



St Anthony & St Luke's Catholic Parish

Alexandra Hills and Capalaba

Weekly Newsletter - 14 July 2019

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year C

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Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading

Deuteronomy 30:10-14

Psalm

68:14, 17, 30-31,
33-34, 36-37

Second Reading

Colossians 1:15-20

Gospel

Luke 10:25-37



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

The Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel

The Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel is a feast day which is celebrated on July 16th. It is the feast on which the church celebrates the appearance of the Blessed Virgin Mary to Carmelite St. Simon Stock on July 16th, 1251.

Mount Carmel is a mountain range in Israel, close to the port city of Haifa, which is near where Christ lived as a child. Which has led many people to consider it a holy mountain. Even before it became home to the Carmelite monks who would eventually call it home during the 12th century. These monks were particularly devoted to the Blessed Virgin Mary and regarded her as their patroness.

On July 16th, 1251 St. Simon Stock is said to have seen the Blessed Virgin Mary and that she had given him the Carmelite habit – the Brown Scapular. According to Carmelite tradition, anyone who wears the Brown scapular faithfully – while remaining faithful to the Virgin Mary – will be delivered early from Purgatory when they die.

In order to foster and facilitate relationship with God, through prayer and contemplation, Carmelite spirituality proposes certain means, both personal and communal, namely meditation on the word of God, liturgy, silence and solitude, and asceticism. St. John of the Cross, St. Teresa of Lisieux are some of the famous Carmelite saints.

Fr Emmanuel

Baptism Preparation

Our next Baptism Preparation class will be held at 7.30pm at St Anthony's on Tuesday 16th July 2019. Please phone Margaret at the Parish Office on 3820 0100 to register your interest.

A Stewardship Moment

"Jesus said to him, 'Go and do likewise.'" (Luke 10:37)

This was Jesus' command at the end of the Good Samaritan story. Did you know that the Samaritans and Jews despised each other. The moral of the story is to love our neighbour. That means loving someone you may not know or someone that looks different than you or someone that you don't like. All without expecting anything in return.

(Accessed on 9th July 2019 from <http://archstl.org/stewardship/page/bulletin-inserts>)





PLENARY COUNCIL 2020: National Theme for Discernment #4

How is God calling us to be a Christ-centred Church that is Humble, Healing and Merciful?

This National Theme for Discernment is inspired by the voices of the People of God who expressed a deep and faith-filled trust in God and a need for lament and healing within the Church, acknowledging the sexual abuse crisis as a turning point for the Church in Australia.

Find out more at
www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au



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.

St Vincent de Paul

St Vincent de Paul are in need of clean 500ml or 600ml plastic bottles. If you're able to assist, donations can be left at the Parish Office.

Stella Maris Parish Holy Land Pilgrimage 15 days 6th - 20th March 2020

Come and join Fr Emmanuel and other parishioners from Stella Maris Parish as they journey through the Holy Land in March 2020.

The twin share price is \$6699 and the single room price is \$8049. Included in the price are airfares; accommodation in first class hotels; meals as per the itinerary; English speaking Christian tour guides; entrance fees to all sites; portage of baggage at Amman Airport; private air-conditioned touring coach; and daily mass celebrated by our very own Fr Emmanuel Ayankudy.

Contact the Parish Office for a brochure and further details.



Fr Emmanuel Ayankudy CMI

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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 Luke's Childcare Centre

51 Degen Road, Capalaba has limited vacancies across all groups. Please phone 3245 3300 to make enquiries.

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!

Scripture Readings for next Sunday:

The Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading

Genesis 18:1-10

Psalm

14:2-5

Second Reading

Colossians 1:24-28

Gospel

Luke 10:38-42

Phone: 1300 304 550

Email: AOB@stopline.com.au

Online: www.bncatholic.stoplinereport.com

STOPline is an external service that receives confidential information about suspected abuse, misconduct and policy breaches within the Archdiocese of Brisbane, Brisbane Catholic Education and Centacare Brisbane. Information can be shared anonymously.

Weekly Offerings and Mass Attendance

Offerings for the Week Ended 7th July 2019

Mass offerings **\$2184.65** (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 7th July 2019

St Anthony's 5pm - 87

St Anthony's 9am - 148

St Luke's 6pm - 35

St Luke's 7am - 49

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, Vin Byrne, Carmel Haley, Oliver Loveday, Maria Pierce 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, especially Myris Langridge and Leslie Maroney 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

Please note that until further notice, the Parish Office will be closed on Thursdays.

St Luke's Church Capalaba - Mother's Prayers & Rosary

Monday - Mother's Prayers at 9.00am

Tuesday - Rosary at 11.30am

*Anointing Mass - St Anthony's
The next Anointing Mass will
be held on Monday 29th July 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.*

Rosters Available for Collection

Rosters for St Anthony's for August to November are available for collection this weekend from St Anthony's Church.

Remembering Our Loved Ones

Having a plaque placed on either of our memorial walls is a wonderful way to remember loved ones who have passed away. Both St Anthony's Catholic Church, and St Luke's Catholic Church have spaces available on their Memorial Walls. If you would like to reserve a space, please contact the Parish Office on 3820 0100 during office hours.

