

Day	Ministers of the Word	Ministers of the Eucharist	Altar Servers	Cleaners
Saturday 24 April 2021 05.00 p.m.	Corretti Rodrigues Kevin Johnson	Lydia Quadros	Gabe Paje Dalia	
Sunday 25 April 2021 9.30 a.m.	Samoan Community	Malia Falemaka	Realyn Ana Sione	Samoan Community

Rosters for Next Week

Saturday 1 May 2021 05.00 p.m.	Carlos Vaz Selma Pinto	Ferdinand Pinto	Zoisha Paje Gabe	
Sunday 2 May 2021 9.30 a.m.	Parish Youth	Toilolo Otufangavalu	Matthew Misha Ambrose	Parish Youth

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. Please do let us know if there is any way we can be of help to you.

Mission Map prayer

Loving God, Because your love for us is so great, you call us to be one with you.
Because your love for the world is so great, you share your mission with us
and send us as instruments of your love.

Encourage us as we strive to implement the Mission Map.

Walk with us as we accompany one another as missionary disciples.

Guide us with your Spirit of wisdom and love. Make us truly welcoming to all, particularly the young.

Send us forth to proclaim the joy of the Gospel through faith, service, justice and
love of others, most especially the poor.

May we, live and proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ in all we do. Amen

No Stone Rejected: I remember how badly it stung. The kids in the neighbourhood were choosing sides for a game of touch football, and I was the odd man out. Rejected. Told to sit on the sidelines. I slunk on home and read comic books - taking solace on reading about the rejection that Clark Kent and Bruce Wayne experienced. Little did the world know whom they were rejecting in Clark and Bruce - and me. And I remember another time being out in the street gathering for a game when an older kid who was creative took charge. Again, we had one too many players. Again, someone was going to be left out. This time it was another of the younger kids - my mate Jeffery. But then the older kid said, "Hey, don't leave. You can be the official kicker for both teams". And so began a tradition on our block where no one was left out of the game. No one was rejected.

Perhaps it was because he knew he would be the "stone the builders rejected" that made Jesus so passionate about inclusion - seeing himself as the good shepherd who would not rest until the lost sheep was brought back into the fold. How does your family measure up on keeping everyone included? What creative measures can you take so that no one is left out, no one feels rejected?

Church Toilets are located outside the church, past the statue of St Therese and just below the choir. The toilet is kept unlocked during all masses. Please leave the toilet clean for the next user. For health & safety reasons, all children MUST be accompanied by an adult.

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FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER, YEAR B 25 April 2021

Sunday Masses:

Saturday Vigil Mass: 05.00 p.m.
Sunday Mass: 09.30 a.m.

Weekday Masses:

Monday to Friday: 07.00 a.m.
Saturday: 08.00 a.m.
PUBLIC HOLIDAYS: 08.00 a.m.

Special Masses:

Divine Mercy: 7.00 pm every 1st Friday.
Novena followed by mass at
7.30 pm

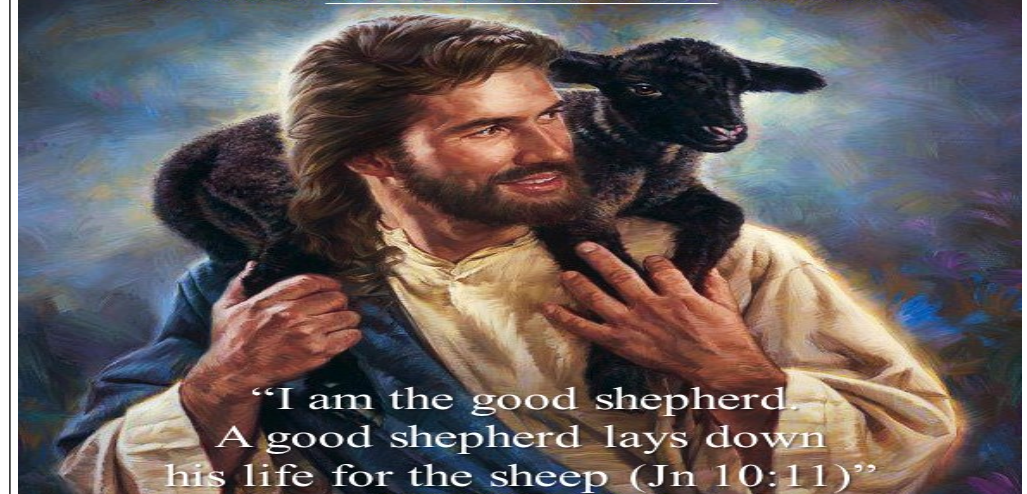
Tamil: 06.30 p.m. every 1st Saturday
Fijian: 02.00 p.m. every 1st Sunday
Anointing: 12.00 noon every 4th Sunday

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.

4th Sunday of Easter: GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY & WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS



Liturgy of the Word Sunday, 25 April 2021

First Reading Acts 4:8-12
Ps. 118 p.128

Second Reading 1John 3:1-2
Gospel John 10:11-18

Sunday, 2 May 2021

First Reading Acts 9:26-31
Ps. 22 p.31

Second Reading 1John 3:18-24
Gospel John 15:1-8

Sunday Offering - 18 April, 2021

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Thank You for your generosity

Prayers for the Sick

Jesus the Healer, we commend to your gentle hands those who are sick:

Louisa Ali, Jean Simpson, Lloyd, Paul & Anne Austin, Rosemary Cannon, Maiava Mamapo, Penina Ravlich, Jeevan Menezes, Annie Lim, Dennis Su'a, Rodney Fernando, Bernadette Jayasuriya, Elizabeth Beckham, Robert Leger, Matthew Harrison, Judaline Dias, Nell Graham, Larissa Salt, Purvashree Pai e Souza, Fr. Albert Williams ofm, Gloria Cruz, Monique Simon, Emily Matthews, Ali Ahmed, Ana Hiliate, Mafi Lelea, Peter McConnel.

