

# Parish of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart



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## 5<sup>th</sup> June 2022 – Pentecost – Year C

### **Mass Timetable**

Monday: No Mass or Liturgy of the Word  
Tuesday- Thursday: 8am Mass  
Friday: 11am Adoration followed by 12.05pm Mass  
Saturday: 9am Mass  
Sunday Vigil Mass – Saturday: 5.30pm  
Sunday: 9am  
  
Sacrament of Reconciliation: Sat. 4.45-5.15pm

### **World Environment Day - Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> June**

Ways to be involved:

**Let us pray Pope Francis' "Prayer for the Earth":** All-powerful God, you are present in the whole universe and in the smallest of your creatures. You embrace with your tenderness all that exists. Pour out upon us the power of your love, that we may protect life and beauty. Fill us with peace, that we may live as brothers and sisters, harming no one.

**Let us celebrate nature:** Take the time to marvel at her beauty. Visit a local park, beach, or volcanic cone - try a new path or cycle way or just rejoice over nature for her beauty and for all she provides us with.

**Let us consider what we can do practically to live a sustainable lifestyle and this way protect our "One Earth":** Maybe check out JPC "23 green tips" here:

<https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/wp-content/uploads/2020/05/23-Green-tips-Small-Steps-Towards-a-Sustainable-Life.pdf>

### **NZ Catholic**



NZ Catholic for sale in church foyers again. Price \$4 (unchanged for 8 years). Some headlines for this issue: Bishop Michael Gielen appointed as Bishop of Christchurch. Catholic reaction to the Budget. Women who shook up philosophy at Oxford. Te Aroha parishioner knitted 3000 slippers. Please make sure the money (\$4) is handed to Fr Rob or into the Parish office. *Thank you.*

### **Our Parish – The Week Ahead**

Mon. 6<sup>th</sup> June 6.30pm Legion of Mary meet in the church foyer. New members welcome.  
Mon. 6<sup>th</sup> June 7.30-8.15pm Christian Meditation at the Mercy Centre. All welcome.  
Thu. 9<sup>th</sup> June 1.30-2.15pm Christian Meditation at the Mercy Centre. All welcome.

### **Planned Giving**

Please remember to take home your set of planned giving envelopes. They are available for collection from the church foyer. Donations can also be made via online banking. Details of our parish account below for reference. Moving forward, if you would prefer to change your way of doing planned giving from envelopes to automatic payments, please contact Chatty in the parish office to arrange this.

**Account Name:** RC Bishop of Auckland Parish Account Epsom

**Account Number:** 02-0100-0120958-22

**Reference:** Planned Giving <Your Name> <Planned giving number if known>

### **Legion of Mary Centenary**

Saturday, 18<sup>th</sup> June, 8.15am to 4.30pm. Centenary Mass - 11:15am at St. Michael's Parish, 6 Beatrice Road, Remuera. Inspirational talk series | Religious items | Food at St. Mary Mackillop Parish Hall. All Welcome.

### **Our Lady of the Sacred Heart School Learning Assistant position available**

We have received funding to cover a new learning assistant for a student with high health needs. This position is for 3 hours a day, until the end of this year. If you are interested, please get in touch with the school office. Alternatively, if you know of anybody who may be interested, please ask them to contact the office. 09 638 6200

### **Kids Korner:**

<https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/wp-content/uploads/2022/06/EIGHTH-SUNDAY-of-EASTER.pdf>

### **Parent Ponderings:**

<https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/wp-content/uploads/2022/06/The-Story-of-Kyle.pdf>

## Notices from *Titipounamu Study & Joy*

### Online Sessions (Evening):

**St Paul – The first Missionary** with Kieran Fenn fms. Mondays, 13 -27 June, 7-8.30pm. ZOOM. All sessions are connected but also stand alone. \$25/session or \$50/series.  
<https://www.studyjoy.nz/events/st-paul-meet-the-first-missionary-7/>

For more information and registration: [www.studyjoy.nz](http://www.studyjoy.nz)

### Social Justice Retreat

9am-4pm Sat 18 June with Fr Merv Duffy on the Gospel of Luke. St Francis Retreat Centre 20 Hillsborough Rd. \$20 (including lunch). A few places still available. Please contact: Peter Garrick [peterg@cda.org.nz](mailto:peterg@cda.org.nz) or phone 022 1300 730.

**Synod update** | We are in the final stages of the diocesan phase of the Synod on Synodality. Saturday 14 May was the pre-synod meeting where people from across the diocese gathered to listen to what has been heard so far and continue to feedback to the synthesis process. To learn more and find updates regarding where we are at <https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/synod/>

**G.I.F.T. Pentecost Mass CANCELLED** due to covid issues. We are very sorry and hope to see you all in person soon.

**The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity for 2022** runs from 30 May – 5 June. Please join with us to celebrate together at this year's Ecumenical Prayer Service on Sunday 12th June 2022, 6:30PM |15 Culperry Road |Glendene | Host: St Peter's Syrian Orthodox Church. Refreshments after service. Email [pastoraloffice@cda.org.nz](mailto:pastoraloffice@cda.org.nz) for further details.

