



# St Anthony & St Luke's Catholic Parish

Alexandra Hills and Capalaba

Weekly Newsletter - 16 June 2019

**The Most Holy Trinity - Year C**

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## Sunday Scripture The Most Holy Trinity First Reading

Proverbs 8:22-31

### Psalm

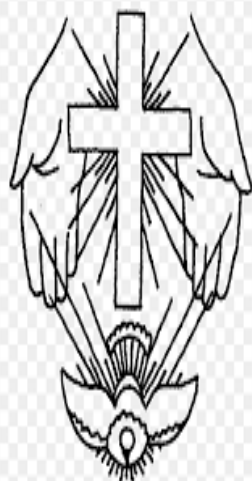
8:4-9

## Second Reading

Romans 5:1-5

### Gospel

John 16:12-15



## Our Churches

### Alexandra Hills

St Anthony's Catholic Church  
St Anthony Drive  
Alexandra Hills QLD 4161

### Capalaba

St Luke's Catholic Church  
45 Degen Road  
Capalaba QLD 4157



## A Thought From Fr Emmanuel

### Consecration of Families to the Sacred Heart

**(May I encourage you to do this prayer on the feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus (26<sup>th</sup> June) and every first Friday of the Month)**

O most Sacred Heart of Jesus, Thou didst reveal to the blessed Margaret Mary Thy desire to rule over Christian families; behold, in order to please Thee, we stand before Thee this day, to proclaim Thy full sovereignty over our family. We desire henceforth to live Thy life, we desire that the virtues, to which Thou hast promised peace on earth, may flower in the bosom of our family; we desire to keep far from us the spirit of the world, which Thou hast condemned. Thou art King of our hearts by our love of Thee alone, with which our hearts are on fire and whose flame we shall nourish by frequent reception of the Holy Eucharist.

Be pleased, O Sacred Heart, to preside over our gathering together, to bless our spiritual and temporal affairs, to ward off all annoyance from us, to bless our joys and comfort our sorrows. If any of us has ever been so unhappy as to fall into the misery of displeasing Thee, grant that he may remember, O Heart of Jesus, that Thou art full of goodness and mercy toward the repentant sinner. And when the hour of separation strikes and death enters our family circle, whether we go or whether we stay, we shall all bow meekly before Thine eternal decrees. This shall be our consolation, to remember that the day will come, when our entire family, once more united in heaven, shall be able to sing of Thy glory and Thy goodness forever.

May the immaculate Heart of Mary and the glorious Patriarch Saint Joseph grant to offer Thee this our act of consecration, and to keep the memory thereof alive in us all the days of our lives.

Glory to the Heart of Jesus, our King and our Father! Amen.

## Parish Financial Position

Last weekend you were updated on the Parish financial position and budget for 2019. The main point for consideration was the shortfall of income below the basic costs to operate the Parish, an amount of around \$26, 000.

You were asked to prayerfully discern your ability to contribute more to the Parish collections, preferably by being part of the Planned Giving Program and paying your commitment by Direct Debit, Direct Credit or Weekly Envelopes. With Mass attendances of 400 per week the \$26,000 shortfall could be overcome by an additional contribution of \$1.25 per person per week or, perhaps, by an additional contribution of \$5 per family per week – figures worth pondering!!!!

The Parish urges you, therefore, to reflect on these figures and advise the Parish Office of either your willingness to join Planned Giving, your preferred method of contributing and the amount, or the variation you wish to make to your existing Planned Giving.





### Plenary Council Update June 2019

In the latest Plenary Council News, the Archdiocese of Brisbane hosted a Parish Leadership Day and the day was devoted to updates on the Plenary Council in 2020. The current situation with the second stage of the process, the "Listening and Discernment" stage, is that the mountain of information received by the steering committee has been distilled into 6 National Themes, viz. Mission and Evangelisation; Inclusivity, Participatory and Synodal; Prayerful and Eucharistic; Humble, Healing and Merciful; Joyful, Hope-filled and Servant Community; and, finally, Open to conversion, renewal and reform. These themes were launched at the Day and are available for everyone to peruse at the Plenary website. I encourage you to have a look on [www.plenarycouncil.org.au](http://www.plenarycouncil.org.au) Watch out for more updates in the coming weeks.

