

Day	Ministers of the Word	Ministers of the Eucharist	Altar Servers	Church Cleaners
Saturday 27 th April 2019 5:00 p.m.	Mele Vuni Wilfred Mascarenhas	Ferdinand Pinto Selma Pinto Margaret Koay Lydia Quadros Dwain Quadros	Radelle Chiara Meela Anstan Adele	Samoan Community
Sunday 28 th April 2019 9:30 a.m.	Samoan Community	Luc Marie Xavier Braganza Doreen Braganza Malia Falemaka Bro Michael Goh	Stephan Paje Gabe Gloria Ana	

Rosters for Next Week

Saturday 4 th May 2019 5:00 p.m.	Anita Castelino Anna Otufangavalu	Parish Youth	Radelle Chiara Meela Zoisha Dalia	Parish Youth
Sunday 5 th May 2019 9:30 a.m.	Margaret Koay Rosalie Su'a Alisi Otufangavalu Frances Fapoi Mele Vuni	Bro Michael Goh Xavier Braganza Doreen Braganza Frederick Quadros Lydia Quadros	Stephan Gabe Paje Gloria Emmanuela	

Are you new to our Parish?

We warmly welcome you. We would like to know more about you and invite you to visit the Parish Office and register yourself by filling in a Parishioner's Census Form. If there is any way we can be of help to you, please let us know

FOOD FOR THOUGHT: Making Amends

I once encountered a very angry man but I did not know that he was an angry man. We were acquaintances from our parish community and he seemed like a good soul. In time, we travelled together on a mission trip to our sister parish in El Salvador. All went swimmingly until one evening, when whilst sitting at an outdoor table with other members of the delegation, the day's reflection took a bizarre turn. From what seemed like left field, the man turned to me and began a harsh verbal attack on me as a person. There was no way to respond and I was so hurt that I don't remember what I said. I spent a restless night wondering how in the world we would navigate the remaining days of the visit. We did, though it was not easy and it was awkward. Not long after the trip, the man moved from the parish.

Fast forward several years. I was at work in my parish office when the secretary called me downstairs. Imagine my wary amazement as I walked in and saw this man. We sat down in the parish library. He immediately began to tell me that he was working through a 12-step spiritual direction process and he was at the step where he was apologising to those he had hurt with his anger. Then he apologised. My insides churned as I remembered the pain he had caused and I so wished that my daughter, who had been with me on the delegation, could witness the moment, but I looked at him and saw his own awkward pain, and I accepted his apology - with gratitude. We all are called to the work of reconciliation.

ST THERESE PARISH THREE KINGS

Parish Priest:
Father Arul Arokiam OFM
Presbytery:
4/7 Frost Rd, Mount
Roskill.
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St Therese School
Principal: Susan McDonald
463 Mt Albert Road
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School Website
www.sainttherese.school.nz

Parish Secretary
Michelle Carvalho (leave cover
for Glynis Nazareth)
Parish website:
<https://threekingscatholic.org.nz>

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER 28th April, 2019

Sunday Masses:

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday Mass: 9:30 a.m.

Weekday Masses:

Monday to Friday 07.00 a.m.
Saturday 08.00 a.m.

PUBLIC HOLIDAYS: 08:00 a.m.

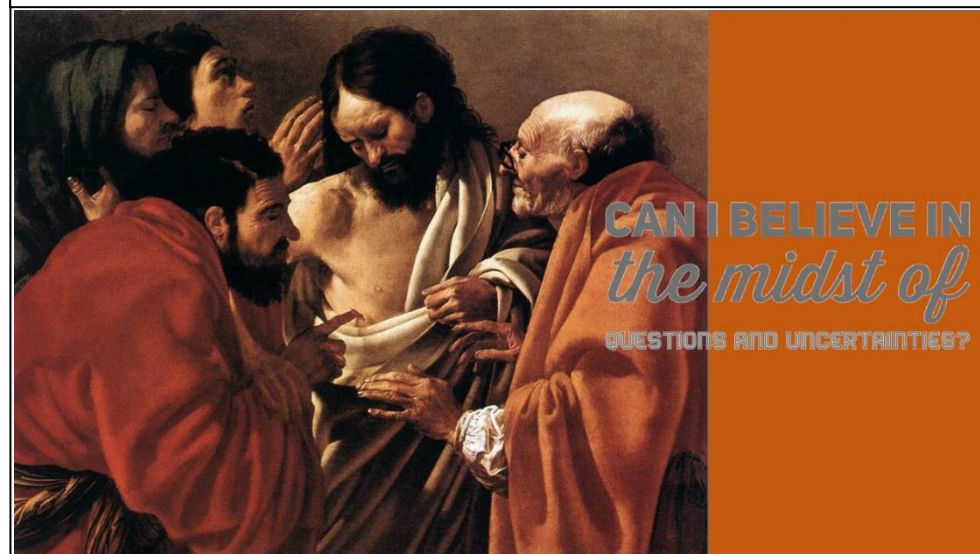
Special Masses:

