



## Parish of Our Lady of Kāpiti

*Te Whaea Tapu o Kāpiti*

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**12th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B - 21 June 2015**

**Readings: Job 38:1, 8-11; 2 Cor 5:14-17; Mk 4:35-41**

**Haere mai e te whanau, Tena koutou katoa, a kia noho te Ariki ki a koutou.**

**Welcome, family, greetings to you all. May the Lord be with you.**

**Dear Parishioners**

### **Refugee Sunday**

**'Large numbers of people are leaving their homelands, with a suitcase full of fears and desires, to undertake a hopeful and dangerous trip in search of more humane living conditions.**

**Often, however, such migration gives rise to suspicion and hostility, even in ecclesial [church] communities ... suspicion and prejudice conflict with the biblical commandment of welcoming with respect and solidarity the stranger in need.**

**The courage born of faith, hope and love enables us to reduce the distances that separate us from human misery.**

**Jesus Christ is always waiting to be recognized in migrants and refugees, in displaced persons and in exiles...'**

**Pope Francis**

### **PASTORAL AREA ACTIVITIES**

#### **SUNDAY 21 JUNE**

**Lambert Family Group** 2pm meet at Helen and Bill's, 37 Watford Drive, Kapiti Village, for a pot luck afternoon tea. Please bring a small plate. All welcome! Enquiries to Christine 297 1706.

#### **MONDAY 22 JUNE**

**St Vincent de Paul Meeting** 9.30am at Our Lady of Fatima meeting room. All welcome.

**Faith Sharing Group's study of the Book of Revelation** 1.30pm at 1 Glen Loch Place, Paraparaumu.

#### **TUESDAY 23 JUNE**

**CWL Craft Morning** 10am in Our Lady of Fatima Church foyer. Making felt broaches. Bring needle & scissors. All welcome.

**Christian Meditation** 4 - 5pm in Our Lady of Fatima meeting room. Phone Wanda 293 2441.

**eConference:** 12noon - 4.30pm Topic: **Religion - catalyst for violence or peace?** Probing the Abrahamic Traditions for Answers. Venue: Foyer of Our Lady of Fatima Church, Waikanae. Enq. Wullie Grant on 293 8702 (see noticeboard for full details).

#### **WEDNESDAY 24 JUNE**

**Peace Prayer Vigil** 7am - 7pm Anam Cara, 150 Rangiorua Rd, Otaki. Please join on the hour, at any hour. Contact Shona Hartendorp Ph 06 364 7544.

**Not Your Usual Sunday Readings** No meeting this

week due to unavoidable circumstances. Next meeting will be 23 July. Ph Nova Eller 904 6229.

#### **THURSDAY 25 JUNE**

**Scripture Study Group** 10.15am in meeting room at OLOF Church. Ph Clare 293 6262 or Pat 902 3995.

**Youth Music Jam Sessions** 7 - 8pm St. Patrick's Church.

**Not Your Usual Sunday Readings** 7.30pm at 72 Cedar Drive, Paraparaumu. Ph Sheila 902 2578.

**Marian Mothers June Meeting** 7.30pm at 4 Gandalf Crescent. All women welcome. Ph Martha 022 062 5738.

#### **FRIDAY 26 JUNE**

**Fun Time Pre-School Music** 10.30 - 11.30am, Grace Hall, St Patrick's School. All pre-schoolers, their parents/caregivers welcome.

#### **SUNDAY 28 JUNE**

**Youth Mass** The Youth and Youth Music Group are leading the music at 10am Mass at St Patrick's Church.

**Blessing Ceremony after 10am Mass** at the site of the new Church - 20 Milne Drive, Paraparaumu. A bus will be provided to take parishioners from Waikanae leaving the Our Lady of Fatima Church car park at 11am.

#### **WEDNESDAY 1 JULY**

**Living Aloners Mid-winter Lunch** 12 noon at Paraparaumu RSA, 110 Amohia St. Ring Zelda 905 9248 or Jan 905 4633 to book by 29 June.

