

Parish Bulletin

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Love in all things

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Mass & Confession Times

Sunday:

Mass 8.00 am Italian Mass 9.30 am Family Mass 11.00am

Tues - Friday 7.00 am

Saturday:

Novena 8.30 am Mass 9.00 am Vigil 6.00 pm

Public Holiday 7.00am (Not on Mondays)

Confessions

Saturday 9.30 - 10.30 am

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5th SUNDAY of EASTER

7th May 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:

O sing a new song to the Lord, for he has worked wonders; in the sight of the nations he has shown his deliverance, alleluia.

FIRST READING: Acts 6:1-7

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you.

SECOND READING: 1 Peter 2:4-9

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia!

I am the way, the truth, and the life, says the Lord; no one comes to the Father, except through me. Alleluia!

GOSPEL: John 14:1-12

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

I am the true vine and you are the branches, says the Lord. Whoever remains in me, and I in him, bears fruit in plenty, alleluia.



Jesus puts before each of us the great command; *love one another, just as I love you*. And this is more challenging and difficult than it sounds. We are not asked to simply *like* each other; we are to love each other as Jesus showed us.

As followers of Jesus today, we are called not simply to believe in the resurrection, we are called to live it through the quality of our daily lives, through how we treat each other and speak to one another. Our actions will speak louder than our words. As John of the Cross reminds us, "at the end of our lives, God will not judge us on our earthly possessions and our human achievements but on how much we have loved."



Hectorville Parish is a Child Safe and Family Friendly Environment. Our Child Protection Officers 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.

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Live streaming is available for weddings and
funerals. Cost: \$100



PARISH CENSUS

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)? If so, please fill in the census form linked to the QR CODE above and press submit. While you are there, check out our Parish website!

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

11.00am Mass every Sunday

SAINTS OF THE WEEK/ NOTABLE DAYS

Our Lady of Fatima – Saturday 13th May



Milano Esposito

who will receive his Sacrament of Baptism

OUR LADY OF FATIMA STATUE



Once again this year we are inviting parishioners to have the Statue of Our Lady of Fatima in their homes for a week at a time. This will begin on Sunday 14th of May and continue until Sunday 9th of

October. Please ring Parish office on 83369988 if you wish to have the statue.

NOTICES

- St Joseph's Hectorville school has advised that the new works taking place to level the uneven floors outside the hall and courts have had a delay due to the recent rain. The new expected completion date is **Friday 12th May.** The carpark behind the church will not be accessible as a result.
- There will be NO shared morning tea or shared lunch on **Sunday 14th May** as it is Mother's Day.
- The Archdiocese of Adelaide conducts a Count of Attendance for All Masses held on weekends during the month of May each year. This year, attendance counts are to be conducted over the four weekends of May, being the 6th/7th, 13th/14th, 20th/21st and 27th/28th.
- Confirmation and First Eucharist dates for this year are Saturday, 27th May and Saturday 3rd June at 4pm.

PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR

Recently Deceased: -

Those who have Died: Former
Archbishop Leonard Faulkner, Harold
Mendonca, Angelo & Carolina Martini, Angelina
Reginato, Michael Loak, Gian Guiseppe
Crescenzi, Angelo Agostinelli, Simeon Gimenez
Those who are sick or need our Prayers:
Peter De Palma, Greg North, Angela Perilli,
Emilia Mallano, Anthony Migliarese, Klaus
Engelmann, Carol Irons, Zanon & Piotto family,
and those who are sick in nursing homes,
hospitals or are housebound.

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

MEETINGS THIS WEEK

Italian Seniors Group - Wed 10 May, 10.00am

ROSTERS

Sunday 14th May 2023

8am: B Barrett, M O'Donnell, B De Conti, P Burger, D Richardson,

9.30am Italian: P Meola, L Petroccia/ P

Parletta, M Traforti, A Perilli

11am: M Kenny, T Romeo, N Milte, P Watson, C Orlando, G Parletto, E Geelan

Saturday 6.00pm: J Leydon, O Ferreira, G

Ferreira,

Altar Society: P & B Barrett

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.

QUIZ NIGHT –

St Martin's Catholic Church Hall, Muller Rd, Greenacres SA 5086 Friday 19th May, 6:30pm - 9:30pm.

Come along to our Quiz Night Hall to help raise funds for young adults of Adelaide to attend **World Youth Day in Portugal**. Tickets are \$14, or save and book a table for 6 for \$72. Please purchase your table tickets from Shireen at the Hectorville Catholic Church after each Sunday Mass. There are raffle prizes to win, as well as games to play! Raffle tickets can be bought from Shireen, \$2 per ticket or \$5 for 3 tickets. Prizes to be won include a Harvey Norman \$200 voucher, a podiatry voucher and gift bag, a pasta and pasta sauce gift basket and loads more.

Come join and build our community!

Over the next few months, the parish council is looking at new ways to build our community. **Family Groups** are 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 contact Neil De Souza on 0438 493 808

St. Vincent De Paul Winter Appeal



Sunday, May 14. Women over 55 are experiencing

homelessness at alarming rates. With this year's Winter Appeal, your generosity will provide shelter, food, clothing and long-term support to older women in crisis - our mothers, grandmothers and aunts - and help rebuild their lives. Funds raised will also support the needs of people-in-need in our local community. Thank you for your generosity and continuing support.

