

The following deaths and Anniversaries are about this time

22 Ron Holyoake

(brother in law of

Dorothy Hodson)

24 Eileen Bean

25 Josephine Mary Oppelt

(mother of Elizabeth Van Gessel)

26 Mary Van Lieshout

29 Chrysanthé Wenzlick

3 Gerard Vianney Adams (husband of Colleen)

4 Daniel Patrick Colgan

5 Vivianne Mary McDonald

May God Grant them Eternal Rest

Saints of the week, cycle C

Monday, 23rd of Jun:- Saint Joseph Cafasso, Priest

Tuesday, 24th of Jun:- Birthday of Saint John the Baptist

Wednesday, 25th of Jun:- Saint Prosper of Reggio, Bishop

Thursday, 26th of Jun:- Saint Vigilus, Bishop and Martyr

Friday, 27th of Jun:- Saint Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

Saturday, 28th of Jun:- Saint Irenaeus of Lyons, Bishop and Martyr

Sunday, 29th of Jun:- Saint Peter and Saint Paul, the Apostles

OneLicense exciting Update. Are you struggling to have musicians to play at each Mass? OneLicense has launched a new Recorded Audio License. With this add-on you can legally play master recordings and self-produced recordings in worship services, embed them into slides, and more! For more information please see <https://www.onelicense.net/how-it-works#recorded-audio> If you wish to add one on to your current license, please email your Auckland Diocese Group Manager Tina Coll on tinac@cda.org.nz

Are you a catechist or volunteer in your parish?

All catechists, volunteers, and those who serve in their parish are welcomed to share in a day of refreshing with Dianna Fouhy and Den Steve Fraser as your retreat hosts. Two retreats to choose from. One for parishes North of the bridge and one for parishes south of the bridge. \$25.00 per person. 10am to 3:30pm Details and registration for Southern region **July 5 @ 10:00am - 3:30pm** <https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/event-1/be-refreshed-1-day-retreat-south/>

Engaged / Planning a wedding? Catholic Diocese of Auckland – Approved Marriage Preparation Course

Book your Marriage Preparation Course early 1 year for NZ and 18months for overseas weddings. Register & Book here: <https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/discipleship/our-courses/> For more information contact: Gerry at gerrys@cda.org.nz M: 021 02247442

Welcome to St. Andrew's Catholic Church

*The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, 22nd
June, 2025*



Introduction:

Communion in Christ

In the Eucharist we obey Jesus' command to eat and drink in his memory. He has left us a permanent and effective memorial of his death and resurrection—the sacrament of his sacrifice on Calvary, the food and drink for our journey to eternal life.

Readings from Sacred Scripture:

First Reading: Genesis 14:18-20

Melchizedek, king of Salem, blessed Abram.

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 110:1-4

R/. You are a priest for ever, a priest like Melchizedek of old.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 11:23-26

As often as you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the death of the Lord until he comes.

Gospel Acclamation:- John 6: 51 Alleluia, Alleluia! *I am the living bread which has come down from heaven, says the Lord. Anyone who eats this bread will live for ever. Alleluia!*

Gospel Reading: Luke 9:11b-17

They all ate and were satisfied.

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Mass Times:

Saturday Vigil, 5:00 pm

Wed & Fri, 11:00 am

Reconciliation:

Saturday: 4:00 to 4:45 pm

or by appointment

Anointing of the sick:

First Friday, during Mass at
11:00 am

CATHOLIC NEWS IN YOUR INBOX: What's happening in the Catholic Church in New Zealand? What is Pope Leo doing and saying? What are the big stories affecting people of faith in our country? Get Catholic headlines delivered to your inbox each Tuesday and Friday. Sign up today at: <https://cathnewsnz.com/>

World Youth Day Auckland 2025: Signs of Hope | Saturday 2nd August 10am – 8:30pm Calling all young people aged 13–35 (and their awesome youth leaders)! Join over 1,500 young Catholics at Victory Convention Centre for World Youth Day Auckland 2025 - a massive, joy-filled day of faith, community, and HOPE. Get ready for dynamic speakers, uplifting praise and worship, powerful prayer experiences, delicious (free) kai, Mass with Bishop Steve Lowe, and a huge celebration of our Catholic faith. Follow the link for more details and to register: <https://events.humanitix.com/wydak25>

Scripture note :-

Today, the second Sunday after Pentecost, we celebrate a second solemnity, which marks our return to Ordinary Time. Today is the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ. At one time, this day was called Corpus Christi, Latin for “the Body of Christ.” In the most recent revision of the liturgy, the name for this day is expanded to be a more complete reflection of our Eucharistic theology.

The feeding of the 5,000 is the only one of Jesus' miracles to appear in all four Gospels. Luke places it between Herod's question, “Who is this about whom I hear such things?” and Peter's response to Jesus' question about who he thought Jesus was: “You are the Messiah of God.” In Luke the feeding is not the result of Jesus' compassion for the crowd but is instigated by the disciples. They wanted Jesus to send the crowd away to town. Instead Jesus tells the disciples to give them some food on their own.

The passage is meant to remind us of two feedings in the Old Testament: the feeding of the Israelites in the desert and Elisha's feeding of 100 people with 20 loaves in 2 Kings 4:42-44. It is also connected to the institution of the Eucharist. As in the Last Supper accounts in Matthew, Mark, and Luke and in Paul's account in 1 Corinthians 11:23-24, Jesus takes bread, looks up to heaven, blesses the bread, breaks it, and then gives it to the disciples. In using this exact language, Luke is reminding his readers that in this miracle Jesus is doing more than feeding hungry people as God did for the Israelites and the prophet Elisha did as well. The bread he gives is his body, which he will continue to give as often as the community breaks bread in remembrance of him in the Eucharist.

