



## Parish of Our Lady of Kāpiti

*Te Whaea Tapu o Kāpiti*

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**17th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B - 29 July 2018**

**Readings: 2 Kg 4:42-44; Eph 4:1-6; Jn 6:1-15**

**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,**

On Thursday evening members of the Steering Group met with Cardinal John and his Board of Administration seeking consent to go to detailed design for our new Church and Parish Centre. The meeting was very positive and we were very aware of the prayerful support of the Parish as we met. We hope to give further updates at the end of our Masses this weekend. Suffice to say we owe a huge debt of gratitude to all who serve the Parish and School in the various leadership groups.

Today's Gospel from John 6 begins the Bread of Life discourse - a Gospel we follow for the next six weeks. The miracle of the feeding of the 5000 is the miracle of sharing, not the miracle of magic. For all the ways you share your gifts for the greater good I express my deepest gratitude.

Blessings on the children beginning their First Communion programme today. I shall be away from the Parish for annual leave from Sunday afternoon. Welcome to Father Julian Wagg who will be assisting in ministry while I am away.

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

### PASTORAL AREA ACTIVITIES

#### **SUNDAY 29 JULY**

**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.

#### **MONDAY 30 JULY**

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

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

#### **TUESDAY 31 JULY**

**Mass 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.

**Parish Council Meeting 5.30pm** Meeting Room Our Lady of Fatima Church, Waikanae, for one hour. An opportunity for us to get a plan in place for all that is happening in our Parish.

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

#### **WEDNESDAY 1 AUGUST**

**St Joseph's Prayer Group** will meet by the Statue after 9.30am Mass.

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

#### **THURSDAY 2 AUGUST**

Ecumenical Service Waikanae Lodge 11am. Contact Catherine 293 2978.

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

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

#### **FRIDAY 3 AUGUST**

**Mass** 9.30am Our Lady of Fatima Church

***Sacrament of Reconciliation follows Mass.***

**Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion** 9.30am St Patrick's Hall.

***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.

**J-Team:** Youth group for those in years 5, 6 and 7 at any Kāpiti coast school. 3.30-5.00pm in St Patrick's Hall at Our Lady of Kāpiti School. Starting with afternoon tea, all welcome. \$2 donation.

**Gravitate:** Youth group for those in year 8 and college age youth. 5.30 - 7.30pm in the Library at Our Lady of Kāpiti School, pizza for dinner - \$2 all welcome.

#### **SUNDAY 5 AUGUST**

**Sacramental Programme - First Holy Communion**

**The second session for the First Holy Communion**

**programme for candidates and parents** will be held on 5 August at 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: You open your hand to feed us, Lord; you satisfy all our needs***

## PASTORAL NOTICES

### Prayer Focus:

This week's readings focus on unity and on sharing our resources. May we, as a parish, be united in sharing our resources in building a parish church that will serve Catholics on the Kapiti Coast for many generations.

### SAVE THE DATE for ALL - 26th to 28th OCTOBER A massive weekend of celebration

**Friday 26th** A dinner at Southwards - dinner, auction, music & entertainment.  
**Saturday 27th** A gala at Our Lady of Kapiti School, profits split equally between the school and building fund.

**Helpers, goods and volunteers needed at every level.**

**Sunday 28th** Outdoor Mass @ Our Lady of Kapiti School  
All inquiries re the events, goods & volunteers:  
**Bob Houston:** [bobhouston@extra.co.nz](mailto:bobhouston@extra.co.nz) or 0274 898017

### Sunday 5 August 2pm Our Lady of Fatima Church Foyer

To all of those people who would like to make a contribution to the events (Dinner/ Gala /Outdoor Mass) of 26th to 28th October; could we please have a 1 hour get together in the Foyer, of Our Lady of Fatima Church, Waikanae.  
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@extra.co.nz](mailto:bobhouston@extra.co.nz)

### Dove Kapiti - Next Meeting Tuesday 14 August 2018

Guest Speaker: Fr John Rea. Theme: 'Forgiveness has never been so easy'.  
All women warmly welcome. Contact June Brunton 298 6266.

*'As evening falls, Jesus is concerned about feeding all those tired and hungry people, and looks after those who follow him. He wants his disciples to be involved in this. Indeed he says to them: "you give them something to eat". He shows them that the few loaves and fish that they have, by the power of faith and of prayer, can be shared with all of those people....The Lord meets the needs of humankind, but wants to render each one of us a concrete participant in his compassion.'* ..... Pope Francis, [General Audience August 2016](#)

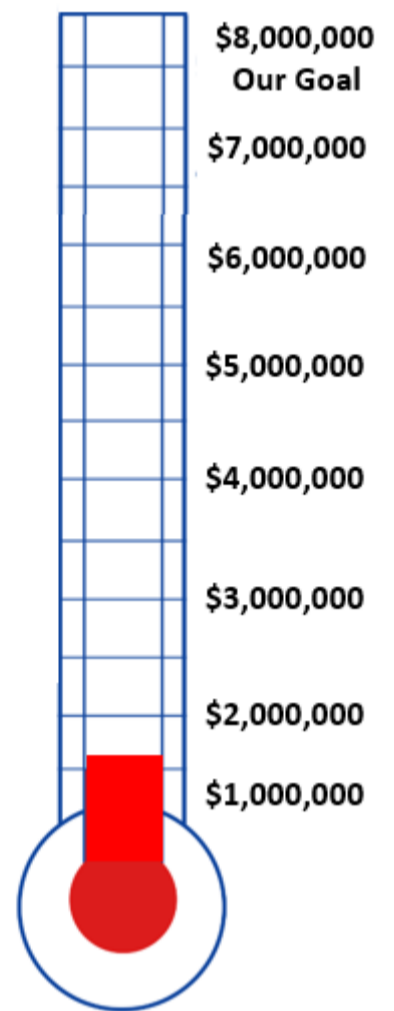
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### REMEMBERING THE HOLY SOULS - MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

Ron McElligott, Fred Plimmer, Marie Sparkes-Jackman, Lewis Mitchell,  
Gerald Smith, Helen Beckman, Bernie Portenski.

### Starting balance for Our New Church and Parish Centre



### Readings for 30 July - 5 August

**Monday 30 July**  
Jer 13:1-11; Mt 13:31-35  
**Tuesday 31 July**  
Jer 14:17-22; Mt 13:36-43  
(Alt 1 Cor 10:31 - 11:1; Lk 14:25-33)  
**Wednesday 1 August**  
Jer 15:10, 16-21; Mt 13:44-46  
(Alt Rom 8:1-4; Mt 5:13-19)  
**Thursday 2 August**  
Jer 18:1-6; Mt 13:47-53  
**Friday 3 August** - Jer 26:1-9; Mt 13:54-58  
(Alt 1 Cor 2:1-10; Lk 9:57-62)  
**Saturday 28 July** -26:11-16, 24; Mt 14:1-12  
(Alt Ezek 3:16-21; Mt 9:35-10:1)  
**Sunday 29 July**  
Ex 16:2-4, 12-15; Eph 4:17, 20-24; Jn 6:24-35



**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*

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**St Patrick's Hall**  
**Presentation Way,**  
**off 20 Milne Drive, Paraparaumu**  
**Sunday Mass 8.30am**

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*month of August*  
**Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion**  
**on alternate Fridays.**

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