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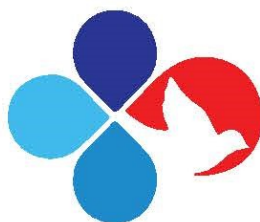
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17th October 2021 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

SYNOD 2021/2023

On 7 March 2020 Pope Francis announced a synod “**For a Synodal Church: Communion, Participation, and Mission**”. In May 2021, the Synodal process was changed into a three year journey for every diocese worldwide, culminating in Rome in 2023. Pope Francis wants everyone to participate. He wants to hear the voice of all the baptized, especially those whose voices are seldom heard.

The Diocese is in the process of creating a team to plan and lead our diocesan synod. They will be responsible for resourcing parish communities, for promoting the synod and for encouraging participation. The official website for the synod is: <https://www.synod.va/en/html>

Sunday Mass

Unfortunately we are not yet able to return to Sunday Masses. There was no change last week to the numbers able to gather for a Church service – that remained at 100 with social distancing. We will continue to pray and hope that this changes so we return to the celebration of Sunday Mass.

It is lovely to see many people making the effort to attend Mass during the week. We warmly encourage people to come and join those parishioners who are regular attendees at weekday Mass.

Hawkes Bay Anniversary

This Friday we celebrate Hawkes Bay Anniversary Day and it is a public holiday. There will only be one Mass in the Parish that day:

9:15am at St Mary's Church in Greenmeadows.

RCIA (Adult Rite of Christian Initiation) Enquiry Night

Do you know someone who wants to know more about the Catholic Faith? Do you know anyone who has expressed an interest in becoming a Catholic? The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is an opportunity for adults to learn more about what Catholics believe. It is the way through which adults are received into full communion with the Church at Easter.

The first night for this year's RCIA programme will be Wednesday 20 October at 7:30pm in the St Mary's Centre, 58 Osier Road, Greenmeadows. If you know of anyone who may be interested bring them along on Wednesday night. If you are unable to accompany them, please let the Parish Office or one of the priests know and we will warmly welcome them.

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ST PATRICK'S

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SATURDAY VIGIL MASS | 5.30pm

SUNDAY MASS | 10am

MONDAY | 12.05pm Service of the Word
with Holy Communion

TUESDAY–FRIDAY | 12.05pm Mass

FRIDAY | 11.30am Reconciliation

ST MARY'S

58 Osier Rd,
Greenmeadows

SUNDAY MASSES | 9am & 5pm

MONDAY & WEDNESDAY | 9.15am Service
of the Word with Holy Communion

TUESDAY | 5.30pm Mass

THURSDAY TO SATURDAY | 9.15am Mass

SATURDAY | Reconciliation after Mass

ST THOMAS MORE

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SUNDAY MASS | 8am

MONDAY, TUESDAY, THURSDAY | 9.15am
Service of the Word with Holy Communion

WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY | 9.15am Mass

WEDNESDAY | Reconciliation after Mass



Sacred Heart College, Napier

We are currently seeking a College Chaplain to join our college. If you, or anyone you know may be interested in this position please get in touch. This is an exciting opportunity to sustain and nurture the Catholic Character and spiritual growth of students and staff at Sacred Heart College. Hours are negotiable. The College Chaplain would work with both the parish and school.

Applicants will be committed to living their faith in a vibrant way and will be responsible for coordinating and encouraging the growth of young people's faith and participation in the life and mission of the Church. Apply with a CV and two referees to The Principal's Secretary, pr.sec@sacredheartnapier.school.nz

Catholic Parish of Napier Administration and Mission Centre

The building consent for the Administration and Mission Centre has been received from the Napier City Council. We will shortly be launching a fundraising campaign to secure the remaining funding for the project. A special fundraising account has been set up specifically for this purpose. Details of this account are as follows:

Catholic Parish of Napier – Fundraising 02-0630-0288045-015

PLANNED GIVING

The new planned giving envelopes for October onwards are available for collection in the Church foyers.