### Women of the Way Retreat



A refreshing time for all women. 23-25<sup>th</sup> August 2019. Watson Park Convention Centre. Dakabin. Two International Presenters: Ann Brereton, chairperson of Catholic Charismatic Renewal and Anne Marie Gatenby, Intercession coordinator for Australia will address the theme, **Come, Listen, Drink, Live!** Fr Neville Yun is the resident priest. Weekend includes Praise and Worship, inspirational teachings, Mass, Adoration, Reconciliation and prayer ministry. For brochure or further info phone Rosa 38861661 or email [wowqld@gmail.com](mailto:wowqld@gmail.com)



**Have you given us a copy of your Blue Card yet?**

Please provide the Parish Office with a **copy of your Blue Card** once you've received it.

*Thank you so much.*



**St Vincent de Paul Society**  
QUEENSLAND  
*good works*

### St Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal

This year's **St Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal** will be run over the weekends of 15th & 22nd June. Envelopes will be left on the seats over these weekends. All donations over \$2 are tax deductible. Please put your name and address on the envelope to enable us to give receipts. The money is used to fund volunteer activities, to buy food for clients, and when the conference is financial, to help clients to pay their bills when they hit 'brick walls'. All funds are used in the local area.

### Prayer for vocations

Loving God,

With one voice we lift up our hearts to thank you today for our lives, our vocation and all your gifts to us. Inspire us all to know and live our vocation. Give courage to young people, to listen and follow the call, to serve you in the Archdiocese as your priests, religious and lay ministers.

Bless us, your family of Brisbane. Help those you call to listen to what your Holy Spirit is saying to us. Guide them to serve in your vineyard, that they may fulfill your holy will and make all things new.

Through Christ our Lord.

Amen

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### More Wool is Needed

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to make rugs for elderly patients in the Geriatric Rehabilitation Wards of the PA Hospital and Beanies for premi babies and Seafarers who visit the Stella Maris Centre at Wynnum. Please leave any donations at the Church or the Parish Office.

### Are you New to Our Parish

If you are new to the Parish, please fill out your details in the Welcome Book at the back of each church. The Parish Office will then be in touch with you to invite you to our "Newcomer's" Welcome Night.

We'd love to know you've joined us!



### Safeguarding Children & Vulnerable Adults Policy

Our parish has implemented the Archdiocesan Safeguarding Children and Vulnerable Adults policy. We are committed to high standards of recruitment, screening and selection of all our employees and volunteers and undertake intentional strategies to maintain a safe and healthy ministry environment for all.

### Social Justice

Come celebrate Refugee Week RAL Annual Picnic - Free All Welcome. Saturday 22nd June 10am - 1pm, Karawatha Discovery Park, 149 Acacia Road, Karawatha, followed by a free workshop "The Refugee Journey" from 1.30-5.30pm at the Logan East Community Neighbourhood Centre, 53-57 Vanessa Boulevard, Springwood. This workshop is suitable for all.

### Scripture Readings for next Sunday: The Most Holy Body & Blood Of Christ

**First Reading**

Genesis 14:18-20

**Psalm**

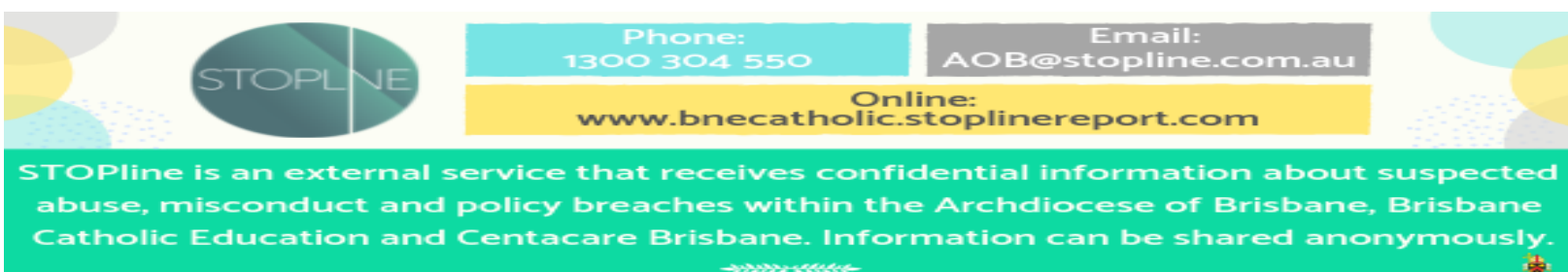
109:1-4

**Second Reading**

Corinthians 11:23-26

**Gospel**

Luke 9:11-17





## Weekly Offerings and Mass Attendance

### Offerings for the Week Ended 9th June 2019

Mass offerings **\$1825.20** (Envelopes, Loose coin, Direct Debits and Credit Cards)

Should you wish to set up a direct debit in place of your envelope offering, please contact the Parish Office for a direct debit form. Direct debits can be made from either your savings account or credit card.

