

DEVONPORT CATHOLIC PARISH

St Francis de Sales & All Souls

2a Albert Road, Devonport, Auckland, 0624



TRINITY SUNDAY JUNE 4TH, 2023



Trinity Sunday

In the name of the Father the Son and the Holy Spirit

How do I experience God's presence in my daily life? How do I reflect the presence of God in my life?

May the God of hope fill us with joy and peace, so that we may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit;

and the Blessing of God, the Holy Three-in-One, be with us,

and all those whom we love, and all those who love us, and all those named and unnamed we pray for today and always. Amen.

St Leo's Family Mass next Sunday.

The families from St Leo's will join us for 9.30 Mass nest Sunday, Corpus Christi, and will provide Hospitality afterwards.

There will be no Children's Liturgy at that Mass.



The mystery of the Trinity can be approached as a theological conundrum or as an adventure in faith. The word of God invites us to take the latter route. The readings help us retrace some of the steps taken by our forebears in faith as they were led to discover Father, Son and Spirit communing in the one Godhead and enfolding the whole of creation in their love.

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

The God Of Love And Peace

Exodus 34:4-6,8-9 Lord, Lord, a God of tenderness & compassion

Psalm: Daniel 3:52-56: Glory and praise for ever!

2Corinthians 13:11-13 The grace of Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit.

John 3:16-18 God sent his Son so that through him the world might be saved.

THE BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST 11 June The Food And Drink Of Eternal Life

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

Psalm 148: Praise the Lord, Jerusalem!

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

John 6:51-58 My flesh is real food and my blood is real drink.

Ministries	Sat June 3	Sun June 4
Welcome:	Shawn Pearce-Blom	Anne Gibson
Readers:	Nicky Witham-Blackwell	Sarah Sparks
	Steve Burke	Nevil Gibson
Communion:	Denise Ross	Pauline Baker

Ministries	Sat June 10	Sun June 11
Welcome:	Kath Petrie	Linda Lampen-Smith
Readers:	Liz McMaster	Vanessa Baldey
	Steve Burke	Gerard Dobbs
Communion:	Mila Burke	Flo Sapa'u

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

Jun 05: Rose Wallace 1988, Raymond Smith 1996,

Helen Ogilvie 2022

Jun 06: Lorna Watt 1995, Jill Carter 1998, Peter Newbold 2004

Jun 07: Percy Halsey 1983, John Maher 2000, Loretto Levland 2010

Jun 08: Charles Peacock 1979

Jun 09: James Henderson 1922, Hilda (Molly) Longbottom 2007, Jane-Mary Menzies 2022

Jun 10: Margaret Shore 1948, Margaret McCarthy

Jun 11: Jane Redman 1918, Alfred (Jim) Hendry 1999

Voice for Life Auckland AGM

13 June, 7:30 p.m. at 72 Trias Rd, Totara Vale, Auckland. This is an open session for anyone who is interested in finding out more from VFL Auckland. Come along to hear the impact and the facts around abortion and euthanasia, and to be better equipped to be a voice for the voiceless.

Rosary 6pm& Meditation 6.30 Mondays Scripture 7pm Wednesdays



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Kidz Corner and Parent Ponderings—Family Prayer Resources

HOLY TRINITY: https://

www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/wp-content/uploads/2023/05/HOLY-TRINITY.pdf

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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

Taize Prayer Evening Friday 9 June 7pm, Mary MacKillop Chapel, 56 Selwyn Ave, Mission Bay. **See poster at back of Church**

Climate Action webinars in the spirit of Pope Francis' Laudato Si' and 'Letter: A Message for our Earth' are to be held from 14 June to 5 July. They have been organised by the Religious Diversity Centre (RDC) Climate Action Group with the theme, 'E tū mana o Te Ao, Building a Climate of Hope' especially from a view of the Pacific region to mitigate the challenges of climate change and to adapt against future disasters.