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 2023.

Where: St Joseph's Hectorville School Staffroom Time: 9.30-10.30am Sundays in school term Cost: \$150. Includes all materials and costs for sacramental celebrations please contact Deirdre Richardson, Sacramental Coordinator on 8336 9988 or email admin@hectorpar.com.au

ATTENTION: All Church Volunteers

A Child Protection briefing for ALL volunteers (ministers, lectors, choir members, musicians, cleaners etc) will be held at the Tranmere Parish on **Wednesday 10th May at 10:30am** – **12:00pm**. This briefing is mandatory for all volunteers (regardless if they have direct contact with children or not). Registrations are essential. To register please call 8210 8159 or via email at childprotection@adelaide.catholic.org.au.

If you are unable to attend, please email the parish office at admin@hectorpar.com.au as soon as possible.

MARIAN PROCESSION

will be held on **Sunday May 21** beginning at the Pioneer Women's Memorial Gardens (next to the Torrens Parade Ground on King William Rd) processing up King William St into Victoria Square. This year, we celebrate the Feast of the Visitation in line with the 2023 World Youth Day theme. The Procession will commence at 2pm and all are invited to attend with their parish or community. Group assembly will begin from 1.30pm. Unless there is a severe weather warning the procession will take place, however it will conclude in St Francis Xavier's Cathedral rather than Victoria Square. For more information, please contact Archdiocesan Events on 8210 8220.

EUCHARIST FORMATION EVENING

The Adelaide Archdiocese is providing a formation experience about the Eucharist and all are invited to attend. Held on 5 Thursday evenings from **7-9pm** starting on June 1st in the Cathedral Hall, 39 Wakefield St. Adelaide, with free parking available. This course is also available via zoom for those who cannot attend in-person.

Cost is \$50, email officeforworship@adelaide.catholic.org.au to register.

'Dare to Dream!', via Zoom

"We have had dreams and there is no one to interpret them..." and Joseph said to them, "do not interpretations belong to God?" (Genesis 40:8)

Join our director, Clare Shearman, and guests in our 'dream lab'. Based on the Dreams session previously offered as part of the Siloam Program, this five-week program will explore the significance of our dreams, include the practice of dream circles, provide guidance and practice for working with dreams—our own and others', consider the potential for our dreams to personally and collectively shape the future.

Wednesday, May 10th, 17th, 24th & 31st, 5.00-6.30 pm (AEST). Heart of Life Centre for Spiritual & Pastoral Formation. Cost \$130. Book and pay via website www.heartoflife.melbourne. For more info, email info@heartoflife.melbourne or call 9890 1101.

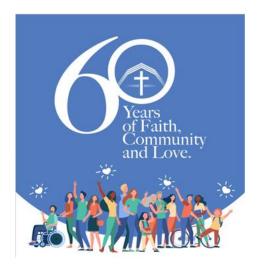
Easter House Blessings

As Catholics we bless all sorts of things: our food, our cars, and our workplaces; but one of the most important things to bless are our homes. And we do this because it's a way of putting our life into the hands of the Lord. When we bless our home it's a reminder that Jesus came to live among us, and that we want him to find a home in our home.

So, for the next few Sundays I will leave a sign-up sheet at the back of the Church for you to write your details so I can get in touch and organise a house blessing over the coming months.

-Father Anthony Beltrame

<u>60th JUBILEE</u> Hectorville Annunciation Church



Join us on **July 2 2023 at 11am** for a solemn mass by Archbishop Patrick O'Regan, followed by a luncheon, as we celebrate 60 years of Annunciation Church and 160 years of Hectorville Parish

~ The Curate's Corner ~

Since Easter Sunday we've been hearing from the Acts of the Apostles, and we've seen that the Resurrection and the sending of the Holy Spirit transformed the broken hearts of the first followers of Christ into hearts set on fire. That these men and women who were once afraid, are now willing to suffer gladly for the sake of the Gospel. And the early Church is powerful, though there is persecution after persecution, it keeps growing. The message of Christ and his death and resurrection cannot be stopped.

So, it's clear that the Catholic Church is no manmade religion, it's God made. And from the beginning it's not just a rabble of men and women, nor is it just a place where likeminded people come to meet. So how did the early Church function? and what did it look like? Because if we wander away from this we wander away from Christ.

The Church

St Paul's favourite way of describing the Church is to say that it's the body of Christ. And just as a body is made up of all different parts which come together to form a whole, so the Church is made up of all different people who come together to form the people of God. And all of these parts have great dignity, it's not like the eye can say to the hand, "I don't need you!" And the head can say to the feet, "I don't need you." But like a body, the different parts of the Church don't all serve the same function, and some are called to do what no one else can. Now sadly it won't make you very popular today to insist upon this, we live in a world which demands equity, sometimes rightly so, but most times to the detriment of God's plan for our life and for salvation.

Unlike a democracy where the power comes from the people, in the Church all power comes from Christ. He's the one who acts, leads and guides, and he has all the authority. And he so designed it that the Church has a clear structure and composition to its body. It is made up of Ordained Ministers (Clergy) and the Laity, and while these are equal in dignity and ultimately share the mission of saving souls, they do serve this divine mission in different ways. So stayed tuned in the coming weeks as we look firstly at the role of the Ordained Ministry, and then the call of the Laity.

Fr Anthony Beltrame