

Day	Ministers of the Word	Ministers of the Eucharist	Cleaners
Saturday 5 April 2025 5.00 p.m.	Iva Barretto Wilfred Mascarenhas	Cynthia Mascarenhas	
Sunday 6 April 2025 9.30 a.m	Parish Youth	Malia Falemaka	Parish Youth

Roster for Next Week			
Saturday 12 April 2025 5.00 p.m.	Special Readers		Tongan Community
Sunday 13 April 2025 9.30 a.m.	Special Readers		


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

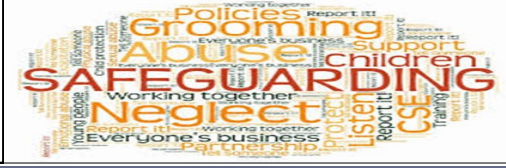
SAFE CHURCH ~ SAFE GUARDING

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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Parish website:
<https://threekingscatholic.org.nz>

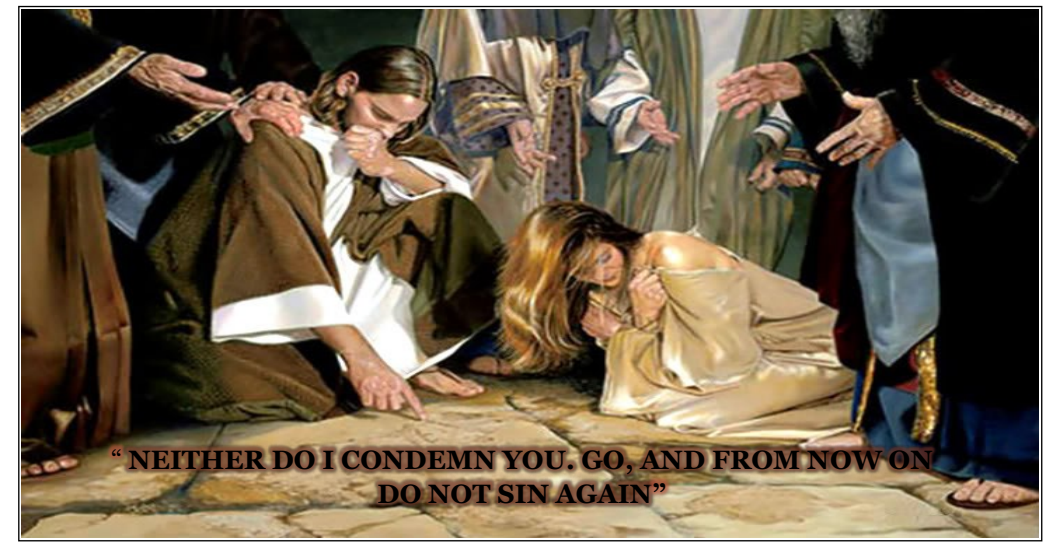
Parish Secretary
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Office Time:
Mon - Tue - 9.30 -2.30pm
Thus - Fri - 9.30 - 2.30pm

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT, YEAR C 6th April 2025

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

The Holy Rosary is prayed before Mass Daily

Every Friday In Lent - Station of the Cross, Followed by Mass - 7pm	Every Wednesday 5.30pm Mass at Retreat Center.
Sacrament of Reconciliation- Wednesday—7 –8pm and Saturday 9–9.30am	Every Saturday 7am Mass at Retreat Center



Liturgy of the Word

Sunday, 6 April 2025

First Reading : Isaiah 43:16-21

Ps.126 p.138

Second Reading : Philippians 3:8-14

Gospel : John 8:1-11

Sunday, 13 April 2025

First Reading : Isaiah 50:4-7

Ps.22 p.31

Second Reading : Philippians 2:6-11

Gospel : Luke 22:14-23

Sunday Offering 30 March, 2025

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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, Leisian Tamiano, Louisa Ali, Daphne Lopes, Teleisia Tutipou.

Prayers for the Deceased

Please remember in your prayers our deceased parishioners, family and friends especially: Philomena Josephine Desa, Tom Kelly, Moira Harvey, Francis Xavier Pereira, Eugenie Tonga, Aru-lammal 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

Meetings

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

The Light Is On For You

During Lent our church will be open every Wednesday (9,16 April) from 7.00 pm to 8.00 pm for quiet prayer and Rite 1 reconciliation. During this time the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed with candles and light music. Parishioners are invited to come and pray in silence.

Stations of the Cross

Every Friday at 7.00 pm followed by

Mass at 7.30 pm

11th April—Samoan Community



"Whatever you do, think NOT of yourself, but OF God" and "Fear God and give Him glory, for the hour of His judgment has come".

Saint Vincent Ferrer
(January 23, 1350 –
April 5, 1419)

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

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

Auckland Catholic Diocese Notices

Marriage and Family Life - Marriage Preparation - Please consider including the following in your weekly newsletters and also on your websites! We also have a leaflet (that you may like to give out to couples) if any of you are interested, please contact the marriage and family office.

Engaged / Planning a wedding?

Catholic Diocese of Auckland – Approved Marriage Preparation Course
Book your Marriage Preparation Course early 1 year for NZ and 18months for overseas weddings
Register & Book here: <https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/discipleship/our-courses/>
For more information contact: Gerry at gerrys@cda.org.nz M: 021 02247442

Wanted Marriage Educators

Have you been married for 5 or more years and willing to walk with married couples in their journey of marriage preparation? You will be trained and become part of the Marriage Educator Family.

Divine Mercy Conference May 23-25 2025
Auckland - Fr Chris Alar- Keynote

Speaker

Divine Mercy NZ is excited to be bringing back to New Zealand Fr Chris Alar MIC from the US plus several other international speakers. **Divine Mercy Conference 2025** will be in a real sense an encapsulation of all that has gone before, and yet more, and to the point – how that is lived out, witnessed, in the Third Millennium. Please join us for this important event in the Jubilee Year. Registrations are essential—

www.divinemercyconference2025.co.nz

Pat Barrett 03 359

2087 info@divinemercy.co.nz

Join us for the 17th Annual Good Friday Stations of the Cross Procession through Auckland CBD!

Each year, hundreds of people from across Auckland come together in a powerful public witness of faith. Gather at 9:00 AM at Albert Park Rotunda. Procession concludes at 11:00 AM at St Patrick's Cathedral. 18th of April 2025

Rachel's Vineyard Retreat offer a beautiful opportunity for healing to anyone who has struggled with the emotional or spiritual pain of abortion. The next Retreat will be held at Mary McKillop Centre, April 11-13, 2025. For more information Contact Wendy Hill on 027 2549222 or email wendy@rachelvineyard.org.nz

St Gianna's Mothers & Children's Group (South Auckland)

Welcoming all mothers and their children (Under the age of 5). Come and meet like-minded mothers, deepen your friendship with God, and enjoy a free lunch! The morning starts with an element of formation and group discussions while your children enjoy a safe area to play. Followed by Mass and a free lunch.

Second & fourth Tuesdays of the month 10am-1pm. Commencing Tuesday 29th April 2025. At St Gianna's Home for Mothers and Babies in Pukekohe, Auckland. Contact Amie for more details: 027 350 8227 werthenextgen@gmail.com