPAPER

March 2022 issue is still available at church doors today. Cost is \$2.00.

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS FOR 2022

We are now taking enrolments for all our programs. If you are interested in knowing more, please phone the little children parish office at 83369988 or email



admin@hectorpar.com.au . Further information is also available on our Parish website. (Lessons run during school terms).

Parish Secretary (Part-time) - Glenelg Parish

A current part-time position is available for the Glenelg Parish. Applications due by close of business (5pm) on Monday March 21, 2022.

Saints of the Week

St Patrick, Bishop: 17 March 2022 St Cyril of Jerusalem: 18 March 2022



St Joseph: 19 March 2022

ROSTER - Sunday 20 March 2022 3rd Sunday of Lent Annunciation Church

M Murphy, C Turk, B Barrett & 8.00am P Burger.

9.30am A Silvestrino, G De Cianni, A Moschetta & T Romeo.

M Canil, G Costa, R Foresto, M Van De 11.00am Weyer, C Orlando, L Fernando, F Canil.

5.30pm A Ozgo, J Newnes, C Green, M Cheah & M Phuah.

St Mark's Church

6.00pm (Vigil)B Rabbitt, A Cole, A Hamman & M Warburton.

9.30am J Sosnowski, M V Holst, E Kiss & P Barratt.

ALTAR SOCIETY

Annunciation Church: B De Conti & B Fabris. St Mark's Church: | Ture & | D'Angelo.