

# Parish Bulletin

Annunciation Church 20 Montacute Road, Hectorville SA 5073

#### **Annunciation Church**

Love in all things

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# Mass & Confession Times Annunciation Church

Sunday:

Mass8.00 amItalian Mass9.30 amFamily Mass11.00am

Tuesday to Friday 7.00 am

Saturday:

Novena 8.30 am Mass 9.00 am Vigil 6.00 pm

Public Holiday (Not on Mondays)

7.00am

Confessions

Saturday 9.30 - 10.30 am

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#### **FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT**

19th March 2023

"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:**

Rejoice, Jerusalem, and all who love her. Be joyful, all who were in mourning; exult and be satisfied at her consoling breast.

FIRST READING: 1 Samuel 16:1,6-7,10-13

#### **RESPONSORIAL PSALM:**

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

SECOND READING: Ephesians 5:8-14

#### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:**

Glory to you, Word of God, Lord Jesus Christ! I am the light of the world, says the Lord; whoever follows me will have the light of life. Glory to you, Word of God, Lord Jesus Christ!

GOSPEL John 9:1-41

#### **COMMUNION ANTIPHON:**

The Lord anointed my eyes: I went, I washed, I saw and I believed in God.



### **REFLECTION**

Seeing a young man with no sight caused Jesus' disciples to wonder aloud the cause. Why, Lord? They were curious. They assumed that his blindness was a result of sin, but since he was young, they wondered if it might have been his parents' sin that caused it, not his. So they asked their rabbi, Jesus. His disciples asked him, 'Rabbi, who sinned, this man or his parents, that he was born blind?' 'Neither this man nor his parents sinned,' said Jesus, 'but this happened so that the work of God might be displayed in his life.'" (9:2-3) Jesus' answer makes it clear that in this case his affliction wasn't because of someone's sin, but because God had a larger purpose in it, that "the work of God might be displayed in his life" (9:3).

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 <u>www.hectorvilleparish.com.au</u> Facebook:

https://www.facebook.com/HectorvilleParishSA/ Youtube:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCbn7ewJ W1ExoIY\_-1z3XdSA

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



## Or Link To Parish Census For On WEBSITE

Are YOU new to Annunciation Church,

Hectorville Parish? OR

Have you recently changed your address, **OR**have not filled in the Parish
Census form online, **OR** 

Have had people permanently arrive in your household (a new birth or marriage)

Please fill in the census form linked to the QR CODE above and press submit.

While you are there, check out our Parish website.

#### **ANNUNCIATION CHURCH**

**Children's Liturgy -** 11.00am Mass Every Sunday

Saints of the Week/Significant Days

Saint Joseph 20/03/2023 Feast of the Annunciation 25/03/2023



# Hectorville Catholic Community WELCOMES

Blair Angela Solari

who will receive the Sacrament of Baptism this weekend

#### PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR

### **Recently Deceased:**

No funerals this past week



#### Those who have Died:

Santina Feo, Maria Ciotti (1 yr), Nardi Russo (4 yrs), Angelo & Amabile Zanatta, Filomena & Giovanni Moschetta, Giandomenico & Livia Sfarra, Giuseppe Orlando

### Those who are sick or need our Prayers:

Peter De Palma, Greg North, Angela Perilli, Emilia Mallano, Anthony Migliarese, Klaus Engelmann, and those who are Sick in Nursing Homes, Hospitals and the housebound.

May the Good Lord give them comfort and peace in their suffering

#### **ROSTERS**

Sunday 26th March 2023

8am: M O-Donnell, C Turk, M

Musolino, P Burger, D Richardson, B De Conti

9.30am Italian: S Zollo, P Meola,, A

Mignone, N Ianera

11am: N Pinneri, A Canaria, J Canaria,

E Geelen, P Watson, P Maio

Altar Society: C Piantedosi, M Frangiosa

Saturday 6.00pm: D Richardson, J Shearer, A Ozgo, J Ture, J D'Angelo

# MEETINGS THIS WEEK

Sacrament of Reconciliation 21/03/2023 Sacrament of Reconciliation 23/03/2023

### Timetables for Holy Week and Easter

Are available to pick up from the tables at the entrance of the church (in English and Italian)

#### NOTICES:

#### **Stations of the Cross:**

Wednesdays at 7pm

#### **Via Crucis:**

Fridays at 7pm

**Shared Morning Tea and Shared Lunch** 

• Sunday 16th April

#### **Anointing Mass**

• Thursday 23rd March 11.30am

#### **Lenten Penitential Service**

Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> March 7pm

#### 7 CHURCHES WALK



A Lenten Pilgrimage following in the footsteps of Christ

Join the Hectorville Catholic Parish in this traditional Lenten devotion. Walking 10km and

visiting 7 CBD Churches, we will pray the stations of the cross and enter more deeply into the mystery of Christ's passion and death.

Please contact the Parish Office for more details on 8336 9988. Leaving from the Chapel of St Aloysius College, 40 Angas Street, Adelaide at 8.30am, Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> April 2023

#### **Petition Cross**

From the Second Sunday of Lent until Good Friday, the Petition Cross will again be placed 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.

#### **Dear Parishioners**

Kangaroo Island parish needs our support to keep it going as it is struggling at the moment. In order to support this parish, there will be a fundraiser by Bridgette Barratt on the 18th & 19th March and the 25th & 26th March, after all the masses. There will be Kalamata Olives (\$8), biscuits (\$8), and Fruchocs (\$2) on sale at the entrance of the Annunciation church. Kindly support this cause to keep the faith and parish alive. Thank you all.

