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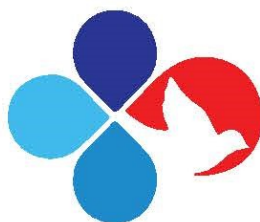
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## 24th October 2021 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Masses

There has been no change to the numbers and social distancing requirements for church services in Friday's COVID-19 announcement. This means we are still unable to return at the present time to the celebration of Sunday Masses in the Parish.

It is very pleasing to see the number of people at weekday Masses and I encourage as many people as possible to consider attending one of the ten weekday Masses in our churches. The times of weekday Mass are:

|           |                             |   |
|-----------|-----------------------------|---|
| Tuesday   | 12.05pm<br>5.30pm           | St Patrick's<br>St Mary's                   |
| Wednesday | 9.15am<br>12.05pm           | St Thomas More<br>St Patrick's              |
| Thursday  | 9.15am<br>12.05pm           | St Mary's<br>St Patrick's                   |
| Friday    | 9.15am<br>9.15am<br>12.05pm | St Thomas More<br>St Mary's<br>St Patrick's |
| Saturday  | 9.15am                      | St Mary's                                   |

### Mission Sunday

Next Sunday (31 October) is Mission Sunday. There are brochures and donation envelopes in the foyers of each Church. Please consider supporting the missionary outreach of the Church throughout the world.

### Holy Hour

**'Be still and Know that I am God' (Psalm 46:10)**

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 29 October at 5.30pm.**

*Father Barry Scannell sm*  
*Parish Priest*

#### 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

92 Wycliffe St,  
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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



### St John's College, Hastings

The first day back to school started a bit cloudy but turned into a glorious Hawkes Bay day. Senior practice exams continued this week, with nothing else happening to allow our students time to focus on these important exams.

Summer sport has started and our 1<sup>st</sup> XI cricket team was active in a week long cricket tournament held during the holidays at Cornwall Park. Our rugby players were also active during the holidays. Five of our senior rugby players started for the Hawkes Bay U18 rugby team against Wellington, with three of these players scoring tries in a well-deserved win for Hawkes Bay.

There are only four school weeks left for our seniors before they head off for exams, so please keep these young men and our teachers in your prayers as the pressure of exams comes on.



### Reignier Catholic School

We welcome all our whānau and new children to Reignier Catholic School for Term Four. It is fantastic to have everyone back at school and we pray for our Auckland schools who are continuing to learn remotely. We began the term with a Rosary liturgy in individual classrooms, due to COVID Alert levels, with our focus on Mary and the Mission month of October.

This week, we are delving deeper into our prayer life with learning around traditional, devotional, imaginative and meditative prayer. We have also resumed classes attending Mass on Thursdays which is a blessing. We welcome phone calls from families who would like a Catholic education for their children. Come and chat with us. Enjoy the long weekend. God bless.

### 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 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.



### 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](http://www.foodforfaith.org.nz/rosary)



### Sacred Heart College, Napier

Due to Covid Alert Levels we have had to postpone our PTA organised Sir John Kirwan Parent evening. This also means that he is unable to travel to present to our girls on Friday 29 October. John has made himself available in March next year and we look forward to that. Our PTA are pleased to advise that our Quiz night is still going ahead on 27th November at the Taradale RSA. On Wednesday and Thursday our Year 12 and 13 PE students went on an overnight tramp on the Te Puia Track. We are looking forward to a very busy term with external exams and school camps.



### 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](mailto: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**



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### Christ the King Feast Day, Sunday 21 November.

A pilgrimage of Gratitude, of Calling today and Future Dedication. Families following Christ Our Lord in Marist footsteps, join us in celebrating the call of Christ by visiting some holy sites in our parish. Gather first at the Mission Cellars, on the flat at the end of the avenue of Plane Trees, 198 Church Road, Taradale. Meet at 3:00pm, concluding at 5:00pm, Sunday 21st November. Father John Craddock sm, co-ordinator.

### Message from SVDP for the Taradale Community

We are at that time of the year again when we take the food collected during the week, if we are without Sunday Masses, and store it for our Christmas Cheer Parcels. Last year from your special food donated we were able to make up 25 parcels of Christmas food boxes for our families less well off than most of us. November and December donated food will be again collected for these boxes. We thank you very sincerely, as I've said before, God is not outdone in generosity!



### 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.



### 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.



### Can We Help With WINZ?

In these times of high rent and high cost of housing needs, WINZ may be able to assist with accommodation, rent and other housing costs. There also may be other benefits available.

For example, the exact amount for rent assistance depending on circumstances for a single person, the entry threshold for rent or board is \$63 a week, a couple \$162 a week.

Our St Vincent de Paul's St Patrick's Conference understands that it can be difficult accessing help. We can offer our support by going to WINZ with the person who is requesting help. Please phone Helen 8357036 if you require this assistance.

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### Mass Intentions and Anniversaries

**Recently Deceased:** Alex McClelland

**Anniversaries:** Clare Manning (19/10), Pat Spurdle (21/10), MaryEllen McGrath (22/10), Zoie Prietos (24/10), Muriel Atkinson (29/10)

**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

### 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 BNZ bank account details are as follows:

**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 Thomas More Lotto 2021-Round 5

Draw 2, No 13 - Mary Vanderspeck

THANK  
YOU!

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

THANK  
YOU!

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

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

### 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.

### 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.

### 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.

### Liturgy Readings

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

**Next Week:** Deut 6:2-6; Heb 7:23-28; Mk 12:28-34

### 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.

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