

Day	Ministers of the Word	Ministers of the Eucharist	Cleaners
Saturday 15 February 2025 5.00 p.m.	Romond Pereira Rylee Pereira	Ferdinand Pinto	
Sunday 16 February 2025 9.30 a.m.	Indian Community	Sofia Filipo	Indian Community

Roster for Next Week

Saturday 22 February 2025 5.00 p.m.	Dimitrius Koloamatangi Anstan Saldanha	Wilfrid Rodrigues	
Sunday 23 February 2025 9.30 a.m.	Samoan Community	Pasova Falemaka	Samoan Community

Pledge Envelopes & Planned Giving

If you would like to join the Parish Planned Giving scheme please email the Parish office. For every dollar you donate, you get 33.33 cents back a tax credit. We encourage Parishioners to pay by automatic payments. Here are our new bank details.

Please put your "name" under Particulars and "Pledges no" under the Reference

Account Name: Three Kings Parish

Account Number: 02-0108-0707606-000

The Jubilee Prayer

Father in heaven,
may the faith you have given us
in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother,
and the flame of charity enkindled
in our hearts by the Holy Spirit,
reawaken in us the blessed hope
for the coming of your Kingdom.

May your grace transform us
into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel.

May those seeds transform from within both humanity
and the whole cosmos
in the sure expectation
of a new heaven and a new earth,
when, with the powers of Evil vanquished,
your glory will shine eternally.

May the grace of the Jubilee
reawaken in us, Pilgrims of Hope,
a yearning for the treasures of heaven.
May that same grace spread
the joy and peace of our Redeemer
throughout the earth.
To you our God, eternally blessed,
be glory and praise for ever.
Amen



SAFE CHURCH ~ SAFE GUARDING

As Catholics we believe that every person is created in the likeness and image of God. Therefore, we continue to ensure that our parish is a place where everyone is treated with respect and dignity. We foster an environment which is welcoming, and in which all our parish whanau, including our tamariki, rangatahi, kuia and kaumatua, feel safe.

For complaints or concerns, our Safeguarding Co-Ordinator - Michelle Carvalho
michelle.carvalho082@gmail.com

OR

You may also contact the National Office for Professional Standards 0800-114-662. You may also contact the police 111.



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Anet Suares
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Mon - Tue - 9.30 -2.30pm
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SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C 16th February 2025

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 am
PUBLIC HOLIDAYS: 08.00 a.m.

Special Masses:

Tamil : 11.30am, every 1st Sunday

Anointing : 12.00 noon every 4th Sunday

The Holy Rosary is prayed before Mass Daily

Every 1st Friday Only -
Divine Mercy Devotion Followed by
Mass - 7pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation-
Saturday 9-9.30am

Every Wednesday -5.30pm Mass at Retreat Center.

Every Saturday - 7am Mass at Retreat Center



'How happy are you who are poor;
yours is the Kingdom of God'

Luke 6: 17, 20-26

How can embracing humility
open us up to the
Kingdom of God?



Liturgy of the Word

Sunday, 16 February 2025

First Reading : Jeremiah 17:5-8
Ps.1 p.14

Second Reading : Corinthians 15:12,16-20
Gospel : Luke 6:17,20-26

Sunday, 23 February 2025

First Reading : Samuel 26:7-9,12-13,22-23
Ps.103 p.113

Second Reading : Corinthians 15:45-49
Gospel : Luke 6:27-38

Sunday Offering 9 February, 2025

NZ\$ 1341.70

Thank You for your generosity

Prayers for the Sick

Jesus our Healer, we commend to your gentle hands those who are sick: Ana Ravlich Verkerk, Monica Austin, Leisian Tamiano, Louisa Ali, Daphne Lopes, Teleisia Tuitupou, Sitapa Kauvalu.

Prayers for the Deceased

Please remember in your prayers our deceased parishioners, family and friends especially: Tom Kelly, Moira Harvey, Francis Xavier Pereira, Eugenie Tonga, Arulammal Arokiam, Agnes Winchester, Atonio Ulutaufonua, Boniface Lim, Winnie Chang, Oscar Sequeira, Lisa Maria Schaffeld, Elizabeth Beckham,

Eternal rest grant unto their souls O Lord, let perpetual light shine upon them, may they rest in peace. Amen.

