



Mass Schedule

MASS TIMES

Sunday Eucharist

Saturday 6.00pm
 Sunday 8:00am and 9:30am

Weekday Eucharist

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday 9:15am
 Wednesday (Novena at 6:45pm followed by Mass at 7:00pm)
 First Friday (Mass of Healing & Anointing of the sick) 9:15am
 First Friday Adoration followed by Mass 6:30pm
 Parish Renewal Rosary (Every Saturday) 6:30am

Reconciliation and Exposition Every Saturday 11:30am-12:30pm
 Baptism classes: 1st and 2nd Saturdays of the month 2:00pm to 3:00pm

(Please see the Church noticeboard and Website)

NEXT SUNDAY (30th June 2024)

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Scripture Readings)

1st Reading: Wis 1:13-15, 2:23-24 The devil's envy brought death into the world.
2nd Reading: 2.Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15 You always have the most of everything so we expect you to put the most into this work of mercy too.
Gospel Reading: Mk 5:21-43 Two healing miracles: Jesus raises Jairus's daughter, and cures the woman suffering from haemorrhages
Psalm: Psalm 30 (29): I will praise you, Lord, you have rescued me

Rosters: The rosters for various ministries servers are on the notice board and website as well. Thank you for your generosity with these ministries. If you are not available, please try to arrange your own replacement. Thank you.



ALTAR SERVERS and OTHER MINISTRY Rosters

	Sat 6:00pm	Christopher Dalgado, Sean Joseph, Nithin Savio, Braelei Faith
	Sun 8:00am	Javier Soares, Eva Hu, Jessica MacKenzie
	Sun 9:30am:	Alice Schaumkel, Amanda Chidi, Sione Tupu, Lillian Schaumkel

	Sat 6:00pm	Sun 8:00am	Sun 9:30am
Hospitality:	Peter Dalgado	Donald Holder	Goretti Fernandes
1st Reading:	Bendito Fernandes	Jewel Villos	Richard O'Malley
2nd Reading:	Kevin Creado	Charlotte Monteiro	Joy Reginald-Opara
Ministers of Communion:	Helen Bailie	Paul Reddy	Anne Sia
Communion:	Sunita Fernandes	Theresa Gomes	Pius Joseph
Communion:	Wilma Barboza	Josh Soares	Valyne Koh
Projectionist:	Jessie Dalgado	Rob Villos	Irae Pule
Chief Collector:	Joseph Moodal	Paul Reddy	Melinda Hamlyn
Co-Ordinator:	Connie Fernandes	Valyne Koh	Valyne Koh
Music:	John Smit	N/A	Jeffery Nathan

CHURCH CLEANING ROSTER

Kevin Creado and family (29 June 2024)

FLOWER ARRANGEMENT ROSTER

Jennifer & Nereus D'Mello (29 June 2024)

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ST DOMINIC'S CATHOLIC PARISH
 Ko te Pāriha Katorika o Hāto Tominiko ki

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

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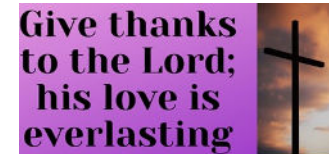
TODAY'S SCRIPTURE READINGS

12th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Scripture Readings)

1st Reading: Job 38:1,8-11 The Lord sets the boundaries of the sea .
2nd Reading: 2 Cor 5:14-17 We should live no longer for ourselves but for him who died and was raised to life for us.
Gospel Reading: Mk 4:35-41 Who can this be? Even the wind and sea obey him.
Psalm: Psalm 106 Give thanks to the Lord, his love is everlasting.



