



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

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

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24 April 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:

Like newborn infants, you must long for the pure, spiritual milk, that in him you may grow to salvation, alleluia.

FIRST READING:

Acts 5: 12 – 16

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, his love is everlasting.

SECOND READING:

Revelation 1: 9 – 13, 17 – 19

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia!

You believe in me, Thomas, because you have seen me; happy those who have not seen me, but still believe!

Alleluia!

GOSPEL

John 20: 19 – 31

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

Bring your hand and feel the place of the nails, and do not be unbelieving but believing, alleluia.



REFLECTION

Today we consider the presence of the Risen Lord. Where is he found? Each of the readings offers an answer to this question. The Risen Christ is found in the community of believers who follow the example of Jesus. The Risen Christ is found in those who accept the truth of the resurrection on the word of others. The word of God preached by others has often brought us out of darkness into light, from the stranglehold of death to the birth of new life. The Risen Christ is found in the forgiveness of sin. The Spirit reconciles sinners with God and, thereby, with the rest of the believing community. Forgiveness is a tangible sign of Christ’s mystical presence.

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Planned Giving Chair

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 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

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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 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/UCbn7ewJW1ExoIY-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



Prayers Are Asked For:

Recently Deceased: Giulia Piantadosi, Cristina Farese & Christine Slawinski.

Those who have Died: Antonetta Russo(1 yr Ann), Enrichetta Marrone(1 yr Ann), Mariano Paradiso & Family, Mario Di Marzo(2 yrs Ann), Angela Maria & Antonio Di Marzo, Filomena & Rosario Musolino, Giuseppa Aloisi Rocco & Giovanna Mustaca, Bruce McLean(1 mth Ann) & Gwenda McLean, Maria Urbani, Giuseppe, Gaetano & Antonio Aiello, Caterina & Vincenzo Di Lena, Tutti i Santi, Dorothy O'Brien, Andrea Lombardi, Fernando & Carmela Grandioso(1 yr Ann), Maria Pollifrone(1 yr Ann) Eugenia D'Angelo(25 yrs Ann), Margherita Zollo(1 mth Ann) & Maria Ciotti(1 mth Ann).

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(08-83369988) so that the team will reach out to them in time.

IMPORTANT NOTICE:- Please take note that effective from 12:01am Friday, 15th April 2022:-the following changes have been made:-

1. Churches may return to full capacity.
 2. QR codes or sign-ins are no longer required.
 3. Masks are still highly recommended.
- Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.

A SPECIAL THANK YOU

A special thanks to all our Parishioners who had volunteered, the Choir groups, the Readers & Commentators, Altar Servers and Covid Marshalls throughout the Holy Week and Easter Ceremonies at the Annunciation Church & St Marks Church. Your time and effort are very much appreciated.

CTK MEETING ROOM PRAYER GROUPS AND MEETINGS

Dear Parishioners, The CTK Meeting room has not been available for the past month or so for any of the Parish prayer groups and meetings. You will have noticed a transportable classroom has been installed at the back of the Hall for Parish use and this classroom has to be reinstated by builders who are undertaking work for the school. The school and classroom work has been delayed by COVID, builder related matters, material supply and other issues. Until this classroom is ready for Parish use, The CTK Meeting room is full of items that need to be transferred to the classroom. The Parish is working with the school to address the unforeseen delay in the reinstatement of the classroom as well as exploring alternatives to allow the Parish to use The CTK Meeting room sooner. We will let you know more once we know more as well. Thank you for your understanding.

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 upcoming meetings for next week.

QUEEN OF HEAVEN
(To be prayed during Easter)

V. O Queen of heaven, rejoice, **R. Alleluia.**
V. For he whom you did merit to bear, **R. Alleluia,**
V. Has risen as he said, **R. Alleluia.**
V. Pray for us to God, **R. Alleluia,**
V. Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, **R. Alleluia,**
V. For the Lord is truly risen, **R. Alleluia.**
Let us pray. O God who gave joy to the world through the resurrection of your Son our Lord Jesus Christ, grant, we beseech you, that through the intercession of the Virgin Mary, his mother, we may obtain the joys of everlasting life, through the same Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Feast of the Divine Mercy – Sunday April 24

On Divine Mercy Sunday April 24, 2022, you are invited to join us at St Francis of Assisi, Newton Parish to contemplate our Lord's Mercy and love.

1:00 - 1:30pm - Veneration of the Divine Mercy Image

1:30 - 2:45pm - Confession, Adoration, Divine Mercy Prayers & Chaplet
3:00pm - Holy Eucharist

Trust in Divine Mercy

Most merciful Jesus,
I turn to You in my
need.

You are worthy of my
complete trust. You are
faithful in all things.
When my life is filled
with confusion, give me
clarity and faith.

When I am tempted to
despair, fill my soul with hope.

Most merciful Jesus,
I trust You in all things.

I trust in Your perfect plan for my life.
I trust You when I cannot comprehend
Your divine Will. I trust You when all feels lost.
Jesus, I trust You more than I trust myself.

Most merciful Jesus,
You are all-knowing. Nothing is beyond Your
sight. You are all-loving.

Nothing in my life is beyond Your concern.
You are all-powerful.

Nothing is beyond Your grace.

Most merciful Jesus,
I trust in You, I trust in You, I trust in You.
May I trust You always and in all things.
May I daily surrender to Your Divine Mercy.
Most Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of Mercy,
Pray for us as we turn to you in our need.



The Mercy of God in Superabundance!

On this eighth day of Easter, we celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday. It is a day when the flood-gates of mercy are opened wide and God lavishes us with more than we could ever hope for. Divine Mercy Sunday has been celebrated for years as a private devotion. But in the year 2000, Pope Saint John Paul II, who himself was an extraordinary instrument of God's mercy, put this feast on the Church's official calendar as he raised Sister Faustina to sainthood.