#### **COME & JOIN & BUILD COMMUNITY!**

Over the next few months, the parish council is looking at new ways to build our community. Family groups is a small group of people within our church who will meet regularly to support and encourage each other, thereby helping to build our community! If you are interested in participating, please find the information form on the table at the entrance of the church.

# Pilgrimage to Victor Harbour

Date: Monday 27th March

Time: Leaving the Annunciation Church at 9am, to

return by 6pm

Where: A bus will leave from

Hectorville Annunciation Church to Victor Harbour Church, Joan of Arc

Due to a fantastic attendance response, there are no more seats

left on the bus for the pilgrimage, however, if you would still like to attend you are welcome to follow along with your car.

# Hectorville Catholic Parish Sacramental Programme 2023-2024

This is a 12 month programme and is open to children

in year 3 at school or older.

The programme begins in Term 3, on Sunday 30th July

St Joseph's Hectorville School Classroom:

Staffroom

Class Time: 9.30am-10.30am Sundays during

school term

Cost: \$150.00 which includes all materials

and costs for sacramental

celebrations.

Please contact Deirdre Richardson, Sacramental Coordinator on 8336 9988 or email admin@hectorpar.com.au

#### World Youth Day

Calling all 16-35 year olds, if you are interested in travelling across the globe to attend World Youth Day in Portugal, Lisbon and travelling with the Disciples of Jesus group, please be in contact. We have lots more spots to fill to make a full group, so please pray and consider coming along. This event will be held between the 1st and the 6th of August 2023, however the full pilgrimage tour is from the 26th July to 9th August. World Youth Day week is all about the universal Catholic church gathering from countries all over the world to celebrate with the Pope daily masses and sharing faith with fellow Christ followers. If this sounds like You can donate through Project Compassion donation boxes and envelopes available from your parish, by visiting caritas.org.au/projectcompassion, or by calling 1800 024 413.

#### **Positions Vacant:**

Pastoral Support – Graphic Designer and Resource Development (Full-time) Catholic Archdiocese of Adelaide

Catholic Chaplain – Southern Area Local Health Network (SALHN) – (Part-time)

for further information, please contact: recruitment@adelaide.catholic.org.au

#### **Parish Pastoral Council**

According to the directives of Canon 536, the Parish Pastoral Council is an arm of the parish the mandate "fostering pastoral care activities". Thus members of the Parish Pastoral are responsible for encouraging, supporting and initiating action in our parish community which puts into practice the Church's role in evangelisation. An important part of parish life and leadership is the Parish Pastoral Council. This group of faithful men and women are called to lead, above all by example. They provide the priests with wise counsel for ensuring the spiritual and pastoral vitality of their parish community, now and in the future. They work together with the priests and deacons with listening and receptive attitude. The parish pastoral Council explores the needs, hopes, and gifts of the parish. Our Parish Pastoral Council meets on Tuesdays at 7.00pm on a six weekly cycle. Members of the Hectorville Catholic Community are invited to submit an application to join the council. Simply notify our office on 8336 9988, giving you phone number and email address.

Aldo Perilli OAM (PPC Chair)



# PROJECT COMPASSION



Thu lost his leg after stepping on a land mine in Vietnam. With the support of the Centre for Sustainable Rural Development, Thu can now earn extra income and care for his wife as she recovers from a stroke.



# Please donate to Project Compassion 2023.

Together, we can help vulnerable communities face their challenges today and build a better tomorrow *For All Future Generations*.

something you would like to be part of, please register using https://bookings.wydjourneys.com/DOJ01 or the QR code. All questions can go to <a href="mailto:info@wydjourneys.com">info@wydjourneys.com</a> Please note registrations close March 21st.

# **Divine Mercy Sunday**

St Francis of Assisi Parish the 16<sup>th</sup> April 2023 from 1pm – 4pm. This is inclusive of Venerate the Divine Mercy image, Confession, Adoration, Divine, Mercy prayers & Divine, Mercy Chapel, and Holy Eucharist.

#### Chrism Mass

Monday April 3 at St Francis Xavier's Cathedral at 6pm. If you would like more information regarding this event, please contact the Events Office on Ph: 8210 8220. All are welcome.

# -The Curate's Corner-Alms giving

At the start of Lent we heard that Jesus was tempted by the Devil, and the final temptation was this: Our Lord was shown all the Kingdoms of the World, and if he would but bow down and worship the devil, they could be his, all without the pain of the cross. It was the temptation to place the goods of the world above the Good of God. Such a temptation once led Adam and Eve to choose the fruit of the tree over God. But our Lord refused, and he showed us that happiness is not actually the devils to give. That only God can give us happiness and it comes through worshiping him and not chasing worldly possessions and glory. And so, in Lent we are urged to give alms, to practice a spirit of detachment by giving to those in need.

But why must we help the needy? Well, when the Gospel speaks of giving alms, the Greek word literally means, "doing mercy." It means to be moved with sorrow at the misery of others, as if it were our own misery. And when we are merciful, we are like the Father, because he is moved by our need, he doesn't just ignore it or think of something else. So, when we give alms, we are drawn into the very life of the Father. Giving to the poor is a medicine that heals the wounds of our soul and makes us like God. But what if we're not able to give much? What if we're struggling with the cost of living too? Well, we can't help everyone, and our first obligation is always to our family. But still, we must acknowledge that some of what we consider a "need" is not really that. Many "needs" more truly reflect our attachment to worldly desires and the security we seek in them, than any true need of the body.

So, this Lent let's really consider what we can do for the least in our community. If we don't know let's pray about it, and let's ask how we can help feed the hungry, give the thirsty a drink, cloth the naked, welcome the stranger, and visit the sick and imprisoned. And let's see in the face of our suffering brothers the suffering face of Christ.

Fr Anthony Beltrame

Marian Procession - Sunday 21st May 2023

