Whāia te Tika the latest Justice and Peace Commission newsletter is now available https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/wp-content/uploads/2023/03/Combined-Final-March-27.pdf

MIHA MĀORI - MONTHLY MASSES IN TE REO MĀORI IN NORTHCOTE. AND OTARA

A monthly Miha Māori is held at the Hāto Petera Chapel, 103 College Road, Northcote. A monthly Miha Māori is also held at Whaiora Marae, 14 Ōtara Road, Ōtara. For more info, contact Manuel Beazley, Vicar for Māori via email: ManuelB@cda.org.nz Piki mai, hono mai, nau mai, haere mai.

90TH JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS ST MARY'S SCHOOL, NORTHCOTE. We are celebrating 90 years on 1 September, 2023. **To** register your interest email <u>jubilee@sms.school.nz</u> with your details or phone the school office on (09) 4184333 for more information.

St Joseph's Catholic Church Dannevirke Celebrating 125 years Jubilee weekend 14-15 October 2023, 32 Allardice Street, Dannevirke Special Jubilee Mass & luncheon Sat 14 October, followed by a special Mass Sun 15 October. To register interest email stjodvke@xtra.co.nz with details.



World Youth Day Auck-

land. Not all young people can get to Lisbon for World Youth Day 2023, but Sancta Maria College is more accessible. WYD Auckland is happening Sun 6 August, 2 – 8.30pm. Come together as diocesan young people to celebrate WYD with inspiring speakers, powerful worship, Mass, Dinner (Bishop Steve is paying), reconciliation and



adoration. Save the date and watch out for further details.

Bishop Steve and the Diocesan Pastoral Council met on 10 June.. See the newsletter summarising their meeting: https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/wp-content/uploads/2023/06/June2023-6.pdf It can be downloaded from the Pastoral Council section of the website.

USUAL MASS TIMETABLE

 Saturday
 5.30 pm (Vigil)

 Sunday
 9.30 am & 5.00 pm

Weekday Masses

Monday 9.15 am Tuesday 6.00 pm

Wednesday No Mass except for School

Masses & CWL Mass (4th Wed)

Friday 6pm + (2nd Fri: 7pm Tongan Mass) Saturday 9.00 am

Public Holidays: 9.00 am
Reconciliation

Saturday 9.30 -10 am & 5.00 - 5.25 pm (or by appt)

SUNDAY READINGS THIS WEEK

Psalm 89

1. 2 Kings 4:8-12, 14-16

2. Romans 6:3-4,8-11

Gospel Matthew 10:37-42

Next Week

Psalm 145

1. Zechariah 9:9-10

2. Romans 8:9, 11-13

Gospel Matthew 11:25-30

Welcome to St Joseph's CATHOLIC PARISH OF ORAKEI



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13th Sunday in Ordinary Time - 2 July 2023

Our Mission Statement: St Joseph's Parish is a community of disciples of Jesus, being of service to the world, for the greater glory of God.

Though Many We Are One

Recently I have been drawing attention to aspects of the Mass which highlight our unity or communion. They all occur in the Liturgy of the Eucharist, the part of the Mass starting after the Prayer of the Faithful.. After the bread and wine are prepared, we join together for the great Eucharistic Prayer, in which all of us, ordained and lay, offer our united praise and thanks to God, and join ourselves to the sacrifice of Christ. I have drawn attention to the traditional posture of standing for the Eucharistic Prayer to highlight the unity of our shared prayer.

Many elements in the Communion Rite Prayer together; exchanging the Sign of broken Eucharistic bread rather than sepall have received Communion, before Unity is also expressed in another less small piece of Eucharistic bread into the



also express our unity: praying the Lord's Peace; Communion sharing from the same arate round hosts; remaining standing till sitting or kneeling for our personal prayer. obvious gesture: the priest dropping the chalice during the Lamb of God.

This has its origins in the early Church when portions of the Eucharistic bread (called the *fermentum*) consecrated by the bishop during his Sunday Eucharist in Rome would be carried out to the outlying churches for their celebrations, and dropped into their chalices. Opinions vary as to the exact purpose of this practice, but essentially it highlighted the unity of the church communities with their bishop.

