



## Parish of Our Lady of Kāpiti

*Te Whaea Tapu o Kāpiti*

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**26th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B - 27 September 2015**

**Readings: Num 11:25-29; James 5:1-6; Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48**

**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**

### **The Synod on the Family**

Later this week Cardinal John Dew, Bishop Charles Drennan, Sharon Cole, and John Kleinsman, travel to the Synod on the Family in Rome. Sharon is Chair of the Parish Council of Te Wairua Tapu Parish in the Hutt Valley and Executive Officer of the Midwifery Council. She was the first Administrator of the Nathaniel Centre - the New Zealand Catholic Bioethics Centre. John Kleinsman is its current Director. It is a huge honour to have John and Sharon and Cardinal John chosen for the Synod by Pope Francis. Bishop Charles is representing the New Zealand Catholic Bishops Conference.

All of them need our prayers as does Pope Francis and the Synod delegates. Please keep this in your personal and family prayer over the next three weeks.

Thank you for your prayers and best wishes for the Clergy Assembly. It was a time of great grace for the 51 priests able to attend together with Cardinal John Dew and Cardinal Tom Williams.

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

*CONGRATULATIONS TO Maureen & Jack Monaghan  
who recently celebrated their 70th Wedding Anniversary  
Best wishes from all of us in our Lady of Kapiti Parish.*

### **PASTORAL AREA ACTIVITIES**

#### **SUNDAY 27 SEPTEMBER - YOUTH MASS**

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

#### **MONDAY 28 SEPTEMBER**

**Catholic Prayer Group** meets for prayer and praise every Monday - 1.30pm at Our Lady of Fatima Church meeting room.

#### **TUESDAY 29 SEPTEMBER**

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

#### **WEDNESDAY 30 SEPTEMBER**

**Not Your Usual Sunday Readings** There will be no meetings for our afternoon group during the school holidays. Next meeting Wednesday 14th October.

#### **THURSDAY 1 OCTOBER**

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

**Not Your Usual Sunday Readings** There will be no meetings for our evening group during the school holidays. Next meeting Thursday 15 October.

**Youth Music Jam Sessions** No Music Jam over the holidays. See you all back on 15 October.

#### **FRIDAY 2 OCTOBER**

**Fun Time Pre-School Music** No Fun Time during the school holidays. Next Fun Time will be on 16 October. See you then.

#### **SATURDAY 3 OCTOBER**

**L'Arche Kapiti Site Blessing** 10am - 12-30am. Please join us at 5 Tongariro Street, Paraparaumu for the blessing of our land. Barbecue lunch to follow RSVP to Genevieve on Ph 298 4633. All welcome.

#### **SUNDAY 4 OCTOBER**

**Jesus4Real** 10am Mass at St Patrick's Church

**Filipino Catholic Mass** 5pm at Our Lady of Fatima Church Waikanae. Celebrant: Fr. Danny Cipriano. Rosary to Our Blessed Mother at 4pm. Afternoon tea after the Mass. All are welcome.

#### **MONDAY 5 OCTOBER**

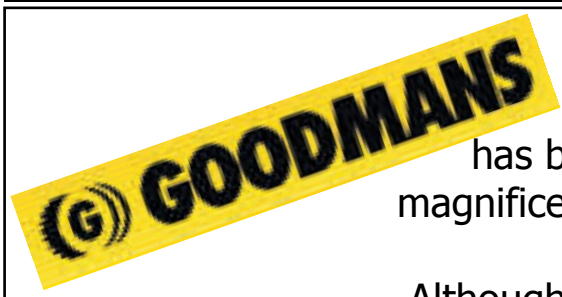
St Vincent de Paul Meeting 9.30am St Patrick's meeting room. All welcome.

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

For wisdom and love in dealing with change and for understanding of how we each deal with change differently.

***Psalm Response: The precepts of the Lord give joy to the heart.***

## PASTORAL NOTICES



### The Goodman's 'Let's Build a Church' evening at Southwards

has been and gone, and what a result! The tone of the evening was set with a magnificent grace from Cardinal Tom Williams - hopefully we will end up with a copy, it is to be treasured.

Although the tally is not completed the result still looks like being around the \$30,000 mark and that is a good start. Just as importantly people had a marvellous time, we had very satisfied sponsors (please support them) and new friendships were made.

We are grateful to all who made this such a wonderful parish social event and to all who worked so hard in its preparation and afterwards in cleaning up.  
With every blessing to you all. **Bob Houston and Father Michael**

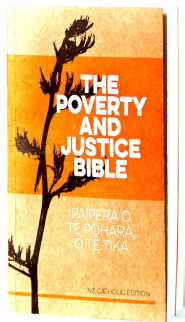


### The Women's Breakfast

will be held on **Saturday, 17th October** this year.

The speaker will be Sr. Margaret Lancaster, one of the founders of Mary Potter Hospice. Entry will be by ticket only - available next weekend. So bring your \$15 next weekend to be among the 100 lucky women.

### The Poverty and Justice Bible – New Zealand edition



Copies of this bible will be available for sale after Mass over the next few weeks.

A key feature of the project is the BUY ONE/GIFT ONE concept. This enables a person to obtain a copy of the Poverty & Justice Bible for their own reading and reflection whilst providing a copy for an individual or family that cannot afford one. This new edition of the Bible was officially launched by Cardinal John Dew in Wellington on 13 September 2015 to coincide with the start of Social Justice Week. Price \$35.00. Contact: Sister Barbara 904 6112.



**CONDOLENCES TO:** Geoff & Ellen Gibbs on the death of Geoff's father Edward (Ted) whose funeral was held on Wednesday. **May he rest in peace.**

**CONDOLENCES TO:** The family of Elveen Sheerin who died this week. **May she rest in peace.**

#### Readings for 28 Sept - 4 Oct

##### Monday 28 September

Zech 8:1-8; Lk 9:46-50

##### Tuesday 29 September

Dan 7:9-10, 13-14 or  
Apoc 12:7-12; Jn 1:47-51

##### Wednesday 30 September

Neh 2:1-8; Lk 9:57-62

##### Thursday 1 October

Neh 8:1-12; Lk 10:1-12

##### Friday 2 October

(Ex 23:20-23); Mt 18:1-5, 10

##### Saturday 3 October

Baruch 4:5-12, 27-29;  
Lk 10:17-24

##### Sunday 4 October

Gen 2:18-24; Heb 2:9-11;  
Mk 10:2-16

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

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



Elveen Sheerin, Edward (Ted) Gibbs, Zita Ryan, Eldon Porter, Bill Cassidy, Jeremy Ferguson, Rae Pritchard, Jimmy Anderson, Peter Mackey, Charles Mannell, Marie Te Ariki, Ali Jackson, Ellie Nevin, Joe Hofsteede, Joan Crummie, Margaret Mulholland, Mary & Leo Terry, Val Currie, Fr Brendan Kenny, Doreen Wallis, Bill Fleming.



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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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