



<p>4th November</p> <p>31st Sunday in Ordinary Time</p> <p>YEAR B</p>
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<p>RECONCILIATION 9:00 am – 9:30 am</p> <p>1st Saturday of the month – St Anthony's 3rd Saturday of the month – St Luke's Or by appointment.</p>
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ST. ANTHONY & ST. LUKE'S

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A Stewardship Moment: *"And 'to love him with all you heart, with all your understanding, with all your strength, and to love your neighbour as yourself' is worth more than all the burnt offerings and sacrifices."* **MARK 12:33**

Of all the gifts that God gives us the one He wants the most is our heart. He wants us to share out of love, not out of obligation. Using our talent in parish ministry and contributing money to support our parish mission is important, but it's more important to spend time in prayer with God daily and discern how He is calling us to be generous with all our gifts. Not just the visible ones, but the invisible ones like love, mercy and forgiveness.

(Accessed on 29th October 2018 from <http://archstl.org/stewardship/page/bulletin-inserts>)

Welcome to the Family

We welcome Timothy Cheers, Ivy Dunlop, William Green, Leon Karl and Ethan Macapanas who will be Baptised this weekend. May these children continue to grow in God's own image and likeness.



READINGS FOR

THE THIRTY FIRST SUNDAY IN

ORDINARY TIME


1ST READING (Deuteronomy 6:2-6)
Hear Israel, you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart.

RESPONSE: I love you, Lord, my strength.

2ND READING (Hebrews 7:23-28)
This one, because he remains for ever, has an eternal priesthood.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:
Alleluia, alleluia!
All who love me will keep my words, and my Father will love them, and we will come to them.
Alleluia.

GOSPEL (Mark 12:28-34)
This is the first commandment, and the second is similar to it.



COUNTDOWN I: CHANGE IS A NECESSARY PART OF LIFE

We are now in November, which definitely Fr Emmanuel's last month in our parish. So, it may not be out of place if we now begin a formal countdown. After eight years of ministering in our parish, it is obvious that we have gotten used to Fr Emmanuel with all his faults and values. It also seems to be the truth that, most (it may sound exaggerated to say all) parishioners have approved and supported his pastoral and leadership style over the years. For this, Fr Emmanuel is quite grateful and intends to keep our parish and parishioners in a special place in his heart.

All the same, as Fr Emmanuel's tenure as our Parish Priest gradually comes to the end, the newly appointed Parish Priest (Fr Emmanuel Ayankudy) will arrive on the 23rd November. This implies change. Change and transitions, though they are not the easiest things to manage are a necessary part of life. Nothing in life is constant. So, we encourage all parishioners to accept this reality, work towards a successful change of baton in our Parish and above all, support our new Parish Priest.

Also, just as it could happen in any situation, Fr Emmanuel Ayankudy could come up with some pastoral ideas and even practical things to implement in the parish. If this occurs, it could involve some change. We should not be afraid of change. Change could bring new perspectives. We should try and avoid such arguments like *"this is how we do it in this parish"* or *"other priests did not do it that way in the past"*. Those responses could hinder innovations.

Summarily, there may or may not be significant changes as a new Parish Priest assumes his position in our parish. Whatever the case, we encourage everyone to trust, support and work co-operatively with him.

God Bless,

Fr Emmanuel



STAFF NEWS: I would like to share the news that **Mrs Vivian Ciuffetelli** has accepted a teaching role in 2019 at St Luke's Capalaba. I would like to pass on our congratulations to Vivian and thank her for the wonderful contribution she has made here at St Anthony's over the last two years. We will certainly miss her. We are currently in the process of recruitment and selection of teaching staff for 2019 and intend to have this process completed early next week. Recently our HPE Teacher, **Mr Brendan Marrinan** commenced long service at the end of last week until the end of this year. We will welcome **Mrs Anne Maree Leonard** for this week and then **Mrs Judy Sorbello** from next week until the end of Term 4 who both will fulfil the HPE teaching role. Next week our Music Teacher **Mrs Heather Francis** will be taking long service leave until the end of term and we welcome **Mrs Lisa Carter** to St Anthony's who will take Music lessons for the rest of this year. I would like to take this opportunity to thank both Brendan and Heather for their dedication and contributions this year and look forward to their return in 2019.

Indigenous Prayer Space: Our beautiful prayer space is ready to use. I ask families, especially those who have little children to supervise their children to use this garden appropriately. The plants are being established, so please don't stand on them. It is a walking and calm space, so students know that no running is allowed in our garden. I would like to thank Mrs Carol Booker and all of the indigenous students within our school for assisting in creating our garden. It has many elements that connect to the Dreamtime. The gathering circle, around a campfire, recognizes that culture and stories were shared by oral language. The message sticks in the Dreamtime were drawn on as a means of communication between groups. The carpet snake path represents the totem of the Quandamooka people. Walk the snake and pray. Thank you to our very talented students who assisted in the painting and designing of our garden.



