

# Parish of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart

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## 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2024 – 25<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

### **Mass Timetable**

Tuesday: 8am at the Mercy Centre Chapel (104 The Drive)

Wednesday & Thursday: 8am

Friday: 12.05pm (Adoration from 11am – *no Adoration this week, Friday, 27<sup>th</sup> September.*)

Saturday: 9am

Sunday Vigil Mass – Saturday: 5.30pm

Sunday: 9am

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday 4.45-5.15pm

*The Rosary is prayed in the Church every Monday morning during school term at 9.15-9.45am.*

### **Mercy Day Mass on Friday, 27<sup>th</sup> September**

All are invited to join the school community to celebrate Mercy Day at Mass on Friday, 27<sup>th</sup> September, at 9.15am. Morning tea follows in the community room. All welcome.

*NB. There will be no Adoration this Friday, but there will be the usual Mass at 12.05pm.*

### **New Roster (October 2024 to January 2025)**

The new roster for the period of October 2024 to January 2025 has been sent out via email. Please check your spam/junk mail if it is not in your inbox. A hard copy is also posted on the church notice board.

As always, we rely on volunteers to be present on their rostered date. If you think you are not able to come when you are rostered, please arrange a swap. Thank you to all volunteers who serve the parish in the various ministries.

### **Planned Giving Envelopes**

The new sets of planned giving envelopes (October 2024 to March 2025) are now available for collection from the church foyer. Please take your set home today.

**To ensure accurate recording of your donations, please use the current planned giving envelopes. Please do not use your outdated envelopes as your planned giving number may have changed.** Thank you.

### **Altar Servers Training**

Calling all children who have made their First Holy Communion and would like to become altar servers. Fr Anthony will be conducting a training for new altar servers on the 29<sup>th</sup> September and the 13<sup>th</sup> October after the 9AM Mass (attend just one of these dates). No registrations required and you are welcome to just show up on the day too, but it will be helpful if you could let Fr Anthony know of your interest.

### **Meetings and Events in Our Parish**

Mondays 6.30pm Legion of Mary meet in the church foyer. New members welcome.

Mondays 7.30-8.15pm Christian Meditation at 104 The Drive, Epsom.

Wednesdays 7-8pm OLSH Music Group practice in the church.

Thursdays 10.30-11.15am Christian Meditation at 104 The Drive, Epsom.

### **Cathedral Appeal**

Please prayerfully consider supporting the Cathedral of St Patrick and St Joseph's annual appeal. As the Mother Church of our Diocese, it stands as an oasis of peace for all in Auckland. Bishop Steve invites all in the diocese to make a pilgrimage to the Cathedral. [www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/donate](http://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/donate).

Donation envelopes for this appeal are available in the church foyer, or use any envelope labelled "Cathedral Appeal" and your name (optional) and drop into our collection basket. Alternatively, you may put in your donation into our parish account.

**Account Name:** Epsom Parish

**Account Number:** 02-0108-0707091-000

**Reference:** Cathedral and your name (optional)

### **Life Teen Summer Camp**

There's no camp quite like Life Teen Summer Camp! The camp aims to support young people with amazing opportunities to go deeper in their faith with thought-provoking sessions, small group discussions and lots of opportunities to just have fun. For more information on the camp, go to: <https://lifeteen.nz/camp/>. If you are ready to help your teens come closer to Christ and have the best camp ever TM then register them now: <https://epsomcatholic.org.nz/lifeteen/> (or contact Fr Anthony: [thepriest@thepriest.nz](mailto:thepriest@thepriest.nz)). The cost is \$250 (with transport provided) but the first 5 registrations get a \$50 discount! Right now, though, all that's needed is the registration; payment can come later – be in quick as places are filling fast for this incredibly popular event.

Past Pupils & Staff of  
Sacred Heart & Redwood  
College Nelson, NZ.



Now is the time to Register for Past Pupils & Staff to attend our Historic College Reunion. Nelson, New Zealand.

**Dates:**  
November 2024  
Friday 15th  
Saturday 16th  
Sunday 17th

Registration Form is on our website:  
[www.RedwoodSacredHeart.com](http://www.RedwoodSacredHeart.com)

For further information:  
Email: [RSHReunion@gmail.com](mailto:RSHReunion@gmail.com)

Please  
RSVP ASAP  
Thank You





## SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

HELP MAKE THE 2024 OLSH CHRISTMAS A MARKET A SUCCESS

The Our Lady of the Sacred Heart School Christmas Market is a bi-annual event which is a key fundraising activity for the PTFA. Funds from the Christmas Market go towards facilities improvements, classroom and sports equipment and activities that the school fees do not cover. In order to make this happen we need your help! We have big and small sponsorship options and we truly appreciate all contributions. For details please email [chairperson.olshtpta@gmail.com](mailto:chairperson.olshtpta@gmail.com).

