

Parish Bulletin

Annunciation Church 20 Montacute Road, Hectorville SA 5073

Love in all things

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Mass & Confession Times

Sacramental Coordinator

Sunday:

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

Tues - Friday 7.00am

Saturday:

Novena 8.30am Mass 9.00am Vigil 6.00pm

Public Holiday 7.00am (Not on Mondays)

Confessions

Saturday 9.30 - 10.30am

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5th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR B

4th Feburary 2024

"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 come, let us worship God and bow low before the God who made us, for he is the Lord our God.

FIRST READING: Job 7:1-4,6-7

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Praise the Lord, who heals the broken-hearted

SECOND READING: 1 Corinthians 9:16-19,22-23

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia! He bore our sickness, and endured our suffering. Alleluia!

GOSPEL: Mark 1:29-39

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

Let them thank the Lord for his mercy, his wonders for the children of men, for he satisfies the thirsty soul, and the hungry he fills with good things.



REFLECTION:

Today's Gospel completes a picture of Jesus' ministry: preaching, curing the sick, driving out demons, and then moving on to continue this work in another place. Jesus' compassion and healing of the sick is a sign of the Kingdom of God. The Church continues to extend Christ's healing presence to others in its ministry to the sick. In the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, the Church prays for spiritual and physical healing, forgiveness of sins, and comfort for those who are suffering from illness. In today's Gospel we also notice the importance of prayer in Jesus' daily life. Jesus rose early in the morning, removed himself from the crowds, and went to a deserted place to pray. When the disciples found him, he told them that it was time to move on. We believe that in his prayers Jesus found guidance and direction from God. We also bring our decision-making to God in prayer, asking for his guidance and direction in our lives.

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.

PARISH ONLINE

Website: www.hectorvilleparish.com.au email: admin@hectorvilleparish.com.au FB: facebook.com/HectorvilleParishSA/YouTube channel: @hectorvilleparish1405
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!

SAINTS OF THE WEEK

Monday 5th February – Saint Agatha
Tuesday 6th February –
Saints Paul Miki and his Companions
Thursday 8th February –
Saint Jerome Emilian & Saint Josephine Bakhita
Saturday 10th February - Saint Scholastica

Hectorville Catholic Community WELCOMES:

> ~Alaina Caliendo~ Erankie Jean and Etta Paquita Wroblewski~

who will receive their Sacrament of Baptism

Hectorville Parish Direct Giving App



You can now make you donations to the first and second collection online. Direct Giving via the Archdiocesan App is cashless., fast and secure. Download the Adelaide Archdiocese. Find a mass on

your mobile phone and set up Direct Giving to the first and second collections as well as special appeals. Or

contact the Parish office to set up Direct Debit or Direct Credit. The following website provides a direct link to your parish from a pc/laptop/tablet:



https://adelaide.goodgiving.com.au/qr/parish/hectorville

PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR:

Recently Deceased: -

Those who have Died:

Clatinoro Ferdinando Sfarra (1 mth), Antonio Rositano, Fr Pietro Beltrame, Oliviero Lancione, Michelina Perrotta, Nicola Arganese (1 yr), Nicola & Angelo Venditti, Angela Mancini

Those who are sick or need our Prayers:

David, Greg North, Harold & Alvin Morato, Angela Perilli, Anthony Migliarese, Klaus Engelmann, Carol Irons, Anthony Chang, Ersilia Covino, Dolores Marinez, Colin Graham 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*****

English Seniors Group-Wednesday 7th February

ROSTERS

Sunday 11th February 2024

8am: C Barrett, M O'Donnell, C Turk, P Burger, B De Conti, 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 Geelen

Saturday 6.00pm: D Richardson, O Ferreira,

G Ferreira

Altar Society: C Papalia, B Ferraro

NOTICES

- There will be a Shared morning tea after 8.00am & 9.30am Mass and shared lunch after the 11am mass next Sunday the 11th February. Please bring along a plate of food to share.
- Italian Seniors Group will commence on Wednesday 14th February and will run fortnightly from then on.
- There will be a special collection on the 10th and 11th February for the Day of the Unborn Child Appeal.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

11.00am Mass every Sunday

Special Notices from Fr Anthony

1. This weekend we are selling copies of the Pieta Lenten program. This booklet gives daily mediations on the readings from Mass and is a great way to prepare for Easter. This might be a prayer discipline you choose to take up for Lent. The price is \$7. Cash only please.