St Luke's Arts Festival

Congratulations to all of our students who participated in our annual **St Luke's Arts Festival** celebrating our patron saint, Saint Luke on Friday evening. It was an eventful night with a wonderful performance from our choir, excellent art activities and our annual fashion show with a large number of entries. Our students were able to showcase their art work and their creativity. Many thanks to Mrs Elizabeth Saul for another successful arts festival. It was wonderful to have so many members of our community in attendance.

World Teachers' Day

Thank you to the ladies from the P&F Association, led by Anne Stone, for providing the beautiful lunch for staff to help celebrate World Teachers' Day. The lunch was well and truly appreciated by all staff members.



We ask that you pause for a moment to offer a prayer for the sick in our community and especially for; Christina Abante, Kent Adams, Allan Anderson, Jason Brady, Dorothy Briske, Sabina Brooker, Claire Browning, Teresa Cabrita, Nicholas Davies, Palita de Almeida, Diana Devlin, Suzie Fleming, Georgia Freemantle, Lesley Gledhill, Peter Goodwin, Ian Graham, Jan Gray, Tony Grogan, John Guy, Baby Charlie Halliday, Kevin Hardy, Ronald Haynes, Daniel Hill, John Hobbs, Barbara Kelly, Irena Kelly, Jim Kelly, Joe Kostowski, Lyn Leacey, Antonina Letizia, Jennifer Letizia, Catherine Makridakis, Trish Marot, Jane Martin, Lesley Masters, Leanne Mason, Heather Maynard, Denise McAlister, John McKay, Keith Miller, Judith Mortimer, Annabelle Morton, Wendy Mullins, Barry Murphy, Carol Nash, Alison O'Reilly, Estelle Parker, Shane Parkinson, Carmen Phairs, Terry Poulos, Eleanor Power, Teresa Rafter, Tam Reddich, Maria Ruano, Rosa Maria Santos, Matthew Scott, Matilda Sequeira, Max Spelta, Gerry Stack, Diana Staples, Lorraine Steele, Graeme Stevenson, Ann Sullivan, Baby Freya Sunderland, Kerry Thomas, Lawrie Thomas, Richard Tomaszewski, Pauline Veal, Ava Wenzel, Lesley West, Belinda Wheeler, Meryl Zahner and all those others who have asked for our prayers.

Deceased: Sr Marlete Black

Anniversaries: Paula Vella and Michael Vella

Weekly Offerings for the Week ended 28th October 2018 - Mass Offerings \$1780.80 (Envelopes, Loose, Direct Debits & Credit Cards)
Mass Attendance for the Week ended 28th October 2018 - 5pm St Anthony's 95; 6pm St Luke's 39; 9am St Anthony's 156; 7am St Luke's 57.

18% of your offerings go to the Archdiocese and the rest are used for paying for Parish Staff, utility bills, insurance, Parish Administration, ministers and sacraments, building maintenance, charity, updating office and church equipment, newsletters and other publications and maintaining parish ministries among other things.
God Bless you and thank you for your generosity.



November - Month of Holy Souls

A Book of Remembrance will be offered at each Mass during November. Sheets are available to record the name of deceased family and friends. Once you have completed the form, please place your form in the 'Remembrance Book' which will be on the altar at all Masses throughout November. "It is a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead, that they may be loosened from their sins."

Care and Concern

The next Care and Concern meeting will be held on Wednesday 7th November at 9.00am in the Parish Meeting Room. New members always welcome.



Photos of Fr Emmanuel Required... for PowerPoint presentation during Fr Emmanuel's Farewell. Kindly forward them to the Parish email address.

More volunteers are needed to help serve morning tea following 9 am Mass. Commitment is once every 6 weeks. Please contact the Parish Office or Trish Purcell 0438863296 if you can help.



WW Network Morning Tea

The next morning tea will be held at Harvest Café, Victoria Point on Saturday 10th November commencing at 10am. For further information, please contact Ailsa Jensen on 3823 3021.

Rosters - December to March

Rosters for both churches are due to be drawn up prior to the end of October. If you could complete the form, (advising the dates you are **NOT AVAILABLE**) at the back of the church ASAP, that would be much appreciated.



PLENARY COUNCIL last chance session

Well we have arrived at **the second and final session** for parishioners to come to St.

