Day	Ministers of the Word	Ministers of the Eucharist	Altar Servers	Cleaners
Saturday 4 <sup>th</sup> May 2019 5:00 p.m.	Anita Castelino Anna Otufangavalu	Margaret Koay Rosalie Su'a Alisi Otufangavalu Frances Fapoi Mele Vuni	Radelle Chiara Meela Zoisha Dalia	
Sunday 5 <sup>th</sup> May 2019 9:30 a.m.	Parish Youth	Bro Michael Goh Xavier Braganza Doreen Braganza Frederick Quadros Lydia Quadros	Stephan Gabe Paje Gloria Emmanuela	Parish Youth
Saturday 11 <sup>th</sup> May 2019 5:00 p.m. Sunday 12 <sup>th</sup> May 2019 9:30 a.m.	Emmanuela Filipo Gorretti Rodrigues Tongan Community	Jeff Rodrigues Blanche D'Cunha Rosalie Su'a Selma Pinto Ferdinand Pinto Bro Michael Goh Lesina Tamiano Fili Filipo Sofia Filipo Monica Austin	Marika Aaron Meela Chiara Radelle  Leander Paje Gabe Realyn Adele	Tongan Community

#### 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: Gone Fishing**

Living a few blocks from a stretch of Lake Michigan in Chicago we dubbed "the rocks" nestled between the Belmont Yacht Club and the Nike Missile Base (we're talking late '50s early '60s). it's no surprise that my brother took me fishing. Mum would wake us at dawn, feed us breakfast, pack us a lunch, and send us on our way with minnows from the bait shop or worms from the back yard. We carried bamboo poles and cheap casting rods.

My older brother was a fisherman. I was the kid brother tagging along. He would get into a zone and patiently stare out over the water never saying a word. I was hyper talking to everyone around us. By 10 o'clock I had eaten my lunch and by 11 I came back home fishless. My brother would return late afternoon, his face sunburnt red, usually carrying a stringer of perch and rock bass, which Mum would fillet and serve for dinner. It never seemed to matter to him if the fish were biting or not. Just being there was what was important to him. At no other time did he exhibit such enduring patience. Late in life he became very successful in the field of human resources. His ability to mediate issues and solve problems was exceptional. I'm quessing he learned that at the lake, pole in hand. Fishing served him well. Those who are good at fishing are patient. So are good Christians. Maybe I should have fished more.

### ST THERESE PARISH THREE KINGS

Parish Priest: **Father Arul Arokiam OFM** Presbytery:

4/7 Frost Rd, Mount Roskill.

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Parish: 463 Mt Albert Rd Phone: 620-9689 Mobile: 022-096-3493 Parish e-mail address St3kgs@xtra.co.nz



St Therese School

Principal: Susan McDonald 463 Mt Albert Road Phone: 09 620 9441 **School Website** www.sainttherese.school.nz

Parish Secretary Michelle Carvalho (leave cover for Glynis Nazareth)

Parish website:

https://threekingscatholic.org.nz

#### THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER 5<sup>th</sup> May, 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. 08:00 a.m. Saturday

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 02:00 p.m. every 2nd Sunday Fijian

The Holy Rosary is prayed before Mass Daily

#### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

09:00 - 09:30 a.m. Saturdays: Every 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday: 07:00 - 08:00 p.m.

# FEED MY LAMB! TEND MY SHEEP! Have you considered who needs to be fed? Or who needs your

# Liturgy of the Word

### 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

#### Liturgy of the Word - Sunday, 12 May 2019

First Reading Acts 13:14, 43-52 Ps 100 p.109 Second Reading Revelation 7:9, 14-17 Gospel John 10:27-30

### Sunday Offering for 28 April, 2019

NZ\$ 1149.60 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, Monigue 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**

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**

All those children wanting to receive Confirmation & Holy Communion should fill in the form (placed at the entrance to the church) and hand it in to the Parish Office before April 21, 2019. Classes commence on the 18th May 2019.

