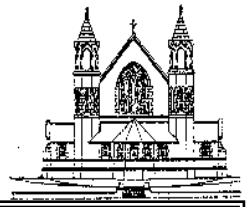




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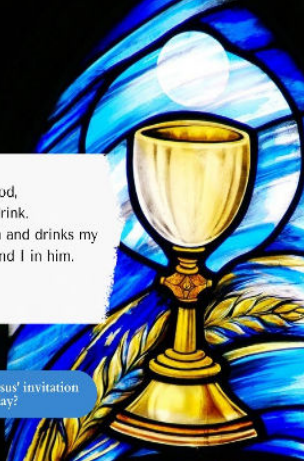
CORPUS CHRISTI SUNDAY JUNE 11TH, 2023

SUNDAY JUNE 11

*The Solemnity of the
Body & Blood of Christ*

For my flesh is true food,
and my blood is true drink.
Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my
blood remains in me and I in him.

John 6:55-56



Will you accept Jesus' invitation
to receive him today?



Wings.Ngā Parirau

**Know your faith:
Share your faith**

**Meet Jesus -
in his Word
in others
in yourself**

Are you
involved with:

- RCIA
- Sacramental preparation
- Children's Lit.
- Whanau

This is for you!

Pompallier Diocesan Centre 10-3pm
30 New St. St Mary's Bay, Ponsonby
15th July - 5th August - 7th October

register: Dianna - dfouhy@cda.org.nz

Welcome to St Leo's students, parents and staff as we celebrate this term's Family Mass. Many thanks for their hospitality after Mass, over the road in the Hall.

**E tū te mana o Te Ao: Building a
Climate of Hope**

Healing the wounded body of Christ

Webinar Series. Wednesdays 14 June – 5 July,
7.30-8.30pm NZST

Aotearoa New Zealand can play a key role in efforts to address the climate crisis globally. Our top priority must be to cut our emissions quickly because they are the key driver of climate change. Our most distinctive role however is to help nature restore itself, which in turn brings climate and many other benefits. How fast and well we do in this role helps to give hope to the peoples of other countries.

This four-part webinar series features inspiring speakers and respondents, including: Dr Jane Goodall DBE, Founder of the Jane Goodall Institute & UN Messenger of Peace, Rabbi Dean Shapiro, Mary Moeono-Kolio, Climate Activist, Pacific Climate Warriors, and the Rt Hon Helen Clark, Former PM of NZ, Former Administrator to the UNDP. Webinars 1, 3 and 4 will be moderated by Rod Oram, respected journalist and RDC Climate Action Group member.

Register for your seat at the table starting this coming Wednesday. Registrations (for all or any of the series) are open at <https://rdc.org.nz/rdc-webinar-series-2023/>

The Body and Blood of Christ Sun 11th June

The Food And Drink Of Eternal Life

Deuteronomy 8:2-3,14-16 *He fed you with manna which neither you nor your fathers had known.*

Psalms 148:12-15,19-20 *Praise the Lord, Jerusalem!*

1Corinthians 10:16-17 *That there is one loaf means that, though many of us, we form one body.*

John 6:51-52 *My flesh is real food and my blood is real drink.*

Eleventh Week of Ordinary Time Sunday 18th June

Our Calling

Exodus 19:2-6 *I will count you a kingdom of priests, a consecrated nation.*

Psalms 100:2-3,5 *we are his people, the sheep of his flock.*

Romans 5:6-11 *Having been reconciled by the death of his Son, surely we may count on being saved by the life of his Son.*

Matthew 9:36-10:8 *He summoned his twelve disciples and sent them out.*

Ministries

Sat June 10

Sun June 11

Welcome: Shawn Pearce-Blom

Linda Lampen-Smith

Readers: Liz McMaster
Steve Burke

Vanessa Baldey
Gerard Dobbs

Communion: Mila Burke

Flo Sapa'u

Ministries

Sat June 17

Sun June 18

Welcome: Kath Petrie

Anne Gibson

Readers: Robert Mannion
Damian Wallis

Yem Braid
Ben Upton

Communion: Riaan Blom

Adrienne Ramskill

Heroes and Villains Concert

StarLight Talent Showcase 2023

Our North Shore Regional Talent showcase StarLight is back again this year on the 22nd of July at Rosmini College. Lets encourage our parish youth to participate and also support youth from our parish by attending the event if you can. More details on the

StarLight FB page <https://www.facebook.com/starlighttalentshowcase>

Let us remember those whose who have died recently or whose anniversaries occur at this time:

Jun 12: James Farrelly 1913, Nelson Bassett 2015

Jun 13: Lester Baldock 2009, Alfred Lamont 2018

Jun 14: Patrick Sheehan 1979, Francis O'Hara 1981, Martin Hartigan 1984, Noelle Knottenbelt 2010, Noreen Dennis 2016

Jun 15: Pauline Boyd 1992

Jun 16: Samuel Johnson 1994, George Moore 2001, Stella McCullough 2013

Jun 17: Flavia Brady 1996

Jun 18: Elizabeth McLean 1982

Rosary 6pm& Meditation 6.30 Mondays Scripture 7pm Wednesdays

Kidz Corner and Parent Ponderings—Family Prayer Resources

[Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ](https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/wp-content/uploads/2023/06/The-most-Holy-BODYand-BLOOD-of-CHRIST.pdf)
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Auckland Transport has notified us about work in Devonport June-October this year. It includes upgrading of the crossing to St Leo's in Victoria Road as a raised zebra crossing, to cut down the risk of accidents. To learn more go to AT.govt.nz/Devonportsafespeeds. See noticeboard at the back of the church for further details of work in the area.

