



Catholic Parish of Whanganui

Te Pārihi Katorika ki Whanganui (2015)
Diocese of Palmerston North, New Zealand



ST MARY'S CHURCH
1 Campbell Street

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH
22 Tawhero Street

ST ANNE'S CHURCH
47 Raine Street

TE RONGO O TE POI
(Beat of the Poi to the Gospel)
584 Kaiwhaiki Road
Kaiwhaiki Marae

NGAKAU TAPU (Sacred Heart)
4491 Whanganui River Road
Rānana (London)

HĀTO HŌHEPA (St Joseph's)
600 Whanganui River Road
Hiruhārama (Jerusalem)

Twenty-Fourth Sunday on Ordinary Time—The Year of St Joseph

12th September 2021; Year B / Weekdays Year 1

MASS TIMES

Sunday Masses—LEVEL 2

ALL MASSES CANCELLED

Whanganui

5:30pm Vigil (Sat)
9:30am
5:30pm

Holy Family (HF)
St Mary's (SM)
St Anne's (SA)

Kaiwhaiki

11:00am (1st Sun)

Hiruhārama (Jerusalem)

Rānana (London)
12:00pm (4th Sun; alternating venue)

Weekday Masses

Mon	9:00am	HF
Tues	10:00am 11:30am	HF SA
Wed	5:30pm	SM
Thurs	12:05pm	SM
Fri	10:05am 12:05pm	Cullinane SM
Sat	9:30am	SA



ADORATION & BENEDICTION

Wed 6:00pm—7:00pm SM
Fri 9:00am—11:50am SM
concluding with Benediction on Fridays

RECONCILIATION (Rite I)

Fri 11:20am—11:40am SM
Sat 9:00am—9:20am SA
or by appointment

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Sunday Readings: Isa: 50.5-9; Jas: 2.14-15; Mk 8.27-35
Next Week: Wis 2.12, 17-20; Jas: 3.16-4.3; Mk 9.30-37

COVID ALERT LEVEL 2

Dear Brother and Sisters,



We do not know how long we will be in Level 2 or whether the increased restrictions in this level might be relaxed a little at a later date while still keeping us in Level 2. Therefore, these instructions apply in parishes until Tuesday 21 September, at which point I will communicate with you again:

There are to be no public Masses or other liturgical events or in-person parish gatherings in the Diocese.

Churches are to be closed except for funerals, as it is difficult to monitor contact tracing, social distancing, mask wearing, and numbers.

Funerals can take place with a maximum of 50 people in total, with the required social distancing, contact tracing, and wearing of masks. Funerals can take place in a church, and meetings with the family can take place with observance of the Level 2 requirements. The funeral director's instructions must be followed.

Anecdotally it seems that many people are feeling vulnerable with the high transmissibility of the delta virus, and its presence in Wellington in this outbreak. The high level of compliance with the government's restrictions during this outbreak is another indicator of this personal concern, and also shows that people feel responsible for one another and for the common good of all.

✠ John A Cardinal Dew
Apostolic Administrator of Palmerston North Diocese

LIVESTREAM DAILY MASS—During Level we have daily Mass streamed live at 9:30am through YouTube: www.youtube.com/channel/UCOhW87NsoEFVUzPfy8nu2w



Daily Streamed MASS
Celebrant: Fr Vaughan Leslie
Parish Priest
Catholic Parish of Whanganui
During Covid Alert Levels 3 & 4
LIVE 9:30am

HOSPITAL VISITS— If people have a family member or friend in hospital and would like a visit from Norma, please let her, or the office know. We don't always know if some of our parishioners are in hospital and at the moment things are a little different.

TIME TO PRAY TOGETHER – PARISH ZOOM MEETING—Sunday 12 Sep, 10:30am

This will be a time for people to share their prayer intentions and other faith reflections when we as a Parish Community are unable to gather. The focus will be Sunday's gospel reading: Mark 8:27-35. Zoom Meeting Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84219967513?pwd=a2JhVmNQNQgt4SOZRRQ2pxSUNjWW94UT09> Meeting ID: 842 1996 7513 Passcode: 000844

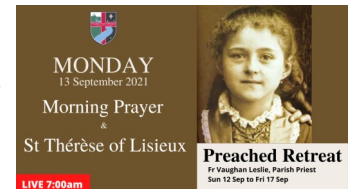


LIVE ONLINE 5-DAY RETREAT—12-17 Sep

During this time when we are unable to gather in our churches, Fr Vaughan is offering a 5-day preached retreat with prayer and reflections on St Theresa of Lisieux and St John of the Cross: 7am & 5:00pm Live, commencing Sunday at 5:00pm and ending Friday at 7am. This will occur on the parish YouTube Channel.



