



22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B - 30 August 2015

Readings: Deut 4:1-2, 6-8; James 1:17-18, 21-22, 27; Mk 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23
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

Congratulations to the children making their first Holy Communion at today's 10 o'clock Mass.

Special thanks to the parents and teachers for their commitment to their children's sacramental programme and to the Parish School and staff for hosting this programme during the month of August.

The Holy Eucharist is given us by Jesus as food for the journey. He nourishes and feeds us through his Body and Blood and calls us, by name, to be His Body and Blood for others – in service, with compassion, with justice, and in prayer.

The Holy Eucharist is the Body of Christ just as we are the Body of Christ. May we always honour this sacred gift of remembrance and blessing in our hearts and in our lives.

With every blessing in Christ,
Michael McCabe,
Parish Priest

PASTORAL AREA ACTIVITIES

SUNDAY 30 AUGUST

First Holy Communion 14 members of our Parish will be making their First Holy Communion at St Patrick's Church during 10.00am Mass. We warmly invite our Parish family to join us in celebrating this event and to also join us for morning tea afterwards.



Shared prayer for our Parish 11.30am for 20 minutes at the site of our new church and school. All welcome.

MONDAY 31 AUGUST

Faith Sharing Group 1.30pm at 63 Brookvale Village, Paraparaumu. Currently studying the Book of Revelation.

Justice and Peace group meeting 7.15pm at 72 Cedar Drive Paraparaumu. Please come along to address local and global social justice issues and prepare for Social Justice Week (13-20 September). Ph Wullie 293 8702

TUESDAY 1 SEPTEMBER

Mission Circle - There will be no meeting this week.

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

WEDNESDAY 2 SEPTEMBER

St Joseph's Prayer Group meets by the Statue after 9.30am Mass at Our Lady of Fatima Church.

Not Your Usual Sunday Readings 1.30pm at 23 Crown Hill, Paraparaumu. Ph Michelle Ness 298 7378.

Mass of Anointing 2pm at Our Lady of Fatima Church followed by a shared afternoon tea. All welcome. **This will**

be the Mass of the day. If anyone requires transport please phone Audrey 293 3210 for Waikanae and Colleen 905 5913 for Paraparaumu.

THURSDAY 3 SEPTEMBER

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

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

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

FRIDAY 4 SEPTEMBER

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

J-Team (School children Yrs 5, 6 & 7) 5 - 6.30pm in the Library at St Patrick's School, \$2 Donation. Mum and Dad helpers very welcome.

G.U.Y.S. (Yrs 8 and above) Pizza Night 7 - 9pm in Library at St Patrick's School. \$2 Donation.

SUNDAY 6 SEPTEMBER

Filipino Catholic Mass for Father's Day 5pm at St Patrick's Church, Paraparaumu. Celebrant: Fr. Michael McCabe. The children will lead the rosary at 4pm. Afternoon tea to follow. All are very welcome.

MONDAY 7 SEPTEMBER

St Vincent de Paul meeting 9.30am St Patrick's meeting room. All welcome.

Building of our new Church and relocation of our School - Prayer focus for this week

We have many symbols of hope around us: the feast of the Assumption, First Communion Sunday, the beginning of spring, the upcoming presentation of concept plans for the new church and relocated school.
We pray for a "future full of hope" for our parish, diocese and universal church.

Psalm Response: The just will live in the presence of the Lord

PASTORAL NOTICES

A 'Let's build a Church' dinner/dance update.

Following a discussion with one of our parish elders during the week, it has been decided that we will provide **FREE BUS TRANSPORT** to and from the Southwards Event.

The bus will call to the major Kapiti Rest Homes and Villages, and also both Churches will be collection and return venues. We will be asking for an indication of who will require transport in the next week or two, and then we will publish a timetable from there, a little closer to the Event.

After what has been a massive response, I would imagine that the event will be **SOLD OUT** after this weekend.

Bob Houston

SINGING GROUP

Do you like learning harmonies to songs?
Can you read notes or learn harmonies by ear?
A new singing group has formed in the parish. The aim is to learn harmonies to existing songs so that we can support the music team in their leadership of the liturgy.

If you are interested, come to **St Patrick's church on Tuesdays from 7pm - 8pm.**

Any enquiries can be directed to Bridget 027 316 5641 or bridget.oshanassy@kc.school.nz

Bridget will use email to circulate the music of the songs we will look at each week. Even if Tuesdays do not suit, email Bridget an expression of interest.

Our Lady of Kāpiti welcomes Alexy Kate Cajegas

daughter of Jothan & Flora Cajegas.
Alexy was baptised into our Parish Family last weekend.



Laudato Si' Reflection Day

Sts Mary & Joseph Parish of Otaki & Levin are hosting a day of reflection and discussion on Pope Francis' writings about creation and the care of our world.

Date: Saturday 12 September

Venue: St Joseph's School Hall 35 Durham Street, Levin.

Time: 9.15am (start at 9.30am) - 4pm. All Welcome.
See noticeboard for further information.

"\$10 Lunch Club"

You are invited to join our "\$10 Lunch Club" which is a fundraising and community building effort towards the church building fund.

Teams of ten are being formed to hold a simple lunch each month with each person donating \$10.00.

This raises a total of **\$100 monthly from each team** for the fund. A great opportunity to socialise and raise funds at the same time. Those who cannot host may care to share with another member. For any information phone Velma Knight on 299 1539.

Mission Gala - Books required

Please contact Catherine Carruthers
Ph 021 857958.

Readings for 31 Aug - 6 Sept

Monday 31 August
1 Thess 4:13-18; Lk 4:16-30

Tuesday 1 September
1 Thess 5:1-6, 9-11;
Lk 4:31-37

Wednesday 2 September
Col 1:1-8; Lk 4:38-44

Thursday 3 September
Col 1:9-14; Lk 5:1-11

Friday 4 September
Col 1:15-20; Lk 5:33-39

Saturday 5 September
Col 1:21-23; Lk 6:1-5

Sunday 6 September
Is 35:4-7; James 2:1-5;
Mk 7:31-37

CONDOLENCES TO: The family of Jack Mahoney who died this week.
May he rest in peace.

CONDOLENCES TO: The family of Bernie Hoult, whose funeral was held on Tuesday. **May he rest in peace.**



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

REMEMBERING THE HOLY SOULS - MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

Jack Mahoney, Robin Adair, Bernie Hoult, John Dunn,
Margaret Toole, Frances (Jo) McGrath, Danny Martin,
Frank & Ailsa Fahey, Francis Scott, Brian Kay.



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*

Parish Priest: Fr Michael McCabe
Ph (04) 902 5815

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St Patrick's Church
16 Hinemoa Street, Paraparaumu

Sunday Mass 10.00am

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