



Hectorville
Catholic
Community

Annunciation Church

Love in all things

Parish Bulletin

Annunciation Church

20 Montacute Road, Hectorville SA 5073

EASTER SUNDAY YEAR B

31st March 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:

I have risen, and I am with you still, alleluia.
You have laid your hand upon me, alleluia.
Too wonderful for me, this knowledge, alleluia, alleluia.

FIRST READING: Acts 10:34,37-43

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad.

SECOND READING: Colossians 3:1-4

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia!
Christ has become our paschal sacrifice;
let us feast with joy in the Lord.
Alleluia!

GOSPEL: John 20:1-9

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

Christ our Passover has been sacrificed, alleluia;
therefore let us keep the feast with the unleavened bread
of purity and truth, alleluia, alleluia.



REFLECTION: We greet this day with thanksgiving and praise. Christ our hope is risen and we want to announce it by our life and our joy. Death could not hold Him captive, Alleluia! There is no other better way to understand today’s liturgy than a mystery of God’s surprises. The resurrection of Christ is good news through which God has surprised the world. His burial seemed to be the end of his story but God changed the story when it was still dark. It was a sign, a manifestation of the mystery of God who out of darkness chose to shine light upon the world just like in the first moment of creation. Easter reminds us that every Good Friday in our lives will have an Easter Sunday, and that Jesus will let us share the power of his Resurrection. Each time we display our love of others, we share in the Resurrection. Each time we face a betrayal of trust and, with God’s grace, forgive the betrayer, we share in the Resurrection of Jesus. Each time we fail to ward off temptations – but keep on trying to overcome them – we share in the Resurrection. Each time we continue to hope, even when our hope seems unanswered, we share in the power of Jesus’ Resurrection. The message of Easter reveals that nothing can destroy us – not pain, sin, rejection, betrayal, or death. Christ conquered all these, and we, too, can conquer them if we put our Faith and trust in Him.

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Deirdre Richardson
Sacramental Coordinator

Mass & Confession Times

Sunday:

Mass 8.00am
Italian Mass 9.30am
Family Mass 11.00am

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

Office Hours 9am – 3pm

Monday to Friday

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Love in all things

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

Easter Monday – 1st April
Easter Tuesday – 2nd April
Easter Wednesday – 3rd April
Easter Thursday – 4th April
Easter Friday – 5th April
Easter Saturday – 6th April



Hectorville Catholic Community

WELCOMES:

~ No Baptisms ~

who will receive their Sacrament of Baptism

Hectorville Parish Direct Giving App



You can now make your 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>

The Southern Cross & Australian Catholics

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



PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR:

Recently Deceased: Angela Perilli, Mario Cicarrello.

Those who have Died: Donato Ciccozzi

Those who are sick or need our Prayers:

David, Greg North, Harold & Alvin Morato, 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*******

Tuesday 2nd April – Baptism Formation
Wednesday 3rd April – English Seniors Group
Wednesday 3rd April – 1st Reconciliation
Thursday 4th April – 1st Reconciliation

ROSTERS

Sunday 7th April 2024

8am: R Santo Pietro, B De Conti, B Barrett, P Burger, D Richardson,

9.30am Italian: A Di Troia, M Abbennante, J Kolaj, R Fabris, D Di Troia

11am: G Costa, N Milte, J Canaria, G Di Bruno - Hooper, I Icolaro, P Maio

Saturday 6.00pm: B Rabbitt, A Vandeweyer, F Colagrossi, A Colagrossi

Altar Society: S Spajic & B Moyle

NOTICES

- **Project Compassion Lenten Boxes and envelopes can now be placed in the 1st or 2nd collection.**
- **The new altar Society Roster (April – June) is now available from the tables at the entrance of the church.**

Easter Offering Envelopes

Are available on the pews as well as on the table at the church entrance. At easter all parishioners are invited to make an offering to help support our Priests and Deacons. Planned Giving contributors will find an Easter Offering envelope with the weekly envelopes.