For those who use planned giving envelopes, please save these until we are again able to celebrate Sunday Masses.

In the meantime, should you wish to pay directly into the Parish account, the bank account details are as follows:

Bank: BNZ
Account: 02-0630-0288045-09
Account Name: The Catholic Parish of Napier
Reference: Your planned giving number
Code: Your surname

If you would like to change from envelope giving to giving by automatic payment, please phone the Parish office 844-2224.

St Mary's Devotional Stall

The Devotional Stall at St Mary's has been re-stocked with a variety of cards and gifts, including Christmas cards. Please call by the Parish Office should you wish to view or purchase these.



2022 Columban Calendars

The 2022 Columban Calendars are available and on sale from the Parish office. (These will be available in the Churches when Sunday Masses resume). \$12 each.



Sisters of Our Lady of the Missions:

Annual Christmas Appeal & Gift Giving 2021

The Mission Sisters would greatly appreciate your support for our Annual Christmas Appeal and Gift Giving projects for 2021. Covid-19 continues to impact us individually, our families, our communities, and our whole world. But we have much to thank God for.

We would appreciate your support for our two missionary projects, one in Myanmar and the other in the Philippines. These projects support nutrition and health for women and children. You might wish to support one of these projects and receive a voucher for your donation which could be used as a Christmas gift to family or friends.

Please see the noticeboard for details or contact Sr Helen O'Sullivan in the parish office. Any donation gratefully accepted. God bless you.

RCIA (Adult Rite of Christian Initiation)

The two enquiry nights have been held for the 2021/2022 RCIA programme. Thank you for all who attended and especially our RCIA team of Joan Callaghan, Sister Helen, Mary Doohan and Father Damian.

The programme will begin on Wednesday 20 October at 7.30pm in the St Mary's Centre at Greenmeadows. It is not too late to join. If you know of someone who would like to learn more about our Catholic faith then encourage them to come on 20 October or even better accompany them to the meeting.

Napier Community Foodbank Trust

The Napier Foodbank is currently low on pasta, canned fish, 2 minute noodles and biscuits. Thank you very much for your generous support, it is so appreciated.



Care of Creation - Tip of the Month

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Christian Lovelink

At Christian Lovelink the referrals and requests for assistance are a constant stream and have increased significantly over the last 12 months. The need out there in the Hawkes Bay Community continues to grow. We are thankful to all those who donate goods and help us to help others.

The main area of need at this time is for beds. So far this year (as at the end of August) Christian Lovelink has helped over 500 families and given out 377 beds. We continue to receive requests for beds on a daily basis. If you know of any surplus beds, are upgrading your bed, or downsizing your home, we would love to have your old ones (they need to be in good useable condition with no rips or stains).

We will pick them up from your home/facility. Just contact the office on 843-9803, Monday to Friday 9:00am to 12 noon. Families are so grateful when they receive a bed.



Rosary in October

This month is traditionally a four-week time of focus on the beauty and power of the Rosary as a journey of faith, with Mary, through the central events of the life of Christ. Sign up to receive daily October reflections on the mysteries of the Rosary at www.foodforfaith.org.nz/rosary



Catholic Parish of Napier ChurchApp

The Catholic Parish of Napier has a mobile app for communicating important Parish messages. To download the App go to the App Store on your Apple or Android device and search 'ChurchAppsNZ' to download the app onto your device. Then search 'The Catholic Parish of Napier'.

Should you have any queries, or require any assistance, please call by the Parish office, or phone the office: 844-2224.

Thank you

Dianne, Colleen and Dennis wish to thank the Parish of Napier for your love and support for Sister Linley Trower our sister who died recently. We thank you for the cards, well wishes, love, and care shared with us over this time. Those who were able to come to her peaceful Requiem or watch online would know how special it was, so thank you and God bless you all. The TROWER FAMILY



NZ Catholic - online edition

We are providing, free of charge, a digital link to our latest issue. This issue has been produced by NZ Catholic's staff, from our homes.