SUNDAY
12 September 2021
Evening Prayer
&
St John of the Cross
Preached Retreat
Fr Vaughan Leslie, Parish Priest
Sun 12 Sep to Fri 17 Sep
LIVE 5:00pm



MONDAY
13 September 2021
Morning Prayer
&
St Thérèse of Lisieux
Preached Retreat
Fr Vaughan Leslie, Parish Priest
Sun 12 Sep to Fri 17 Sep
LIVE 7:00am

Died Recently

Teresa Garland, Frank Procter, Margaret Haddock, Ruth Fenerty, Mel Hawtree, Kathleen Feist & Peter Thiele, Paul Daws, Patrick O'Hara & Trish Moriarty

Anniversaries

Isobel Fahey, George Hoskin, Ivan Haddock, Ian Matheson, Lorraine Hartley, Barbara Carey, Jack Dodd Snr & John Pinkerton

JOSEPHITE RETREAT CENTRE
14 Hillside Tce, Whanganui, 06 345 5047, Ex3
pam.hopper@sosj.org.au,
www.marymackillop.org.nz

DVD Evening – Radioactive—Radioactive is a journey through Marie Currie's enduring legacies – her passionate relationships, scientific breakthroughs, and the consequences that followed for her and for the world. Wed 15 September 6.30pm
Koha Supper provided

Community Liturgy – Peace in Our Common Home Sunday 19 September, 4 – 5pm

Tui Motu Group—Wed 22 Sep 4.30-5.45pm with Liz Hickey rsj **Please remember your mask.**
Enquires, please call Pam on 06 345 5047 ext 3 or email pam.hopper@sosj.org.au

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FIRST RECONCILIATION & CONFIRMATION PREPARATION—This is currently on hold at Level 2 and the Sacraments will be celebrated when we are able to do so.

Te Huinga o ngā Pihopa Katorika o Aotearoa

New Zealand Catholic Bishops Conference

Bishops Deplore Auckland Terrorist Attack

The Catholic Bishops of Aotearoa New Zealand deplore the terrorist attack on innocent people in the supermarket in New Lynn, Auckland, yesterday. To those who have been injured, we hold you in our prayers and pray for your recovery. We are deeply saddened, and our hearts go out to you, your *whānau*, and the wider affected communities. We are conscious that perpetrators of such terror attacks always seek to divide communities as much as to inflict direct violence on individuals. We know that the actions of this one extremist are his crimes alone. The Catholic community of Aotearoa New Zealand stands with people of all faiths and alongside people who profess no faith, as a people united against violence in every form.
Signed:

- ✠ John Dew, Cardinal Archbishop of Wellington, Apostolic Administrator of Palmerston North and NZCBC President
- ✠ Michael Dooley, Bishop of Dunedin
- ✠ Patrick Dunn, Bishop of Auckland
- ✠ Michael Gielen, Auxiliary Bishop of Auckland
- ✠ Stephen Lowe, Bishop of Hamilton and NZCBC Secretary
- ✠ Paul Martin SM, Coadjutor Archbishop of Wellington and Apostolic Administrator of Christchurch.

Social Justice Week 12 – 18 September 2021

Social Justice Week is scheduled by the NZ Catholic Bishops for next week. Each year there is a different theme. This year the theme of Social Justice Week is *A Culture of Encounter: Be the Church*, focussing on encounter and community through the lens of Pope Francis' latest encyclical, *Fratelli Tutti* on fraternity and social friendship. Parish communities are encouraged to take the time to sit with the messages of the encyclical and feel inspired to foster a community of encounter. Caritas Aotearoa New Zealand is the agency set up by the Bishops to resource parishes with material so each parish can focus on the Social Justice theme as each parish sees fit. Resources can be accessed at caritas@caritas.org.nz Type 'Social Justice Week' and that will give access to material available. There may be a Workshop for people who wish to lead parish groups. Caritas will advise each parish directly if so. In view of Covid and the current restrictions, your parish community may choose to focus on the Caritas material later. That's fine. Social Justice isn't confined to a one week slot.

St Marcellin School

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St Mary's School

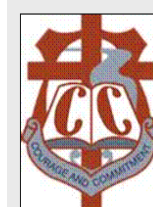
Principal: Mrs Jacqui Luxton
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06 343 1227

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St Anne's School

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Cullinane College

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PARISH GROUPS

SOCIETY OF ST VINCENT DE PAUL

The Whanganui conference of the Society meets 1st & 3rd Wednesdays of each month at Holy Family Church, Tawhero St, Whanganui, **5.00pm**. Enquiries: Marianne Vine 027 422 8170 or Kevin Foley 06 345 0542.



EXPLORING FAITH GROUPS

Mondays 7:30pm-9pm Zoom meeting & Tuesdays 10:00am-Noon. St Marys' Meeting room. Contact and enquires to Nancie & Brian Quigley 06 347 8177 (Evening Group) Jo Smillie 06 345 0609 (Morning Group) Led by Sr John Bosco Kendall rsj. All welcome to attend.

HOLY FAMILY CRAFT GROUP

Meets weekly on Thursdays 9:30am. For further information contact Shirley 06 344 6365

YOUNG ADULTS GROUP

Wednesdays 7-8pm, St Anne's Church Foyer. Contact Sandy Marks via text 027 343 7478.

MEN'S FAITH-SHARING

Fridays 7:00am. For further information and venue contact Peter 06 342 5812

LEGION OF MARY

Meets Tuesdays 4pm at Holy Family Church. For more information contact Lake Falconer 03 344 4170

LADIES COFFEE CLUB

Meets Wednesdays 10am at Bula Bure, London St. All welcome

MAINLY MUSIC

Contact Anne 344 6569
Facebook: [mainlymusicstannes](https://www.facebook.com/mainlymusicstannes)

CLC (CHRISTIAN LIFE COMMUNITY)

Meet every Thursday at 1.00pm -St Mary's Meeting room. All welcome Ph 06 343 8031

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