2. On Saturday 10th February I will be attending the annual Walk for Life. (Starting from Pennington Gardens, opposite St Peter's Cathedral, at 10am – 12pm, gates open at 9am) This peaceful walk through the city supports the prolife cause and is an important way we can help the cause of the unborn. I really want to see as many parishioners there as possible. Especially families with their young child!

Please book in using the following link or scan the QR code. It is a free event:

https://www.trybooking.com/events/landing/1124380





????? Catholic Trivia ?????

- 1. Name at least 3 of the 10 plagues that God sent upon Egypt?
- 2. Who is the first martyr mentioned in the New Testament?
- 3. Is Jesus fully human or fully divine?
- 4. What does the word 'Catholic' mean?
- 5. How did Moses first meet God?

Answers are at the bottom of the last page

Fundraising for Carpet Amount

Dear Parishioners, so far, we have raised \$26, 495 for the new carpets, if you would still like to offer your donations please feel free to do so. Eftpos is available at the Parish office. Thank you for your generosity and your support.

Memorial Cross



As a valued Parishioner or simply as part of the Hectorville Catholic Community you have the opportunity to have a granite memorial plaque for your family and/or other loved ones to be affixed to the Memorial Cross

and each year blessed by our Parish

Priest in an annual All Souls Day ceremony. PLEASE NOTE: Each individual plaque is \$330.00. The plaques are in memory of the departed and will be affixed within 2 weeks of purchase. We encourage all parishioners to use this opportunity to remember your loved ones.

We Remember...



On 8 January 2024, our Parish and community lost a faithful servant, generous, wise and beautiful man in Peter DePalma. Peter had been involved with the Hectorville Catholic Community for over 30 years. In the early years he spent considerable time on the

St Joseph's Hectorville School Board while his boys attended the school. For several years he was also on the Parish Pastoral Council and was involved with the renovations to the Annunciation Church under the guidance of Monsignor David Cappo. Together with Bob Rabbitt, Peter was joint Chairperson for the duration of the repair and renovation work.

Over the years, during the period that Fr Philip Marshall was Parish Priest, Peter's wife Albina was involved with the Baptism Preparation program and Peter was on the Marriage Preparation team. Peter was also a significant contributor and leader in the Cristo Re (Christ the King) Committee holding office as Secretary and Treasurer. With other committee members, Peter helped to organise at least three lunches a year for many years and he was also a significant cornerstone for the Feast of Cristo Re. This Festa was usually held on the last Sunday of November for many years.

In 2003 Peter was awarded a Knighthood by the Vatican for services to the Church. This is the highest award given by Rome and the Holy Father. His title was Knight Commander of the Holy Sepulchre of Jerusalem. Since late 2007 Peter was also a member of the Parish Finance Council and only recently, just before his passing, his opinion was sought in respect of a Parish financial matter. He was extremely grateful to share his opinion and contribute, such was his willingness to assist.

Peter also represented the Annunciation Church at the Campbelltown Council on "Forward Planning" for the area. Peter's service and support of our community will be missed and never forgotten. We thank him and his family for the time he invested in our community and for the many great things he helped us achieve. May you rest peacefully Peter, in God's care.