Anointing 12:00 noon every 4th Sunday
First Friday 07:00 p.m. every 1st Friday
Tamil 06:30 p.m. every 1st Saturday
Fijian 02:00 p.m. every 2nd Sunday

The Holy Rosary
is prayed before Mass Daily

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturdays: 09.00 - 09.30 a.m.
Every 4th Wednesday: 07.00 - 08:00 p.m.



Liturgy of the Word

Liturgy of the Word - Sunday, 28 April 2019

First Reading Acts 10:34, 37-43
Ps 118 p.128
Second Reading Colossians 3:1-4
Gospel John 20:1-9

Liturgy of the Word - Sunday, 5 May 2019

First Reading Acts 5:27-32,40-41
Ps 30 p.39
Second Reading Apocalypse 5:11-14
Gospel John 21:1-19

Sunday Offering for 21 April, 2019

NZ\$ 3718.00 (Good Friday+Easter Offering)
Thank You for your generosity

Prayers For The Sick

Jesus the Healer, we commend to your gentle hands those who are sick:
Bro Peter Dalton ofm, Larissa Salt, Purvashree Pai e Souza, Fr. Albert Williams ofm, Michael Brady, Regina Lee, Gloria Cruz, Monique Simon, Emily Matthews, Ali Ahmed, Ana Hiliate, Mafi Lelea, Rosemary Cannon, Jenny Toh, Leo Ziglani, Peter McConnel, Anamalia Vakameilalo, Vyga Sanu, Tuala Akeli, Tafu Tuala, Anna Maria Coelho, Irene Makanga, Elena Roman, Siosianna Tuli, Po'e Heather, Neil Almeida, Philomena Stevens, Telesia Folaumahina, Babs Lyons, Lemalu Tamotu.

Prayers for the Deceased

Please remember in your prayers our deceased parishioners, family and friends especially:
Fr. D. Meuli, Br. John Paul FMS, Shirley Mathew, Fili Otufangavalu, Virginia Faye Perelini Nobert Coutinho, Gladys Lopez, Philomena Pinto, Bradley, Betty Drinnan, Wenceslaus Anthony, Jacob Saldanha, Peter R. Drinnan, Ngaire, Wim Bolscher, Finau Schaaf, Betty Coutinho, Ola Devit, Lila Vaiaoga, Rev. Msgr. Lui Tevaga, Carmeline D'cruz, Diego Coelho, Percy Nazareth, Mele Toloa, Felix Giborees, Rosy Vaz, Jerome Aranha.
Eternal rest grant unto their souls O Lord, let perpetual light shine upon them, may they rest in peace. Amen.

St Therese Parish News

EASTER BLESSING

Fr Arul has commenced Easter Blessings. Parishioners who wish to have their house blessed are requested to fill in the form and deposit it in the box marked 'HOUSE BLESSING' placed at the entrance to the church.

CONFIRMATION / HOLY COMMUNION

Thank you to all those children who have filled in the forms for receiving Confirmation and Holy Communion and submitted them to the Parish Office. Classes will commence on 18th May 2019.

Divine Mercy Feast & Devotion

The Divine Mercy Feast mass will be at 5.30 p.m. on Sunday, 28th April 2019
Weekly Divine Mercy devotion will commence from Friday 3rd May. Devotional prayers every Friday at 7.00 pm with the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, singing of Divine Mercy Chaplet and Benediction followed by Mass.

Anointing Mass 28th April 2019 at 12:00

A special Mass is held at 12.00 noon every 4th Sunday of the month for the Sick and Elderly. Anointing of the sick is held during the mass.

Solidarity with our Sri Lankan Community

Due to the recent tragic bomb blast which took place in Sri Lanka on Easter Sunday in 3 churches and 5 hotels, the parish community held a Requiem Mass on Tuesday 23rd May at 7:00 pm which was attended by almost 350 attendees. A big thank you to the organisers, The Christ to The World Prayer Group.

Friday Eucharistic Adoration

A 12 hour Eucharist Adoration will be held at St. Therese Parish every Friday from 7:30 am to 7:30 pm from 3rd May 2019 until 29th November 2019. The roster is on the notice board.

