

## Feast Days in the Twenty-Ninth Week of Ordinary Time

- **Mon 22 Oct:** St John Paul II, pope.
- **Tue 23 Oct:** Optional for St John of Capistrano, priest. Born 1386, he had a vision while a prisoner of war that made him long to enter religion. In 1416 joined the Franciscan Order, ordained 1420, began preaching throughout Italy. Was several times vicar general of the Order. Preached throughout Eastern Europe against the Hussite heresy until the Turks captured Constantinople in 1453. He raised an army to fight the Turks in Hungary. Died of the plague in 1456.
- **Wed 24 Oct:** Optional for St Anthony Claret, bishop. Born Spain 1807, ordained 1835. His uncompromising preaching style raised hostility against him. In 1849 founded a missionary institute for priests. Appointed bishop of Santiago in Cuba in 1850 and spent six years there. It was arduous work, he antagonized the slave owners and attempts were made on his life. In 1857 appointed confessor to Queen Isabella of Spain. In 1868 revolution caused his exile to France, where he died in 1870.

## PROLIFE NEWS

At the end of October, Andrew Little, the Minister of Justice will table in Parliament, the Law Commission's review of abortion law. There will be considerable media interest and support for abortion as a "health issue". However, the churches in NZ are confronted with the moral issue of the preborn child officially looked upon as of no value and disposable.

[www.voiceforlife.org.nz](http://www.voiceforlife.org.nz)

## Pregnancy Help — Auckland —

For info call us on 373 2599  
[auckland@pregnancyhelp.org.nz](mailto:auckland@pregnancyhelp.org.nz)  
[www.pregnancyhelp.org.nz](http://www.pregnancyhelp.org.nz)



## Joshua Catholic Men's Fellowship North

**Shore** — Invites all men to our October meeting: **Wed 31 Oct. 7.30—9.30pm.** Guest

Speaker, Michael Pervan: "Mystical theology of St John of the Cross". St Josephs Centre, 1 Fred Thomas Dr. Takapuna. Want to know more? Contact Russell 0220345678. [www.joshua.org.nz](http://www.joshua.org.nz)

**JOB OPPORTUNITY, The Catholic Institute (TCI)** — TCI needs an energetic and well-organised leader for its Auckland operation, based in Ponsonby. The role involves a mix of communication, promotion, relationship management, administration and quality management. Relationships with the Māori and/or Pasifika communities in Auckland would be helpful. Gerald Scanlan, the TCI Director, at [g.scanlan@tci.ac.nz](mailto:g.scanlan@tci.ac.nz) or 021 375 292. Applications close Monday 5 November.

## ANNIVERSARIES

- Oct 20:** Mary Vause 1996, James Cossar 1999
- Oct 21:** Rev Michael Furlong 1962, Margaret McMeiken 1983, David Brideson 2012
- Oct 22:** Robert Morrissey 1943, Helena Corrigan 1962
- Oct 23:** Molly Ross, 2008
- Oct 24:** Deliah Elvy 1942, John Wallace 1944, Marjorie Sotheran 2012
- Oct 25:** Fredrick Parkes 1906, Benjamin Mendoza 1991
- Oct 26:** Ireen O'Hara 1996, Molly Hickey 2009
- Oct 27:** Winifred Kavanagh 1953, Christina O'Brien 1959



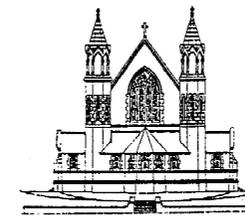
## Devonport Catholic Parish

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## TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME : 21 OCTOBER 2018

We all nurse a secret dream of glory. We daydream that in some way we will stand out and be recognised. And so we fantasise about great achievements that will set us apart from others and make us famous. The daydreams vary but, inside them, always we are at the center—the most admired person in the room, the one scoring the winning goal, the ballerina star, the actor picking up the Academy award, the author writing the best-seller, the intellectual winning the Nobel Prize, or even just the one in the circle who tells the best story.

What we are chasing in all this is notice, appreciation, uniqueness, and adulation so that we can be duly recognised and loved. We want the light to be shining on us. We see this illustrated in the Gospels in the incident where James and John come to Jesus and ask him to give them the seats of glory at his side. Jesus takes their request seriously and does not, on that occasion, caution them against pride. Rather he asks them: "Can you drink from the cup [of suffering] that I shall drink?" In naïveté, they answer: "We can!" Jesus replies: "The cup that I shall drink you shall drink, but as for the seats [of glory] at my right hand or left, these are not mine to give."

