



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)

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

15th November 2020; Year A / Weekdays Year 2

MASS TIMES

Sunday Masses—LEVEL 1

Whanganui
5:30pm Vigil ^(Sat) **Holy Family** (HF)
9:30am **St Mary's** (SM)
5:30pm **St Anne's** (SA)

Kaiwhaiki
11:00am (1st Sun)

Hiruhārama (Jerusalem)
Rānana (London)
12:00pm (4th Sun; alternating venue)
22 November Venue: Jerusalem

Patea
9:30am (1st, 3rd & 5th Sun)

Waverley
9:30am (2nd & 4th Sun)

Weekday Masses

Mon	9:00am	HF
Tues	10:00am 11:30am 7:00pm (Bereavement Mass)	HF SA SM
Wed	9:30am 5:30pm	Waverley SM
Thurs	9:00am 12:05pm 5:30pm (St Anne's end of year Mass)	HF SM SA
Fri	9:00am 10:10pm 12:05pm	HF Cullinane SM
Sat	9:30am	SA

ADORATION & BENEDICTION

Wed 6:00pm—7:00pm SM
Fri 9:00am—11:45am 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: Prov: 31.10-13; 1 Thess: 5.1-6; Mt: 25.14-30
Next Week: Ez: 34.11-12, 15-17; 1 Cor: 15.20-26, 28; Mt: 25.31-46

COVID LEVEL 1—During level 1 we encourage people to: 1) Scan the covid-19 QR codes or use the manual sign in register, 2) Sanitise hands on entry, 3) if you are unwell, stay at home and get tested.

BEREAVEMENT MASS— Tuesday 17 Nov at 7pm St Mary's Church. To remember those who have died over the past 12 months. Everyone welcome. Supper to follow. If you would like to assist with this important ministry and Mass please contact Ann and Kevin Foley 06 345 0542.

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES FEB 2021 ONWARDS

This year we are transitioning to our Parish being staffed with two priests, meaning there will in fact be a significant number of weeks when only one priest will be resident in the parish. This occurs because allowance needs to be made for days off, annual leave, retreats, other commitments and sick leave as required.



In our Parish of Whanganui we are most fortunate to have Mass on offer each day of the week, something that many parish communities around the country and world are not so fortunate to have for their faithful. This is something we are committed to providing for the City, but that which needs a little consolidation, moving, where possible, to one Mass each weekday as most people presently attending weekday Masses move around our Mass centres as is convenient.

The Parish Pastoral Advisory Team (PPAT) and Fr Vaughan have looked at the days when there are two weekday Masses on offer, considering the fact that funerals and school Masses need to be supplied, whilst also considering the spread and frequency of Masses to be fair to the fact we presently have three Mass centres. Hence, it is likely that the weekday Mass timetable for 2021, beginning February, will be:

**Mon HF, Tue HF & SA, Wed SM,
Thurs SM, Fri Cullinane & SM, Sat SA.**

Weekday Mass times remain the same as would Vigil and Sunday Mass centres/times.

If you have any feedback on this proposal you are welcome to write to our PPAT, C/- Parish Office by 7 Dec 2020.

MONTH OF HOLY SOULS—During the month of Nov we remember to pray for the souls of the faithfully departed. If you would like loved ones remembered as the private Mass intentions of the priest, please deliver to the office an envelope marked "Holy Souls" with names included.

COLUMBAN CALENDARS—On sale at St Mary's Office \$12.00 each.

DAILY MASS CALENDARS—available at the office. \$4.00 each

WHANGANUI LIBRARY MOBILITY BUS—New hours 2.45pm-3.30pm Raine Street WE on Wednesdays

LYRIC SINGERS CONCERT

Saturday, 28 November, 2 pm at St Mary's. Sacred and Contemporary music with special guest, vocalist Geoff Horne. Programmes, Adults, \$15 Children free.

MARIST AGM—Sunday 29th November at 11am Refreshments and nibbles provided. All welcome



PARISH PICNIC 2021—Advanced Notice Mark the date on your calendar: Sunday 14 Feb 2021. This will be held on the grounds around St Anne's Church, at 12:30pm with a shared BBQ lunch (parish supplying bread, sausages and onions) with parishioners invited to bring a salad and dessert to share—Picnic Games for young and old from 11:30am. To volunteer to assist with this event please contact the Parish Office as help is needed with the BBQ and equipment, etc.

NEW PARISH WEBSITE

Come and have a look around; same address but new platform www.catholicparishwhanganui.org.nz

Died Recently

James Garner, Sue Gullery & John Devine

Anniversaries

Victor Silveira, Jackie O'Neill Vera Dodd, Margaret Harris, Ron McPhun, Andy Mora, Pat Smith
Rod Stein & Blair Gleeson
Requiescant in Pace

JOSEPHITE RETREAT CENTRE

14 Hillside Tce, Whanganui, 06 345 5047, Ex3

pam.hopper@sosj.org.au, www.ssj.org.nz

Liturgy – Our Common Home

Sunday 15 November, 4 – 5pm

Tui Motu Group

Wednesday 18 November, 4.30 – 6pm

Creative Card Making

Suitable for beginners and regular crafters alike.