The Southern Cross

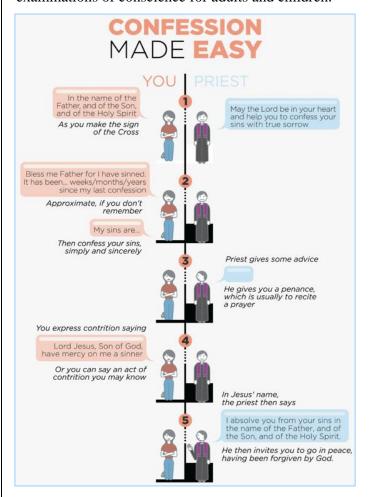
The February edition of The Southern Cross is now available for purchase for only \$2.

<u>Public Rosary – Praying the Rosary for Peace</u>

First Saturday of every month. You are invited to join Our Lady and pray the Rosary outdoors, together united, to pray for peace in Mary MacKillop Plaza (adjacent to St Francis Xavier's Cathedral) at 8.40am. All welcome. For more information please contact: Mr Patrick Greenrod – Legion of Mary – 0414 769 635.

~The Curate's Corner~ Making a good confession

Now we're ready to have a look at what happens in confession. Here's a visual explanation of what we need to do and what happens. But before we make our confession, we need to make an examination of conscience. After a while we'll get an idea of the particular areas we struggle, but every now and then it's good to look at the whole of our life. Here are examinations of conscience for adults and children.



Examination of conscience for adults:

- Have I rejected or neglected my faith? Is there any aspect of my faith that I do not accept?
- Have I taken the Lord's name in vain? Have I been superstitious or put my trust in witch doctors or fortune-tellers?
- Have I missed Mass on Sundays or Holy Days of Obligation? Have I been attentive during the Mass or do I wilfully get distracted?
- Have I received Holy Communion with a grave sin on my conscience?
- Have I acted with impatience, anger or jealousy?
- Have I fostered resentments or been unwilling to forgive?
- Have I been verbally or physically violent with others?
- Have I taken part in or encouraged abortion, euthanasia, or any other means of taking human life?
- Have I been involved in a process of IVF? Have I encouraged anybody to do IVF?

- Have I been hateful or judgemental in thoughts or deeds?
- Have I spoken badly about others, engaging in gossip?
- Have I consumed alcohol excessively or taken drugs?
- Have I looked at pornographic content? Have I committed impure acts on my own? Have I been involved in impure acts with someone else? Am I living with someone as if I were married when I am not?
- If I am married, do I put my marriage and my children first? Have I practiced contraception? Am I faithful to my spouse?
- Do I let my work occupy time and energy that family and friends deserve? Have I been honest and diligent in my work?
- Have I been proud or selfish in my thoughts or actions? Have I spent money on my own personal comfort and luxury, forgetting my responsibilities to others and the Church?
- Have I stolen or cheated anyone at work?
- Have I given in to laziness? Have I neglected the responsibility to bring others closer to God through my example and words?
- Have I told lies?

Examination for children:

- Have I said my prayers every day?
- Have I been going to Mass on Sundays?
- Have I taken the Lord's name in vain?
- Have I talked and played unnecessarily at Mass or in the Church?
- Have I been unhelpful at home?
- Was I sometimes selfish or not loving enough to my parents and family?
- Did I obey my parents and teachers? Have I been rude?
- Did I share my things with others?
- Have I been impatient, angry or jealous? Do I lose my temper easily?
- Have I been selfish or insisted on getting my own way?
- Have I been lazy at school?
- Have I done my homework as best as I could? •Have I cheated in the exams?
- Have I taken part in fights?
- Have I hurt anyone by speaking badly about them?
- Have I told lies?
- Have I taken anything that does not belong to me?
- •Have I broken or damaged things that belong to others?
- Have I encouraged others to do wrong in any way?
- Have I been selfish in my thoughts or actions?
- Have I been jealous of others?
- Have I excluded anyone from games?
- Have I prayed for others and tried to bring them closer to God?
 Fr Anthony Beltrame

Answers: 1) Blood, Frogs, Lice, Flies, Pestilence, Boils, Hail, Locusts, Darkness, and Death of the firstborn; 2) St. Stephen; 3) Both. 4) Universal; 5) In the burning bush