



Parish of Our Lady of Kāpiti

Te Whaea Tapu o Kāpiti

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21st Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B - 26 August 2018

Readings: Joshua 24:1-2, 15-18; Eph 5:21-32; Jn 6:60-69

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,

This weekend, 13 children and their families from our parish celebrate their First Communion at this table of Eucharist.

Recently our local Barangay S Maria Assumpta hosted a wonderful Fiesta as a fundraiser for our parish. Over 100 of us gathered at long tables to share Filipino food, song & dance. This is living Eucharist in daily life.

Antonio Cacace of La Bella Italia in Petone spoke recently of the significance of the table: "It must be in the kitchen, where everything happens. The table is the centre of family gatherings. It is a means of communication... a symbol of community and of unity. Sharing food means sharing love, life, the experiences of the day. It is a moment to ask and receive."

Who do we welcome at our tables? What happens around our tables? We receive Communion at our parish table and become the presence of Christ in the world.

God bless, Anne Powell, Cenacle Sisters

PASTORAL AREA ACTIVITIES

SUNDAY 26 AUGUST

First Holy Communion for 13 of our young parishioners

10am at Our Lady of Fatima Church, Waikanae. Please pray for them as they take this important step in their faith journey. Parishioners are welcome to join the children and their families for a special morning tea afterwards.

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 27 AUGUST

St Vincent de Paul Society 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 28 AUGUST

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 29 AUGUST

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

THURSDAY 30 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 7.30pm at 43 Watford Dr, Kapiti Village. Ph Ishbel Cunniffe on 298 9999.

FRIDAY 31 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.

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 1 SEPTEMBER

Men's Breakfast Ocean Rd Community Centre, P'ram Beach, 8 for 8:15am. Speaker is Fr Michael "My Faith Journey". Admission by ticket available after Masses this weekend, with a koha at the door.

SUNDAY 3 SEPTEMBER

Karoake Competition Evening (fundraiser for our new church) Senior Citizens Community Centre, Ocean Road, Paraparaumu. Come along for a fun evening. \$25 per ticket (comes with a Sunday roast!). Contact Bridget 027 316 5641.

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: Jesus has the words of eternal life. We pray that our generation and the generations to come may gather to hear and share these words in our new parish church.



Celebration Dinner

Venue: Southwards Function Centre

Date: Friday October 26.

A time to celebrate our achievements, on our way to a New Church and Parish Centre.

It will be a brilliant night of fun, food, live music and entertainment by the Improvisors.

Tickets have not even been printed yet, but if you want to be there, get a group together (tables of 10) and let Bob know that you are coming, as more than half of the tickets are already gone.

Tickets: \$100 per head or \$900 per table of 10

Inquiries: bobhouston@xtra.co.nz or 0274 898017

"ROAD TO THE HOLYLANDS"

Information Evening

7pm Wednesday, 5 September

Father Michael McCabe and Bill Kwan, the host of the Travelbug Show on Newstalk ZB, and owner of helloworld Porirua, are taking a tour to the Holylands (Israel, Jordan and the West Bank) in May 2019.

The Highlights of the tour are too numerous to name but include the Ancient city of Petra, Jerusalem, Bethlehem, Nazareth, Crusader Castles, and Mountain top fortresses. Almost everywhere we go will have a historical and/or a religious significance!

If you would like to learn more about the tour and to meet your tour escorts, Father Michael and Bill, then we invite you to a free information evening in "Our Lady of Fatima" foyer, 29 Parata St, Waikanae at 7pm.

Please RSVP to Bill Kwan on 04 2374409, email:

bill.kwan@helloworld.co.nz or the parish

office on 04 9025815 or email: kapitiparishoffice@gmail.com

Church Cleaning

We have had two responses to our request for more volunteers for cleaning (dusting vacuuming) our church and foyer for which our sincere thanks. But we have only one man. Would anyone like to join him? Please contact the Parish Office.

Advance Notice

Dove Kāpiti – Meeting 11 September St Patrick's Hall

Guest Speaker: Mary Ebyarimpa, a well-known Spiritual Director and inspirational speaker.

Theme: Forgiveness



We offer our condolences and prayerful sympathy to the families of:

Ngaire Brinkman James McLellan Robert Inwood Martin Barry

All of whom died this week. May they 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



James McLellan, Robert Inwood, Martin Barry, Ngaire Brinkman, Kraft D'Souza, Philomena Leone, Faye Mulhern, Justin du Fresne, Glenise Harrington, Arturo Del Rosario, Mns Tom Duffy, Tony Kelly, Richard Powell, Sr John Bosco.

Readings for 27 Aug - 2 Sept

Monday 27 August

2 Thess 1:1-5, 11-12; Mt 23:13-22
(Alt Sirach 26:1-4, 13-16; Lk 7:11-17)

Tuesday 28 August

2 Thess 2:1-3, 14-17; Mt 23:123-26
(Alt 1 Jn 4:7-16; Mt 23:8-12)

Wednesday 29 August

(Jer 1:17-19); Mk 6:17-29

Thursday 30 August

1 Cor 1:1-9; Mt 24:42-51

Friday 31 August

1 Cor 1:17-25; Mt 25:1-13

Saturday 1 September

1 Cor 1:26-31; Mt 25:14-30

Sunday 2 September

Deut 4:1-2, 6-8; James 1:17-18, 21-22, 27;
Mk 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23



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
Ph (04) 902 5815

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St Patrick's Hall

Presentation Way,

off 20 Milne Drive, Paraparaumu

Sunday Mass 8.30am

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Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will not be held for
month of August

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