Saint Faustina was a member of the Congregation of Sisters of Our Lady of Mercy in Krakow, Poland. She writes of her experience on February 22, 1931: In the evening, when I was in my cell, I became aware of the Lord Jesus clothed in a white garment. One hand was raised in blessing, the other was touching the garment at the breast. From the opening of the garment at the breast there came forth two large rays, one red and the other pale. In silence I gazed intently at the Lord; my soul was overwhelmed with fear, but also with great joy. After a while Jesus said to me, 'paint an image according to the pattern you see, with the inscription: Jesus, I trust in You.'

Later, Jesus explained to her in another vision:

"The pale ray stands for the Water which makes souls righteous; the red ray stands for the Blood which is the life of souls. These two rays issued forth from the depths of My most tender Mercy at that time when My agonizing Heart was opened by a lance on the Cross....Fortunate is the one who will dwell in their shelter, for the just hand of God shall not lay hold of him."

Jesus spoke again to her of His desire that the Solemnity of Divine Mercy be established:

"On that day (the 8th day of Easter each year) the very depths of My tender mercy are open. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who approach the fount of My mercy. The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment. On that day all the divine floodgates through which grace flow are opened. Let no soul fear to draw near to Me, even though its sins be as scarlet. My mercy is so great that no mind, be it of man or of angel, will be able to fathom it throughout all eternity."

As we celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday, intensely reflect upon the abundance of this gift that God wishes to pour forth upon us. There is no limit to how much we are loved by our God of perfect mercy. And today, on this the eighth day of Easter, we should especially be aware of the fact that the floodgates of Heaven are opened to us to an unimaginable degree. Turn our eyes toward our merciful Lord and be open to all that He wishes to bestow.

Federal Election – Australian Catholic Bishops Conference

Read the Australian Catholic Bishops' 2022 election statement [Towards a Better Kind of Politics](#) to help you reflect on the good you can do for the community by using your vote for the common good of all. The statement includes a Prayer for the Election and the principles of Catholic Social Teaching. Download a copy from www.catholic.org.au

Diocesan Pre-Synod Gathering

All are invited to the Diocesan Pre-Synod Gathering for the presentation of the Diocesan Report to the 2023 Synod on Synodality. The gathering will take place at the **Monastery in Glen Osmond on Saturday April 30 at 1:45pm.**

The gathering will be an opportunity to reflect on the report and provide feedback. Space is limited, booking is essential.

The event will also be livestreamed on YouTube. RSVP at www.trybooking.com/BYLPR

Executive Assistant to the Director of the Ministry Formation Program – (Part-time)

Current part-time position available for Ministry Formation Program. A copy of the Position Description can be obtained by contacting :-

Ms Anna Hilferty at

recruitment@adelaide.catholic.org.au

Applications due by close of business (5pm) Tuesday, April 26 2022.

Sacramental and Liturgical Coordinator (Part-time) – Para Hills/Modbury Parish

- A current part-time position available for Para Hills/Modbury Parish. Applications due by close of business (5pm) Friday, April 29 2022.

Knights of The Southern Cross Hectorville/Tranmere

The Knights will be launching fund raisings for 2022 following lifting of Covid19 restrictions by the Archdiocese, as listed below:

1. 45 Club based on X Lotto numbers-information sheets will be available at Church doors on Sunday, May 1.

Covid 19 curtailed our fundraising through 2020 and 2021 cutting our donation support for many charities, please help us to get back to helping these groups as we did in the past.

Michael Boyle- Chairman



Running for Caritas AUSTRALIA

Father Charles Lukati *IS ON THE RUN AGAIN*, using his God-given passion to run. He has joined with

Caritas Australia to raise funds for the vulnerable and those in crises. On Sunday May 15, Fr Charles (Parish Priest of Croydon Park) will participate in the **SALISBURY RUN** Half Marathon (21.1km!). Use the **QR CODE** above or click on the link below donate and support his **RUN** : fundraise.projectcompassion.org.au/t/croydonparkcatholicparishsa

The *Mary MacKillop Walk* has 14 stops, each with its own significant story. The walk takes 60-90 minutes and is accessible for all. Pocket-sized, self-guided Mary MacKillop Walk booklets are available from Mary MacKillop Museum or the Norwood Town Hall.

Come along ... Celebrate with us! Book now for the special 1st Birthday Mary MacKillop Walk

- Sunday May 1
- Assemble at Mary MacKillop Museum, cnr High and Phillips Street, Kensington
- Meet your guides and set out at 10.30am
- Come back to the Museum for the cutting and sharing of the birthday cake at around 12 noon.
- No cost, but bookings are essential, so we'll know how many guides are required.

Bookings: Mary MacKillop Museum – P: 8139 5910 (Tuesday to Sunday) or Email: info.mmprecinct@sosj.org.au

ROSTER - Sunday 1 May 2022 THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER Annunciation Church

- 8.00am R SantoPietro, B De Conti, B Barrett, P Burger & M Quadros.
9.30am A Di Troia, M Abbennante, J Kolaj, R Fabris, D Di Troia & A Moschetta.
11.00am G Costa/N Milte, D Tremonte, I Icolaro, P Maio & L Fernando.
5.30pm **YOUTH MASS**

St Mark's Church

- 6.00pm(Vigil)N Porcaro, A Van de Weyer, F Colagrossi, M Van de Weyer & A Colagrossi.
9.30am B Rabbitt, N Martini, M V Holst, P Barratt & S Carson.

ALTAR SOCIETY

Annunciation Church: B De Conti & B Fabris.
St Mark's Church: O Apolloni & J Pilkington.