

## What's on in the community

### A Morning's Prayer

A facilitated morning with time for input, prayer, reflection and faith sharing.

Date: October 29 @ 9:00am– 12:00pm

Location: Santa Teresa Spirituality Centre, 267 Wellington Street,  
Ormiston 4160

Cost: \$20

Purchase tickets from: <https://santateresa.org.au/news-events/>

### Journey in October

Facilitated by Sr Mel Dwyer, Journey meets one Sunday morning each month, usually for a bushwalk and brunch.

Date: October 30 @ 7:30am– 11:00am

Location: Mount Gravatt Conservation Reserve, 26 Mount Gravatt  
Outlook Drive, Mount Gravatt 4122

Cost: Free

More information from: [https://app.tickets.org.au/eb/](https://app.tickets.org.au/eb/Journey221130)

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The month of October is dedicated as the Most Holy Rosary. The Rosary will be prayed before each Parish Mass for the month of October commencing 30 minutes prior to the Mass. Everyone is invited to come and join the prayers.

### STAR OF THE SEA CATHOLIC PARISH CLEVELAND



Discover Faith  
through fellowship,  
food, games, prayer  
and more!

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YOUTH

FOR YOUNG PEOPLE AGED 9 - 14

FRIDAY 28TH OF  
OCTOBER 6-8PM

MEET IN THE PARISH HALL

CONTACT SAM:  
sachse.sam24@gmail.com  
0499024309



WORLD COMMUNITY DAY  
2022



Renewal through Trust:  
Caring brings Renewal

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> October 2022 2pm  
Capalaba Uniting Church  
30 Ney Road, Capalaba, Qld. 4157



## KEYS

Do you have a key to St. Anthony's,  
St. Luke's or the Parish Hall? In the  
office, we are currently reviewing the  
key register and we are needing to  
know who has keys for any of the  
Churches or Hall. If you have a key, can you please let Emily  
know, please phone on (07) 3820 0100 or email on  
[alexhillscap@bne.catholic.net.au](mailto:alexhillscap@bne.catholic.net.au). Thank you for your coop-  
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on the parish website.

Contact the Parish Office for more  
information.

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## St Anthony & St Luke's Catholic Parish Alexandra Hills and Capalaba

"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."

1, St Anthony Drive, Alexandra Hills, Qld 4161 Phone: 3820 0100 Email: [alexhillscap@bne.catholic.net.au](mailto:alexhillscap@bne.catholic.net.au)

Web: [www.stanthonyandstluke.org.au](http://www.stanthonyandstluke.org.au)

Facebook: St Anthony and St Luke's Parish

### Parish Churches

St Anthony's Church  
1 St Anthony Drive,  
Alexandra Hills Q 4161

&

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

### Parish Office

#### Office Hours

Mon, Wed & Fri: 9am to 2pm

#### Parish Personnel

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### Education

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St Anthony's Kindergarten  
Phone: 3824 5061  
Address: St Anthony's Drive, Alexandra Hills

St Luke's Catholic Primary School  
Phone: 3245 9595  
Email: [pcapalaba@bne.catholic.edu.au](mailto:pcapalaba@bne.catholic.edu.au)  
St Luke's Catholic Child Care Centre  
Phone: 3245 3300  
Address: 45 Degen Road, Capalaba

### 23 October 2022

### 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### Dear Parishioners and visitors,

Jesus in his "mission statement" (Lk:4: 18-21), clearly indicates his goals and basic options: he came for the people who are pushed to the periphery of the society, especially the oppressed and the marginalized. The words and deeds revealed the goal of his ministry: first, to free all those excluded for political, economic, social, or religious reasons,

all those oppressed by "demons" and secondly, to restore their lives and dignity as children of God. All the three Scriptural readings of this Sunday, reflect essential aspect of Jesus' mission praxis. The orphan, the widow and the abandoned who cry out to God. And God listens and God responds.

The first reading from the book of Ecclesiasticus brings hope to us: "The Lord hears the cry of the oppressed. He is not deaf to the wail of the orphan, nor to the widow when she pours out her complaint. He who serves God willingly is heard; his petition reaches the heavens. The prayer of the lowly pierces the clouds; it does not rest till it reaches its goal.

The Second Letter to Timothy, narrates how St. Paul was all alone and helpless, who cried out to the Lord for help and was helped by God. The 'tax collector' in the gospel parable, suffered from the loneliness caused by his own wrong choices. This is what sin does, it alienates, separates, it causes one to be alone in the mud of his or her own wrong doings, as the prodigal son found himself in the slop of the pigsty, as the Samaritan woman who came to draw water all alone, separated from the community. The tax collector comes to the temple to ask forgiveness and mercy from God. He is really seeking God. Now the 'Pharisee' too comes to the Temple, not to cry out for help, but to remind God of his goodness. Setting himself apart, the 'Pharisee' points out his very many merits and goodness- he fasts, he pays tithes. He reminds God that he is not like so many other sinful people. He is so full of himself that he doesn't recognize his own emptiness. He doesn't welcome God. 'The Pharisee' left the Temple with nothing, because he did not recognize his dependence on God. Our attitude towards others reflect our attitude to God. God looks into our hearts. When we pray let us ask lord to fill our emptiness with the goodness of God. God does hear us and God helps us to love ourselves by helping us to see the capability we have to reflect His Image to the world. It is God who helps us to give meaning to our life and existence.

