



Parish of Our Lady of Kāpiti

Te Whaea Tapu o Kāpiti

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25th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B - 20 September 2015

Readings: Wis 2:12, 17-20; James 3:16 - 4:3; Mk 9:30-37

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

Our sincere thanks are due to John O'Sullivan and Justin du Fresne for speaking on behalf of the Development Project Steering Group at last Sunday's Masses. The full text has been transcribed and copies are available in the Church and School foyers and Parish Website.

This week fifty priests from the Archdiocese and Religious Orders gather at Tatum Park for the Clergy Assembly – Father Gerald O'Collins SJ will speak to us on Dei Verbum – The Second Vatican Council's Document on the Word of God. Please keep us in your prayers.

There will be no Mass this week except for 9.30am Mass on Friday, 25 September 2015, at Our Lady of Fatima Church. This Mass will honour the work of the Saint Vincent de Paul Society in our Parish.

**With every blessing in Christ,
Michael McCabe, Parish Priest**

*CONGRATULATIONS TO Johanna & William Van den Borst
who recently celebrated their 60th Wedding Anniversary
Best wishes from all in our Lady of Kapiti Parish*

PASTORAL AREA ACTIVITIES

SUNDAY 20 SEPTEMBER - MIHA

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

"Soup Kitchen" lunch for Social Justice week 12-2pm OLOF Foyer, followed by short documentary *It's Our Story* and discussion on the issues raised by the DVD. Please do join us.

MONDAY 21 SEPTEMBER

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

Faith Sharing Group - The next meeting will be held on Monday 12 October 2015.

TUESDAY 22 SEPTEMBER

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

WEDNESDAY 23 SEPTEMBER

Milvale Lodge, Lindale. Please join us at 10.30am to sing and pray with residents and carers. All welcome. Contact Wullie on 293 8702.

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

THURSDAY 24 SEPTEMBER

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

THURSDAY 24 SEPTEMBER

Ecumenical Service at Country Lodge at 10.30am. Please join our small group leading in prayer, Bible readings and hymns. All welcome. Please contact Catherine Ph 293 7378.

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. All welcome.

FRIDAY 25 SEPTEMBER - School Term III ends today

Mass at Our Lady of Fatima Church today is being offered for **St Vincent de Paul** whose Feast Day is on Sunday, 27 September. Members of the St Vincent de Paul Society will be hosting morning tea after Mass and all are welcome to join them.
Fun Time Pre-School Music 10.30 - 11.30am Grace Hall, St Patrick's School. All pre-schoolers with their parents/caregivers welcome.

SATURDAY 26 SEPTEMBER

MISSION GALA 9am - 12noon at Paraparaumu Memorial Hall. Please come along and support this worthy cause organised by the Presentation Sisters for Papua New Guinea. Convenor - Sr Breda Ryan Ph 905 3420.

SUNDAY 27 SEPTEMBER - St Vincent de Paul Feast Day

Youth Mass 10am. The Youth and Youth Music Team are leading the music at 10.00am Mass at St Patrick's Church.

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

As our new church becomes more real, through designs, models and fundraising - may we help to build the kingdom of God here on earth - in our buildings and in our hearts.

Psalm Response: The Lord upholds my life.

PASTORAL NOTICES

An Introduction to Pope Francis's Jubilee Year of Mercy

which begins in December 2015

What does Mercy call us to be and do?

What do the Scriptures tell us about 'Jubilee'?

How can we interpret that in our own day?

Sr John Boscoe Kendall RSJ leads a day of reflection at
Josephite Retreat Centre, 14 Hillside Terrace, Whanganui

Saturday 26th Sept 10.00 – 3.00

If you are interested in going and would like to combine
transport, please contact Anna Ryan,

in the first instance 902 6330 (hm) 902 6331 (wk)

To register: Phone: 06 345 5047 ext3

Email: pam.hopper@sosj.org.au

L'Arche Kapiti invites you to...

The blessing of the land at 5 Tongariro Street,
Paraparaumu, upon which they are building homes
for their Community

Saturday 3 October 2015 - 10am-12-30am

Barbecue lunch to follow

RSVP to Genevieve Ph 298 4633

(See notice board for further details)



Our Lady of Kāpiti Parish

welcomes

Saphira Ashe Yu

daughter of Sedfrey & Celthea Yu

Saphira was baptised into
our Parish Family last weekend.

Mission Gala - 26 September 2015

Books: Please contact Catherine Carruthers Ph 021 857 958 for donations of any books for the Gala.

Raffles: Tickets will be on sale at all Masses until the week of the 19/20 September.

Toy Stall: We still need more games. Please phone Martha 902 2323.

Wheel and Auction: We still need items and prizes for this. Please phone Tony 299 6825 or Breda 905 3420.

Cake Stall: Offers of baking are still needed. Please contact Nan at Paraparaumu 905 6388
or Helen at Waikanae 293 3641.

OPEN UP A HORIZON OF HOPE

*"...Today, amid so much darkness, we need to see the light of hope and to be men
and women who bring hope to others. To protect creation, to protect every man
and every woman, to look upon them with tenderness and love, is to open up a
horizon of hope. It is to let a shaft of light break through the heavy clouds.
It is to bring the warmth of hope."*

..... Pope Francis

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REMEMBERING THE HOLY SOULS - MAY THEY REST IN PEACE



Eldon Porter, Sr Marie Benoit RNDM, Shane Quirke, Fr Kieren Rice,
Aquilana Acierto, Mariano Basile, Ailsa Lyons, Bernard, Laurie & Allan Dowd,
Victor and Evelyn Gore, Victor & Jeanne Hurlstone, Sr Bernadette Manning
SMSM, Dora Riepen, Mimi Derks, Tessa D'Cruz, Frances Leary, Peter Stevens,
deceased members of the Waikanae Catholic Women's Guild,
deceased members of the Rea family.

Readings for 21 - 27 Sept

Monday 21 September

Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Mt 9:9-13

Tuesday 22 September

Ezra 6:7-8, 12, 14-20;

Lk 8:19-21

Wednesday 23 September

Ezra 9:5-9; Lk 9:1-6

Thursday 24 September

Haggai 1:1-8; Lk 9:7-9

Friday 25 September

Haggai 1:15 – 2:9; Lk 9:18-22

Saturday 26 September

Zech 2:5-9; 14-15;

Lk 9:43-45

Sunday 27 September

Num 11:25-29; James 5:1-6;

Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48



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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Ph (04) 902 5815

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St Patrick's Church
16 Hinemoa Street, Paraparaumu

Sunday Mass 10.00am

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