CHILDREN'S LITURGY

11.00am Mass every Sunday – excluding school holidays

(Please register your child on 83369988)

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

Answers are at the bottom of the last page

1. At the last supper, what sign indicated that Judas would betray Jesus?
2. When Jesus died, how long was there darkness over the land?
3. What happened when a soldier pierced Jesus' crucified body, (and what does this symbolize)?
4. Which two men helped prepare Jesus' body for burial?
5. What excuse did the soldiers give for the missing body of Jesus

Parousia: The Bible and the Mass

Hectorville Parish is taking a new initiative for all young adults called **Parousia** (the second coming of Jesus). Is the Mass biblical? Why do Catholics do what they do at Mass? Join us for the inspiring bible study **Parousia: The Bible and the Mass** where we will answer these questions and more! In this video Bible study discover why the liturgy is a major theme that runs through the entire Bible, from Genesis to the Book of Revelation. We'll see how the New Testament is concealed in the Old, the Old is revealed in the New, and why both point directly to the Mass, the sign of the New Covenant. Dr. Scott Hahn will help us to uncover how and why all of God's action, in creation and redemption, is ordered to the Mass.

Location: Annunciation Church, Hectorville

Date: Wednesdays 10th April – 12th June

Time: 7.30pm - 8.30pm

Presented by: Fr Anthony Beltrame

Sacramental program 2024-2025



This is a 12 month program and is open to children in year 3 or older. It is offered to children from any school including St Joseph's Hectorville. The program begins in

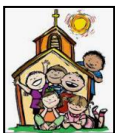
Term 3, on Sunday 28th July 2024.

Where: St Joseph's Hectorville School Staffroom

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 0419866890 or email sacraments@hectorvilleparish.com.au

Children's Liturgy



Dear Parents and Caregivers, The Child Protection Unit from the Archdiocese has asked for the names of all children and volunteers who attend 'Children's Liturgy' classes (frequently or infrequently) as part of a directive from their Risk Assessment Strategy. We ask all parents to please ring the office on 83369988 asap and provide the full name of their child/children attending so we can implement a weekly roll call. We sincerely apologise for the inconvenience but thank you and bless you for your support.

First Friday Devotion



Once a month beginning from Friday the 5th of April, Hectorville Parish will hold adoration of the blessed Sacrament, confessions, and Holy Eucharist from 7pm – 8.30pm. All are welcome to participate.

Commentators, Readers & Special Ministers

For Commentators, readers & special ministers who attend the 8am or 6pm Mass on Saturday's: if you are unable to attend on your rostered day who cannot swap with somebody else, please contact Deirdre Richardson on 0419866890 so that she can organise somebody else to take your place for that day. Thank you.

Thank You

A big thank you to all the volunteers that have assisted during Holy Week: Readers, Commentators, Sacristan, Extraordinary Ministers, Choirs, and those who arranged palms, cleaners, and all others who helped. May the risen Lord bless you all.

Southern Cross Magazine Photos Requested

If parents baptising their children, wedding couples or families of deceased would like to be included in the Southern Cross Magazine Public Notices page (photos welcome), please Contact Rosie McMutrie on 8210 8160 or Email: rmcmutrie@adelaide.catholic.org.au

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

We invite parishioners to come to our **Catechesis of the Good Shepherd** Information Session on **Saturday 11th May, 2pm-3pm** at 'Visitation Atrium' 13 North Street (in the original Church)



COGS is a religious program based on the Montessori method of education. Children come to one session per week and learn to grow closer to Jesus through Prayer, Scripture and Liturgy; working with

models like the Good Shepherd, Nativity, Last Supper. We have a small Altar with replica child-size Mass vessels, as well as many other works. Sessions run during school terms:

Level 0: Thurs 10-11am (0-3yrs, with parent)

Level 1: Saturday 11am-1pm (3-6yrs)

Level 2: Saturday 1-3pm (6-9yrs)

Level 2/3: Saturday 3.15-5.15pm (8-12yrs)

For any enquiries, please call the Parish Office, or contact Sue, our Coordinator, on 0431 117 840 (please leave a message). We look forward to showing you our Atrium.

Holy Water Bottle

Parishioners are welcome to collect a Holy Water Bottle which will be kept at the foyer of the Annunciation Church on both the Easter Vigil and Easter Sunday. One bottle per family please.

St Francis of Assisi – Divine Mercy Sunday

St Francis of Assisi Newton, (59 Newton Road, Newton), invites you to join the community for Divine Mercy Sunday, to contemplate our Lord's mercy & love.

