



Parish of Our Lady of Kāpiti

Te Whaea Tapu o Kāpiti

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18th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B - 5 August 2018

Readings: Ex 16:2-4, 12-15; Eph 4:17, 20-24; Jn 6:24-35

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, all fellow sisters and brothers in Christ,

I suspect that in *many* ways NOTHING has changed within all humanity since '*time*' began - we all have been told since we were toddlers to '*eat this*' and '*drink that*' because it's '*good for you*'. Jesus said it too – just before He died and '*left*' us. In fact He left it as a '*memorial*' for us. His '*Presence is still with us*'. He didn't tell us to '*debate*' it, to '*argue*' about it etc. etc., just - "DO IT". He knew then, that they, and later we, would *not understand*, that we all necessarily would *struggle* with the meaning of it. And so, as His beloved, we *have* done it, and *continue* to do it. It is a *Mystery*, we need to '*chew*' on it. Like everything that goes into us, via all our senses, the more we chew, the better.

Health '*professionals*', then and now, tell us we *can* and *will become* what we eat and drink. Spiritual '*professionals*' too so inform us also! (For the good, and bad, of our total '*well being*'!!!)

Then, one day, one momentous Divine encounter one BIG WOW, it happens - "My God, I really am what I eat!" And not *me alone*, others too. *WE ARE THE BODY OF CHRIST*. Even though many of us, maybe most, do not know it , YET!

Keep up the struggle, I promise ... it gratefully happened to me very recently! THANKS BE.....

Manus (.... at three score and ten as '*they say*'....!)

PASTORAL AREA ACTIVITIES

SUNDAY 5 AUGUST

The second session for the First Holy Communion programme for candidates and parents 9.45 – 10.45am in St Patrick's Hall and the Library at Our Lady of Kapiti School.

Coffee at The Trattoria & Deli, Coastlands car park, 10 - 12 noon. "Carpe Diem"! A warm welcome to those recently bereaved, or anyone wishing to join us.
Ph Annette 021 264 4567.

Meeting re 'Dinner/ Gala /Outdoor Mass' of 26th to 28th October 2pm Our Lady of Fatima Church Foyer.

To all of those people who would like to make a contribution to the events could we please have a 1 hour get together.

ps. It doesn't matter whether or not you have registered we would really appreciate you being there.

Inquiry: Bob Houston 0274 898017 or bobhouston@xtra.co.nz

MONDAY 6 AUGUST

Charismatic Prayer Group meets for prayer and praise 1.30pm in Our Lady of Fatima Church meeting room. All welcome.

TUESDAY 7 AUGUST

Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion St Patrick's Hall 9:30am

Old Ducks...Women's Prayer and Scripture Group meet 10-11.30am in Paraparaumu. All welcome.

Phone Chris Todd 298 8984 or Lyn Jarden 905 2588.

Christian Meditation 4 - 5pm in Our Lady of Fatima meeting room. Ph Eleanor Hopping 904 2525.

WEDNESDAY 8 AUGUST

Not your usual Sunday Readings 1.30pm 23 Crown Hill, Paraparaumu. Ph Michele Ness 298 7378.

Life in the Spirit Seminar 7-9pm St Patrick's Hall. Please remember participants in your prayers. Contact: Lorraine Ph 905 2402 or lorgaff@gmail.com

THURSDAY 9 AUGUST

Music Jam: Music Jam for all those in Year 5 and up. If you can sing, play an instrument or just hum a tune, come and join us for Music Jam from 7-8pm in the Library at Our Lady of Kāpiti School.

Not your usual Sunday Readings Meetings 7.30pm 33 Rongomau Lane, Raumati Beach. Ph Josephine 974 0629

FRIDAY 10 AUGUST

Mass 9.30am St Patrick's Hall.

Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion 9.30am Our Lady of Fatima Church

Please Note: Exposition will not be held at St Patrick's Hall on Fridays in August while Fr Michael is away.

Fun Time Pre-School Music 10.30-11.30am in St Patrick's Hall, Our Lady of Kāpiti School. All pre-schoolers with their parents/caregivers welcome, \$2 donation.

SATURDAY 11 AUGUST

Men's Prayer Group 8.45am at the home of Howard Walker, 4 Stoneleigh Grove, Paraparaumu.

SUNDAY 12 AUGUST

Sacramental Programme - First Holy Communion

Third session for the First Holy Communion programme 9.45 – 10.45am in St Patrick's Hall and the Library at Our Lady of Kapiti School.

Our Lady of Kāpiti Building Fund Account : 02-0536-0170550-20

Psalm Response: Taste and see that the Lord is good.

