

WELCOME TO OUR NEW PRIEST: FR PETER ANTONY

OUR NEW PRIEST: Fr Peter Antony (note, not Anthony but Antony, his father's name) MSC has arrived. (as there are three of us named Peter, - one is called Petrus and is also known as Otto- our Indonesian Chaplain – leaving two of us named Peter, he will be known as Fr Antony.)

He is 33 years young, and his home town, Vellarappilly is in the ancient Christian State of Kerala, Southern India. The Christians there trace their faith all the way back to St Thomas – the doubter. He has 2 married brothers.

He was educated at St Joseph's Parish School, and then Secondary School in in Kanjoor where the MSC have their Novitiate Monastery.

Fr Antony entered the MSC in India in 2003. He was ordained on 27 November, 2016. He has a Bachelor in BA in Jesuit College Bengaluru, and B Philosophy and B Theology through the Carmelites of Mary Immaculate College in Bengaluru (previously known as Bangalore).

When asked why he came to the MSC, a small and largely unknown community in India where there are very large orders such as the Jesuits, Salesians and especially the Carmelites of Mary Immaculate, a home-grown order which has a huge formative influence on the Church in India, he answered: he was introduced through a Nun who spoke to him about our congregation – he liked the way of community and the MSC spirituality of the Heart. (Actually, when he joined us he did not really know much about us, but on meeting an MSC and starting with us, he grew into the vocation.)

He was ordained in his home Church of St Joseph in Vellarapilly, Kerala (Kerala has signs everywhere stating "God's Own Country"!!! whereas I thought it was Victoria, Australia!).

Following his ordination he was ministering in the Archdiocese of Kerala as an assistant priest in a Diocesan Parish.

His interests include: soccer, music (any music – Bollywood or Holly Wood or...anything really....and he is looking forward to joining the Choir with Fr Tru (yet to meet an Indian who does not sing and dance!) He likes reading – fiction, spiritual reading, but not into gardening, and is happy to be involved in whatever is going on in the parish.
Not much into TV.

So we are delighted to welcome Fr Antony to our community. (He has already been warned that homilies are not to be longer than 8 minutes...not by me.)

It is so good to have another young priest here. Peter Hearn MSC



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19th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B
11/12th August, 2018

Accessible Seats - Rows
5,6,7 and cross aisles. Front
6 seats either side of centre
aisle.

1st Reading: 1Kings 19:4-8

2nd Reading: Ephesians 4:30-5:2

Gospel: John 6:41-51

Entrance Antiphon: Look to your covenant, O Lord, and forget not the life of your poor ones for ever. Arise, O God, and defend your cause, and forget not the cries of those who seek you.

Responsorial Psalm: Taste and see the goodness of the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia alleluia! I am the living bread from heaven, says the Lord; whoever eats this bread will live for ever.

Communion Antiphon: O Jerusalem, glorify the Lord, who gives you your fill of finest wheat.

Parish Office

Monday- Friday 9am-5pm (Closed 1pm-2pm)

Parish Staff

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Our Lady of the Sacred Heart

Monday: Midday Mass

Tuesday: 6:30am Mass, 11am (Holy Hour), Midday Mass.

Wednesday: 6:30am Mass, Midday Mass

Thursday: 11:30am (Novena), Midday Mass, 5:40pm Mass.

Friday: Midday Mass (Anointing Mass 2nd Friday), 5:40pm Mass, 6pm (Holy Hour)

Saturday: 11am (Reconciliation), Midday Mass, 5pm (Reconciliation), 6pm Vigil Mass.

Sunday: 8am, 10am, Midday, 6pm. 10.30pm

St. Margaret Mary's

Saturday: 5:15 (Reconciliation), 5:30pm Vigil Mass.

Sunday: 9.30am

Baptisms

Held at OLSH, 1:15pm Sundays.

Contact the Parish Office on 9399 6775.

Into your loving care we commend :

Recently Deceased: Father Eugene McGrath, Fr. George Connolly, Matthew Butler, Robin Church, Eva Layton, Bruce Green, Peter Tosti.

Anniversaries and Deceased: Sister Margaret Mary Wilkinson, LCM , Maude Sharpe , Roy Sheldon, Noelene Joseph, Mary Morris(Birthday)Doug Paton, Fr. John Shalvey, Fr. Doug Smith, Walter and Brian Sentence, Susan Gore, David Brown, Joseph and PJ Chacko, David Murphy, Anthony Chong, Djohan Jandy, Lourdes Bayot

Special Intentions: Molly Du Pratt, Thanksgiving to Our Lady.

We welcome into our Catholic family:

Winston Boy Volcz Yaparie.