For further information including registration details please go to: https://rdc.org.nz/rdc-webinar-series-2023/

Reflecting on St Luke's Gospel A Social Justice Retreat 9.30-4pm on Saturday 10 June 2023 at St Francis Retreat Centre 20



Hillsborough Road, led by Bible Scholar of more than 40 years, Br Kieran Fenn, FMS Cost: \$30 including lunch. Applications to Peter Garrick peterg@cda.org.nz phone 022 1300 730

St Leo's Catholic School is looking for homestays for International students from China. They will be here for varying lengths of time between 17 July and 25 August. It will be one child and a parent requiring accommodation.

There will be payment for the accommodation.

Any questions or offers of help please contact

From St Leo's

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

St Catherine News

This week St Catherine students made cupcakes with Miss Forrest who is a student teacher in St Clares. This was part of their writing programme and a trial run for SPCA cupcake day.

Waterwise Regatta

I was lucky enough to pay a visit to the Waterwise



regatta which was held last week at Narrow Neck Beach. Four students represented our school. Congratulations to these amazing tamariki for winning the regatta; May Upton, Nicolas Busch, Maddie Atkinson and James Farrell. I was proud to be part of this wonderful event. The students showed awesome leadership skills and team work. They reflected the St Leo's values in how they presented themselves and their attitude towards each other and the other students from the different schools. Many thanks to the parents and friends who make it possible for us to participate in Waterwise by their training and support.

God Bless, Vimi Chandra, Principal

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Registration Form, either on paper at the
back of the church, or on the website Parish
Registration - St. Francis de Sales and All Souls
Church (devonportcatholic.org.nz)

Feast Days in the Ninth Week of Ordinary Time

- Mon 5 Jun: Memorial for St Boniface, bishop and martyr. Born England c 673, called Winifred until Pope Gregory II gave him the name Boniface, consecrated bishop by the pope during a visit to Rome in 722. Boniface traveled throughout Germany where he established or restored dioceses, and set up monasteries, notably at Fulda, where he is buried. Continued his itinerant missionary life, and was killed by pagans in Friesland in 754.
- <u>Tue 6 Jun</u>: Optional for St Marcellin Champagnat, priest. Born in Marlhes, France, 1789, ordained a
 priest in Archdiocese of Lyons. Consecrated to Mary, Marcellin felt called to found a religious order
 of Brothers to bring the message of Jesus' love to neglected youth. Today his vision is embodied in
 Marist Brothers living on five continents. The Champagnat charism is embraced by 3 Auckland
 schools—St Paul's, Sacred Heart and Marcellin College. Canonized by JPII in 1999.
- <u>Fri 9 Jun</u>: Optional for St Ephrem, deacon and doctor of the Church. Born about 306 in Nisibis,
 Turkey. Ordained deacon and given charge of a school of theology which later moved to Edessa.
 Lived an ascetic life teaching, preaching, writing. His hymns and sermons survive and are still an inspiration.

Some interesting reading from CathNewsNz (free subscription www.cathnews.co.nz) Vatican's Cardinal Luis Antonio Tagle to visit New Zealand

Evangeliser's strength comes from practising what one preaches, Pope says

Covid's mental health effect needs care says Bloomfield

Shakeup good for the Church (re. Palmerston North fire)

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

Parish Newsletter: (Publication Deadline 9am THURS.)

<u>Masses next weekend</u>

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:

9/06 Anne Gibson 16/06 Kate O'Rourke

Church Cleaning

8/06 Maria Fleming 22/06 Moataáne family

Counters

4/06 Maria & Jeremy Fleming 11/06 Shyrelle & Brian Mitchell

Hospitality

4/06 Karen 11/06 Yem

Altar Servers

4/06 James Farrell, Maddie
Atkinson
11/06 Joseph Wolfkamp, Leo

Radford

Children's Liturgy Leaders

4/06 Holiday weekend—no children's liturgy 11/06 St Leo's Family Mass