What Jesus is saying, in effect, is this: You will taste suffering, everyone will, and that suffering will make you deep. But, it won't necessarily make you deep in the right way. Suffering can make you deep in compassion and forgiveness, but it can also make you deep in bitterness and anger. However only compassion and forgiveness bring glory into your lives.

Jesus defines glory very differently than we do. Real glory, for him, is not the glory of winning a gold medal, of being a champion, of winning an Oscar, or of being an object of envy because of our looks or our achievements. Glory consists in being deep in compassion, forgiveness, and graciousness—and these are not often spawned by worldly success, by being better-looking, brighter, richer, or better muscled than those around us.

We all nurse the secret dream of glory. Partly this is healthy, a sign that we are emotionally well. However, this is something that needs to grow and mature inside of us. Our secret dream of glory is meant to mature so that eventually we will begin, more and more, to envision ourselves as standing out, not by talent, looks, muscles, and speed, but by the depth of our compassion and the quality of our forgiveness.



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**Parish Priest:** Fr Larry Rustia **Parish Secretary:** Emma Antipuesto-Tomanan

**St Leo's Catholic School:** 4459339 [www.stleos.school.nz](http://www.stleos.school.nz)

**Principal:** Maureen Harris **Parish-School Reps:** Fr Larry Rustia, Peter Wolfkamp

**Parish Newsletter: (DEADLINE 9am THURS.)** Ph: Presbytery 4450078

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**Sunday Mass Times: Sat. Vigil: 5.30pm Sunday: 9.00am**

**Weekday Times: Mon: 8am Liturgy. Tues, Thurs & Sat: 9am Holy Mass**

**Wed & Fri: 12pm Holy Mass**

**Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday, after 9.00am Mass**

For a Catholic Chaplain to visit a patient at North Shore Hospital, ph 358 0825 Ext. 1019

### Sunday Dishes:

28 Oct — Corenna

### Counting Roster:

28 Oct — Shyrelle & Brian

**Flowers:** 26 Oct — Maria

**Cleaning:** 3 Nov —

Moata'ane

The gospel of Mark presents a paradox. On the one hand we encounter Jesus as a figure of immense power: he rebukes demons, calms the sea, and teaches with authority. On the other he steadfastly renounces the use of power. He calls himself a servant and insists that his disciples make themselves slaves to all.

### 28<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME

*Christ, The Suffering Servant Of God*  
World Mission Sunday

**Isaiah 53:10-11** If he offers his life in atonement, he shall see his heirs, he shall have a long life.

**Ps 32: Lord, let your mercy be upon us, as we place our trust in you.**

**Heb 4:14-16** Let us be confident in approaching the throne of grace.

**Mark 10:35-45** The Son of Man came to give his life as a ransom for many.

30<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME *The Lord Who Works Marvels* 28 Oct

**Jer 31:7-9** I will comfort the blind and the lame as I lead them back

**Ps 125 The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy.**

**Heb 5:1-6** You are a priest of the order of Melchizedek, and for ever

**Mark 10:46-52** Master, let me see again.

#### Lectors:

**(21 Oct) Sat** D Lamont K Petrie **Sun** M Lyttelton Y Braid

**(28 Oct) Sat** N Witham-Blackwell A Blackwell **Sun** A & N Gibson

#### Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:

**(21 Oct) Sat** M Burke P McKay J Kellett **Sun** K Law F Sapa'u S Gillies

**(28 Oct) Sat** M & H Dennis M Burke **Sun** A Steel K Lynch M Lyttelton

## MISSION SUNDAY



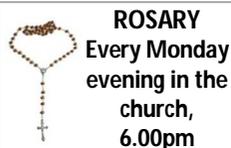
Parishioners are reminded that today is Mission Sunday. This

collection is the major fundraiser for the work of the Pontifical Mission Societies. Please give generously today. For further information, refer the MissioNZ website: <https://missio.nz/>

### "WITH THE YOUTH WE PROCLAIM THE GOSPEL"

Pope Francis has called every man and woman to be a part of mission. In his World Mission Day message he speaks especially to the youth to take an active role in mission, however also reminds us that mission revitalises faith and that all Christians are called to mission as we are children of God.

The Pontifical Mission Societies (MISSIO) supports life-giving work in 160 countries around the world. Today you will learn one of the many stories from people and projects that have benefitted from the prayers and dedicated support of people like you.



**ROSARY**  
Every Monday evening in the church, 6.00pm

## CATHOLIC ENQUIRY CENTRE

Please support and pray for the evangelisation work of the Catholic Enquiry Centre in New Zealand. [www.catholicenquiry.nz](http://www.catholicenquiry.nz)

## Youth News Diocesan Youth

**Mass:** Sunday 28 October 7pm, St Patrick's Cathedral. "Called To Follow", hosted by Emmaus. [www.akyouth.org.nz](http://www.akyouth.org.nz) for more info.

