



The Parish of Saint Anthony Glen Huntly

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Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A

4 October 2026

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<https://melbournecatholic.org>

PARISH PRIEST

Fr Leenus Neetany SAC

ASSISTANT PRIEST

Fr Eugene San SAC

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Fr Patrick Jackson SAC

Brother Lindsay Rust SAC

Fr Kiss Zsolt

PERMANENT DEACON

Rev. John Lam

PARISH STAFF

Shobha Thomas

Sue Leong

COORDINATOR

MUSIC & CATECHESIS

Veronica Blair

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tue, Thu & Fri: 10am-2pm

MASSES

St Anthony's, Glen Huntly

Saturday Vigil: 6pm

Sunday: 9am, 11am, 5pm

Monday—Saturday: 9.15am

St Joseph's, Elsternwick

71 Orrong Rd, Elsternwick

Saturday Vigil: 6.30pm

Sunday: 10.30am,

Wednesday and Friday: 10am

Holy Cross, Caulfield South

707 Glen Huntly Rd

Sunday: 9am,

Tuesday and Thursday: 10am

RECONCILIATION

Half an hour before all Masses

and Saturday 9.45am-10.10am

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Saturday 9.45am -10.15am

ADORATION, ROSARY &

NOVENA TO PERPETUAL HELP

Wednesday 6.40pm

BAPTISMS & WEDDINGS,

PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK

Contact the Parish Priest/Office

TONY'S CAFE

Tuesdays: 12.30pm—1.30pm

Thursdays: 3pm—5.30pm

VENUE HIRE

Contact/email the Parish Office

ST ANTHONY'S

PRIMARY SCHOOL

Principal: Mr Rudolf Lameijn

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OUR SICK: Sabina Xavier, Pat Rashad, Claire Rashad, John Leonard, Jesudass Sebastian, Helen Hodgens

(Names of the sick published for a month, unless otherwise requested).

RECENTLY DECEASED: Bernard Woon

ANNIVERSARIES & REMEMBRANCES OF THE DECEASED:

NEWSLETTER SUBSCRIPTION

If you would like to subscribe to our free weekly newsletter, please scan the QR Code, contact the parish office or click on the link below:

www.melbatholic.org/s/subscription?id=0012w00000LOj5DAAT&req=subscribe



Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima

Visits St Anthony's, Glen Huntly

Friday, 2 October to 10 October



Copies of a flyer showing the Church opening hours, during these days of the visit of the Pilgrim Statue, are available in the Church Foyer.

Next Saturday, 10th October there will be a Procession around the Church with the Statue at 5pm, followed by Vigil Mass at 6pm.

The safety and wellbeing of all persons is our highest priority.

Safeguarding policies can be found on our website:

<https://www.melbatholic.org/glenhuntlycaulfield>

Link to safeguarding training:

<https://melbournecatholic.org/safeguarding/safeguarding-training-and-upcoming-events/safeguarding-training-modules/>



LITURGY OF THE WORD

Entrance Antiphon

Within your will, O Lord, all things are established, and there is none that can resist your will. For you have made all things, the heaven and the earth, and all that is held within the circle of heaven; you are the Lord of all.

Today's Readings

Is 5:1-7; Ps 79:9. 12-16. 19-20; Phil 4:6-9; Matt 21:33-43

Responsorial Psalm

The vineyard of the Lord is the House of Israel.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia! I call you friends, says the Lord, because I have made known to you everything I have learnt from my Father. Alleluia!

Communion Antiphon

The Lord is good to those who hope in him,
to the soul that seeks him.

Next Sunday's Readings

Is 25:6-10; Ps 22; Phil 4:12-14. 19-20; Matt 22:1-14

Last Week's Stewardship Collections (loose & envelopes)

Church Stewardship	\$1,796
Presbytery Stewardship	\$1,124
Maintenance	\$ 0

QR Code for Donations

For Church Stewardship, Church Maintenance,
Presbytery, Mass Intentions, Tony's Café etc



Rosary by Young People

During October, the month of the Rosary, you are invited to come to join the youth in praying the Rosary every Friday at 7pm in the church.

Rosary will be followed by light refreshments.
All welcome

Friday 2nd October: Simple Rosary

Friday 9th October: Adoration and Rosary

Friday 16th October: Rosary followed by a talk by Sister Herlin, SSps on the WYD theme "Take courage I have conquered the world"

Friday 23rd October: Adoration and Rosary

Friday 30th October: To be advised.



RCIA

Those seeking renewal of faith or desiring to become Catholics, please contact our parish offices or come to our RCIA sessions on Thursdays at St Joseph's Presbytery, 71 Orrong Rd, Elsternwick at 6.30pm.

