

St Anthony & St Luke's Catholic Parish

Alexandra Hills and Capalaba, Weekly Newsletter 21 March 2021

Mission Statement

"Guided by the Holy Spirit, St Anthony and St Luke's Catholic Parish is a diverse community, called to be an inclusive Eucharistic People who will live out our Baptismal call as disciples of Jesus Christ."

5th Sunday of Lent Year B Scripture

> **First Reading** Jeremiah 31:31-34

> > **Psalm** 50:3-4, 12-15

Second Reading Hebrews 5:7-9

Gospel John 12:20-33







Parish Office

Behind St Anthony's Church St Anthony Drive, Alexandra Hills

> Office Hours Monday - CLOSED Tuesday and Friday



"Show yourself a father, and guide us in the path of life"

DECEMBER 8, 2020 - DECEMBER 8, 2021

Scripture Reflections 'I will draw all people to myself'

As we journey through Lent and approach Holy Week, our Sunday readings draw us deeper into contemplating Jesus fulfilling the new Covenant by his sacrifice and death.

The **First Reading** from Jeremiah reveals God's love, as he promises to make a new covenant with us, written on our hearts.



The verses chosen from the **Psalm** reflect this: 'A pure heart create for me, O God'. We pray for a heart that will receive this covenant of love.

The letter to the Hebrews **(Second Reading)** reveals the cost of this covenant to Jesus, in all his humanity. His obedience is through suffering, becoming our salvation.

In the **Gospel** Jesus spells out the necessity for the grain of wheat to die. His soul is troubled, but he is One with the Father. Through the cross will come glory.

As his disciples, we must follow him, and so, like Jesus, may we turn to the Father in all our troubles, striving to draw others with us.

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9am to 2pm Wednesday and Thursday 9am to 4pm

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Parish Sacramental Journey

CICCA [Christian Initiation of Children of Catechetical Age] St Anthony's & St Luke's Catholic Parish



REMINDER - THIS SUNDAY 21st March, 2021 Workshop

Please be at the church for Registration by 10.15 am

Parents, please bring any outstanding forms and make sure they are signed. Please make sure your child has a water bottle with him/her. The 2nd Rite of

Penance will be celebrated during this session.

Youth Group

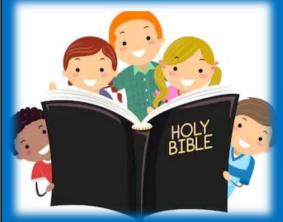
Help Needed! (Dave Nightingale)

During my parish placement, I'm keen to get the youth together in the future for some regular gatherings involving food, fun and faith. To do this, I will need your help.

If you are an adult and are interested in providing some kind of assistance in whatever capacity, please come and see me after Mass or contact me at the parish office on 3820 0100.



St Anthony's Church



Children's Liturgy Of the Word 9:00am During School Terms Next one on this Sunday 21st March

(Check Newsletter for dates)

Cursillo Renewal Day

Wynnum Parish - March 27, 2021

For all those who have ever participated in a

Cursillo 3 days - you are invited to a renewal/

planning meeting to be held in the Wynnum

Parish Centre on the 27th March from 10am to

As we look toward the future and how we can

best share Cursillo charism with others, your

For further information, please contact - Rose-

mary 0431 464 211 or Peter McMahon 0407

contribution would be most valued.



Please follow the link below:

ATTENTION:

ALL VOLUNTEERS

A new volunteer

register database

has been set up

across the Brisbane Archdiocese.

> http:// archbne.org/ welcome



Are you New to **Our Parish**

If you are new to the Parish, please give us your details by email or phone on 3820 0100. The Parish Office will then be in touch with you to send you our weekly newsletter. Once we are back to normal, we look forward to welcoming you at our Newcomers Welcome Night.



Scripture Readings for Next Sunday

Easter - Working Bee St Anthony's Church

Working Bee to tidy/clean St Anthony's Church and gardens in preparation for Easter.

Saturday 27th March from 8:00am



Please add your name to the list at the entrance of the Church or phone Trish Purcell on 0438 863 296

Ladies Group

Next meeting will be held on Wednesday 31st of March at 9.30am in the Parish Hall. All welcome. BYO Cup.

Christian Meditation

2.30pm.

