

Day	Ministers of the Word	Ministers of the Eucharist	Cleaners
<b>Saturday</b> 19 April 2025 8.30 p.m.	Special Readers	Priests	<b>Indian Community</b>
<b>Sunday</b> 20 April 2025 9.30 a.m.	Special Readers	Priests	

**Roster for Next Week**

<b>Saturday</b> 26 April 2025 5.00 p.m.	Natalie Munapeyi Lizzie Sithole	Succurine Rodrigues	<b>Samoan Community</b>
<b>Sunday</b> 27 April 2025 9.30 a.m.	<b>Samoan Community</b>	Pasova Falemaka	


**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: St Therese's Three Kings**  
**Account Number: 02-0108-0707606-00**

**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

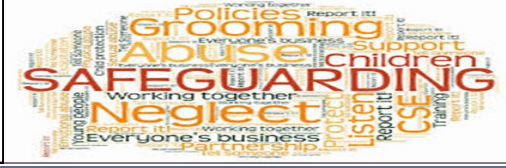
**SAFE CHURCH ~ SAFE GUARDING**

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.



# ST THERESE PARISH THREE KINGS

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**Parish website:**  
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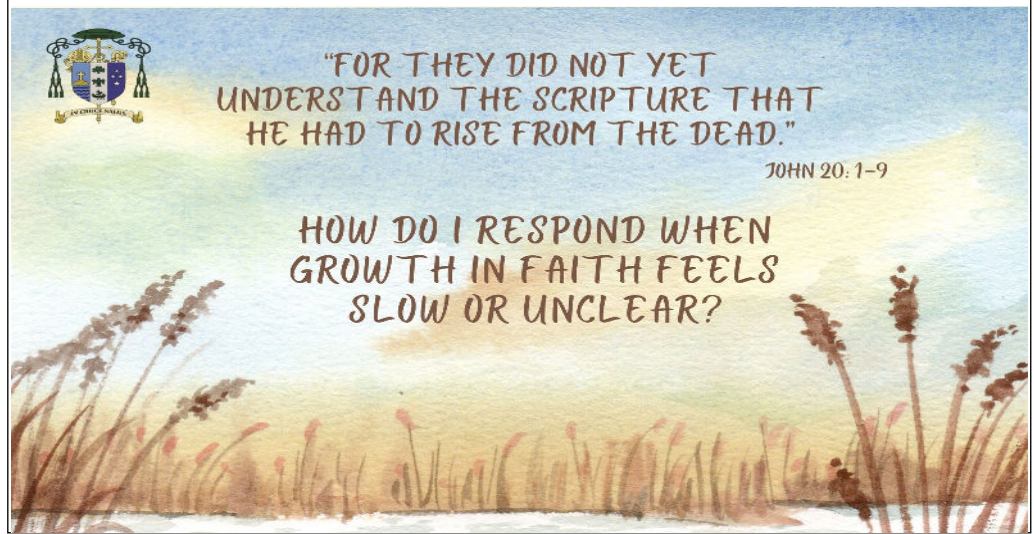
**Parish Secretary**  
Anet Soares  
**Office Time:**  
Mon - Tue - 9.30 -2.30pm  
Thus - Fri - 9.30 - 2.30pm

**EASTER SUNDAY , YEAR C**  
**20th April 2025**

<b><u>Sunday Masses:</u></b>	<b><u>Special Masses:</u></b>
Saturday Vigil Mass: 5.00 p.m.	
Sunday Mass: 9.30 a.m.	<b>Tamil :</b> 11.30am, every 1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday
<b><u>Weekday Masses:</u></b>	<b>Anointing :</b> 12.00 noon every 4th Sunday
Monday to Friday: 07.00 a.m.	
Saturday: 08.00 am	
<b>PUBLIC HOLIDAYS:</b> 08.00 a.m.	

**The Holy Rosary is prayed before Mass Daily**

<b>Every 1st Friday Only -</b> Divine Mercy Devotion Followed by Mass - 7pm	<b>Every Wednesday</b> 5.30pm Mass at Retreat Center.
<b>Sacrament of Reconciliation-</b> Saturday 9-9.30am	<b>Every Saturday</b> 7am Mass at Retreat Center



# Liturgy of the Word

Sunday, 20 April 2025

First Reading : Act 10:34-37-43

Ps.118 p.128

Second Reading : Colossians 3:1-4

Gospel : John 20:1-9

Sunday, 27 April 2025

First Reading : Act 5:12-16

Ps.118 p.118

Second Reading : Apocalypse 1:9-13-17-19

Gospel : John 20:19-31

## Sunday Offering 13 April, 2025

NZ\$ 1498.80

Thank You for your generosity

### Prayers for the Sick

Jesus our Healer, we commend to your gentle hands those who are sick: Lloyd D'Mello, Ana Ravlich Verkerk, Leisian Tamiano, Daphne Lopes, Teleisia Tutupou.

