

Next Sunday - 28 August, 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

First: Book of Ecclesiasticus –Sirach 3:17...29 PSALM: 68
Second: Letter to Hebrews 12:18...24 Gospel: Luke 14.1, 7-14

PRAYER IN CHARITY WE PRAY FOR David Bell, Peter Ryder, Barry Bennett, Brenda Johnson who died recently and Maurice Boland, Ted Hurtubise, John McKay **whose anniversaries occur**

PRAYER FOR THE SICK Tony & Esma Commissaris, Teadora Dinolan, Frances O’Ferrall, Ray Wilcocks, Cassie Ilagan, Clive Auckram, Sue McHardy, Ken Derrick, Gerard & Jane McNaughten, Sonia Lewis, Jean Ulberg, Heather Gannon, Troy Angelo Madrigal, Celia McLoughlin, Chris McEntee, Annabelle Sia, Clara Jung-Hwang, Paige Donovan-Smith, Gladys Lloyd, Elizabeth Hennelly, Janina Collett, Rima Bennett, Belinda Chamassian, Jesus Fernando

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ST JOSEPH’S CHURCH, 10 DOMINION ST, TAKAPUNA - **ORANGE LEVEL**

Sunday Mass Times: Saturday 5pm, Sunday 7.30am, 10.30am, 6pm

Youth Mass: 3rd Sunday at 6pm

Weekday Masses: Monday to Friday 9.15am

Saturday Mass 9.00am Reconciliation Saturday 9.30am

Exposition and Holy Hour—every Saturday after 9am Mass

ST VINCENT DE PAUL CHURCH, CNR FENWICK AVE & SHAKESPEARE RD, MILFORD

Mass - Sunday at 9am

Korean Community Mass - every Saturday at 7.30pm

Filipino Community Mass - 4th Sunday - to resume when advised

NORTH SHORE HOSPITAL MASS

First Sunday of month: 11.00am - resumes on **GREEN LEVEL**

St JOHN PAUL II - Holy Cross Anglican Church 222 Dairy Flat Highway, Albany, (access via Oteha Valley Rd. Extension) **Mass** - Sunday at 5.30pm



YOU ARE INVITED as pilgrim people of God to a day of prayer, formation, information, and collaboration around our call to missionary discipleship. The day will begin at 10.30am and conclude at 2.15pm. The diocese will provide lunch. During this time, we will explore what we consider the hallmarks are of a welcoming, vibrant faith community, hear from David Wells about missionary discipleship, explore the different resources available, and reflect on what we can do together. We hope that it will be a warm, welcoming, time together where we can learn from each other, be encouraged and nourished. [Due to the nature of the sessions and the space available we are limited to 80 participants. Please register through the website: https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/missionmap/momentum/](https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/missionmap/momentum/)

There are three opportunities for participation:

Saturday 27 August	Whangarei Church Hall	RSVP 22 August
Saturday 24 September	Onehunga Church Hall	RSVP 19 September

Saturday 15 October **St Joseph’s, Takapuna, Church Hall** **RSVP 10 October**

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

21 August 2022

LITURGY OF THE WORD

The prophet ISAIAH 66:18-21

Distant foreign peoples will come to Jerusalem — God’s city!

PSALM 116

O PRAISE THE LORD
ALL YOU NATIONS
ACCLAIM HIM, ALL YOU PEOPLES!

The Lord has made known his salvation has shown his justice to the nations. God has remembered his truth and love for the house of Israel.

All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God. Shout to the Lord all the earth ring out your joy.

At the presence of the Lord: who comes to rule the earth. God will rule the world with justice and the peoples with fairness.

Strong is God’s love for us; Faithful forever.

LETTER TO THE HEBREWS 12:5-7. 11-13

Discipline and grief ...
prepare us to receive God’s true blessings

GOSPEL - LUKE 13:22-30

Jesus is the ‘way’, the only ‘narrow door’ into the New Jerusalem



AN INVITATION FOR ALL

Think of the ways nations of the world can join together.