APPOINTMENT OF MRS PAULINE DINALE TO SMM SCHOOL AS PRINCIPAL:

As you know Mrs Dinale graciously took up the position for a year after the Schools' Office moved the previous Principal, Mr O'Neill, to Earlwood. Pauline was assistant at Sacred Heart Primary, Mosman, and loves St Margaret Mary's and is now our substantive Principal for three years. Now familiar with the School, she is delighted, as are we, to take up this appointment. Pauline is a person of lived faith, a wide experience as an educator, and is very committed to the ministry of Catholic Education. We wish her every blessing in her sometimes demanding leadership role as schools are given more and more responsibilities for the personal development of their students.

Plenary Council Group: How can the Church regain the trust of people in the context of the abuse scandal.

Individuals can go on line and give opinions about your questions, thoughts: eg What you think God is asking of us at this time, and your thoughts about what the Plenary Council should consider about the future of the Church in Australia: and send them to the Plenary Council at plenary.council@catholic.org.au or Plenary Council PO Box 747 North Sydney.

Coming Up:

- ⇒ **Mon 13 Aug: Plenary Council Group – 7.15 Cloister**
- ⇒ **Tues 14 Aug: St Maximilian Kolbe Martyr Auschwitz**
- ⇒ **Wed 15 Aug: Assumption of Mary— Masses 6.30am, 9.30am, Midday and 7pm**
- ⇒ **Thurs 16 Aug: St Stephen of Hungary**

Youth Group will have a gathering on 18th August Saturday at 4.00pm for fun and games followed by choir practice and singing at the 6.00pm Mass. Thank you

To be on earth the heart of Christ!

Young Adults

1st and 3rd Tuesdays 7.00 Cloister Room: Fr Tru: truducnguyen@gmail.com. Bring a friend and enjoy the laughs, meals, companionship, prayer and reflections.

Knitters—Charity starts at home! If the knitters can assist please join us at our knitting mornings on the 2nd and 4th Mondays at 10am in Ventnor.

NOVENA FOR RAIN IN DROUGHT AREAS: A parishioner whose hometown was Mudgee has suggested that we offer a Novena of Prayer for those experiencing the terrible effects of drought in the country areas. We began the Novena on 7th August and it concludes on the Assumption Feast Day, 15th August. You are invited to pray the following prayer:

Jesus your village of Nazareth was dependent on good seasons and harvests. We ask your help for the drought affected farmers of our country through the gift of rain. May we be inspired to come to their aid in practical ways. Amen.

First Holy Communion Dates (OLSH)

Sacrament of First Communion:
Weekend 15/16th September, 2018

First Holy Communion Dates (STMM)

Sacrament of First Communion
Sunday 26th August - 9.30am

Spirituality of Jules Chevalier: *"The love of the heart of Jesus is essentially merciful. His role on earth was not to condemn but to forgive, not shun those who suffer but to comfort them." Meditations II*

Refurbishment of Church exterior: one task remains – repair of the last remaining area of concrete cancer over a lintel on the east façade. It requires careful treatment.

Volunteers for the Piety Store:

Piety store opens Sundays 9-1pm . Seeking volunteers to work 1-2 hours Sunday mornings once a month or every six weeks. Please call Parish office for more information. No experience necessary.

Sacristy: The asbestos tiles have been removed and new vinyl laid – a job well-done. PHMSC

CLOVELLY PARISH HISTORY has recently been published to mark the parish centenary. Entitled St Anthony's by the Sea, it is available for only \$10 per copy (plus \$6 postage). To order, please email centenary@stanthonyclovelly.net.au or phone 9665 2711.

Healing Day with Sr Margaret Scully RSC

Venue: Ventnor House, OLSH
Date: Saturday 25th August
Time: 9 am to 4.30pm

Session: Inner healing, Healing of family tree and Healing power of Forgiveness.

Morning and afternoon tea provided.
Please bring a plate to share for lunch.
All are welcome.

'TODDLER TALES' FOR PARENTS WITH PRAMS
every Friday AT 9.30am Cloister Room

ASSUMPTION OF MARY: OLSH: August 15th. Masses: 6.30; 9.30 with OLSH School; Midday; 7.00pm with choir. **SMM:** 9.15 am with school.

As you leave the Church there will be St V de Paul Envelopes on tables in the foyer: If YOU WOULD LIKE TO, place some money in them and we will send them to the drought areas(Bathurst, Armidale, Waga Waga, Wilcannia/Forbes) for St V de P to distribute. By using the Envelopes you can claim tax deductibility. Otherwise just place your donation with the person holding the bucket in the Foyer or Shrine Doors. Many thanks for your ongoing generosity. Fr Peter Hearn.

New Parishioners - welcome morning tea on the 26th August following 10am Family Mass.

New Parishioners (Hand to a Priest or Acolyte after Mass)

Name: _____ Contact No: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____ Date Submitted: ___/___/___

Mass usually attended: _____