#### **Divine Mercy Devotion**

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.

#### Friday Eucharistic Adoration

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

#### May devotion to our Lady

The month of May is dedicated to our Mother Mary and all mothers. So we will be praying the Rosary daily, the entire month of May led by each community as follows:

Mon 7 pm Tongan, Tues 7 pm Samoan Wed 7 pm Indian, Thurs 7 pm Youth Fri 7 pm Divine Mercy devotion followed by Mass Sat 12 noon: 20 decade Rosary The Rosary is also recited before all Masses All our welcome to join in.

#### Meetings

Parish Council - 5th May after 9.30 am Mass Fundraising Committee - 7th May at 7:15 pm Liturgy Committee - 14th May at 7.15 pm Finance Committee to be decided

St Vincent de Paul - We are looking to provide food to families who are in need. Anyone who knows of any family struggling to meet their daily food needs, please contact Rosemary Giborees on 027-283-3140 (IN CONFIDENCE). Special thanks to all who donate

### NZ CATHOLIC

#### 5 - 18 May, 2019 Issue

#### **Headlines:**

- Memorial Masses in NZ after Sri Lanka Easter bombinas.
- New first-year seminarians at Holy Cross.
- Leading teens closer to God.
- Bishop Patrick Dunn's memories of Notre Dame Cathedral.

# Auckland Catholic Diocese News

Mass of the Neophytes: Sat 8 June, 5:30pm. Cathedral of St Patrick's and St Joseph. Bishop Pat invites all those who were baptised or received into full communion with the Church, during Easter (or the last 12 months) to join him at the Mass of the Neophytes to praise and thank God for the gift of faith. Family, sponsors, Godparents, RCIA teams and parishioners are encouraged to attend this special celebration of faith. It will be the vigil Mass of Pentecost.

Date Claimer: Fr Richard Leonard SJ will speak on Mission and Prayer, St John Vianney Hall, 317 Hillsborough Rd, Hillsborough on 20th July 10-3 FREE - Lunch provided RSVP re.team@cda.org.nz by 16 July

#### **Diocesan Job Vacancies:**

To view the full position descriptions, please visit our website under Administration and staff vacancies www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz

Justice and Peace Desk, Parish & Pastoral Services Group: The Diocese is seeking a committed person to be the Executive Secretary of Diocesan Justice and Commission (JPC). The Commission promotes action for social justice which is integral to our following the Gospel as Catholic Christians. The positon is full time, with some flexibility around this.

Prison Chaplain: We are seeking a suitably qualified person to work as a member of the Prison Chaplaincy Services Aotearoa New Zealand Chaplaincy Team, which delivers Ecumenical Chaplaincy services to women in prison at Auckland Regional Women's Corrections Facility (ARWCF), Wiri. The position is a permanent halftime position of 24 hours per week.

'Come and See' gathering, for young men aged 17-27 years who would like to find out more about the life of a priest, will be held on Saturday 18 May from 10.00 am to 12 noon at Pompallier Diocesan Centre. Please let Fr Sherwin Lapaan numbers attending (aucklandpriests@gmail.com).

#### **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.

#### **New Zealand Catholic Medical Association**

DATE SAVER: Inaugural Meeting Date: Saturday: 25 May 2019

Time: 10am -3pm

Place: St Michael's School Hall, 6 Beatrice Road, Remuera, Auckland - Cost \$25 per person. Will include Blessing and Holy Mass from Bishop Patrick Dunn and provide an opportunity for doctors & others involved in healthcare to find pastoral care, support, encouragement and faith development. We wish to extend an invitation to doctors, nurses, midwives, physiotherapist, counsellors, social workers, chaplains, pharmacists, dentists, health administrators, lawyers and anyone who works in allied roles. Registration is required for catering purposes by 20 May 2019.

#### **Event details:**

newzealandcatholicmedical.co.nz/event Contact email:

info@newzealandcatholicmedical.co.nz

#### 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.



**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