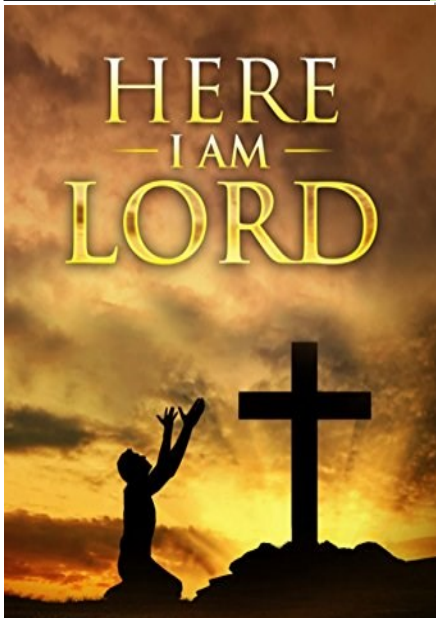


Parish Mass Times	Week at a Glance			
WEEKEND St Anthony's Church, Alexandra Hills Saturday 4.30pm Sunday 9.00am St Luke's Church, Capalaba Saturday 6.00pm Sunday 7.00am	MONDAY	7 February	Parish Office Closed	
	TUESDAY	8 February	9:00 am 11:30 am 7:00 pm	Mass - St Luke's Rosary - St Luke's Liturgy Team Meeting: Parish Meeting Room
WEEKDAYS Mon NO MASS Tues 9:00am St Luke's Wed 9:00am St Anthony's Thurs 4:30pm Rosary followed by Mass St Anthony's Fri 9:00am St Luke's WEEKDAY - School Masses St Anthony's Wednesday St Luke's Friday <i>(Please refer to Weekly Newsletter)</i>	WEDNESDAY	9 February	8.30 am 9:00 am 2.00 pm 7.00pm	Parents' CICC Information St Luke's Mass - St Anthony's Parents' CICC Information St Luke's Parents' CICC Information St Luke's
	THURSDAY	10 February	8.30 am 2.00 pm 4:30pm 7.00 pm 7:30pm	Parents' CICC Information St Anthony's Parents' CICC Information St Anthony's Rosary followed by Mass - St Anthony's Parents' CICC Information St Anthony's St Vincent de Paul Meeting
	FRIDAY	11 February	9:00am	Mass - St Luke's
	SATURDAY	12 February	4:30pm 6:00pm	Mass - St Anthony's Mass - St Luke's
Reconciliation Saturday 4:00pm - 4:30pm St Anthony's Alexandra Hills Or by appointment	SUNDAY	13 February	7:00am 9:00am	Mass - St Luke's Mass - St Anthony's



*Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying:
'Whom shall I send?
I answered, 'Here I am, send me.'*

Families must come first. That is parents' first vocation! As a Christian community is there any way we can involve the whole family in any jobs that are needed doing occasionally around the parish?

- * Watering gardens?
- * Mowing twice a year?
- * Trimming hedges?
- * Entering data into ONE LICENCE.
- * Cleaning the church occasionally.
- * Answering phones and taking messages.
- * Assisting the ladies preparing the church for each change of banners etc

- * Assistant Sacristan
- * Communion of the Sick
- * Practicing & Singing with the musicians
- * Cleaning window/louvers
- * Can you see a need and offer to do something about it?

St Anthony & St Luke's Catholic Parish

Alexandra Hills and Capalaba, Newsletter 6 February 2022

"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."

Parish Details

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 St Anthony's Catholic Church
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 Alexandra Hills Q 4161

Capalaba
 St Luke's Catholic Church
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Parish Office

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 [Behind St Anthony's Church]
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St Luke's Catholic Child Care Centre
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Today's Scriptures

The reading from Isaiah is an autobiographical report of a visionary experience he had during a liturgical celebration held in the temple. The God of Israel is depicted as supreme among all other gods, since only the mightiest would be sitting on the throne of heaven. This is a bold idea for a nation in the throes of political unrest. The acclamation 'Holy! Holy! Holy!' is a way of expressing superlative. There is no god as holy as the God of Israel. The contrast between the holiness of God and Isaiah's own uncleanness causes Isaiah to cry out in despair. His lips are cleansed, because he will proclaim the word of the Lord.

The responsorial psalm is a prayer of thanksgiving. The psalmist is grateful because of God's faithfulness to covenant commitment. The praise of God proclaimed by the psalmist is witnessed by the rulers of the nations.

The reading from Corinthians contains one of the earliest creedal statements. The creedal statement itself is quite succinct: Christ died; he was buried; he was raised; and he appeared. The first two components are facts that can be historically verified; the second two, while they did occur in history, are still statements of faith. This is the heart of the gospel. Everything else is interpretation or flows from these facts. Paul's final statement is telling. It makes no difference who preaches the gospel, so long as others hear it and believe.