The church has kept the practice of adding the Eucharistic bread to the chalice, although these days it does not come from the bishop. You may still like to join me, at that moment, in recalling our unity not only with one another but with Bishop Steve and all our diocese.

Over many centuries, participation at Mass had become a very private, personal experience. Gestures and postures as outlined here are starting to help us appreciate that Eucharistic Communion means union not just with Christ but also with one another.

God bless you all.

Fr Pat

"Ad Majorem Dei Gloriam"

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Every Wednesday afternoon 4.30—5.30pm.



Christian Care Network

Please contact our helpline for assistance: 09 521 5712. All calls confidential. Or St Vincent de Paul 0800 22 22 96. To help CCN, you can donate non-perishable goods at church: Food items Needed Currently:



2 Minute Maggi Noodles Flour 500 ml Cooking Oil

*** Canned Vegetables
or donate via the CCN bank a/c. The

CCN foodbank account number is:12-3047-0089077-01 (your name in the subject line). After donating, email: priestleyfam@xtra.co.nz with your name; Maxine Priestley will issue a tax receipt.

Pastoral Care

Anointing of the Sick: for those seriously sick, frail, having surgery or near death. Please contact Fr Pat Hospital Visits and Chaplaincy: In hospital? contact Fr Pat or ask the hospital staff to let the chaplain know. Ministry to the Sick and Infirm requesting Communion at home call 521 0871 or email patrickb@xtra.co.nz

Family/Whanau are the 1st Educators in Faith. go to https://www.faithjourney.co.nz

Contemplative Retreat- Want to deepen your faith? Join us for an introduction to Christian meditation | Sat 12 Aug 10am-4pm | Earlybird (before 31 Jul) \$65| Standard (after 31 Jul) \$85 | Info/dates and to book ph 6256651 or visit www.stfrancisretreatcentre.org.nz

Book of Ruth Retreat - Join us for a study and reflection on the Book of Ruth by Dr Alice Sinnott RSM | Fri 21 Jul 7pm - Sat 22 Jul 7pm | Overnight \$150pp | Sat only \$95 pp Info/dates and to book ph 6256651 or visit www.stfrancisretreatcentre.org.nz

PLEASE NOTE: Tax receipts for 2022-23 available in the foyer.

Practical Support Contacts

Women's Refuge 0800 REFUGE Pregnancy Help 09 373 2599 0508 744 633 Shine Alcohol & Drug Helpline 0800 787 797 Oranga Tamariki call centre 0508 FAMILY CADS 09 845 1818 0800628 632 **Narcotics Anonymous** Alcoholics Anonymous 0800 229 6757 Lifeline / Depression Helpline 0800 543 354 Youthline 0800 376 633 0800 726 666 Samaritans Suicide Prevention Helpline 0508 828 88 65 **Fairway Mediation Services** 0800 77 44 20 Linkpeople (Homeless) 0800 932 432 Kidsline / What's Up? 0800 942 8787 Need to Talk? Call/text 1737 Victim Support 0800 842 846 Rainbow Youth 09 376 4155 Safe to Talk 0800 044 334 **Better Blokes** 09 378 6812 Rape Crisis Centre 0800 88 33 00

* Assistance with Food

In addition to the Christian Care Network :

Vinnies Auckland, Onehunga: 815 6122
or 0800 680 090

Work and Income: 0800 559 00

175 Campaign – reflecting on our past by supporting those in need!

As we reflect on Anniversary, Steve's 175 the Caring By donating

the diocese's 175th please join Bishop campaign through Foundation.

By donating \$175 as a parish, a family, a group of friends, or individually, you will support families and people in need in our diocese. To donate, please pick up a donation card from your parish foyer or visit

www.caringfoundation.org.nz to donate online or to find out other ways to donate.

