

MASS TIMES

Sunday Eucharist

Saturday 6.00pm
 Sunday 8:00am and 9.30am

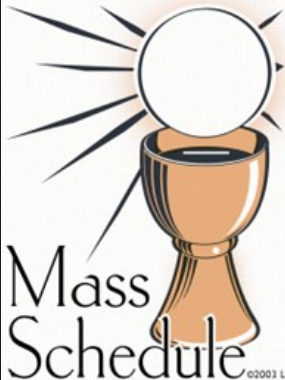
Weekday Eucharist

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday 9.15am
 Saturday 8:00am
 First Friday (Mass of Healing & Anointing of the sick) 9:15am
 First Friday Adoration followed by Mass 6:00pm

SACRAMENTS

Reconciliation: Every Saturday 8:30am to 9:30am
 Baptisms: Every Saturday (by appointment) 11:00am

Please see the Church noticeboard and Website as well

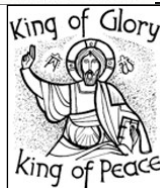


NEXT SUNDAY (20 November 2022):

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

SCRIPTURE READINGS

1st Reading : 2 Sam 5:1-3 *They anointed David king of Israel*
Psalm : Psalm 122 (121) *Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord.*
2nd Reading: 1 Col 1:12-20 *He has taken us into the Kingdom of his beloved Son.*
Gospel: Luke 23:35-43; L162C *Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.*



ALTAR SERVERS



Sat 6:00pm: Jason Dash, Christopher Dalgado, Ethan Misquitta
Sun 8:00am: Javier Soares, Eva Hu (T), Elisa Yang (T)
Sun 9:30am: Sophia Xing, Angeline Xing, Jessica McKenzie (T),
 Thea Bhretnach (T), Oliver McCrills(T)

OTHER MINISTERS

	Sat 6:00pm	Sun 8:00am	Sun 9:30am
Hospitality:	Kevin Creado	Donald Holder	Natasha Pinto
1st Reading:	Joyce Rapheal	Irae Pule	Jewel Villos
2nd Reading:	Mark Fernandes	Leeda Ferdis	Pearl Dharmai
Ministers of Communion:	Judy Kwan	Valyne	Brower Jr Pule
	Dora Tham		Theresa Gomes
Projectionist:	Nestor Reynolds	Josh S / Rob Villos	Vincent George
Chief Collector:	Sandeep Gregory	Jewel	Paul Reddy
Co-Ordinator:	Clinton		Valyne
Music:	TRINITY CHOIR		GRAHAM S

The roster for various ministries is on the notice board and website. If you are not available, please arrange your own replacement. Thank you to all our ministry volunteers for your generous service to our Parish.

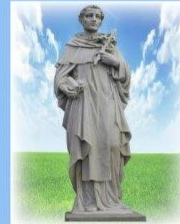
CHURCH CLEANING ROSTER

Anna and Jerry (19th November)

FLOWER ARRANGEMENT ROSTER

Goretti Sheppard (19th November)

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ST DOMINIC'S CATHOLIC PARISH

Ko te Pāriha Katorika o Hāto Tominiko ki

BLOCKHOUSE BAY

34 Bolton Street, PO Box 48097, Blockhouse Bay, Auckland

We, the People of God, continue Christ's Mission of Love in our Diversity.

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TODAY'S SCRIPTURE READINGS

1st Reading : Malachi 3:19-20 *The sun of righteousness will shine on you.*
Psalm : Psalm 98 (97) *The Lord comes to rule the earth with justice.*
2nd Reading: 2 Thess 3:7-12 *Do not give anyone food who refuses to work.*
Gospel: Luke 21:5-19 *Your endurance will win you your life.*