From the Diocese

Seminar at Mary MacKillop Centre Chapel Mission Bay **Liturgy for a New Church: the Challenge of Real Participation** Facilitators: Jo Ayers and Fr Neil Darragh, Saturday 17 June; 10am – 2pm, \$30 waged/ \$20 unwaged. Registrations: Sr Julian Ph 09 528 1801 **See Poster at back of Church**

Wings.Ngā Parirau Faith Formation Programme is happening in our Auckland Diocese from July to October. It's for all who want to grow in their faith. In particular, 'Wings' is for all who are involved with RCIA, Baptism and other Sacramental programmes, Children's Liturgy, Whanau. Come to the Diocesan Centre, 30 New St, Ponsonby, for three sessions: Saturdays -15th July, 5th August, 7th October. 10-3pm. To register please contact Dianna Fouhy on diannaf@cda.org.nz, 0212612189. Light lunch will be provided.

Theology of the Body for Teens What is love? Where do I get my identity from? What is the purpose of my sexuality? How can I live in authentic freedom, grow in virtue and build healthy friendships? Dates : Weekend Course. Saturday 22 July 2-6pm and Sunday 23 July 12-6pm. Age: 13-19 year olds. Venue: Hillsborough, Auckland. To register or for more information: theologyofthebody.nz or email tobauckland@gmail.com

90th JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS ST MARY'S SCHOOL, NORTHCO We are celebrating 90 years on the 1st September, 2023, and we invite all past and present students, staff, families, and supporters to celebrate this wonderful occasion with us. Register your interest by emailing jubilee@sms.school.nz with your details or phone the school office on (09) 4184333 for more information.

Mary in the Scriptures with Kieran Fenn fms. Mondays, 19/26 June & 03/10 July, 7-8.30pm. ZOOM. Fee: free. Donation/Koha appreciated. <https://www.studyjoy.nz/2023/04/25/mary-in-the-scriptures/>

From St Leo's

Nga mihi nui kia koutou and a warm St Leo's greeting to you all

We are pleased to share this Sunday's Mass for Corpus Christi with the Parish, and to offer hospitality afterwards in the Hall.

This week we had a group of children represent the school at the Peninsula Cross Country. They all did very well and made the school proud. Congratulations to Lucetta Thomas-Cheng who came 3rd in her race.

We had a visit from all the 4 year olds from the Navy daycare and they joined St Clare's class for part of the morning. They had a lovely time getting to know the St Leo's children and interacting with them. They will be choosing primary schools next year and we hope they will choose St Leo's.

God Bless,

Vimi Chandra, Principal



*Matariki
Crafts & Kai*

*Friday 23 June
3:30pm - 5:30pm*

*Takapuna Methodist Church
427 Lake Road, Takapuna*

*Simple crafts from 3:30
Afternoon tea & sausage sizzle*

*A free community event
All are welcome!*

Feast Days in the Tenth Week of Ordinary Time

Tue 13 Jun: Memorial for **St Anthony of Padua, priest and doctor of the Church**. Born Lisbon, Portugal, 1195. Entered the Canons Regular of St Augustine, but after ordination, joined the Friars Minor. Exceptional talent as a preacher, and was sent throughout Italy and France to preach against the Catharist heresy. He was the first theologian of the Franciscan Order. He died in 1231.

FRI 16 JUN: SOLEMNITY for THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS. (*Always celebrated on the Friday after Corpus Christi Sunday*). **The heart that was pierced.** Mankind's rejection of God's love is tragically symbolized by the piercing of the heart of Christ on the cross. Ezek 34:11-16 Ps 23 Rom 5:5-11 Luke 15:3-7.

Sat 17 Jun: Memorial for **the Immaculate Heart of Mary.**

The US Supreme Court's decision in *Dobbs v. Jackson Women's Health Organization* (in 2022) concluded that there is nothing in the Constitution's text, history, American legal tradition, or the Court's precedents that justified the extreme holding of the original *Roe v Wade* decision, and ended nearly fifty years of abortion on demand.

For more pro-life info, visit *Voice For Life* at www.voiceforlife.org.nz.



We are delighted to welcome those children who have been baptized recently into the Parish family. The usual timing for Baptisms is on the 3rd weekend of the month. Parents wishing to have their children baptized should first talk with Fr Neil.

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Parish Secretary: Kathleen Petrie

Parish Bank Account: BNZ 02-0100-0120958-16 (please write the purpose of your donation as reference e.g. AV system, General)

St Leo's Catholic School: (09) 445-9339 www.stleos.school.nz

St Leo's Catholic School Principal: Vimi Chandra

Bishop's Reps: Clare Wilde, Steven Albrecht, Anna Rumble

Parish Office Hours: Mon, 9-12.30 Tues, Thurs, Fri 9:00am to 1:00pm
closed Wednesdays

Parish Newsletter: (*Publication Deadline 9am THURS.*)

Masses next weekend

Vigil Sat : 5.30pm, Sun: 9.30am

Masses This Week

Wednesday and Friday 12 noon, Saturday 9 am.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: after 9 am Saturday Mass.

Ministry Reminders

Flowers:

16/06 Kate O'Rourke

23/06 Annie Gray

Church Cleaning

22/06 Moataáne family

Counters

11/06 Shyrelle & Brian Mitchell

Hospitality

11/06 St Leo's parents

18/06 Kate Casey

Altar Servers

11/06 Joseph Wolfkamp, Leo Radford

18/06 Bella & Chiara Albrecht

Children's Liturgy Leaders

11/06 St Leo's Family Mass—no Children's Liturgy

18/06 Catherine and Claire Gillies