### Prayers for the Deceased

Please remember in your prayers our deceased parishioners, family and friends especially: Selma Mendonca, Philomena Josephine Desa, Tom Kelly, Moira Harvey, Francis Xavier Pereira, Eugenie Tonga, Arulammal Arokiam, Agnes Winchester, Atonio Ulutaufonua, Boniface Lim.

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



Fr Arul and all the Franciscan Friars

Would like to wish all our parishioners a Blessed Easter. May God's grace be upon you, your family and friends. Happy Easter!!

### Public Holiday Mass Notice

Please note that Mass on Monday 21st &

Friday 25th April will be at 8:00 AM.

### Meetings

Parish Council — 1st May—7.30 pm 2025  
Liturgy Committee—6th May—7.30pm 2025  
Finance Committee—May —7.30pm 2025

### Divine Mercy

The Divine Mercy devotion is on every 1st Friday at 7pm. With the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, singing of Divine Mercy Chaplet and Benediction followed by Mass.

### Divine Mercy Sunday

Sunday, 27th April is the Feast of the Divine Mercy of Jesus.

On this special Sunday, instead of reciting the Rosary, Lydia will lead the singing of the Divine Mercy Chaplet. At 9:30 AM the Holy Mass starts. The Samoan community will lead the singing during the Mass.

There will also be another Mass at 12 noon for the Sick and Elderly (Anointing Mass).

### Tax Receipts

The Tax Receipts will be available from 27th April 2025.

### EASTER BLESSING

Fr Arul, Fr Adrianus & Fr Yornes will begin house blessings after Easter. If you would like them to bless your house. Please fill in the form and drop it to the Parish Office or email the parish office with a tentative date / time.

## 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](http://www.stfrancisretreatcentre.org.nz) or call 09 625 6651

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

**Retreat for Women:** 'Prayer and the Interior Life' Friday 9th May 6pm to Sunday 11th May 3pm 2025 - with time for Holy Mass, Eucharistic Adoration, Reconciliation, Personal Prayer and Spiritual Direction. All women are welcome. There will be sessions on Prayer, Humility and Forgiveness. Early bird registration and details [here: www.stfrancisretreatcentre.org.nz](http://www.stfrancisretreatcentre.org.nz)

# Auckland Catholic Diocese Notices

### Invitation to join with Bishop Steve on a Special Jubilee Pilgrimage.

Te Ara o te Tūmanako - The Way of Hope - 29th September 2025 to 19th October 2025. Every 25 years the Church proclaims a Holy Year, a special gift of grace and mercy for all God's people. The theme for Jubilee 2025 is "Pilgrims of Hope." I invite pilgrims to join me on a pilgrimage from Lyon to Rome as we celebrate Jubilee 2025. On the way we will meet pilgrims of the past, who we now know as saints, but were once pilgrims of the past who have influenced our local and the universal Church and who will inspire us in hope as journey to the Holy Door in St Peter's Basilica in Rome. For further information and bookings please contact Harvest Journeys NZ Call free 0800 819 156 - [harvestjourneys.com/py2566](http://harvestjourneys.com/py2566) or [info@harvestjourneys.com](mailto:info@harvestjourneys.com) esan Services, Staff Vacancies.

### Theology of the Body Course for Young Adults

Wednesday evenings starting 3 September 2025; Hillsborough, Auckland. To register please visit: [theologyofthebody.nz](http://theologyofthebody.nz)

### Purple Orchid's Jubilee Year Pilgrimage: Sacred Europe With Switzerland Tour -

Visiting 5 countries which includes:  
\*ROME - ASSISI - PISA - PADOVA - VENICE - ENGELBERG - LUCERNE - PARIS - LOURDES - SALAMANCA - FATIMA - LISBON\*  
\*TOUR DATE:\* 19th September - 3rd October 2025- Coincides with NZ school holidays.  
For Enquires and Bookings Please Contact Salvi D'Souza,  
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