23rd June 2024



Have you ever been caught in a storm or saturated by rain? Have you ever been engulfed in a morning fog that restricted your visibility? Big wave surfers who attempt to surf monster waves always prepare themselves for the possibility of being held down by these waves in a 'wipe out'. A common feature in today's Gospel reading is water and the weather conditions. We read that Jesus instructs the disciples to cross the lake and then falls asleep to be woken with panic and cries for help. The disciples - understandably - become frightened and frozen in fear by the gales and the waves. You would imagine that most people would enter panic mode when such a catastrophe presents itself. However, Jesus encourages an increase in patience and trust in his presence - later rebuking the conditions and creating a peace. This calmness is only realised once listening is undertaken, and trust is practised. When have you experienced storms that seemed to overwhelm? How do you rediscover calm? Jesus teaches us today that to weather such storms, a deep trust in his presence is vital and life-saving ~ God's Word 2024

The Pontifical Society of St Peter the Apostle, one of the Pope's missionary arms, currently supports 81,393 seminarians training in third world countries. The Church in NZ has been blessed by priests from the Philippines, Indonesia, India and Uganda serving our people. Can you offer a donation or financial support for this work? Donate to MissioNZ 06-0411-0021447-00

Pontifical Mission Societies 2024 Appeal
 Supporting the formation of Indigenous Priests

Parish News

FIRST AIDERS and FIRE WARDENS: The parish is establishing two volunteer positions for First Aiders and Fire Wardens to attend to any urgent Health and Safety issues. If you are keen on volunteering for any of the above then please contact Fr Ephrem, Ajith Fernando on 021797143 or Natasha Pinto on 02102473545. Previous experience is not required as training will be provided.

ST DOMINIC'S SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM: have sessions every Sunday from 10:45am to 12 Noon, in the School hall for the sacraments of Confirmation and First Holy Communion. The sacraments will be celebrated on Sunday 22nd September with Bishop Steve Lowe.

The Diocesan Faith Formation Team are offering refresher education sessions across the regions of the diocese for the ministries of 1st Sacraments for Children and Baptism preparation. This is open to all educators and volunteers involved in these ministries. Sessions will be occurring through July, August and September. Please register on <https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/discipleship/formation/> to attend for your parish, or any of the other session that may suit you. For any further information please contact Deacon Steve Fraser on stephenf@cda.org.nz or 021439407

Parish Secretary Vacancy at St Dominic's Parish: Role involves administrative tasks, financial reporting processes and managing invoices. Must be able to handle website and MYOB. Part-time role of 20 hours per week. Please submit your CV and covering letter outlining your interest in this role to Fr Ephrem or Paul P'au. The last date for submitting the application is COB 28th June 2024.

NZ CATHOLIC: NZ Catholic for sale: Price is \$4 per copy. Some headlines for this issue: Former winery is possible future parish site. Caritas reacts to Government's Budget. NZ synod response sent to Rome. Farewell editorial as 106 years of 'bishop's paper' ends. **NOTE:** The final edition, which is printed on June 25, will be a photo commemorative edition and will be free of charge.

SAFE CHURCH ~ SAFEGUARDING: As Catholics we believe that every person is created in the image and likeness 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.

KNITTING FOR CHARITY: The next session will be held on Sunday 30th June 2024 at 2pm, in the Parish Centre, knitting woollies for Monte Cecilia. All are welcome to join.

The Lamb of God Community invite youth in school years 9 to 13 to its 26th **Annual Youth Camp "Winter Oasis"** to be held from 6th to 8th July at Camp Morley-Clarks Beach. The theme is "You are CHOSEN" with the focus being on helping our youth realise that each of them is loved, called and chosen by God. For further information and to register, please visit <https://tinyurl.com/WinterOasis2024> or contact Karyn Coutinho on 021 806855 (WinterOasisCamp@gmail.com)

World Youth Day Auckland | Saturday 17th August 10am – 8:30pm at Victory Convention Centre 98 Beaumont St Freemans Bay. For more information please email felicitym@cda.org.nz

PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES 2024-2025: are available at the back of the church. Please collect your own and not envelopes on behalf of other parishioners.

Tax Receipts: for the 2023-2024 Tax Year are available in the foyer. Thank you.

PARISH REGISTRATION: Please register yourselves and your families directly on our website: <https://blockhousebaycatholic.org.nz/registration/>

"REQUESTS FOR MASS" Envelopes are available at the back of the church.