People of different ‘tongues’ able to enjoy the same good music, art and architecture ancient treasures, natural wonders.

It is also true of sports; ‘World Cups’ ‘The Olympics’ whether as competitor, supporters!

Christ’s word resounds to believers and seekers world-wide.

His gospel announces that everyone can be saved.

His table spans our planet inviting all to be nourished there.

Isaiah and Luke challenge us to “try our best” with all our courage all our faith, hope and love to enter into life through Christ.

Do we want to know the people at Mass with us?

Do we welcome those who are new? introduce ourselves - invite them home?

Christ’s ‘good news’ needs our effort and example.



To get involved in the Synodal Process:
Go to: <https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/synod-participation>



COVID HAS BEEN DETECTED LAST SUNDAY 14 AUGUST AT 6PM MASS.

The message from the Ministry of Health is:

- ◆ Minimise contact with vulnerable groups or individuals for 10 days from the above dates
 - ◆ Monitor for symptoms and test immediately if they develop any covid 19 symptoms
- The Ministry of Health has provided us with this link if you are concerned and would like further information: <https://www.arphs.health.nz/public-health-topics/covid-19/information-for-places-of-worship-and-faith-based-organisations/>

ST JOSEPH'S CHURCH IS AT ORANGE LEVEL

Whilst in Orange Level we will remain in our 'normal' Mass times. We are not limited to numbers in the Church but it is advisable that masks be worn. **Sunday Mass at 10.30am is live-streamed.**

Our Sunday Masses are as follows: Saturday 5pm, Sunday 7.30am, 10.30am & 6pm.

Our weekday Masses will all be livestreamed: Monday to Friday 9.15am and Saturday 9am.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL CHURCH, MILFORD - SUNDAY MASS AT 9am.

No weekday Masses at Milford.

NOTICES FROM THE DIOCESE

Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Epsom – Parish and School Centennial

Due to the Covid pandemic, we have delayed our Centennial events. **The new dates are 9th – 11th September 2022.** We look forward to celebrating the Centennial Events with our Community from Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Epsom Parish, School and Mercy Centre. Registrations are open on the Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Parish website: <https://epsomcatholic.org.nz/centennial/>

Reflection Day Mary MacKillop Retreat Centre, Mission Bay *Yes, Modern Slavery is Growing in Aotearoa New Zealand* Led by Sr Katrina Brill Saturday 27th August 9.30am – 1pm \$30 waged/ \$20 unwaged. Registrations to Sr Julian Langton by August 20th marymackillopcentre@sosj.org.au Ph: 09 528 1801

Job Vacancy – Officer Manager – Holy Cross Seminary

Holy Cross Seminary based in Ponsonby, Auckland is looking for an experienced Office Manager to be an integral part of our team. This is a full-time permanent role, although possible part-time candidates could be considered (30 hours minimum). This would suit someone who enjoys a varied role and building strong relationships in a collegial community. Applications to secretariat@nzcbc.org.nz by 22 August. More details available at <https://www.seek.co.nz/job/58017032>

A conference for those trained and/or interested in Ignatian Spirituality. **Lifting our Eyes** will help explore ways in which we can apply the *principles of Ignatian Spirituality* in these unsettled times. Burns Lodge Mosgiel, 28-30th Oct 2022, Registration \$125. For more information about registration, conference programme and speakers go to <https://ignatianspirituality.nz/friends-of-ignatius/conference/> and click on image, or email friendsconference@ignatianspirituality.nz

Mercy Hospice - Palliative Medicine Employment Opportunity

Mercy Hospice Auckland is recruiting for an experienced Counsellor and Social worker to join the psychosocial support team. The current openings are part-time positions, and submissions are open through SEEK.

For more information contact Louise Rattray: lrattray@mh.org.nz, or a copy of the Position Description Gwen Arago-Kemp: garago-kemp@mh.org.nz.