<https://indd.adobe.com/view/70e2feb6-c052-4909-9c4f-3fd80f663ef1>

Some headlines for the latest issue: Marist ordination in Richmond; Three transitional deacons ordained in Christchurch; Catholic agency is social housing provider; Veteran Catholic headmaster calls it a day; Synod preparations in NZ dioceses.



Titipounamu Study & Joy

Online Sessions (DayTime): Ignatian Imaginative Contemplation – Praying with Imagination with Laetitia Puthenpadath. Thursdays 4 and 22 November, 2:00pm-3:30pm. ZOOM. Koha/Donation.
Online Sessions (Evening): Infancy Narratives & Nativity Scenes with Kieran Fenn fms and Beate Matthies. Mondays, 22 November and 06 December, 7:00pm-8:00pm. ZOOM. Koha/Donation. For more information and registration: <https://www.studyjoy.nz/events/> or e-mail info@studyjoy.nz

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Mass Intentions and Anniversaries

Recently Deceased: Alex McClelland

Anniversaries: Doug Henricksen (17/10), Nathan Smith (17/10), Pat Higginson (22/10)

Prayers for the Sick: Joy McCann, Tamehana Manaena, Mary Bircham, Dennis Little, Naomi Tong, John Malin, Heather Malcomson, Colleen Davies, Allen Murphy, Marlene Chamberlain, Eddie Wilson, Alan Gardiner, Sheile Bowbyes, Joy Lyons, Dan Keating, Arapera Riki, Stephanie Bearsley, Terry O'Leary, Peter Israel, Paul Diamond, John Zaloum, Colleen Parker, June Brodie, Rosealeen Bradley, Barbara Triska, Len Gavin, Ann Vaessen, Mandy Lane, Marie Stanford, Leo Baltussen

Baptism Preparation Course

The next course will be held on **Sunday 7 November at 11:30am** in the St Mary's Centre. Parents wishing to have their first child baptised are welcome to attend. Please advise the Parish Office if you wish to attend.

St Thomas More Lotto 2021-Round 5

Draw 1, No 25 - Biddy & Cliff Hair.

EL SHADDAI DWXI-PPFI NAPIER CHAPTER

Every Sunday afternoon from 1:00pm to 3:30pm. Praise and Worship and Bible sharing. Please come and join us in the Hannigan Hall or the meeting room of St. Patrick's.

Liturgy Readings

This Week: Is 53:10-11; Heb 4:14-16; Mk 10:35-45

Next Week: Jer 31:7-9; Heb 5:1-6; Mk 10:46-52

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Last Week's Collection
Total - \$5,177

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Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Evening Prayer (Holy Hour) - St Mary's Chapel

Every Wednesday at 4:00pm in St Mary's Chapel.

Holy Hour—St Patrick's

You are invited to come and spend some time with Christ in Eucharistic adoration. This is held fortnightly at St Patrick's Church on a Friday evening from 5:30pm until 6:30pm.

The next Holy Hour will be on Friday 22 October at 5:30pm.

St Vincent de Paul Taradale Conference

The next monthly meeting will be held on Wednesday 20 October at 5:15pm in the St Mary's Centre, Osier Road, Greenmeadows.

St Vincent de Paul St Patrick's Conference

The next monthly meeting will be held on Friday 29 October at 9:30am in the meeting room at St Patrick's Church.

Rosary Prayer Meeting

Join us in Rosary Prayer for the unborn. **Every Friday at 6:00pm (or after Holy Hour on alternate Fridays)** in St Patrick's Church. Families and young people welcome.

Samoan Divine Mercy Chaplet and Rosary

Samoan Divine Mercy Chaplet and the Rosary every Sunday at 3:00pm at St. Thomas More.

St Patrick's Church Prayer and Rosary

Divine Mercy Prayer every Monday afternoon in St. Patrick's Church 1:30pm to 2:30pm. Holy Rosary every Friday afternoon in St. Patrick's Church 5:15pm to 6:00pm.

Faith is like a bright ray of sunlight. It enables us to see God in all things, as well as all things in God. St. Francis de Sales

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