Parking Restrictions Now Apply

Parking restrictions are now in place on the eastern side of Grange Road to the approach side of Neerim Road intersection to improve traffic flow during weekday peak periods.

Monday—Friday: 4.30pm—6.30pm

Liturgy Roster Oct 3-4

Mass	Lector	Commentator	Sp Minister
Sat 6pm	F Flynn	S Pfleger	P Bates
Sun 9am	C Collins	Y J-Sumarna	M Woon
Sun 11am	K Rego	N Atapattu	A Francis
Sun 5pm	J Kirkham	C Hampson	N/A

Liturgy Roster Oct 10-11

Mass	Lector	Commentator	Sp Minister
Sat 6pm	P Bates	L Shuba	S Pfleger
Sun 9am	Y J-Sumarna	D Hoare	P Tran
Sun 11am	N Atapattu	J Wong	J Ferguson
Sun 5pm	L Sils	E Sebastian	N/A

Pray with Pope Leo XIV: One Million Children Praying the Rosary

From 1-7 October, Aid to the Church in Need invites you to join with Pope Leo XIV for the One Million Children Praying the Rosary for peace and unity in the world.



To register, please scan the QR code or visit:
www.acninternational.org/millionchildrenpraying
"When one million children pray the Rosary, the world will change." *Saint Padre Pio*

Date Night: SmartLoving Online Sessions for Married Couples

When did you last spend time really investing in your relationship? This is a six-week relationship enrichment program that combines five self-paced sessions with six intentional date nights, helping couples connect, learn, and grow together.

7 October—11 November 2026: 8.30pm—9.30pm

To register:

<https://app.tickets.org.au/eb/6DateNightsSmartLoving>

Welcome Fr Zsolt Kiss

We welcome Fr Zsolt Kiss, to our Parish Communities, as he resides at Elsternwick Presbytery from 1st October 2026. Fr Zsolt Kiss is a Chaplain to the Hungarian Catholic Community, Melbourne. He and Fr Eugene San SAC share the facility.

Plant Sale October 25th

Proceeds help Tony's Café keep up the good work. Donations of potting mix welcome.

We are also accepting donations of books and clean re-useable items for Trash and Treasure, and there will be a cake stall on the day!

Plants and other items can be delivered to the parish house on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays from 10am—2pm.

BBQ at Bunnings, Chadstone

Thank you to all those who volunteered at the BBQ Fundraiser on Sunday 27 September. We raised a surplus of \$830 for our Parish. Our next BBQ's at Bunnings, Chadstone is on Saturday 17 October. Please ring/email the Parish Office if you can help. Thank You!



Daylight Saving Begins Sunday 4 October

Clocks go forward by 1 hour.
See you an hour earlier!

March for the Babies

Come and show your support and march for the babies at 1.00pm on Saturday, 10 October at Treasury Gardens (cnr Spring St and Wellington Pde), Melbourne.

Wear pink and blue for the Babies!

www.marchforthebabies.com



VOLUNTEER



Volunteering at St Anthony's



Existing Volunteers

We ask all current Volunteers to complete a new form. This will ensure that you are included in our new system and that we have confirmation of your commitment to current ministries or new ministries. Your support is really appreciated.

New Volunteers

Would you like to volunteer? Are you new to the Parish?

We would love to hear from you. Everyone is welcome!

Information Sessions

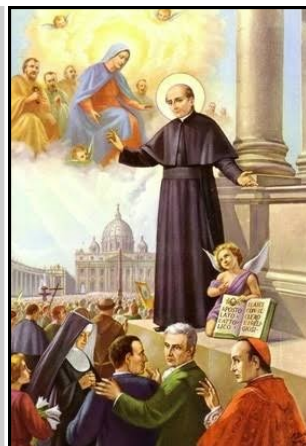
Information sessions will be scheduled soon, so that you can hear more about our ministries and ask questions. Come along and find your niche at St Anthony's!

International Pallottine Family Feast Day Day of Retreat, Reflection and Renewal. Saturday, 24th October 2026

At St Anthony's Church, Glen Huntly.

*Prayer, Input from Fr Eugene San SAC, Reflection, Sharing Time,
Input from Mary Whiting. Lunch, Act of Apostolic Commitment
Reflection, Holy Mass, Finish by 3pm.*

*All members of the Pallottine Family are expected to annually Renew
their Act of Apostolic Commitment at this time. Kindly RSVP for
catering purposes by 22/10/2026 by emailing to pfn@uacpallottines.au*



St Anthony's Church Open Every Friday 8.30am—5pm

For individual prayer, quiet time,
meditation or simply to spend
some time with God!