In the Gospel, Simon recognises Jesus' divine power in the miraculous catch of fish. He prostrates himself before Jesus and addresses him as Lord (kýrios), a title that combines the elements of power and authority. Simon and the others are filled with astonishment or fear to which Jesus responds in characteristic manner: 'Do not be afraid!' Jesus does not provide these fishermen a remarkable catch merely in order to cancel the frustration they experienced in an unsuccessful night of fishing. The miracle became an acted-out prophecy revealing both his own mysterious authority and the ministry to which they are being called. Jesus declares that a turning point in their lives has been reached. The commission states: From now on ...!

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WORD OF GOD SUNDAY

FEBRUARY 6, 2022

This Sunday we celebrate "Word of God" Sunday. Normally it is a time to stop and take stock of our commitment to reading the Word of God. Perhaps if you don't have a Bible you can ask the ladies in the piety stall about ordering one. If you have one, do you need to dust it off and recommit to 5-10 minutes each day. In the Newsletter each week we publish the readings for next weekend. [See below] This might be a good starting point for us all to read the readings before we get to Mass and this sharpens our powers of listening as they are being proclaimed.

Music Practice for Lent



Attention ALL singers and musicians!
We would like to learn/practice some beautiful Hymns for Lent. Please join us on Saturday 19th February at 8.30 am in St Anthony's Church. All ages welcome! Music will be supplied.

Baptism for Priamry School Children

We are aware that many parents have not had the opportunity to Baptise their children as infants for many and varied reasons.



You are most welcome to enquire about Baptism for older children in Primary School. Please email Trish Stapleton for any information. Parish Office 3820 0100. pa.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."



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.

We look forward to being able to welcome you as we used to, at our Newcomers Welcome Night.



Scripture Readings

for Next Sunday

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C

First Reading

Jeremiah 17:5-8

Psalm

Ps 1:1-4, 39:5

Second Reading

1 Corinthians

15:12, 16-20

Gospel

Luke 6:17, 20-26

Parish Gifting

Dear Parishioners, thank you for supporting the parish.

- Please try the new Parish Giving Portal located on our Website or via link below.

<https://parishgiving.brisbanecatholic.org.au/auth/login>

- Please continue to use the Direct Debit, Direct Deposit or envelopes at the collection box during mass. You may 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.

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

BSB: 064786 Account Number: 100017590

Account Name: Alexandra Hills Capalaba Parish Planned Giving.

CICCA [Sacrament Program] Dates

Dear Parents and Carers,

We thought we were so organized at the end of last year. Not so!

As we have had a delay to school starting time, I have had to reorganize all the dates. I'm sorry to all the parents who made last years information sessions, but now need to call you back for critical practical information going ahead. If parents missed last years sessions you are still welcome to register you child for this years program. I promise they will be short sharp and to the point. Please bring any folders you have from last year. Please shred last years dates and times to save confusion. You have 6 sessions from which to *choose ONLY one*.

PARENTS INFORMATION SESSIONS 2022

New Practical 2022 Information

Wednesday 16th FEBRUARY

8.30 am St Luke's Church

2.00 pm St Luke's Church

7.00 pm St Luke's Church

Thursday 17th FEBRUARY

8.30 am St Anthony's Church

2.00 pm St Anthony's Church

7.00 pm St Anthony's Church



All children will present their Enrolment commitment at a Mass of their choice on the weekend of 22nd/23rd March 2022.

Baptisms for Infants: Parents Preparation

All parents who wish to have their infants/toddlers Baptised, are requested to come to a preparation session on the third Wednesday evening of the month at 7.00 pm in St Anthony's Church, 1 St Anthony Drive, Alexandra Hills. All information regarding your child's Baptism will be discussed. Please check you can attend one of the sessions prior to booking a date for Baptism. Baptisms are celebrated in St Anthony's Church 10.30 am, 1st Sunday of each month & at St Luke's Church 10.30 am, 3rd Sun of the month.

Please pray for...

Bob Kohlman, Ronald Thorne, Gisela Kostic (Sylvia's Mum), Joan Balcombe, Meghan Chircop, Julie Vincent, Rishani Wickramasuriya, Denis Bowman, Joe Andrews, Christine Hahes, Chris Dennis, Gerry Stack, Kerry Ann See, Mary Ford, Max Veal, Kerry Balcombe, Anthony [Tony] Conner, Des Stapleton, Margaret Hobbs, Norma Adams, Peter Maciejewski, Ailsa Jensen, Sharon MacKenzie, Luis & Sonia Mendez, Alfredo & Jennifer Mendez 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, especially Lillian Hosking [mother of Tricia Pearcy] died peacefully in Bundaberg on 25/01/22 Aged 91 years and 11 months.

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 on 3820 0100. To request Masses to be offered for the sick, dying, deceased or for special intentions please contact the Parish Office.

Children's Liturgy of the Word

Willing Leaders to continue with Children's Liturgy of the Word: Please email Trish on pa.alexhillscap@bne.catholic.net.au if you are willing to lead or assist in this very important ministry.