Lord's Blessings, Father Regi





Scripture Readings	Mass Times
<p>This Sunday, 30th in Ordinary Time            First Reading: Sirach 35:12-14, 16-19            Psalm: Ps 33:2-3, 17-19, 23            Second Reading: 2 Tim 4:6, 16-18            Gospel: Luke 18:9-14</p>	<p><b>24-30 October 2022</b></p> <p><b>MONDAY</b>            9:00am, St Luke's Church, CAPALABA</p> <p><b>WEDNESDAY</b>            5:00pm, St Anthony's Church, ALEXANDRA HILLS</p> <p><b>THURSDAY</b>            9:00am, St Anthony's Church, ALEXANDRA HILLS            6:00pm, St Mary MacKillop Church, BIRKDALE</p> <p><b>FRIDAY</b>            9:30am, St Mary MacKillop Church, BIRKDALE</p> <p><b>SATURDAY</b>            4:30pm St Anthony's Church, ALEXANDRA HILLS            6:15pm St Mary MacKillop Church, BIRKDALE</p> <p><b>SUNDAY</b>            7:00am St Luke's Church, CAPALABA            8:00am St Mary MacKillop Church, BIRKDALE            9:00 am St Anthony's Church, ALEXANDRA HILLS</p>
<p><b>Eucharistic Adoration</b></p> <p>First Friday of the Month            (10.00am to 11.00am),            at St Mary MacKillop Church,            BIRKDALE</p>	
<p><b>The Sacrament of Reconciliation</b></p> <p>MONDAY 8.30am: St Luke's Church, Capalaba            THURSDAY 5.30pm: St Mary MacKillop Church, Birkdale            SATURDAY 4.00pm: St Anthony's Church, Alexandra Hills.  <i>OR By Appointment (call : 3820 0100)</i></p>	
<p><b>We pray for those in our community who are ill,            and those who seek healing in their lives and for            all those who care for them</b></p>	
<p><b>We remember and pray for</b> Maria Mercedes Campbell, Nelson Penaflor, Greta Fitzpatrick, Irena Kelly, Denis Bowman, Joe Andrews, Chris Dennis, Kerry Ann See, Mary Ford, Max Veal, Kerry Balcombe, Anthony Conner, Des Stapleton, Margaret Hobbs, Norma Adams, Peter Maciejewski, Ailsa Jensen, Sharon MacKenzie, Alfredo &amp; Jennifer Mendez, Samuel Tyler, Bob Kohlman, Ronald Thorne, Gisela Kostic, Meghan Chircop, Julie Vincent, Peter Kwok-Sun, Antonio Ramando, Josephine Murphy, Helen Meade, Leo Berge, Ross Davies ,</p>	

## PENANCE FOR OLDER CHILDREN [Years 5 & 6]

### Workshops for Child and Parent/Carer:

- ❖ Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> October 2022      St Luke's Church
  - 3.15 pm **OR** 6.00 pm
  - Sessions 1 & 2 *[Parents Booklet]*
- ❖ Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> November 2022      St Luke's Church
  - 3.15 pm **OR** 6.00 pm
  - Sessions 3 & 4 *[Parents Booklet]*

**Date for the CLEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT:**

**To Be Confirmed**

*To protect your privacy, we are required by the National privacy Act Australia to collect a written prayer intention form, which is available at the Entrance of the Church and from the Parish office.*

Parish Prayer Groups	HEARTFELT THANKS
<p><b>Monday</b>            1.00 pm Rosary group, St Mary's, Birkdale</p> <p><b>Tuesday</b>            11.30 am, Rosary group, St Luke's , Capalaba</p> <p><b>Wednesday</b>            11.00 am Rosary, St Mary's, Birkdale            3.30 pm, Prayer of Two Hearts, St Anthony's, Alexandra Hills            4.00 pm, Rosary, St Anthony's, Alexandra Hills</p> <p><b>Friday</b>            9.00 am, Rosary, St Mary's, Birkdale</p>	<p>A very big heartfelt thank you to everyone who helped with the clean up in and around the Church, parish office and gardens. Your time and effort are very much appreciated. May you be richly blessed.</p>

## Our Parish Social Gatherings

### Lunch at The Bush Pantry

Join other members of the parish at 11.30am Wednesday 2nd November for lunch at 12noon at Bush Pantry @ My Horizon, Runnymede Road Capalaba. All welcome! Please RSVP to Trish Purcell on 0438863296

**Thank You Morning Tea - Wednesday 16th November from 10.00am in the Parish Hall.**


All Welcome





**Christmas Stall** following all masses 3rd and 4th December to support St Vincent de Paul.

*For further information please contact the Parish Office*



### Are you New to the Parish?

If you are new to the Parish, please fill this form and drop it in the collection box or give us your details by phone on 3820 0100 or email: alexhillscap@bne.catholic.net.au

The Parish Office will then be in touch with you to send you our weekly newsletter.

We look forward to welcome you to our New Parishioners Welcome Night.

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_