### Alpha for couples – Marriage & Family Life

Tuesday August 2nd – Tuesday 11th Oct 2022. Closing date for Registrations is 1st July 2022. Marriage & Family Life would like to personally invite **dating, engaged and married couples** to a very special Alpha course online via zoom. This is the regular Alpha course with a focus on sharing our faith or non-faith with our romantic other. Numbers are limited so please register quickly at [www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz](http://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz) click on "Missionary Discipleship" and then **hover over "Marriage & Family"** and "our courses" and then **click on "Alpha for Couples"** this will take you to the online registration form. Alternatively, you can go straight to [https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/alpha\\_couples/](https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/alpha_couples/). Please register as a couple. We look forward to meeting you all online! For more information please email [marriageandfamily@cda.org.nz](mailto:marriageandfamily@cda.org.nz)

### Liturgy and Ministry Coordinator

The Diocese is seeking a Liturgy and Ministry Coordinator to ensure that Diocese's commitment to the vision and spirit of Vatican II is upheld. This is a full-time role which involves co-ordinating the work of the Liturgy team, developing strategies to promote liturgical resources and expertise available to the Diocese, providing formation, training, advice, and guidance in all aspects of the Liturgy in the diocese (including creating resources and presenting workshops), and editing the quarterly Liturgy magazine. Applicants must have experience of parish liturgical ministry and an understanding of the principles of the liturgy of the Catholic Church along with a relevant Theological degree and be willing to work flexible hours including evenings and weekends.

## Parish Secretary Vacancy - Glen Eden Parish

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish is looking for a new parish secretary. The role involves general administrative tasks, managing invoices and reporting processes. Applicants must be able to handle updating and maintenance of our website and be proficient in MYOB. This is a part-time role between 25-30 hours per week. Please submit your CV and covering letter outlining your interest in this role to [Darinjohnston710@gmail.com](mailto:Darinjohnston710@gmail.com).

## Pastoral Worker to the Auckland Deaf Community

The Diocese is seeking a Pastoral Worker to the Auckland Catholic Deaf Community for 32 hours per week. This role will have responsibility for pastoral care and support for deaf, hearing impaired and their families. Applicants must have fluency in New Zealand Sign Language, be a practicing Catholic with sound knowledge of the Catholic faith, experience of working in both Deaf and Hearing workplace environments, the ability to communicate using a variety of media, hold a current NZ drivers' licence and be willing to work flexible hours including weekends. Please visit our website [www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz](http://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz) – [Diocesan Services – Staff Vacancies](#) for the full position descriptions of these roles and how to apply.

## Eucharist has been celebrated or will be celebrated for:

**Recently Deceased:** Virgilio Bisares Jr., Diane Chalton, Margaretha van Veen, Dorothy O'Brien, Lily Posa, D.E.Mijares, Carmencita O. De Ocampo, Derrick Rosario, Rita Loof, Hannah Balida, Constantino Mijares, Aileen Leedham

**Sick:** Sue Wong, Kathryn Badrick, Millie Pacheco, Leo Cassin, Carol Rogers, Lloyd Jones, Corazon Abulencia, Joe & Nicholas Geor, Evelyn Totanes, May Chow, Stephen Wheoki, Leonard Lee, Noel Mijares, Arielle Beatriz Bautista, Peggy Dance, Adrian Judson, Joseph Cave, Anabella Olaes, Lily Owen

**Anniversaries:** Anbri Varghese (May 22), Florrie D'Souza (June 4), Ruth Skyring (June 7)

## Roster for next weekend: 12<sup>th</sup> June

	5.30PM Vigil	9AM
<b>Commentator</b>	Marlene Parejas	Estelle Arts
<b>Reader</b>	Peyton Jacinto	Osmitta Francis
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Lisette Albuquerque Sushila Fernandes Peyton Jacinto	Carolyn Brooks Ani Fangupo John Long
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Caitlin Pornela Kristen Dizon	Zaira Mondala Sophie Amos
<b>Collectors</b>	Alfred & Sushila Fernandes	Andre & Osmitta Francis
<b>A/V Operator</b>	Lana Lon	Averia Rani
<b>Counters</b>	Rex Carroll Pauline Carroll	Fiona McLean
<b>Altar Care</b>	Kathy Long	
<b>Flowers</b>	Julia McLaughlan	

## Readings for Next Week (Trinity Sunday – Year C)

1. Proverbs 8:22-31
2. Romans 5:1-5
- Gospel John 16:12-15

