



Parish of Our Lady of Kāpiti

Te Whaea Tapu o Kāpiti

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Trinity Sunday - Year C - 22 May 2016

Readings: Prov 8:22-31; Rom 5:1-5; Jn 16:12-15

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,

Celebrating Mystery

Then was I beside him as his craftsman,

And I was his delight day by day...

Playing on the surface of his earth;

And I found delight in the human race.

Proverbs 8:30,31

This passage from Proverbs speaks of holy Wisdom and invites us to ask: *What does it mean to be a friend of God, someone intimately acquainted with the Divine?* Wisdom is imaged as being by God's side even as the mountains settled into place, as the boundaries between land and sky were marked out, as earth was set on its foundation. There's a sense of familiarity, a comfort level, as with a longtime, cherished friend. There's a sense of accompaniment and of taking delight in all that the creating, redeeming and sanctifying Holy Trinity engages in over time and space.

In celebrating the feast of the Holy Trinity, we stand in the presence of mystery. Today, may we reflect on the divine relationship that is the fullness of love. May we move through this day grateful for such a triune God who delights in our humanness.

Sr Chris Koellhoffer, I.H.M.

With every blessing in Christ, Michael McCabe, Parish Priest

PASTORAL AREA ACTIVITIES

SUNDAY 22 MAY

Miha 10am St Patrick's Church.

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

Coffee at Robert Harris Every Sunday at 11.30am
"Carpe Diem"! This is well attended by those who are bereaved, however, anyone is warmly welcome to join us.

MONDAY 23 MAY

Faith Study Group 1.30pm at 1 Glen Loch Place, Paraparaumu, to study the Gospel of Luke.

TUESDAY 24 MAY

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

WEDNESDAY 25 MAY

Ecumenical Service at Parkwood Lodge 10.30am. Please join our small group leading in prayer, Bible readings and hymns. All welcome. Please contact Catherine 293 2978.

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

THURSDAY 26 MAY

Daytime Christian Meditation 10.30 - 11.30am at 17B Cypress Grove, Paraparaumu. Ph Susan 905 7077.

Youth Music Jam Sessions 7 - 8pm in the Chapel at St Patrick's Church. All Yr 8 & college age youth welcome.

Not Your Usual Sunday Readings 7.30pm 34 Monarch Place, Paraparaumu. Ph Sheila 902 2578. Interested parishioners are most welcome to join us.

FRIDAY 27 MAY

Mass 9.30am Our Lady of Fatima Church, Waikanae.

Liturgy of the Word & Holy Communion 9.30am at St Patrick's Church, Paraparaumu.

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

SATURDAY 28 MAY

Men's Breakfast 8am for 8.15am. Senior Citizens Centre. Our Speaker is Gordon Copeland who will be talking on "One Pilgrim's Progress". Admission by ticket only. Tickets available after all Masses.

SUNDAY 29 MAY

Sacramental Programme - Confirmation

29 of our youth and 2 adults will be **Confirmed by Cardinal John Dew at 10am Mass at St Patrick's Church**. Please note that the children and their sponsors will be sitting in the front few rows of the two middle blocks of pews and these seats will be reserved for them. We would also like to warmly invite all parishioners to join us and celebrate this occasion with the children and their families.

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

That decisions and actions taken in the design and building of the new parish school and church may serve this local church well now and in the future.

Psalms Response: O Lord, our God, how wonderful your name in all the earth.

CONGRATULATIONS to RICK GOODMAN
*on receiving Rotary International's esteemed Harris Fellow Award
 for service above self.
 A well deserved honour for Rick and Helen
 and their family.*

OUR LADY OF KAPITI PRAYER CHAIN



If anyone would like to place a request on the Parish Prayer Chain please phone any of the following:

Clare Borst - 296 1011
Nan Lewin - 905 6388, **Jill Doran** - 902 1074
 or, (after 6pm), **Anna Ryan** - 902 6330

Or, if you would like to become a 'prayer' on the Prayer Chain, please contact any of the leaders listed above.

Year of Mercy

Amendment to dates because of Queen's Birthday

In response to the Holy Father's declaring this year a Jubilee Year of Mercy, a series of evenings is planned to begin **Sunday, 12 June.**

Introductory, plenary session: Sunday, 12 June, 7.30pm OLOF foyer
 Sessions 2 – 4: Small groups in homes at a time to be agreed
 Session 5: Whole group – Sunday 10 July, 7.30pm OLOF foyer
 Registrations can initially be made by completing the form on the notice board in the foyer of both churches or by phoning
 Anna Ryan (hm) 902 6330 (wk) 902 6331
 or Nicola Curtis 299 4300.
 Transport and babysitting can be arranged.

Open morning at Milne Drive/Presentation Way - Saturday 11 June - 10.30-12 noon
An opportunity for Parish and school community to visit the new school site.

Guided tours by school staff will begin at 10.30, 11.00 and 11.30. The site is not suitable for those with limited mobility or needing disabled access. Closed-in stout shoes a safety requirement.

Please register your interest, name and preferred time slot by ringing or emailing the school office:
 Ph 04 298 6780 office@stpatpara.school.nz



CONDOLENCES TO: The family of Noeleen Burns who died during the week. **May she 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

Noeleen Burns, Peter Bayliss, Shaun Satherley, Ross Marbeck,
 Joan Mahoney, Luis Cerna, Phillip Tuinman, Judith Kirkpatrick,
 Mary O'Sullivan, Imelda & Charles Ewen, Ruben Lacs, Julian Sopeta,
 Benjamin Lacs, Pat Scrimshaw, Michael Scanlan, Tom & Bernard Smith.

Readings for 23 - 29 May

Monday 23 May
 1 Pet 1:3-9; Mk 10:17-27
Tuesday 24 May
 Gen 3:9-15, 20; Eph 3:14-19; Lk 8:19-21
Wednesday 25 May
 1 Pet 1:18-25; Mk 10:32-45
Thursday 26 May
 1 Pet 2:2-5, 9-12; Mk 10:46-52
Friday 27 May
 1 Pet 4:7-13; Mk 11:11-26
Saturday 28 May
 Jude 17, 20-25; Mk 11:27-33
Sunday 29 May - Body & Blood of Christ
 Gen 14:18-20; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Lk 9:11-17



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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: Mass 9.30am
Friday: Mass 9.30am every 2nd Week
 Liturgy of the Word & Holy Communion on alternate weeks
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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