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ 13th November 2022

- Jesus's words in today's gospel could easily describe our lives today. Nations continue to rise against nations. Families continue to rise against families. Even our own church community often seems to be at odds. Fires, earthquakes, famines, floods, and plagues are such an everyday occurrence that we might even ignore them, imagining that they are not actually part of the current reality. Even so, we can take comfort in Jesus's words: "By your perseverance you will secure your lives."
- Perseverance takes a number of forms. Sometimes it looks like choosing to love your spouse and children every day, even when it seems impossible. Sometimes it looks like fighting injustice by condemning the racist or sexist comments we hear our friends make. Sometimes perseverance is simply taking time for prayer. In all of these cases and more, our relationship with God grounds us and gives us life.
- The images in today's gospel are certainly apocalyptic, but they are also eschatological. This reading comes from what is often referred to as the "Lukan eschatological discourse," where we see not only what the end of time might look like, but more importantly, what it reveals about God and our relationship with God. Jesus's command is so significant because it offers an essential disposition to each of us: "Do not be terrified." Do not be afraid.



Connecting the Responsorial Psalm

This week's psalm is forward-looking, anticipating the Lord coming to rule with justice. Though the Lord is with us always—guiding the Israelites, accompanying us on earth in the person of Jesus Christ, and active in the person of the Holy Spirit—we are still moving steadily toward the New Jerusalem. This psalm reminds us that, regardless of the evil and destruction in the world today, "He will rule the world with justice and the peoples with equity."

Parish News

COLUMBAN CALENDARS 2023: are available for sale at \$12 each. The sale of the calendars is a main source of income for the missionary work of the Columban Fathers.

Thank you to all those who attended the Refresher Training for extra-ordinary ministers of Holy Communion on Saturday 12th. Please keep in mind that ministers are required to use facemasks during Holy Communion. Facemasks are available in the sacristy.

NEVER STOP
LEARNING

LEGION of MARY St Dominic parish, wishes to initiate the consecration of the family to the Sacred Heart of Jesus in their homes. Willing families can contact the parish office and the Legion of Mary of this parish will contact them and work out the process of enthronement of the Sacred Heart of Jesus in their homes.

VOLUNTEERS Morning Tea: To acknowledge the hard work of volunteers over the last year, there will be a morning tea on the Solemnity of Christ the King, Sunday 20th November 2022, in the **school hall** after the 9:30am Mass. Please come along and enjoy the celebration .

CATHOLIC WOMENS LEAGUE: . To celebrate the end of the year we are going out for lunch on Friday 18th November, Venue: Bricklane Restaurant, New Lynn. at 11:45am. Anyone is welcome to join. Contact Marie 627 9193 or 027 381 3361 Transport can be arranged.

CCTV CAMERAS: St Dominic's parish have installed CCTV cameras for safety and security purposes. Accordingly, information may also be collected in relation to anyone that comes into contact with the Parish and Presbytery, through the use of those CCTV cameras installed on parish premises.

PARISH REGISTRATION: If you have not already done so, can you please complete your registration form and leave them in the box in the foyer. This applies to both new and existing parishioners.

NZ CATHOLIC for sale in church foyers. Price \$4. Some headlines for this issue: • Alan Duff speaks at De Paul House breakfast. • African Christian faith and culture celebrated in NZ. • Church leaders appear at royal commission hearing. • Church in Aotearoa strives to be bi-cultural.

VINNIES NEEDS VOLUNTEERS! Our Onehunga St Vincent de Paul Charity Op Shop, Vinnies, has been completely refurbished and we need 6 more volunteers. Are you available to help others? We are open Monday to Saturday 9:00am to 4:30pm. Can you please spare a few hours a week or once a month on a Saturday? We really need you! Please call Liz on 634-2697 / 022-467-5443.

ST DOMINIC'S FOUNDATION: We encourage you to support the Foundation, which works behind the scenes, supporting families in need. We use this fund to help our families with: Food parcels, School fees, Transport, Scholarships, Uniform costs, supporting learning while families are isolating due to Covid. The Donation account number is: **12-3034-0276615-00 All donations are welcomed!**

PLANNED GIVING: We would like to encourage those who can, to donate using internet banking directly to our parish bank account. Please email stdomspgc@gmail.com for your planned giving number for internet banking.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS: Please advise the parish office if you have changed your address recently.