**Soup Luncheon in the Parish Hall
at St Anthony's, Wednesday
17th July from 12 noon. All
welcome!**

In conjunction with the soup luncheon we will be raffling a **Beautiful Handmade Patchwork Quilt**. Tickets \$2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00 are available after all masses.

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 Baptism and Confirmation are available for all your loved ones.



St Anthony & St Luke's Finance Council

Les Henderson (Chair)

Sam Sowah (Secretary)

Teresa Rafter

Peter McFerran

Ex-Officio Members

Amanda Mase

Fr Emmanuel Ayankudy

Have you Been on Holidays? Toiletries Wanted

The Ladies' Group would be happy to accept any unwanted toiletries from your motel stay. These are used in Mother's Day gifts as well as personal care packs gifted to local members of our community and seafarer's abroad. Your donations can be left at the Parish or School office or at St Anthony's Church.

Honey Now Available for Collection

All those Parishioners who placed an order for ABC honey can now collect their bottles from the Parish Office. Bottles are \$10.00 for 500gms.



Thank you for your generous donations of woolto make rugs for patients in the Geriatric Rehabilitation and the Brain Injury Wards of the PA Hospital. The rugs are an ongoing project, so please keep the donations of wool coming. All donations can be left at the Parish Office.

Parish Donut Stall at St Anthony's Fiesta

YOUR HELP IS NEEDED to run the Donut Stall at St Anthony's Fete on Saturday 27th July. Volunteer and donation sheets are at the back of the church. All proceeds will benefit both the School and Parish.

Children's Liturgy

Takes place during the **6.00pm Saturday** Mass at **St Luke's**, and the **9:00am Sunday** Mass at **St Anthony's**, (except during School holidays). If you have children aged 4 to 10 years, this is a great way of passing on the faith to them.

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

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

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| MONDAY | 15 July | 8:45 am 9.00 am 5.00 pm | Little Saints Playgroup Mother’s Prayers - St Luke’s Mass - St Anthony’s |
| TUESDAY | 16 July | 11.30 am 5.00 pm 7.00 pm 7.30 pm 7.30 pm | Rosary - St Luke’s Our Lady of Mt Carmel Feast Day Mass Christian Meditation - St Luke’s Baptism Preparation St Vincent de Paul |
| WEDNESDAY | 17 July | 7.00 am 10.30 am 12 noon | NO MASS Jubilee Ordination Mass - St Stephen’s Cathedral Soup Luncheon - Parish Hall |
| THURSDAY | 18 July | 7.00 pm | Padua Place |
| FRIDAY | 19 July | 7.00am | Mass - St Luke’s |
| SATURDAY | 20 July | 4.15-4.45 pm 5.00 pm 6.00 pm | Reconciliation - St Anthony’s Mass - St Anthony’s Mass - St Luke’s |
| SUNDAY | 21 July | 7.00 am 9.00 am | Mass - St Luke’s Mass - St Anthony’s |

Rosters for 20th & 21st July 2019

| MINISTRY | ST ANTHONY’S PARISH | | ST LUKE’S PARISH | |
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| CLEANERS | Alan Sequeira, Lina Hoyos Velez, Cathie Chaplain | | Trish Percy, Cheryl Rynja | |
| COUNTERS | Alex Sowah, Sam Sowah, John Plettell and Adrienne Fahy | | Allan Casperson and Kieran Gilboy | |
| MOWING | Neil Purcell | | | |
| MASS TIMES | Saturday 5.00pm | Sunday 9.00am | Saturday 6.00pm | Sunday 7.00am |
| SACRISTAN | Jackie Hardy | Madonna Ogden | Jeanine Bowlen | Joan Tebbit |
| DATA PROJECTOR | Trish Winter | Les Henderson | Michaela Osmond | Trish Percy |
| USHERS | Sandra Manix | Adrianna Zwierzchaczewski Mary Ford | | |
| ALTAR SERVERS | Lucinda Gabb Aiden Huntly | Milagro Chinchilla Elisa Chinchilla Sara Chinchilla | | |
| READERS | Linda Groundwater Guida Kurkela Jackie Hardy (Intro & P of F) | Gemma Chambers Shirini Miranda Jethro Miranda (Intro & P of F) | Linda Groundwater Margaret McFerran Robert Bowlen (Intro & P of F) | Bernie Sue Susanne Nelles Jenny Lewis (Intro & P of F) |
| EUCCHARISTIC / SPECIAL MINISTERS * = Ministers to the Sick w = Washing | Ed Hardy David Kohlman Lorraine Kohlman Annita McSherry (W) Jane Kiely (W) | Niyme Mello Kathy Ellis Margaret Milligan * Jesse Poblete (W) Veronica Henderson (W) | Alison O’Connor Jeanine Bowlen Margaret McFerran | Paul Blacklock Violet Cooper Kieran Gilboy |
| CHILDREN’S LITURGY | | Gemma Chambers and Kathy Brzoskowski | | |
| HOSPITALITY (Tea/ Coffee) | | Culture Club | Sharon Evans | |
| TRANSPORT | | Maryanne Attrill | | |
| COLLECTION TEAM | Jamie Gabb Bernadette Dalrymple | Christina Chinchilla Gonzalo Chinchilla | | |
| 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