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Lunch is provided.

Join us for a few moments of deep, refreshing peace.

St Luke's Church, every Tuesday 2.15 to 2.45 pm (last session 30/3/2021)

St Luke's Church, every Wednesday 7.00 to 8.00 pm

St Anthony's Church, every Thursday 2.15 to 2.45 pm (last session 01/4/2021) If you have any queries regarding these meditation sessions, please contact Jeanette Jones on 0409 067 917 or at wccmqld@gmail.com. wccm.org wccmaustralia.org.au

Hospitality at St Anthony and St Luke's Parish

Now that the restrictions of COVID are lowered we are able to provide hospitality after the weekend Masses. To do so, anyone interested in volunteering will need to complete the "Online COVID-SAFE dining-in training" which the Archdiocese of Brisbane has provided below.

https://covidsafework.tafeqld.edu.au/course/126/covid-safe-work-training-for-dining-in

NOTE: Please ensure that you send a copy of the certificate to Maria at the Parish Office: alexhillscap@bne.catholic.net.au

"The Archdiocese of Brisbane holds that children, young people and vulnerable adults are a gift from God with an intrinsic right to dignity of life, respect and security from physical and emotional harm. They are to be treasured, nurtured and safeguarded by all. "



Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord Lent Year B **First Reading**

Isaiah 50:4-7

Psalm 21:8-9. 17-20. 23-24

Second Reading Philippians 2:6-11

Gospel Mark 14:1-15:47

Weekly Offerings

Dear Parishioners, thank you for supporting the parish.

- Please try the new Parish Giving Portal located on our Website or via link below.
 <u>https://parishgiving.brisbanecatholic.org.au/auth/login</u>
- Please continue to use the Direct Debit, Direct Deposit or envelopes at the collection box during mass. You can bring offerings directly to the Parish office.

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.

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Should you wish to make a one off donation to our parish, our bank account details are as follows:



Planned Giving

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BSB: 064786 Account Number: 100017590 Account Name: Alexandra Hills Capalaba Parish Planned Giving. Offerings from last week/weekend is: \$3,655.57 (Giving App, Direct Debits and Credit Cards) God bless you and thank you for your generosity

Best wishes and prayers To all the members of our Parish Community who are celebrating their Birthdays and Wedding Anniversaries in this Month of March. Congratulations!!!

Please pray for...



Max Veal, Kerry Balcombe, Jane Martin, Anthony [Tony] Conner, Fr Ray Sanchez, Des Stapleton, Margaret Hobbs,

David Haley, Alfredda Rossouw, Norma Adams, Peter Maciejewski, Ailsa Jensen, Niamh Hughes, Sharon MacKenzie, Luis Mendez, Sonia Mendez, Mary Tucker and Samuel Tyler along with all those in our community who are ill, and those who seek healing in their lives and for all those who care for them.

We commend those who have recently died, 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 men-



You are invited to join us for the

Year 5 / 2023 Parent Information Evening

WHEN Tuesday 11 May 2021, 7.00pm

WHERE Iona Performing Arts Centre (IPAC) 85 North Road, Lindum (Parking is available in the car park to the right of the roundabout as you enter the College from North Road)

RSVP Please indicate your intention to attend by Friday 7 May via the following link: https://www.trybooking.com/BPPHR

P: (07) 3893 8801 | E: <u>enrol@iona.qld.edu.au</u> W: iona.qld.edu.au | A: 85 North Road, Lindum

Parish Keys

If anybody has spare keys for St Anthony's Church or St Luke's Church please return it them office ASAP.

Liturgical Musicians' Training Day

Greetings to all from the Archdiocesan Commission on the Liturgy. We are delighted to announce an upcoming workshop day for liturgical musicians. Please add this date to your diaries and keep a lookout for further details coming soon.



Alliance of the Two Hearts



The Cenacle of the Two Hearts Prayer Group Bible Study and Prayer Meeting Every Wednesday, 4pm—5pm St Anthony's Catholic Church Alexandra Hills

CATHOLIC MISSION

WE ARE HIRING

Donor Relations Officer (full-time or part-time, based in Brisbane and supporting dioceses in QLD)

APPLICATIONS CLOSE ON SUNDAY, 11 APRIL, 2021







A Stewardship Moment

March 21, 2021 5th Sunday of Lent

"I will be their God and they shall be my people."- JEREMIAH 31:33

What does it mean to be God's peo-

tioned in the parish newsletter for an anniversary, a remembrance or a prayer for the sick, please contact the Parish Office on 3820 0100.