### Mass Attendance for the Week Ended 9th June 2019

St Anthony's 5pm - 87

St Anthony's 9am - 339

St Luke's 6pm - 36

St Luke's 7am - 50

18% of your offerings go to the Archdiocese and the rest are used for paying Parish Staff, utility bills, insurance, parish administration costs, building maintenance, charities, 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.

## Please pray for...

### *Please take a moment to pray for:*

*Joan Balcombe, Carmel Haley and all those in our community who are ill, those who seek healing in their lives and for all those who care for them.*

*We commend all the recently **deceased** to the loving embrace of God.*

*We pray for all those whose **anniversaries** occur at this time.*

If you wish to have a loved one's name mentioned in the parish newsletter for an anniversary, a remembrance or a prayer for the sick, please contact the Parish Office. **Note: All names for prayers will remain in the newsletter for one month.** Envelopes to request Masses to be offered for the sick, dying, deceased or for special intentions are available at the back of each church.



## Parish News and Notices

### St Luke's Church Capalaba -

#### Mother's Prayers & Rosary

Monday - Mother's Prayers at 9.00am

Tuesday - Rosary at 11.30am

### Eucharist Program Activity Days

A reminder that all children who will make their First Eucharist on 22nd & 23rd June are obliged to attend the **Activity Days on Sunday 9th June and Sunday 16th June**. It is compulsory to attend any weekend mass along with the activity days.

## Rosters - August to November

Rosters for both churches are due to be drawn up in the middle of June. If you could complete the form, (advising the dates you are **NOT AVAILABLE**) at the back of the church **THIS WEEKEND**, that would be much appreciated.

### Baptism Preparation

Our next Baptism Preparation class will be held at 7.30pm at St Anthony's on Tuesday 18th June 2019. Please phone Margaret at the Parish Office on 3820 0100 to register your interest.

### Celebration of First Eucharist

On the weekend of 22nd and 23rd June, 49 of our young parishioners will be celebrating their First Eucharist. As there is usually "standing room" only at the 6pm and 9am Masses, you may wish to consider attending 5pm Mass at St Anthony's on Saturday evening, or 7am Mass at St Luke's on Sunday morning.

### THE PARISH PIETY STORE

The piety store operates before and after all Masses at both St Anthony's and St Luke's. Lovely gifts for Eucharist are available for all your loved ones.

## Communion to the Sick Volunteers Needed for Capella Bay

If you are available **ANY DAY OF THE WEEK** to take communion to Capella Bay Aged Care Facility, please contact the Parish Office on 3820 0100.

### 100% Pure Honey for the Parish

A number of weeks ago, Geoff Foley from ABC Honey attended our Parish Council Meeting and gave us a presentation on selling natural honey in order to make money for the Parish. A number of Parishes in the Archdiocese have successfully utilised the money raised from the honey to enable completion of many worthwhile projects. If you're interested in purchasing some natural honey, please put your name and number on the expression of interest form that is at the back of each church.

## Anointing Mass - St Anthony's

*The next Anointing Mass will be held on Monday 30th June at St Anthony's Church, commencing at 5.00pm. All are welcome to attend. We will continue to hold an anointing Mass on the **Last Monday of each month**.*

## Welcome to the Family

We welcome Lexi Adcock and Harry Singh, who will be Baptised this weekend. May these children continue to grow in God's own image and likeness.

### A Stewardship Moment June 16, 2019 The Most Holy Trinity

*"But when he comes, the Spirit of truth, he will guide you to all truth.." (John 16:13)*

Jesus sent the Holy Spirit to help us know and live the truth. To prepare ourselves, we need to open our hearts to receive this gift before we can give it. Develop a daily prayer routine. Talk and listen to the Holy Spirit. This is best done in silence, when we can hear His response.



(Accessed on 10th June 2019 from <http://archstl.org/stewardship/page/bulletin-inserts>)

### Newsletter available via Email!

Why not contact the Parish Office today and ask to be added to our emailing list to ensure you receive a copy each week.

