

Next Sunday - 27 November - First Sunday of Advent

First: The prophet Isaiah 2:1-5 **PSALM:** 121
Second: 1st letter to the Romans 13:11-14 **Gospel:** MATTHEW 24:37-44

PRAYER In charity we pray for Josie Carey, Sier Vermunt, Madeleine Ellison whose anniversaries occur

PRAYER FOR THE SICK John Hill, John LeFeuvre, Chris Prajogo, Stephanie Barfoot, Tony Commissaris, Teadora Dinolan, 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, Rima Bennett, Belinda Chamassian, Jesus Fernando

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LINK FOR NEW PARISHIONER SIGN UP REGISTRATION FORM

[New Parishioner Sign Up - St. Joseph's Church \(takapunacatholic.org.nz\)](http://takapunacatholic.org.nz)

ST JOSEPH'S CHURCH, 10 DOMINION ST, TAKAPUNA

Sunday Mass Times: Saturday 5pm, Sunday 7.30am, 10.30am (live-streamed) and 6pm
 Youth Mass: 3rd Sunday at 6pm

Weekday Masses: Monday to Friday 9.15am (live-streamed)

Saturday Mass 9.00am (live-streamed) 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 - resumed when notified

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



TAKAPUNA SUMMER CAMP 2023—ALWAYS FORWARD

Sonshine Ranch, Clevedon—22 - 26 January 2023

Year Groups 9-13 Secondary School

This is a summer you have been waiting for! Spend 5 days at camp consisting of messy games, rave parties, praise & worship, archery, bonfire, water slide and more importantly - celebrating the Sacraments. Register here:

takapunacatholic.org.nz/youth/summercamp (or contact us at youth@stjoseph.org.nz)

2023 COLUMBAN ART CALENDAR NOW AVAILABLE AT CHURCH DOOR & PARISH OFFICE \$12.00
You can also pay by direct credit to Parish Account 02-0100-0120990-004

34th Sunday in Ordinary Time Christ the King

20 November 2022



LITURGY OF THE WORD

2nd book of Samuel 5:1-3

How is it that David ... youngest son!
is to be anointed as King?

PSALM 121

I rejoiced when I heard them say:
'Let us go to God's house.'

And now our feet are standing
within your gates, O Jerusalem.

Jerusalem is built as a city
strongly compact.

It is there that the tribes go up,
the tribes of the Lord.

For Israel's law it is,
there to praise the Lord's name.

There were set the thrones of judgement
of the house of David.

LETTER TO COLOSSIANS 1:12-20

Christ's cross brings us into
His Kingdom of peace

LUKE 23:25-43

".. remember me,
when you come
into your Kingdom"



In glory Christ came into our lives
in glory as a King among his people

but a people who did not know him

a people who wished

only to be let alone

and live in the bondage

they had become used to.

The bondage

created over the generations.

The bondage

they no longer saw.

This King came victorious

in a world that knew not victory

to rule a people loved.



To get involved in the Synodal Process:

Go to: <https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/synod-participation>



NOTICES FROM THE DIOCESE

Young Leaders Celebration Dinner

Youth and Young Adult ministry leaders, you're invited to join Bishop Steve on Sunday 27 Nov. for an evening of affirmation, celebration & some fantastic kai! To attend, email samb@cda.org.nz

CTC Online Event

Æsthetic Soul: Pictorial Art as Source of Theology Thursday, 24 November, 6:30-8:00pm via Zoom Speaker: Dr Christopher Longhurst Reg: <https://www.tekupenga.ac.nz/aesthetic-soul>

Jubilee Bursary Semester 1, 2023 for Theology and RE courses. Applications close Thursday, 24 November contact: Michelle Jarvis michellej@cda.org.nz

Divine Renovation

Do you want to see your parish come alive, but you're unsure where to begin? Are you already in the renewal journey, but are looking to get connected with a community of parish leaders for inspiration, encouragement, and fellowship?

Wherever you are in the parish renewal journey, the 2023 Divine Renovation Australasia Conference will be a unique and inspiring experience for anyone who wishes to move their parish from maintenance to mission. **10-12 February 2023 | Sydney, Australia**

Register today at www.divinerenovation.org/draus2023

SCHOLARSHIP FOR STUDY AT TE KUPENGA CATHOLIC THEOLOGICAL COLLEGE

Bishop Stephen Lowe, the Catholic Bishop of Auckland, is pleased to call for applications for the *Ruth Miller Scholarship* for study at Te Kupenga Catholic Theological College. This scholarship will be available for a selected number of people who intend to do one or more Theology papers at Te Kupenga Catholic Theological College towards a Bachelor of Theology degree in 2023. For further information about this scholarship and to receive an application form, please contact Catherine Ryan, Vicar for Education, Email: catheriner@cda.org.nz. **The closing date for applications is MONDAY 12 DECEMBER 2022.**

G.I.F.T. Christmas Mass Sunday 4th December at 4.30pm at Good Shepherd Church, Telford Ave, Mt Eden. After we will share a light meal after in the G.I.F.T. Centre. All intellectually disabled friends and support people WELCOME

Marriage & Family Life would like to invite you to you consider becoming Marriage Educators. If you have 2 hours a fortnight and are passionate about helping engaged couples prepare for marriage and have been married for 5 years or more, please contact Gerry on 021 02247442.