PASTORAL NOTICES

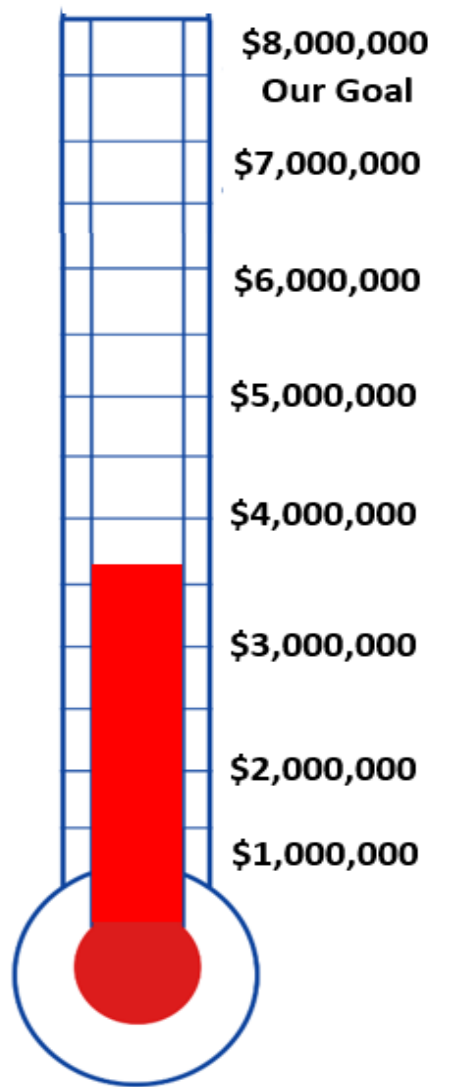
Prayer Focus: That as we plan and build our new parish church, we always remember that it will be the parish venue for the Eucharist for many years to come.

*Waikanae Women's Guild invites you to
'COME TO THE CABARET!!!!'*

Well it's as good as! Come and hear the Coasterettes sing and dance away our worries and fill us with amazement, amusement, inspiration and happiness! Monday 13 August 10am OLOF foyer. Take this opportunity to meet new people, reconnect with friends, enjoy morning tea and sales table! All welcome!



Our New Church and Parish Centre Balance at 1 August



Driver consideration

Please give every consideration to others when entering or exiting Our Lady of Fatima Church carpark, particularly at Mass times. We have been advised of a couple of 'near misses' so would ask that everyone take particular care as we know the line of sight with cars parked on both sides of the street is sometimes obstructed. Thank you.

Mass for those affected by Divorce or Separation

Thursday, 9 August 2018, 7pm at St Joseph's Church, Mt Victoria.
Cardinal John invites all those affected by divorce and separation to this special Mass. If you or someone you know has been affected by this, you are warmly invited to join us.
For more information please contact Felicity at the Family and Young Church office, (04) 496 1719. Hospitality to follow.

PLEDGES

Please keep your pledge forms coming in. To simplify their return you can put your form in an envelope marked PLEDGE and place it in the collection basket which is circulated during each Mass. **Every pledge is much appreciated.**

We offer our condolences and prayerful sympathy to:

Margaret Parker on the death of her husband Tony Parker whose funeral service was held on Wednesday. May he rest in the peace of Christ.

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

REMEMBERING THE HOLY SOULS - MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

Martin Williamson, Tony Parker, Leif Nilsson, Ron McElligott,
Constance McIlroy, Raewyn Widdison,
deceased members of the Old Ducks Group.



Readings for 6 - 12 August

Monday 6 August
Dan 7:9-10, 13-14 or 2 Pet 1:16-19; Mk 9:2-10
Tuesday 7 August
Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22; Mt 14:22-36
Wednesday 8 August
1 Kg 17:8-16; Col 3:12-17; Mt 6:25-34
Thursday 9 August
Jer 31:31-34; Mt 16:13-23
Friday 10 August
2 Cor 9:6-10; Jn 12:24-26
Saturday 11 August
Hab 1:12 - 2:4; Mt 17:14-20
(Alt Phil 3:8-14; Mt 19:27-29)
Sunday 12 August
1 Kg 19:4-8; Eph 4:30 - 5:2; Jn 6:41-51

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Our Lady of Fatima Church
29 Parata Street, Waikanae
Saturday Vigil Mass 5.30pm
Sunday Mass 10am

WEEKDAY TIMETABLE

Tues & Thurs: Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion 9.30am
Wednesday: Mass 9.30am
Friday: Mass 9.30am every 2nd Week
Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion on alternate Fridays.
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Friday 8.50am
Sacrament of Reconciliation follows Friday Mass

Parish Priest: Fr Michael McCabe
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St Patrick's Hall
Presentation Way,
off 20 Milne Drive, Paraparaumu
Sunday Mass 8.30am

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