### **Building of our new Church and relocation of our School**

#### **Prayer Focus for this week:**

For all of us as a parish; that we may allow the Holy Spirit to build us as the body of Christ in Kapiti and that we may grow in unity as we dedicate the land for our new Church and relocated school.

***Psalm Response: Give thanks to the Lord, His love is everlasting.***

## PASTORAL NOTICES

### M A T A R I K I

A time to pause for reflection, to learn from the past, and to plan for the future.

#### What is Matariki?

Matariki is the Maori name for the star cluster known as the Pleiades. Traditionally for Māori when it appeared just before dawn in late May or early June, it signaled the start of the Māori New Year. For some tribes, the rising of Puanga (Rigel in Orion) signals the start of the New Year.

#### When is Matariki in 2015?

Different tribes celebrated Matariki at different times. For some it was when Matariki rose in May/June. For others it was celebrated at the first new moon, or full moon, following the rising of Matariki. In the 21st century it is the new moon following the rising of Matariki that signals the New Year.

**In 2015, Matariki, the Māori New Year, will start on 18 June.**

### ST PATRICK'S SCHOOL INVITE ALL TO JOIN IN A FAMILY FUN NIGHT AT GRACE HALL

**Friday 26 June 5.00pm - 7.00pm approx**

Bring your own fish and chips  
A few games for fun.

And a celebration of the Māori New Year - Matariki.



**Volunteers are required to help launder the altar linen at Our Lady of Fatima Church.**

**If you are able to give assistance please phone Judith Wheeler on 293-1129 for more details.**

#### Upcoming Youth Events

**Friday 3 July G.U.Y.S.** (Yrs 8 and above)

End of term get-together at Kapiti Tenpin Bowling 7 - 9pm, \$2 donation, no pizza this week so have your dinner first. RSVP to [kapiti.youth@gmail.com](mailto:kapiti.youth@gmail.com) or 022 6757 357.

**Sunday 5 July G.U.Y.S. Event** The Amazing Race.

Meet at Our Lady of Fatima Church, 2.30 - 4.30pm. Gold Coin donation.

The **Diocesan Youth Mass** follows at Our Lady of Fatima at 5pm.

RSVP for the G.U.Y.S Event to [kapiti.youth@gmail.com](mailto:kapiti.youth@gmail.com) or 022 6757 357.

#### Readings for 22- 28 June

**Monday 22 June**

Gen 12:1-9; Mt 7:1-5

**Tuesday 23 June**

Gen 13:2,5-18; Mt 7:6,12-14

**Wednesday 24 June**

Is 49:1-6; Acts 13:22-26;  
Lk 1:57-66, 80

**Thursday 25 June**

Gen 16:1-12,15-16; Mt 7:21-29

**Friday 26 June**

Gen 17:1, 9-10,15-22; Mt 8:1-4

**Saturday 27 June**

Gen 18:1-15; Mt 8:5-17

**Sunday 28 June**

Wis 1:13-15, 2:23-24  
2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15;  
Mk 5:21-43



**Our Lady of Kāpiti** welcomes **Grace Mary Tayler Smith**

daughter of Daniel & Nicola Smith.

Grace was baptised into our Parish family last weekend.

PLEASE SEE NOTICE BOARD IN CHURCH FOYER FOR ALL EVENTS IN THE ARCHDIOCESE



#### REMEMBERING THE HOLY SOULS - MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

June Noblett, Brigid O'Flynn, Pat Turner, Alan Gamble,  
William Molenaar.



### Parish of Our Lady of Kāpiti

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**Our Lady of Fatima Church**  
29 Parata Street, Waikanae

**Saturday Vigil Mass** 5.30pm  
**Sunday Mass** 8.30am

#### WEEKDAY TIMETABLE

**Wednesday & Friday:**  
**Mass 9.30am**

**Tues & Thurs: Liturgy of the Word**  
**& Holy Communion 9.30am**

*Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Friday 8.30am*  
*Sacrament of Reconciliation follows Friday Mass*

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**St Patrick's Church**  
**16 Hinemoa Street, Paraparaumu**

**Sunday Mass 10.00am**

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