PLATINUM

\$1000

SPONSORSHIP

- Choice of which stall to sponsor
- Logo/branding on stall signage
- Opportunity to hand out business cards at market
- Logo included in all advertisements
- Profile in school newsletter and school community Facebook page
- Logo/branding on flyer distributed by all school families to surrounding suburbs

\$500

GOLD

- Logo/branding on stall signage
- Profile in newsletter & school community Facebook page
- Logo/branding on flyer distributed by all school families to surrounding suburbs

\$300

SILVER

- Logo/branding on stall signage
- Appreciation mention in school newsletter
- Mention on school community facebook page

\$150

BRONZE

- Logo/branding on stall signage
- Appreciation mention in school newsletter

\$50

FAMILY DONATION

- Appreciation mention in school newsletter

For all enquiries please email [chairperson.olshtpta@gmail.com](mailto:chairperson.olshtpta@gmail.com).



## HOW YOU CAN HELP

### VOLUNTEER

Sign up for a shift at a stall or help with setup and cleanup.

### SPREAD THE WORD

Tell family and friends, contact your local businesses and come along on the day!

### DONATE

Contribute goods, unwanted gifts, crafts, or baked goods for sale at the market.



## WHAT WE NEED



ITEM/S	WHEN REQUIRED
Glass jars (for preserves & candles)	Now
Homemade preserves - if you have winter fruit you can preserve now we would love all preserve donations to sell	Start now and we can collect late in the year
White elephant items: Sports & recreation gear, designer clothing, books & games (only items in very good condition)	Later in the year so please hold on to your items
Quick fire raffle & silent auction	All/any donations of cash, tickets or new items are appreciated
Knitting - can you, your parents, grandparents knit? We would love any donations of handmade knitting	Get started now! We'd love all donations



## STALLS

- Preserves
- Xmas wreaths
- Silent auction
- Cake stall
- Plants
- Food & drinks
- Fresh produce
- Arts & crafts
- Games
- White elephant
- Quick fire raffle
- AND MORE!

## FLOURISH Youth @ OLSH

Our youth group (teens in Years 7 to 10) runs every second Saturday (fortnightly) during the school term, and they start at 7 PM in the parish hall.

Please see poster in the church noticeboard for more information on meeting dates and to register or scan the QR code.



SCAN ME

**Shine TV** broadcasting of Sunday Mass at 2pm Free-to-air channel 25 or Sky 201.

## Safeguarding Contacts at Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Parish

Louisa Rani (coordinator) [epsomsafeguarding@gmail.com](mailto:epsomsafeguarding@gmail.com)  
National Office for Professional Standards 0800-114-662

## MASS INTENTIONS

A gentle reminder that mass intentions need to be sent to the parish office at least 48 hours before the day on which mass is to be offered. If the intention is particularly important please make sure to mention this at the time the request is made. As a general rule, Sunday mass is offered for the people of the parish although some exceptions are possible. Please note that if a mass cannot be offered on the desired date, it will be offered on the next available date.

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

**Recently Deceased:** Donald Kane, William Wong, Judy Lillywhite, Bishop Dennis Browne, Richard Geor, Fr Bruce Boland, Ruth Mascarenhas, Brian McGrath, Ron Patterson

**Sick:** Millie Pacheco, Carol Rogers, Corazon Abulencia, Nicholas Geor, Evelyn Totanes, Stephen Wheoki, Noel Mijares, Arielle Beatriz Bautista, Peggy Dance, Adrian Judson, Joseph Cave, Lima Sio Kame, Celia Codoy, Mary Knaggs, Margaret Connolly

**Anniversaries** Benedict Navarro (Aug 25), Jessie Tunney (Sep 6), Brenda Coup (Sep 10), Ailsa Purcell (Sep 15), Chinnu Thomas (Sep 15), Maurice Aldridge (Sep 28)

## Roster for next weekend: 29<sup>th</sup> Sept.

	5.30PM Vigil	9AM
<b>Commentator</b>	Anne Bannatyne	Steve Brown
<b>Reader</b>	Osmitta Francis	Anitha Louis
<b>Offertory</b>	Vijay & Marilyn Kamath	Jan & Michael Marinovich
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Lisette Albuquerque David Tan Annette Wilson	Peter Prosee Amile Salian Priscilla Sevele
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Volunteers Please	Volunteers Please
<b>Collectors</b>	Vincent George and Family	Extross Family
<b>A/V Operator</b>	Dads Dizon	Louise Valladares
<b>Music</b>	Susan Aldridge	Annemarie Kerridge
<b>Children's Liturgy</b>		Volunteers Please
<b>Counters</b>	Vina & Iris Valenzuela	
<b>Altar Care</b>	Mary Jackson	Rosemary Trevenen
<b>Flowers</b>	Kathy Long	Sarah Crawford

## Readings for next week 26<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

1. Numbers 11:25-29
  2. James 5:1-6
- Gospel Mark 9:38-43,45,47-48



## Sign of the Cross (Te Reo)

Ki te ingoa  
O te Matua, O te Tamaiti,  
O te Wairua Tapu  
Āmene

Our parish bank account details are as follows:

**Account Name:** Epsom Parish  
**Account Number:** 02-0108-0707091-000