Missionary Sisters of St Peter Claver Annual Mission Fair

The Annual Mission Fair will be held on
Saturday 17 October 9am – 2.30pm at 154
Cotham Road, Kew. Proceeds to the Franciscan
Sisters of St Joseph, Kisumu for water tanks.

St Anthony's Parish Flats Lake Street, Carnegie



Owned by the Parish since 1987, the
flats are administered by the
Department of Families, Fairness and Housing
(DFFH) and are available to those over the age of
55 who are applying for public housing.

The Parish has nomination rights, so if you
would like to be on the Parish waiting list, you
should first be registered with DFFH, who will
assess eligibility and provide an application
number (income & asset limits apply).

For more information please contact DFFH
on 1300 555 526 or email:
callcentre@dhhs.vic.gov.au

Divine Playhouse Petition

There is an anti-Catholic 'art' exhibition in the
Museum of Modern Art and Archbishop Fisher
is pushing back at the NSW government for
funding it and seeks support. If you would like
to sign a letter, click on the link below.

<https://www.sydneycatholic.org/divine-playhouse-petition/>

Closure of Church Gates

Due to the rough surface of the path, the gate on
the westside of the church, between the car park
and the Grange Rd door will be closed. Apologies
for any inconvenience.

27th Ordinary Sunday Year A

The Cornerstone

As a little boy when I first heard of Jesus as the Cornerstone, I did not appreciate the idea. I thought to myself, how could Jesus ever be compared to a stone? And if at all, why is he in a corner? Jesus who is God himself is far greater than any stone! and so he should be treated as being right in the centre! It was not long later that I learned the significance of cornerstones of buildings and knew the reason why Jesus could rightly be called the Cornerstone, in fact Jesus should become the Cornerstone of everyone of our lives.

In Biblical times, a cornerstone was used as the foundation and standard upon which a building was constructed. Once in place, the rest of the building would conform to the angles and size of the cornerstone. In addition, if removed, the entire structure could collapse. In the Bible, messianic prophecies spoke of the Messiah as the Cornerstone. Isaiah 28:16 says, "Behold, I am the one who has laid as a foundation in Zion, a stone, a tested stone, a precious cornerstone, of a sure foundation."

Psalms 118:22 speaks of the Messiah, stating, "The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone." Matthew, Mark, and Luke record Jesus referring to this passage as finding its fulfillment in Him (Matthew 21:42; Mark 12:10; Luke 20:17).

Each Gospel indicates this teaching of Jesus occurred between Monday and Wednesday of the Passover week, while Jesus was in Jerusalem during the time between His triumphal entry (called Palm Sunday) and His Crucifixion.

In Acts 4:11 "This Jesus is the stone that was rejected by you, the builders, which has become the cornerstone"

In 1 Peter 2:6, "For it stands written in Scripture: 'Behold, I am laying in Zion a stone, a cornerstone chosen and precious, and whoever believes in him will not be put to shame.'"

In 1 Peter 2:7, "So the honour is for you who believe, but for those who do not believe, 'The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.'"

In Ephesians 2:19-20, Apostle Paul references the idea of Jesus as Cornerstone, teaching, "You are fellow citizens with the saints and members of the household of God, built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Christ Jesus himself being the cornerstone".

Parish Events	Where	When
Choir Practice (need more members)	St Anthony's Church	Wednesdays at 7.30pm (Resumes, 22 April)
Sunday School	St Anthony's School Library	Sundays: 10am to 10.45am.
Children's Liturgy of the Word	Church & School	During School Term. Every Sunday at 11am Mass
Improve or Learn English	Parish Hall (164 Neerim Rd)	TBA
St Anthony's Playgroup	St Anthony's School	During School Term. Every Wednesday 9—10.30am
St Anthony's School Enrolments	St Anthony's School	Contact 9563 6780
Tony's Café	Parish Hall (164 Neerim Rd)	Tuesdays: 12.30pm—1.30pm; Thursdays: 3pm—5.30pm
Al-Anon	The Glen (behind Parish House)	Tuesdays 7—9.30pm
Legion of Mary	Parish House (74 Grange Rd)	During Every Friday after 9.15am Mass until 11am
St Vincent de Paul	Parish House	Every 1st Tuesday of the month at 7pm
Sacre Coeur Prayer Group	The Glen (behind Parish House)	Every Friday 7.30—9pm
Baptism Preparation	St Anthony's Church	Every 2nd Friday of the month at 7pm Email/Contact the Parish Office

Son: I want a car. **Dad:** Get a haircut.

Son: Jesus had long hair. **Dad:** Jesus walked everywhere.

Shared Zone— Children in the school yard

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