## Te Ngakau Waiora: Mercy Spirituality Centre

(104 The Drive, Epsom)

**Connections Series: A Biblical Panoramic World View** — with Fr KEVIN WALDIE. Wed 24 Oct, 7-9pm. \$15. This session we will consider a range of texts from the holy authors who wrote the first five books of the Bible (Genesis to Deuteronomy)

**Retreat Day: Nurturing Our Contemplative Selves** — with MARY BETZ. Sat 3 Nov, 9.30am-3.30pm. \$45. BYO Lunch. This day will invite us to reflect gently on how our year or, indeed, our lives, have evolved so far.

**Dreamwork 103: Inspirational Dreams and Visions** — with MARGARET BOWATER. Sat 3 Nov, 9.30am-4pm. \$95. Booking essential. BYO lunch

Booking essential:

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[www.mercyspiritualitycentre.org.nz](http://www.mercyspiritualitycentre.org.nz),  
or ph 638 6238

**Let's Take a Walk Through the Mass**  
This is a workshop presented by the Liturgy Centre, Auckland Diocese, at **Christ the King Parish, Ōwairaka** on **Saturday October 27<sup>th</sup>, 10 am – 1pm** (please arrive 9.30 to begin at 10am). This workshop explores the words and meaning of the Mass and how we participate in the Mass. It is for anyone who would like to know more about the Mass, or who would like to be better at explaining the Mass to their children or grandchildren. To register please email [liturgycentre@cda.org.nz](mailto:liturgycentre@cda.org.nz) and check out the poster on the noticeboard

## Catechists MASS

All those who "Echo the Word", Catechists (RE, Sacramental, RCIA), Leaders of Children's Liturgy etc. — are invited to celebrate and give thanks with Bishop Pat for their ministry. **Saturday 27 October 5.30pm at the Cathedral of St Patrick and St Joseph.** Validated parking available

## PRAYERS OF REMEMBRANCE

Sunday, 4 November at 3.00pm

All parishioners of North Shore are invited to come and pray for their departed loved ones at **North Shore Memorial Park Cemetery**, Schnapper Rock Rd, Albany, in the **Ash Memorial** area. *Hosted by local Catholic parishes of North Shore.*

## Jubilee Bursaries

for University theological education  
**APPLICATIONS INVITED**  
for Semester 1, 2019

Applications close:

**Thursday, 15 November 2018.**

**Applicants must be Catholic and making a contribution to the mission of the Catholic Church in the Auckland Diocese.** The bursaries are a contribution toward university fees for Theology and RE courses.

For information and an application pack please contact: Michelle Jarvis, [michellej@cda.org.nz](mailto:michellej@cda.org.nz), Ph: (09) 360-3091

Catholic Schools Office, For the Jubilee Bursary Committee



## ST LEO'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL, DEVONPORT

### 125 YEAR JUBILEE

Come and join in with us as we celebrate the 125<sup>th</sup> Jubilee of St Leo's Catholic School.

The celebration will be held on **Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> November 2018**. There will be a special **11am celebratory Mass** with Bishop Patrick Dunn, followed by a **lunch and celebration in the Hall**.

Tickets are required for the Sunday morning tea or lunch, please book your tickets now through the following link <https://www.trybooking.com/nz/book/event?eid=299>

*We are very excited for this special weekend and would love to share it with you all.*

**And don't miss the St Leo's School Village Fair on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> November 11am to 2pm**

## St Leo's Hall Renovation Project

### THANK YOU

to the Devonport-Takapuna Local Board

A really big thanks to the Devonport-Takapuna Local Board who have kindly granted the St Leo's Hall Renovation project **\$8,000** which will help towards completion of the new kitchen, the building of which is currently in progress.



## All are welcome to join our Parish Choir

If you love to sing or interested in learning more about singing we would love to hear from you!

Everyone is welcome to join – all ages & all abilities. There is no audition and you don't need to know how to read music. The choir will learn a range of beautiful sacred music; from early polyphony to contemporary choral compositions. This singing group will be led by new parishioner Olivia Webb. Olivia is a classically trained soprano specializing in Early Ensemble Music & has directed choirs and music groups in Christchurch, Wellington & overseas. She has recently moved back to Devonport to complete her PhD in Art. If you're up for the great challenge & joy that comes from singing beautiful music, sign up today!

**Simply leave your name and contact details on the form at the back of the Church**, or with Fr Larry, Olivia (022 3435 460) or the Parish Office ([office@devonportcatholic.org.nz](mailto:office@devonportcatholic.org.nz); 09 445 0078). We will then be able to find the best possible rehearsal time.