Prayers for the Deceased

Please remember in your prayers our deceased parishioners, family and friends especially: Luc Marie, Bro Daniel Hannaford, Veronica Fernandes, Babs Lyons, Pamila Swanamali deSilva, Neil Almeida, Myrtle Mathias, George Pereira, Canute Carvalho, June Young Pe Ku, Joyce Smyth, Agnelo Rebello, Denis James Edwards, Bro Peter Dalton ofm, Fr. D. Meuli, Fili Otufanga-valu, Virginia Faye Perelini, Gladys Lopez. **Eternal rest grant unto their souls O Lord, let perpetual light shine upon them, may they rest in peace. Amen.**

St Therese Parish Notices

Morning Mass

The morning mass on Monday, 26th April 2021, will be at 8.00 am as it's a public holiday for Anzac day.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Enrolment for our 2021 sacramental programme is now closed. Classes will be held at 3.30 pm on Saturday afternoons. Further details will be sent out by email early next week.

Hours of Mercy 2021

Jesus Youth New Zealand will be conducting the hours of mercy in our church every Friday from 5th April to the 22nd May, from 7.30 a.m. to 7.00 p.m. All are welcome to join in.

Franciscan Friars - Morning Prayer

The Franciscan Friars will be attending mass every Friday morning and will have their morning prayers (7.30 - 7.45 am) in our Parish. Parishioners are welcome to join in.

St John Paul II Auckland Rosary

Every Saturday at 12.00 noon a 20 decade rosary is prayed in our church. All are welcome to attend.

Anointing Mass on 25th April

A special Mass is held at 12.00 noon every 4th Sunday of the month for the anointing of the sick and the elderly.

Tax Receipts

Tax receipts for 2020 are now ready. These can be picked up from the church foyer.

Meetings

PPC Meeting - 6th May at 7.30 pm
Liturgy Committee - 11th May at 7.30 pm
Finance Committee - 15th June at 6.30 pm

Spiritual Direction

Know anyone who might appreciate some spiritual direction, contact Bro Damien, Marist Brothers, Marcellin College, on 022-302-1789 or via email on maristhutt@gmail.com; Bro Damien is happy to help one adult on a monthly basis.

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Headlines:

1. Plea for more prayers for vocations.
2. Theological college to move to new Auckland campus.
3. 500 years of Catholic faith in Philippines celebrated in Auckland and Wellington.
4. Pope condolences on death of Prince Philip.

Auckland Catholic Diocese Notices!

The Catholic Diocese of Auckland Commission for Ecumenism

Is hosting a public lecture on Ecumenism, celebrating 25th Anniversary of Pope John Paul II letter on "Ut Unum Sint (That They May All Be One)" by Dr Sarah Hart, theologian and lecturer at Te Kupenga Catholic Theological College | Topic: **Revisiting Ut Unum Sint** after 25 years – a biblical perspective | Tuesday 27th April 2021 @7:00 PM | St Therese Catholic Church, 10 Wickman Way, Mangere | Light refreshments provided.

Online study reflection looking at Climate Change

Pax Christi Aotearoa New Zealand invites you to join us in this online study, which runs over two weeks beginning Tuesday 27th of April 2021, from 7.30 - 9.00 pm and will explore how climate change and degradation of the Earth impacts all our lives (as seen through the works of Mercy) and looks at choices and actions that can help us in this new reality. Please enrol by 20th April 2021 by emailing paxchristiaotearoa@gmail.com. On enrolment, you will be sent the zoom link and reading for the first meeting.

Bishops' Forums

Bishops Pat and Michael invite you to join them at one of the 2021 Bishop Forums 5 May, 7.30-9.30 pm St Joseph Takapuna, Church Hall | 8 May, 11.00 am St Therese, Morewa | 9 May, 11.30am St Francis Xavier Whangarei, Church Hall | **11 May, 7.30-9.30 pm Christ the King Owhairaka, Church** | 27 May, 7.30-9.30 pm St Anne's Manurewa, Church Hall.

Ordination

All are invited to Deacon Thomas Park's ordination to the Priesthood on Saturday 15 May at 11.30 am at the Cathedral. Please keep him in prayer as he approaches this hugely significant day!

St Francis Retreat Centre

Time Out Days 9.30am—2.30pm
12 May & 22 June

'Time Out Days' are divided into 3 parts beginning with an opening session at 9.30am, followed by midday prayer at noon and then a final session at 2.00 pm. The cost is \$30 pp with a tasty lunch provided. Booking is essential for catering purposes. **To book, please email admin@stfrancisretr eatcentre.org.nz or phone 09 625 6651**

Life in the Spirit Seminar

The Lamb of God Community invites you to attend a "Life in the Spirit Seminar" on the 8th & 9th May at Christ the King Parish Hall. Come & experience the touch of the Holy Spirit in your life. For some this could be a new experience, for others this could be a renewal. For more info & to register visit <https://www.lambogodcommunity.net/liss>

Divine Retreat Centre, NZ

Divine Retreat Centre, New Zealand will be having their 4th Sunday Holy Eucharistic Celebration at Christ the King Church, Owhairaka, on 25th April 2021 at 4.00 p.m. Praise and Worship, Sharing the Word, Holy Mass and Adoration.

Stay Safe

Parishioners are encouraged to:

- Stay home if unwell
- Use the Covid tracker app & scan QR code
- Use the hand sanitizers provided in the foyer - please sanitise when you come in and when you go out.
- Cough or sneeze into your elbow.
- Avoid touching your face with your hands
- Receive Holy Communion only on the hand
- No handshake at the sign of peace