To be held on Sunday, April 7th and will commence at 1pm with Veneration of the Image. followed by Confessions, Divine Mercy Prayers and the Divine Mercy Chaplet starting from 2.45pm. Concluding at 4pm with the Holy Eucharist & mass. All welcome.

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.

Day Light Savings



Day light savings will end on Sunday 7th April.
Clocks will need to be turned back by 1 hour.

Marian Procession

The 75th Marian Procession will be held on Sunday May 19 beginning at Victoria Park and processing up Wakefield Street into Victoria Square.

***The change of location this year is due to road closures on King William St for a Port Adelaide football club home game.*

The Procession will commence at 2pm and all are invited to attend with their parish or community. Group assembly will begin from 1:30pm. For more information, please contact Archdiocesan Events on 8210 8220 or events@adelaide.catholic.org.au

~The Curate's Corner~

Today I'd like to share an article written by my friend Pip. I hope you find it encouraging. Happy Easter!

“My husband and I have three children aged 7, 5 and 2 (and baby number 4 due at the end of March). Turning up to mass every Sunday is hard. Getting the children up, fed and dressed is hard. Often, we are late. During mass we are acutely aware we are noisy. It can be chaotic. It can be physically exhausting wrangling the children. We've come to realise that in order to get the most out of mass we need to properly prepare – and I don't just mean making sure we've packed books and coloured pencils (although, that too). For years we did not actively prepare for mass, and, with the chaos of our children, we often wondered whether it was even worth being there. Our children were noisy, we were distracted, and we were sure we were distracting others. Something had to change.

One thing we've changed is that we now make a point to read the readings before mass. Usually, we do this earlier in the week. Our Sunday missal sits on a bedside table so there are no excuses before bed. We each read the readings separately and try and discuss them together before Sunday. After we've read the readings, we listen to a sermon. Bishop Robert Barron (from the USA)

releases his sermon each week on a Wednesday on the coming Sunday's readings (on YouTube and Spotify). We each listen to Bishop Barron's sermon and then discuss this too. It's been incredibly helpful. It means we enter the Church on Sunday well versed in the readings. It means we feel less guilty when we get distracted by the children during this part of the mass. It also means not only are we familiar with the readings, but we already have some insight into one priest's (Bishop Barron's) interpretation, reflection, and instruction on the particular week's scripture. We then eagerly listen to our own Parish Priest's sermon which always adds another level of engagement, nourishment, and inspiration.

The second thing we've done recently, separate to our “pre-mass scripture homework”, is that we've worked hard to change our mindset about being the noisy family in Church. We know our children are not paying too much attention to the liturgy of the word or the celebration of the eucharist. Normally they are checking whether the fans are on, counting candles or arguing over books!) Nevertheless, we show up. We are there as a family. Our children are beginning to understand that Sunday morning = time in God's house. It's non-negotiable. We used to feel guilty that we didn't use the crying room more but now we feel confident in this decision; we don't use the crying room simply because when we have in the past the children have learnt that being noisy gets them out of the church and into the “play room” where they can be as noisy as they wish and they pay zero attention to what is going on beyond the glass. We take the view that our children are part of the community so they should partake (physically, in the pews) in the celebration of the mass. We have also benefited enormously from the encouragement of not only our own Parish Priest but from other parishioners. Many people realise that our church is an active living church with many members. There are many obstacles for young families just to get to mass and feeling unwelcome (or feeling like a distraction) can easily turn into not coming.

As a cradle Catholic myself I grew up with Sunday mass as a constant in my life. I didn't like going as a child and distinctly remember announcing to my parents and siblings during our drive home from mass one Sunday that the car trip home was the best time of the week because it was the longest time until I had to go to mass again. Safe to say I didn't get much out of mass when I was a child. But my parents (thankfully) persisted with the effect that Sunday mass became interwoven in the fabric of my life. I, too, now persist. All we can hope is that our children learn that Sunday mass is an anchor in their lives, it's a constant reminder that we belong to the Body of Christ and the importance of being faithful to God. We're constantly working on new ways to engage our children (and ourselves) in the mass but these two recent steps have been transformative.”

~Fr Anthony Beltrame

Answers: 1) A piece of bread dipped in a dish; 2) 3 hours; 3) Blood and water flowed out (they symbolise Baptism and the Eucharist); 4) Joseph of Arimathea and Nicodemus; 5) That his disciples stole his body during the night.