CDA CONNECT: Nov. Issue : <https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/services/cda-connect/>

Registrations are now open for **Ngā Tapuwae - Sacred Footsteps 2023**. Our Northland pilgrimage will be from 6th January to 8th January 2023. All are welcome to hiko with us to learn more of our Catholic heritage. We will explore, experience, and live the sacred places of Kupe, Bishop Pompallier, and the early missionaries. The pilgrimage will conclude with Mass at the place where the first Mass in NZ occurred.

Register <https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/discipleship/nga-tapuwae-pilgrimage/> or contact: Stephen Fraser 09 360 3052 or: stephenf@cda.org.nz

Kids Korner: <https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/wp-content/uploads/2022/11/Our-Lord-JESUS-CHRIST.pdf>

Parent Ponderings: <https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/wp-content/uploads/2022/11/AN-87-YEAR-OLD-COLLEGE-STUDENT-NAMED-ROSE.pdf>

DATES FOR RECONCILIATIONS DURING ADVENT			
Tues. 29 Nov.	7:00 PM	Advent Rite II Reconciliation	St John the Baptist MAIRANGI BAY
WED. 7 DEC.	7:00 PM	Advent Rite II Reconciliation	SAINT JOSEPH'S, TAKAPUNA
Tues. 13 Dec.	7.00 PM	Advent Rite II Reconciliation	St John the Evangelist OREWA
Thurs. 15 Dec.	7:00 PM	Advent Rite II Reconciliation	St Thomas More, GLENFIELD
Fri. 16 Dec.	7:00 PM	Advent Rite II Reconciliation	St Mary's, NORTHCOTE
Sun. 18 Dec.	7:00 PM	Advent Rite II Reconciliation	St Francis de Sales & All Souls, DEVONPORT
Tues. 20 Dec.	7:00 PM	Advent Rite II Reconciliation	Maria Assumpta, BEACH HAVEN

CHRISTMAS MASSES 2022 - ST JOSEPH'S PARISH, TAKAPUNA

Christmas Vigil 7.00pm preceded by Carols at 6.30pm

Midnight Mass preceded by Carols at 11.30pm

Christmas Day 7.30am & 10.30am

St Vincent de Paul Church, Milford - 9.00am

New Year's Eve Saturday Vigil - 5.00pm

New Year's Day 7.30am, 10.30am & 6pm

St Vincent de Paul Church, Milford - 9.00am



AUCKLAND VOCATIONS DISCERNMENT RETREATS

At the Franciscan Friary in Hillsborough. Come along and discover the plan that God has for you in your life, through active spiritual discernment for young adults 18+.

Men's Retreat: Friday 9th-11th December

Women's Retreat Friday 16th-18th December

There are discounted Early Bird spots available but are limited. For more information and to register for the retreat please email aucklandvocations@gmail.com

Men's Retreat https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfjJWqxZ7Jh_Hr6pguvcLAp2IvJM8ALMtLjwX1MkBTpChtdEA/viewform

Women's Retreat

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeIHqn99oczhdSYUq-MgXKErH0tXuKyGG35mtsIFVXOja0bpQ/viewform>

JESUS THE GOOD SHEPHERD PRAYER GROUP

Join our prayer group meeting every Wednesday 7:30 pm to 9:15 pm. at St Joseph's Church Hall. And join us for a growth camp, "Wise men seek Him still". Young or old, this is a camp for all ages. Special guest speakers : Fr. Martin Wu and Brendan Woodnutt along with the JTGS Team on Friday 2 December 6pm to Sunday 4 December 2pm at Hunua Falls Camp, 203 Falls Road, Hunua 2583. Cost (including meals and accommodation): per person \$120; children - 5 to 10yrs \$100; and under 5s free.

PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY & BARCELONA, SPAIN
5 – 28 September 2023
Chaplain: Monsignor David Tonks
Information: <https://bit.ly/Pilgrimage2023ItalySpain>
Bookings: Laura Yap
laura.yap@travelmanagers.co.nz

National March for Life Wellington 2022, 3 Dec. Go to: www.marchforlife.nz for info.

Please join the annual Coast to Coast Rosary on Saturday 3rd December at 3pm. Go to: coasttocoastroary.co.nz

JOSHUA MEN'S FELLOWSHIP NORTH SHORE

Meeting Wed. 30 Nov. at 7.30pm at St Joseph's Centre, Takapuna. All men together with their spouses/partners are invited. It will be a time to give thanks and celebrate the blessings we have had during 2022 and look forward with hope to the Advent season. With this in mind we will have a shared dinner and request you bring a plate. For more information ph. Russell at 022 034 5678.

NZCatholic 20 Nov. to 3 Dec. Issue at Church doors today - \$4. Some headlines: *Otara school celebrates opening of new buildings. New Catholic Māori Group meets with Bishops. Liturgical formation of the People of God in NZ.*



Join us for a cuppa after 10.30am Mass today in the Flanagan Lounge hosted by Aber George and Family