ALPHA RETURNS – Alpha is a forum which every parishioner can attend and have a refresher on the basics of our faith. It is also an opportunity to invite friends and family who are not Christians, or who are not coming to church - to come and kick-start or re-ignite a faith in Jesus, in a friendly and informal environment. Participants will enjoy a meal, meet new friends, and learn more about faith and God. There is **no charge**.

Starts Tuesday 30th August, 7pm in the Church Hall (for 9 Tuesdays). To REGISTER contact Engelbert Dsouza; email: engelbert.dsouza@yahoo.com – Ph 021 0234 6853 OR Deacon Steve Fraser; email: stephenf@cda.org.nz – Ph 021 439 407.

TECHNICAL GLITCH 'HITS' PARISH DATA BASE

Information emailed through our website over the past few weeks has been lost. Baptism forms will need to be resubmitted. We apologise for the inconvenience.

St Joseph's School Quiz and Fundraising Auction

Friday 9 September at 6.30pm at Bar Africa, 1b William Pickering Drive Rosedale.

Theme: Shipwrecked; Tickets \$30pp from PTFa website. Tables 6-8 max. Meals and Snacks available. If you would like to contribute anything for the Auction please email: pta@sj.school.co.nz

Tenancy & Property Coordinator at De Paul House

The position entails the ability to learn the skills to assist our tenancy team with over 45 units and houses. In this role you will ensure goods, premises and properties are safe, clean and immaculately presented for whanau, volunteers and employees of De Paul House. Please visit Trademe link: <https://www.trademe.co.nz/a/jobs/trades-services/other/auckland/north-shore-city/full-time/listing/3707525412> or email: admin@depaulhouse.org.nz to receive the full job description. Applications close 2 September. Immediate hire for the right candidate.

JOSHUA MEN'S ONE DAY RETREAT - 1ST OCTOBER

Speaker: Bishop Colin Campbell
Venue: St Thomas More Church Glenfield.
Online registration at - <https://nsjoshua.wufoo.com/forms/one-day-auckland-catholic-mens-retreat>
For further info contact: Greg Sullivan 021 437 747 or Russell Sobotker 022 034 5678.

Kids Korner: <https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/wp-content/uploads/2022/08/TWENTY-FIRST-SUNDAY-in-OT.pdf>
Parent Ponderings: <https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/wp-content/uploads/2022/08/It-Will-All-Come-Out-in-the-Wash.pdf>

We welcome Fr Nathaniel back to Takapuna. He has concluded his term in Northcote, and, from Takapuna, is helping in various parishes where a priest is away.



ANGELUS CHOIR

(for children aged 5-10 years)

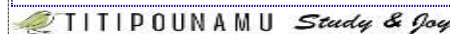
Rehearsals are after 10:30am Mass every 3rd Sunday of the month, in St Joseph's Church –starting this Sunday 21 August. We will also need some parent helpers to assist with set/pack up. Please contact Rosalie: rosalietionloc@gmail.com

PARISH RETREAT TEAM

We are looking for people who could help in putting together a "Parish Retreat Programme" that will be presented to the North Shore Deanery. A background in Catholic Theology or experience in attending or facilitating retreats may be of great help.

For more information, please contact Michael Coats parishspirit@gmail.com

PRAY MASS SUNDAYS AT 2PM ON SHINE TV Free-to-air TV Channel 25 and Sky TV Channel 201



Online Sessions (Evening) please notice the date changes and additional event:

Marian Dogmas with Kieran Fenn fms. Monday, 22 August, 7-8.30pm.

Mary of Nazareth with Prof Thomas O'Loughlin and Kieran Fenn fms. Monday, 29 August, 7-8.30pm. ZOOM. Koha/Donations welcome.

<https://www.studyjoy.nz/2022/08/14/mary-of-nazareth/> For more information and registration: www.studyjoy.nz



Thank you from Gabrielle Rothwell and family for praying for the recovery of her grandson Lucas. The prayers are working!