St Marys College Auckland 175th Jubilee Celebrations. Labour Weekend (Friday 24th - Sunday 26th October) 2025 marks 175 years since the Sisters of Mercy arrived in NZ and founded St Mary's College. Past pupils, teachers and friends are invited to a weekend of celebrations, including a cocktail function, school tours and displays, and a family picnic and Mass at the school. On Saturday 25th October, the Gala Jubilee Dinner will be held at the RNZ Yacht Squadron. For more information about the Jubilee events please contact pastpupilsstmarys@gmail.com

Masterclass | 3:00pm 28 June 2025 Join us for Masterclass, our quarterly event designed to equip, empower, and energize you for ministry. Whether you're a seasoned leader or just starting out, Masterclass offers practical tools, spiritual nourishment, and a supportive community to help you thrive in your ministry. And did we mention plenty of time to connect with other young leaders while enjoying a free barista coffee on us?! As always, Masterclass will feature two relevant workshops led by experienced guest speakers: Workshop presenters and topics to be announced soon! After the workshops, enjoy a delicious free dinner, followed by an evening of worship and adoration. This is a perfect event to build relationships, share experiences, and be spiritually re-filled for ministry. Note: Due to limited space, workshop spots will fill up quickly. Be sure to register early! Free parking available. For more info and to register follow the link: <https://events.humanitix.com/masterclass-25>

Te Ara o te Tūmanako - The Way of Hope - 29th September 2025 to 19th October 2025 Every 25 years the Church proclaims a Holy Year, a special gift of grace and mercy for all God's people. The theme for Jubilee 2025 is “Pilgrims of Hope.” On the way we will meet pilgrims of the past, who we now know as saints, but were once pilgrims of the past who have influenced our local and the universal Church and who will inspire us in hope as journey to the Holy Door in St Peter's Basilica in Rome. For further information and bookings please contact Harvest Journeys NZ Call free 0800 819 156 - harvestjourneys.com/pv2566 or info@harvestjourneys.com

Scripture Readings for Saint Peter and Saint Paul, 29th June, Cycle C

Theme:- Apostles Mass

First Reading: Acts of the Apostles 12:1-11

Now I know it is indeed true: the Lord has saved me from the power of Herod.

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 33: 2-9

R/. From all my terrors the Lord set me free.

Second Reading: 2 Timothy 4:6-8,17-18

All that remains now is the crown of righteousness.

Gospel Acclamation:- Matthew 16.18

Alleluia, Alleluia! You are Peter and on this rock I will build my church. And the gates of the underworld can never hold out against it. Alleluia!

Gospel Reading: Matthew 16:13-19

You are Peter; and I will give you the keys of the Kingdom of heaven.

Please email items for the newsletter or Memorial book to nimmibaksu@gmail.com or text to 0274308557 – Nimmi Abraham

“Te Kupenga Catholic Theological

College is having its third webinar this year titled “Pastoral Ministry among Māori and Pasifika in the Third Millennium” with Rev Hemi Ropata, a deacon from the Society of Mary who is currently in Rome completing the final stages of his formation before his ordination to priesthood this year. This webinar is on Wednesday, **25 June 5:00-6:00pm** via Zoom. To register, go to www.tekupenga.ac.nz/webinar2025

Hope and Renewal Summit - RACE Awapuni, 67 Racecourse Road, **Palmerston North**, In this Jubilee Year of Hope, the Summit calls parish leaders, clergy, and volunteers to dream boldly and step confidently into a future where parishes thrive in mission and discipleship. This 3-day gathering will equip you with practical tools, Spirit-led inspiration, and a renewed vision for lasting parish renewal. In partnership with Divine Renovation and the Diocese of Palmerston North, the summit builds on New Zealand's growing renewal movement—now is the time to fan the flame into a nationwide transformation. **October 2 - Clergy Only Day:** A day of spiritual renewal and leadership formation for priests. **October 3- 4 - Open** to everyone Inspiring keynotes from renewal leaders Hands-on workshops Spirit-led prayer. From small rural parishes to large urban communities, this summit offers the vision, tools, and encouragement to embrace mission, inspire hope, and transform parish culture. The time is now. The call is clear. Are you ready to set your parish on fire for mission? Please visit the following link for details and registration: [Home - Hope and Renewal Summit | Parish Renewal Conference](#)

MUSIC DIRECTOR required for the St Patrick & St Joseph Cathedral

Are you passionate about sacred music and building vibrant, faith-filled communities through music? St Patrick and St Joseph's Cathedral – is looking for a **dynamic and visionary Music Director** to help grow and shape our music ministry. This is a unique opportunity to work with our talented cantors & organists, choirs, and music groups. Whether your background is in choral direction, liturgical music, or music coordination and leadership, we want to hear from you! For more information or to have a friendly, informal conversation about the role, please contact Fr Craig: frcraig@stpatricks.org.nz. Deadline for applications - **Friday 11th July**.

SAINT TERESA'S SCHOOL BLUFF is to celebrate 125 years Jubilee. **Saturday 25th and Sunday 26th October 2025**. We would love to see you and do let your friends / relations know. Enquiries to Sonz125@hotmail.com

Billings LIFE NZ - Billings Ovulation Method Seminar - Natural Fertility Management Auckland 12 & 13th July 2025. For further details phone 0800 693 378, email: info@billingslife.org.nz or visit: <https://www.billingslife.org.nz/>. Please find attached some material that has been provided by the team at Billings LIFE NZ.