Note: All names for prayers will remain in the newsletter for one month. To request Masses to be offered for the sick, dying, deceased or for special intentions please contact the Parish Office.



DATE CLAIMER Liturgical Musicians Training Day Saturday 15 MAY 9:00am – 3:30pm St Laurence's College, South Brisbane ple? It means we recognize that everything we have and everything we are belongs to God. We aren't "owners" of anything, we are merely "stewards" of the gifts God has given us. It means we are willing to use our gifts and our lives to care for our family, our neighbors and for people we don't know, just as God cares for each of us.



Why not contact the Parish Office on 3820 0100 and ask to be added to our emailing list to ensure you receive a copy of the newsletter each week. You are also able to view our weekly newsletter on our website www.stanthonyandstluke.org.au



(Accessed on February 23, 2021 from https:// www.archstl.org/aboutstewardship/bulletin-inserts/ weekly-bible-reflections)

Parish Details Alexandra Hills St Anthony's Catholic Church St Anthony Drive, Alexandra Hills Q 4161

Capalaba

St Luke's Catholic Church 45 Degen Road, Capalaba Q 4157

https://stanthonyandstluke.org.au/



The Week at a Glance								
MONDAY	22 March	Parish Office Closed - No Mass						
TUESDAY	23 March	9:00am 11:30am	Mass - St Luke's Rosary - St Luke's					
		2:15pm	Meditation - St Luke's					
WEDNESDAY		9:00am	Liturgy - St Anthony's					
	24 March	4:00pm	Prayer of Two Hearts - St Anthony's					
		7:00pm	Meditation - St Luke's					
THURSDAY	25 March	2:15pm	Meditation - St Anthony's					
		4:30pm	Rosary followed by Liturgy - St Anthony's					
FRIDAY	26 March	9:00am	Mass - St Luke's					
		11:30am	Stations of the Cross - St Anthony's					
SATURDAY		8:00am	Easter Working Bee - St Anthony's					
	27 March	9:30am	Music Practice - St Luke's					
		4:30pm	Mass - St Anthony's					
		6:00pm	Mass - St Luke's					
	28 March	7:00am	Mass - St Luke's					
SUNDAY		9:00am	Mass - St Anthony's					

Parish Office Easter Break Closure:

From Friday 2nd April 2021 to

Monday 12th April 2021

Parish Sacramental Calendar 2021										
Date	Time	Venue	Event	Sacrament						
Sunday 16 th May	10.30 am	St Anthony's Church	Parent & ALL Chil- dren preparing for Confirmation & First Communion	"Alive in the Spirit"						
CONFIRMATION 7.00 pm FRIDAY 21 st May 2021										
Sunday 30 th May	10.30 am	St Luke's Church	Parent & ALL Chil- dren Preparing for First Communion	"You are what you eat!"						
All Masses W'End 5/6 th June	4.30 pm 6.00 pm 7.00 am 9.00 am	St Anthony's Church St Luke's Church St Luke's Church St. Anthony's Church	Families choose the Mass where they would like their child to celebrate their First Holy Communion.	We will have sign on sheets on Sunday 28 th February.						

St Anthony's Church. 7:45am Education		Sunday	10.30 am	St Anthony's Church	Parents and Older Children [10 yrs+] preparing for Pen-	"God's Love Poured Out" & Prep for Older Children's 1 st Rite of Reconciliation		
							Alexandra Hills - St Anthony Drive	
St Anthony's Catholic Primary School		NOTES: Folks, please let me know if your child has any special needs. Please speak to me if you need assistance or clarification. Many thanks. <i>Trish Stapleton, Pastoral Associate, Pa.alexhillscap@bne.catholic.net.au,</i> 0417 008 025						

3820 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

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Centacare provide assistance in Disability Services, Family & Relationship, Child Care, Pastoral Care and Community Support. Contact them on: https:// centacarebrisbane.net.au/ or 1300 CENTACARE (1300 236 822)