Saturday 21 November, 10am – 12.30pm \$10

with Julia Martin

Advent Reflection

Saturday 28 November, 10am – 3pm \$20

with Jill McLoughlin rs

To register please call Pam on 06 3455 047 ext 3

or email pam.hopper@sosj.org.au

ADVENT RETREAT—with Rex Begley and Fr

Donald Hornsey SSC. 27-29 Nov 2020 (Fri-Sun)

A time to reflect on what's happened to You, our

Church our World since last Christmas.

Magnificat Retreat Centre, Cross Creek Road,

Featherston. **Cost \$190.00. Registration**

required. Contact: [rexandthere-](mailto:rexandthere-sabegley@gmail.com)

sabegley@gmail.com

Ph: 027 545 6808 or 027 967 2299

ON SALE

NZ Catholic \$4

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SHINE TV—will continue to stream Mass every

Sunday at 2pm. To view go to Freeview TV

channel 25 or SkyTV channel 201.

“HIBERNIAN CATHOLIC BENEFIT SOCIETY –

ST PATRICK'S BRANCH 400 Third Quarterly

Meeting: 1.00pm, Monday 16 November 2020 in

the Gathering Area, Cathedral of the Holy Spirit,

197 Broadway Avenue, Palmerston North.”

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED

SACRAMENT—This is now occurring at St

Mary's for the city **Wed 6-7pm & Fri 9am-**

11:45am – concluding with

Benediction on Fridays. **NB:** Wed has now been

reduced to a holy 1 hour to make sure it is

sustainable. **COME AND PRAY WITH CHRIST.**

YOUNG CATHOLIC LEADER is still taking

registrations for the upcoming programme from

Dec14-18, 2020. This programme is for Year 12

students preparing for Year 13 who will have a

leadership role in 2020 or are wanting to better

develop their leadership skills. Students from

Catholic and state schools throughout the Dio-

cese of Palmerston North are welcome to attend.

For more information please contact Nick Wilson

on 021 822 814 or nwilson@pndiocese.org.nz

PARISH YOUTH GROUP

Unfortunately this year it has been very difficult to

get our group off the ground with the challenges

of Covid. We will start with a 'BANG' in 2021 :-)

SVDP CHRISTMAS RAFFLE—

we are gathering items for the raffle. Tickets will be on

sale from the 21st Nov after Sunday Masses.

PASTORAL CARE OF PATEA & WAVERLEY

Msgr Brian Walsh and myself wish to inform all

parishioners that from Sun 3 January 2021,

priestly care for Masses and other Sacraments

will be provided by the Hawera Parish for Patea

and Waverley. This change is partly due to the

restructure that has needed to occur in the

Whanganui Parish which is now only to be staffed

with two fulltime priests.

Fr John Roberts and myself have greatly enjoyed

working in Patea and Waverley, and though we

will miss celebrating the Sacraments for you,

know that you will be served well by Fr Craig

Butler and his team in the future. A thank you

must also be extended to Linda Towers and the

Parish Team who have been wonderful at keeping

us informed and updated. May the Lord bless you

all greatly with his care for 2021 as this change

comes about.

Blessings,

Fr Vaughan Leslie PP



St Marcellin School

Principal: Mrs Maia Williams

7a Totara St, Wanganui

06 349 0023

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www.stmarcellin.school.nz



St Mary's School

Principal: Mrs Jacqui Luxton

DRS: Mrs Cath Daignault

30 London St, Wanganui

06 343 1227

school@stmarys.ac.nz

www.stmarys.ac.nz

St Anne's School

Principal: Mrs Ann-Maree

Manson-Petherick

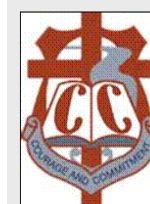
DRS: Mrs Jo Gichard.

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06 343 8389

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Cullinane College

Principal: Mr Justin Harper

DRS: Ms Helen Dougherty

15 Peat St, Wanganui

06 349 0105

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www.cullinanecollege.school.nz

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,

5pm. 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

FOCOLARE

Contact: [facebook.com/Focolare Aotearoa NZ](https://www.facebook.com/FocolareAotearoaNZ)

web: www.focolare.org/en

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

344 4170

LADIES COFFEE CLUB

Meets Wednesdays 10am at The Rutland.

All welcome

MAINLY MUSIC

Contact Anne 344 6569

Facebook: [mainlymusicstannes](https://www.facebook.com/mainlymusicstannes)

CLC (CHRISTIAN LIFE COMMUNITY)

Meet every Monday at 1.00pm. Phone Mike

3438031. All welcome.

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Youth Worker

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