You are also able to view our weekly newsletter on our website [www.stanthonyandstluke.org.au](http://www.stanthonyandstluke.org.au)

PARISH OFFICE

The Office is in the demountable  
Behind St Anthony’s Church  
St Anthony Drive,  
Alexandra Hills

**Monday to Friday  
9.00am to 4.00pm**

**Website**  
stanthonyandstluke.org.au

**Parish Office Phone**  
3820 0100

**Email Address:**  
alexhillscap@bne.catholic.net.au

PARISH MASS TIMES

**WEEKEND**

**St Anthony’s Church, Alexandra Hills**  
Saturday 5.00pm  
Sunday 9.00am

**St Luke’s Church, Capalaba**  
Saturday 6.00pm  
Sunday 7.00am

**WEEKDAY**

**Monday**  
5.00pm St Anthony’s Alexandra Hills

**Tuesday**  
7.00am St Anthony’s Alexandra Hills

**Wednesday**  
7.00am St Luke’s Capalaba

**Friday**  
7.00am St Luke’s Capalaba

**WEEKDAY - School Masses (Refer to Weekly Newsletter for these)**

**Monday**  
9.00 am St Anthony’s Alexandra Hills

**Friday**  
9.00am St Luke’s Capalaba

RECONCILIATION TIMES

**Saturday**  
St Anthony’s Alexandra Hills  
4.15pm - 4.45pm  
**Or by appointment**

ADORATION

**First Friday of the Month**  
St Luke’s Capalaba  
7.30am - 8.30am

EDUCATION

**Alexandra Hills - St Anthony Drive**  
St Anthony’s Catholic Primary School  
3824 1200  
St Anthony’s Kindergarten  
3824 5061

**Capalaba - Degen Road**  
St Luke’s Catholic Primary School  
3245 9595  
St Luke’s Catholic Child Care Centre  
3245 3300

The Week at a Glance

MONDAY	17 June	8.45 am 9.00 am 9.00 am 5.00 pm	Little Saints Playgroup - St Anthony’s 6N Class Mass - St Anthony’s Mother’s Prayers - St Luke’s Mass - St Anthony’s
TUESDAY	18 June	7.00 am 11.30 am 7.00 pm 7.30 pm 7.30 pm	Mass - St Anthony’s Rosary - St Luke’s Christian Meditation - St Luke’s Baptism Preparation - St Anthony’s St Vincent de Paul
WEDNESDAY	19 June	7.00 am 9.00 am	Mass - St Luke’s Ladies Group
THURSDAY	20 June	7.00pm	Padua Place Meeting
FRIDAY	21 June	7.00 am	Mass - St Luke’s
SATURDAY	22 June	4.15-4.45 pm 5.00 pm 6.00 pm	Reconciliation - St Anthony’s Mass - St Anthony’s First Eucharist Celebration & Mass - St Luke’s
SUNDAY	23 June	7.00 am 9.00 am	Mass - St Luke’s First Eucharist Celebration & Mass - St Anthony’s

Rosters for 22nd & 23rd June 2019

MINISTRY	ST ANTHONY’S PARISH		ST LUKE’S PARISH	
CLEANERS	Melanie Hapuarachchi & Mary Harvey		Luisa Aguiar, Donna Fitzgerald, Juliette Warnick–Hayne	
COUNTERS	David Haley and Margaret Mathison		Tracey Armatys and Allan Casperson	
MASS TIMES	Saturday 5.00pm	Sunday 9.00am	Saturday 6.00pm	Sunday 7.00am
SACRISTAN	Jane Kiely	Trish Purcell	Alison O’Connor	Bernie Sue
DATA PROJECTOR	Terry Quinn	David Haley	Lorraine Osmond	Bernie Sue
USHERS	Margaret Kostowski	Adrianna Zwierzchaczewski Mary Ford		
ALTAR SERVERS	Lucinda Gabb Aiden Huntly	Kylie Rodda Nicole Rodda		
READERS	Trish Winter Guida Kurkela Jane Kiely (Intro & P of F)	Fatima Caneses Shirini Miranda Jemar Miranda (Intro & P of F)	Julie Green Patricia Rooney Margaret McFerran (Intro & P of F)	Sharyn Leafe Corrie Atkins Tracey Armatys (Intro & P of F)
EUCCHARISTIC / SPECIAL MINISTERS * = Ministers to the Sick w = Washing	Brian Tierney Ann Tierney Kathy Ellis June Thorne (W) Margaret Kostowski (W)	Les Culpeper Paul Patterson Carmel Culpeper * Jackie Hardy (W) Trish Purcell (W)	Alison O’Connor Joseph Sebastiraj Robert Bowlen	Susanne Nelles Kevin Rourke Joan Tebbit
CHILDREN’S LITURGY				
HOSPITALITY (Tea/ Coffee)		Mealie Makobas	Sharon Evans	
TRANSPORT		Donna Barker		
COLLECTION TEAM	Jamie Gabb Bernadette Dalrymple	Andres Herrera Marian Herrera		
NEWSLETTER FOLDERS	Mary Harvey and Helen Meade			

Our Parish Team

Fr Emmanuel Ayankudy CMI - Parish Priest

Margaret McFerran - Pastoral Ministry Co-ordinator

Amanda Mase - Parish Office Administrator