“REQUESTS FOR MASS” Envelopes are available at the back of the church . Please write the details on the front, place your donation inside envelope and hand to Fr Ephrem.

DONATIONS / PLANNED GIVING

To join our Planned Giving scheme please first send an email to: stdomspgc@gmail.com
For online contributions please use the following details:
Account Name : RC Bishop of Auckland Blockhouse Bay Parish
Account No. : 02 0100 0120958 10 Ref : Your name and planned giving number

St Dominic's School News

Across the Path - from the School Principal, Daniel Pepper:

Summer is here and so are our hats and the sun tan lotion. A must when we are playing and learning here at St Dominic's Catholic Primary School!

Bike-a-thon: We are having the first ever bike a thon here at school on the 1st December 2022. What day this will be with every children riding around the track twice. We have competitions for best decorated bike and best dressed rider and we are raising money for the Astroturf at the back of courts. We need \$80,000 and have \$40,000 already for this. Children will bring home a sponsor form where it is a gold coin to sponsor the twice round the track. We start at 8:30am and will ride all day till 2:30pm

School books for Christmas fundraiser: At the end of the year we are launching a new tradition here at St Dominics. Everyone will receive a brand new book as they leave for Christmas break. Can you help? Books are \$5 and we hope to raise \$1500 so every child can have one. See the office here at school if you want to be part of this move to keep children reading over the break.

Christmas Showcase: 6:00pm 2nd December. All invited to hear the greatest story of all time! In courtyard of the school.

School joke for Week 4: Q. Why do math books always look so sad? A. They are full of problems. Remember that the jug is always on here at school and to keep praying for us over here....the teachers especially! Go well and my door is always open for a chat and a cuppa as well.....!

Notices from the Diocese

Registrations are now open for Ngā Tapuwāe - Sacred Footsteps 2023: Our Northland pilgrimage will be from 6th January to 8th January 2023. All are welcome to hiko with us to learn more of our Catholic heritage. We will explore, experience and live the sacred places of Kupe, Bishop Pompallier and the early missionaries. The pilgrimage will conclude with Mass at the place where the first Mass in NZ occurred. Pilgrimage Information Evening is on 9th November 6:30pm at 30 New St Ponsonby. Outlining what Nga Tapuwāe will be like. All are welcome. Light food will be served.

Register <https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/discipleship/nga-tapuwae-pilgrimage/> or contact: Stephen Fraser 09

PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY & BARCELONA, SPAIN: 5 – 28 September 2023. The Chaplain will be Monsignor David Tonks. For info please visit: <https://bit.ly/Pilgrimage2023ItalySpain>. For bookings, please contact Laura Yap laura.yap@travelmanagers.co.nz

WORLD YOUTH DAY 2023: Interested in being part of it? Email samuelb@cda.org.nz

ONLINE EVENT FOR OCEANIA: There will be an online Preparatory Event for the Continental phase of the Synod. The Preparatory Event Our Ocean Home has been scheduled for two hours on each day of November 28th, 29th and 30th from 5pm to 7pm NZ Time. Sessions are not repeated but rather explore a different theme each time and is open to all. Register at: <https://www.acu.edu.au/about-acu/faculties-directorates-and-staff/faculty-of-theology-and-philosophy/annual-lectures-talks-and-conferences/our-ocean-home#register>

PLEASE ALSO SEE OUR WEBSITE & NOTICE BOARD IN THE CHURCH FOYER

Please remember the following in the Eucharist and your personal prayer:

Recently Deceased: Francis Laraman, Ruth Manley, Sr Mary Leonie, Francis Sementny, Patras Tigga, Norman Periera, Ruby D'Silva, Margaret Rasch, Mavis Urlich, Pauline Lafotanoa, Imeleta Maddox, Junn Pascual, Pauline Unkovich, Pauline Gallagher, Lynne Carroll.

For the Sick: Bernard Singh, Fortuna Turnwald, John and Dolores Webb.

Please call the office if you need to place a name on this list.