Meetings

Parish Council Meeting 5th May ~ 11:00 am
Fundraising Committee - 7th May at 7:15 pm
Liturgy Committee - 14th May at 7.15 pm
Finance Committee to be decided

NZ CATHOLIC

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Headlines:

1. New NZ Medical Association to meet.
2. Cardinal suggests stopping calling priests 'Father'.
3. Integrated schools have say on reform report.
4. NZ reactions to Pope's youth exhortation.

Auckland Catholic Diocese News

Interfaith Relations In the light of the recent attacks in Christchurch and Sri Lanka, come and see what the New Zealand bishops say about Interfaith Relations and what we can do. Come to the launch of their latest publication and find out what you and/or your parish or community can do about it. Pick up a free copy to take back to your community and learn and share some practical strategies. Tuesday 30 April, 7pm at Pompallier Diocesan Centre, 30 New Street Ponsonby. All welcome.

Look up to the Stars for Answers Br Guy Consolmagno SJ the director on the Vatican Observatory is delivering two public addresses in Auckland.
Wednesday 1 May 7.30pm Our God is Too Small - Maclaurin Chapel Auckland University, 18 Princes St register Nicola.hoggard@auckland.ac.nz
Thursday 2 May 7.30am with morning muffins and coffee. Faith and Science Together - St Columba Centre, Vermont St, Ponsonby register v.kirisome@tci.ac.nz

Marriage & Family Life Ministry - Married volunteer couples needed. We invite couples who have been married for 10 years plus to join us in an informal information session held on Sunday 5th May at 3pm - 4pm in the Pompallier Diocesan Centre, 30 New Street (back entrance near the tennis courts). Please come and join us if you feel passionate that marriage provides a solid foundation for family life. Our volunteer couples will share with you their personal journey as Marriage Educators and the many blessings their families receive as a result of this generosity. For more information please contact Gerry Smith on 3603025.

 **Holy Cross Seminary warmly invites all clergy and parishioners to celebrate our Founders Day Mass with Seminary Staff and Students.**

Mass will be held at Sacred Heart Church, 16 Vermont Street, Ponsonby at 5pm on Tuesday the 7th of May. Principal celebrant will be Bishop Pat Dunn. Holy Cross Seminary was originally founded in Mosgiel, Dunedin in 1900 by Bishop Michael Verdon. The Seminary was relocated to Vermont Street, Ponsonby in 1999.

SAFEGUARDING CO-ORDINATOR

We are seeking an enthusiastic committed person to work as Safeguarding Coordinator to take the lead in the implementation of renewed safeguarding standards for children, young people and vulnerable adults in the Diocese, in conjunction with the National Office for Professional Standards. This is a 2 year fixed term, part time position of 25 hours a week. For full details please and to apply, please visit the Diocesan website www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz under Administration and Staff Vacancies. Applications close Monday 20th of May 2019.

VACANCY: Secretary to Board of Directors. St. Mary's College Auckland Limited

The proprietor board of St Mary's College, Ponsonby, is looking for a secretary. Our board has responsibilities for special character, major maintenance and development of the school property. This part-time role involves attending meetings, currently the second Monday of every month at 5.30pm, producing minutes that provide an accurate record, and board administration. Candidates need outstanding written communication skills, resourcefulness and flexibility. They will be able to maintain confidentiality. Experience taking minutes would be an advantage. We are looking to fill this position as soon as possible, ideally by 1 May 2019. To apply with CV and cover letter, or for more information, please email: smcakltd@gmail.com

Beginning Experience Weekend:

In Auckland, Fri evening 14 June-Sun afternoon 16 June 2019. A weekend away to help those suffering the heartache of separation, divorce or widowhood. The programme provides support for the grieving single again, and offers an opportunity to turn the pain of loss into an experience of positive growth. Total cost for 2 nights' accommodation, meals, materials and follow-up event is \$325. Early Bird concession \$295 if paid by 3 May. For further information contact Carol (021) 169 0222 or Bev (09) 298 9943 or www.beginningexperience.org.nz.

Catholic school reunions in Whanganui: St

Augustine's College and Marist Brothers this Labour weekend. Contact Henry Newrick on 027 471 2242. Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/staugustinewhanganui/>

MARRIED COUPLES:

Revitalise and enrich your intimacy, love and romance in your marriage. Attend the *non-residential MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND* - 25-26 May at St Francis Retreat Centre, Mt Roskill. BOOK NOW - Phone 0800-362686 or Christine & David Sloan 372-3581 or Email: david.christinesloan@gmail.com