DONATIONS / PLANNED GIVING: To join our Planned Giving scheme please send an email to: stdomspgc@gmail.com or contact the Parish office. For online contributions please use the following details:

Account Name : RC Bishop of Auckland Blockhouse Bay Parish

Account No. : 02-0108-0707980-00 Ref : Your name and planned giving number

St Dominic's School News

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

Another Great Two Weeks! Our school continues to move forward with clear direction, grounded in our strong Catholic values and ethos. Recently, we have had the pleasure of interviewing past parishioners and parents, which has been incredibly interesting and inspiring. This mahi is part of the work the school is doing in the Te Wa 'Our school Journey' aspect of our school's strategic plan. These conversations have highlighted the rich tradition of our school and parish, reminding us that we stand on the shoulders of those who have gone before us. Our community has always been built on strong family values, and this foundation is evident today. The dedication and hard work of past generations have built this school from the footings up, and their legacy continues to guide us today.

Room 4 opens: In Term 3 Room 4 will open. We have shut the doors for any more children going into Room 1,2,3 and now it is time to open the doors in Room 4. Miss Synott is coming back (Hooray!) teaching 2 days Thursday/Friday and Mrs. Macintosh, Siena and Stella's mum is teaching the other 3 days. We are so lucky to have them and they will be amazing. We have been busy getting the classroom ready and the new children going in there will have an amazing start to school! We are all looking forward to meeting and welcoming our new students here at school as always!

Cup of tea: Please make sure if you have a few spare minutes before or after weekday Mass to drop in for a cuppa. The jug is always on and the milk is always reasonably in date! ~ Daniel Pepper

Other News

Divine Mercy in the Third Millennium: Guest Speaker Pat Barrett. Saturday 29th June, from 1pm to 3pm at Holy Family Parish, 94 Taikata Road, Te Atatu Peninsula. He will also be bringing with him a First Class Relic. of St Faustina for veneration.

The Royal Commission of Inquiry into Abuse in Care to publish its final report. It will deliver this report to the Governor General by 26 June and the public will be able to read it soon afterwards. The Commission has heard from witnesses who have described abuse in the care of many institutions. The experience of people, and the abuse that occurred in situations where we all had an expectation of people being safe, is heartbreaking. Anyone who hears of the experiences of abuse from victims and survivors, knows the long-term impacts it has. The response of the Catholic bishops and congregational leaders has been coordinated by Te Rōpū Tautoko. Visit their website - <https://tautoko.catholic.org.nz/> Church leaders have been supportive of the Inquiry and the need for it. The Church is ready to review the Commission's Final Report and consider its recommendations. Church leaders are already implementing several initiatives and made public their position in response to themes that have arisen during the Inquiry – see tautoko.catholic.org.nz/roadmap.

Upcoming Retreats & Events at St Francis Retreat Centre:

(1) Time Out Days – For those who seek a day retreat - 9:30am – 2:30pm (\$30 includes lunch) | Thu 27 Jun | Tue 9 Jul. **(2) 24Hr Quietude**- For those who seek a short retreat- Fri 7pm - Sat 7pm (\$120pp incl accommodation + food) | July 12th/13th. **(3) Women's Prayer Retreat** - A reflective prayer retreat in the Catholic tradition for Women | 3 nights, 4 days starting Thu 1 Aug 7pm - Sun 4 Aug 3pm | Earlybird (before 2/7) \$350 | Standard \$400.

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

Recently Deceased/Anniversaries: Janet Jensen, Elsy Vivera, Vern Walker, Chris Sekula, Pearl Dharmai, Ineke Merckens, Peter Gasson, Bernadette Waith, Yvonne Ryan, Anthony Bakarich, Fr Mario Dorado, Conrad & Margaret Rasch, Margaret Baptista, Bernard Singh, Patras Tigga.

For the Sick: John and Dolores Webb, Peter Mun, Bozena Bakarich

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