St Joseph's School, Orakei is taking enrolments. . Enquiries welcome. Ph 09 521 0866 or email principal@sjorakei.school.nz

6-Day Silent Retreat Sept 17-23 An individually guided retreat Mary Mackillop Centre, 56 Selwyn Avenue, Mission Bay, Auckland; Led by Ignatian Spirituality NZ spiritual directors. For info and application email: info@ignatianspirituality.nz Website: www.ignatianspirituality.nz

National Office for Professional Standards

(NOPS) deals with complaints concerning Church personnel. For more information ph 0800 114 622 or email prof.standards@nzcbc.org.org.nz or go to: https://safeguarding.catholic.org.nz/

Te Rōpū Tautoko coordinates Catholic responses to the Commission on Abuse in Care. Find out more at www.tautoko.catholic.org.nz

St Joseph's Parish Planned Giving

We encourage parishioners and regular worshippers to support our Planned Giving, & help our parish budgeting. If you wish to make a one-off donation, our parish account name is RC Bishop of Auckland Parish Account Orakei & our account number is 02 0100 0120974 22. Please indicate your name as donor. To arrange a direct debit to the parish, just contact stjosephsorakei@xtra.co.nz

As required under Auckland Diocesan Norms, all donations are split 33% for the support of Clergy/Bishop and 67% for Parish/Diocese activities unless donors instruct otherwise.

The NZ Catholic newspaper is no longer available in the church foyer. If you wish to subscribe to NZ Catholic, please email admin@nzcatholic.org.nz One year's subscription is \$73, 2 years' is \$135.

Titipounamu Study & Joy

Mary in the Scriptures Kieran Fenn fms. Mon 19/26 June & 03/10 July, 7-8.30pm. ZOOM. Free. Donation/Koha welcome. (For info www.studyjoy.nz)

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE DUES, FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE Help for families to pay Attendance Dues for preference students at Auck Catholic schools. For info contact school office, parish priest or ACFL Operations Manager 360-3069 Appl forms available from school or parish, or from website: https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/catholic-schools-2/

Interested in becoming Catholic?

Fr Pat would like to hear from anyone who is not Catholic and may be interested in the Catholic faith. We will soon be starting sessions for people to come together to learn about the Catholic faith Please contact Fr Pat at patrickb@xtra.co.nz

PLEASE JOIN US FOR A CUPPA AFTER OUR 9.30 AM MASS TODAY.. EVERYONE WELCOME!

Auckland Diocese Mission Map

ur Mission Map, our diocesan strategic plan, calls us to take the opportunities to be moulded by God to:

- *** strengthen our Catholic communities for missionary discipleship;
- *** build up the spirituality of our young people,
- *** care for the poor.

Strengthen our Catholic Communities for Missionary Discipleship - Our goals:

- to grow and develop servant leaders
- to be strong, inclusive communities of missionary disciples;

Build up the Spirituality of Young People - Our goals:

- to make schools and parishes visible and active as one faith community
- strengthen families;

Care for the Poor - Our goals:

- to be visible, present and active working for the poor
- advocate for peace and justice
- develop and enable people who care.

Safeguarding in the Church Our diocese offers guidance on safeguarding practices/policies. All parishioners/volunteers need to keep up to date to ensure safety. https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/services/safeguarding/ Visit regularly.

ALONE AGAIN? A weekend away to help those suffering the heartache of Separation, Divorce, or Widowhood, 25-27 August. The Beginning Experience is a non-profit organization providing support for the grieving single again, offering an opportunity to turn the pain of loss into an experience of positive growth. The cost for 2 nights' accommodation, meals, materials and follow up event is \$350 with EARLY BIRD cost \$325 if paid by 26 JULY. For further information please phone Lynda 0274898003 or (09)4789742 or Kelly evenings 0276864416. www.beginningexperience.org.nz

Call for Volunteers to Train Altar Servers

We would like to reintroduce altar servers to assist Fr Pat during the Mass. Several children have raised their hands to take on this responsibility, however we need volunteers to train these young assistants. Fr Pat will train the volunteers who will take on the responsibility for training the altar servers. If you would like to be considered for this role, and would like to know more, please reach out to one of your Parish Pastoral Council members or email ppcsjo@gmail.com

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