Anthony's Church on Thursday 8 November at 7pm if you wish to avail of the opportunity to have your voice heard as part of the parish submission to the Plenary Council on the topic "What is God asking of the Church in Australia at this time?" A number of parishioners came up with some very good suggestions on Tuesday 23 October, however the question is not a simple one to consider and there may be many other ideas and suggestions if only we could get the energy to put them forward. No-one has all the knowledge or the solutions but hearing from others may enable each of us to be part of the answer. To be well prepared for the session access to the Plenary Council website – plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au is recommended. So, be brave and **come to have your voice heard at St. Anthony's Church on Thursday 8 November at 7pm.**



Book Orders - 2019

Orders for The Daily Mass Book, Break Open the Word and the Columban Calendar are again due to be taken. Should you wish to order any of these publications, please put your name on the form that is at the back of each church.

Don't Forget Melbourne Cup Luncheon

Tuesday 6th November from 12 noon in the Parish Hall at St Anthony's. Adults \$15, children free. All welcome!



Don't forget.... Fr Emmanuel's Farewell

Wednesday 14th November in the Emmaus Centre at St Luke's from 5.30pm - 7.30pm. A light supper will be provided, Gift envelopes for Fr Emmanuel are still available at the back of each church.

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE			
MONDAY	5 November	8.45 am 9.00 am	Little Saints Playgroup Mother's Prayers – St Luke's
TUESDAY	6 November	7.00 am 11.30 am 12.00 noon 7.00 pm 7.30 pm	Mass – St Anthony's Rosary – St Luke's Melbourne Cup Luncheon – St Anthony's Parish Hall Christian Meditation – St Luke's St Vincent de Paul
WEDNESDAY	7 November	7.00 am 9.00 am	Mass – St Luke's Care and Concern
THURSDAY	8 November	9.00 am 7.00 pm 7.00 pm	Year 3 Class Mass – St Anthony's Plenary Council Session 2 Finance Council
FRIDAY	9 November	7.00 am	Mass – St Luke's
SATURDAY	10 November	5.00 pm 6.00 pm	Mass – St Anthony's Mass – St Luke's
SUNDAY	11 November	7.00 am 9.00 am 11.00 am	Mass– St Luke's Mass – St Anthony's Baptisms – St Luke's

Rosters for 10th & 11th November 2018

<i>MINISTRY</i>	<i>ST ANTHONY'S PARISH</i>		<i>ST LUKE'S PARISH</i>	
<i>CLEANERS</i>	Trish Purcell & Dot Simmons		Trish Pearcy and Cheryl Rynja	
<i>COUNTERS</i>	Roy Nicholson, Annita McSherry, Adrianna Zwierzchaczewski, Helen Bowman and John Caton		Alan and Bernadette Spelta	
<i>MASS TIMES</i>	Saturday 5.00pm	Sunday 9.00am	Saturday 6.00pm	Sunday 7.00am
<i>SACRISTAN</i>	Kathy Ellis	Jane Kiely	Alison O'Connor	Joan Tebbit
<i>DATA PROJECTOR</i>	Trish Winter	Robert Kaniowski	Lorraine Osmond	Don Mohr
<i>USHERS</i>	Sandra Manix	Mary Ford Adrianna Zwierzchaczewski		
<i>ALTAR SERVERS</i>	Kylie Rodda Nicole Rodda	Jacob Terry Ryan Weerasinghe		
<i>READERS</i>	Brian Tierney Ann Tierney Julie Vincent (Intro & P of F)	Helen Bowman Domnic Aguiar Safia Sowah (Intro & P of F)	Robert Bowlen Margaret McFerran Amanda Mase (Intro & P of F)	Jenny Lewis Tracey Armatys Corrie Atkins (Intro & P of F)
<i>EUCCHARISTIC / SPECIAL MINISTERS</i> * = <i>Ministers to the Sick</i> w = <i>Washing</i>	Trish Purcell Madonna Ogden Kathy Ellis Narelle Dobson (W) Margaret Kostowski (W)	Veronica Henderson Les Henderson Carmel Haley * Jane Kiely (W) Paul Patterson (W)	Gana Ralph Peter McFerran Jeanine Bowlen	Ian Ahchay Kevin Rourke Joan Tebbit
<i>CHILDREN'S LITURGY</i>		Bini Jose and Fatima Caneses	Rose Peeters	
<i>HOSPITALITY (Tea/ Coffee)</i>		Mealie Makobas	Sharon Evans	
<i>TRANSPORT</i>		Monique Orendain		
<i>COLLECTION TEAM</i>	Joe Bartolo Bernadette Dalrymple	Sylas Larisma Lito Larisma		
<i>NEWSLETTER FOLDERS</i>	Ailsa Jensen and Lesley Gledhill			