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 Therese Parish Notices

Meetings

Parish Council — 6th March - 7.30 pm 2025
Liturgy Committee—18th February- 7.30pm 2025
Finance Committee - February—7.30pm 2025

Bring Your Old Palms

If you have old palms at home, please bring them by Sunday, 2nd March, and place them in the basket at the church entrance. These palms will be burned to prepare ash for

Ash Wednesday anointing

We welcome our new
Chair of the Parish Council,
Steve Ravlich,
wish him all the best in his
leadership.



*“May the Heart
of Jesus Christ be
our school!
Let us make our
abode there.
Let us study its
movements
and attempt to
conform ours to
them.
Yes, O Divine
Jesus, I want to
live there.”*

St Claude de la Co-
lombiere S.J.
(1641-1682)

Auckland Catholic Diocese Notices

Jubilee Sing Jubilee

Pope Francis has called us to celebrate a Year of Jubilee in 2025. Join Tony Alonso, a Grammy nominated composer of sacred music and a scholar whose work responds to the diverse realities of contemporary culture. The following events are taking place to celebrate the Jubilee of Song

Story of the Stations of the Cross

Across the diocese people will gather throughout Lent to walk and pray the Stations of the Cross. But why has this become such a popular devotion? How come there are 14 stations and not 6 or 23? You are invited to prayerfully consider these and other questions as we explore with Sr Sian the meaning and history of the Stations of the Cross. To register please email pastoraloffice@cda.org.nz to be sent the online link

Commissioning Mass | Sunday 23 February 7pm | St Patrick's Cathedral

Join us as we begin another grace-filled year of youth ministry with our Young Leaders' Commissioning Mass! Bishop Steve Lowe will be celebrating the mass and commissioning our young leaders as they are sent out for ministry in 2025. If you're a youth ministry leader or young adult ministry leader, you're an essential part of this mass! We want to pray with you and for you, as you begin your ministry year. Please invite your whānau, your friends, and your wider faith community to join us as well. We invite Catholics from across the Diocese to join us for this celebration. Unite with our young leaders in faith, hope and joy as we commence another incredible year of youth ministry in the Diocese of Auckland!

Go to www.facebook.com/AKCYM or email youthmin@cda.org.nz for more info.

Job Vacancy - Religious Education & Catholic Character Advisor

The Diocese has a vacancy for a Religious Education and Catholic Character Advisor in our Catholic Education Services. The role's key functions are to promote the mission of Catholic schools to provide an Encounter with Christ, Growth in Knowledge of Christ, and Witness to Christ and to develop, strengthen, and support the leadership role of the Directors of Religious Studies & HOD's RE in Catholic schools in the Diocese. You must have a tertiary qualification in Religious Education or Theology and hold a current NZ Teacher registration. For full details and the position description, please visit our website www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz, under Diocesan Services and staff vacancies. Applications close 28 February 2025.

Receptionist/Administrator – Catholic Social Services, Auckland.

Catholic Social Services is looking for a part-time (20 hours - 3 days) Receptionist/Administrator based in Ponsonby. As a faith-based professional service Catholic Social Services provides social work, counselling, out-reach and support to individual people and families. For further details please go to our website www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz, Diocesan Services and staff vacancies.

St Francis Friary & Retreat Centre

Upcoming Retreats & Events at St Francis Retreat Centre:

For more info/dates and to book visit www.stfrancisretreatcentre.org.nz or call 09 625 6651

Women's Prayer Retreat- A reflective prayer retreat in the Catholic tradition for Women | Fri 28th Feb 6pm - Sun 2 Mar 3pm 2025 | Earlybird \$300 pp (before 08/02) | Standard \$330pp

24Hr Quietude - For those who seek a short retreat- Fri 7pm - Sat 7pm (\$120pp incl accommodation + food) | April 11th/12th | July 11th/12th