



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)

Fourth Sunday of Easter (Anzac Day) — The Year of St Joseph

25th April 2021; Year B / Weekdays Year 1

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)
25 April venue: Jerusalem

Weekday Masses

Mon	9:00am	HF
Tues	10:00am 11:30am	HF SA
Wed	5:30pm	SM
Thurs	12:05pm	SM
Fri	12:05pm	SM
<i>(No Cullinane Mass: School Holidays)</i>		
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: Acts: 4. 7-12; 1 Jn: 3.1-2; Jn:10.11-18
Next Week: Acts: 9. 26-31; 1 Jn: 3.18-24; Jn:15.1-8

SIGNIFICANT PARISH EVENTS 2021

Dates to Mark—Save the Parish Google Calendar

All parish events and information can be found on our Parish Google calendar, some of which are listed below, so please visit our website today and save the calendar for an up-to-date list of what's taking place here in the Parish of Whanganui.

4-6 June
Corpus Christ 2021 – 40 hours of Adoration
5pm Friday 4 June to 9am Sunday 6 June, ending with Benediction – St Mary's Church. More information coming early May – get ready to sign up to take an hour or two with the Lord.

3 August
First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion
Preparation Programme begins – Parent Meeting – Tuesday 3 Aug, 6:30pm at St Mary's Church. More information on the Parish Website:
www.catholicparishwhanganui.org.nz/sac-prog-timetable

10 August
Confirmation Preparation Programme begins – Parent & Candidate Meeting – Tuesday 10 Aug, 6:30pm at St Mary's Church. More information on the Parish Website:
www.catholicparishwhanganui.org.nz/sac-prog-timetable

15 August
National Marian Shine Dedication Mass – 15 Aug 2021 Mass at St Mary's of the Angels, Wellington. As more details come to hand regarding this significant national event and our Parish's representation in Wellington that day, updates will be share ASAP.

5 September
First Reconciliation (young people of the Parish) – Sunday 5 Sep, 2pm at St Mary's Church.

12 September
Confirmation (teenagers of the Parish) – Sunday 12 Sep, 9:30am at St Mary's Church.

10 October
St Francis Day Blessing of Animals (Pets) – Sunday 10 Oct, 2pm. This will be an ecumenical and community outreach event for the city, on the grassed grounds of St Mary's Church with hospitality to follow.

7 November
First Holy Communion – Sunday 7 Nov, 9:30am at St Mary's Church

16-17 November
Mini Parish Mission – Preached by Archbishop Novatus Rugambwa (Papal Nuncio) – Tue & Wed 16/17 Nov. There will be evening gatherings both days to hear personal testimony from Archbishop Rugambwa, shared hospitality, prayer, devotions and Mass. Full details will be published early October for this faith renewal event.



PAPAL AWARD—the Holy Father, Pope Francis, has awarded the title Knight of the Order of Saint Gregory the Great to **Mr Tony Murphy** in recognition of his outstanding service to the church in the Diocese of Palmerston North.

Our congratulations and blessings go to Tony on receiving this much deserved honour. Well done, and many thanks for your service of eighteen years as our Diocesan manager!

Everyone is invited to the presentation of this Papal Award on Tuesday 11 May, 2:00 pm at the Cathedral of the Holy Spirit, Palmerston North. Afternoon Tea in the Diocesan Rooms will follow the ceremony. No RSVP is required.

Died Recently

Robert Bartley, Robert McLean, Tim Morahan, Kathryn Haddock, Eugene Crotty, Nick Simmons, Claire Hoare, Sr Helen Winter, Norine Cameron & Karen Trillo

Anniversaries

Jean O'Leary, Christine Hurley, Barry Condon, Ellen Haden, Rose O'Leary, Paul Alexander, Patricia Gallagher, Joyce Burrell & Shane Gallagher

JOSEPHITE RETREAT CENTRE

14 Hillside Tce, Whanganui, 06 345 5047, Ex3
pam.hopper@sosj.org.au, www.ssj.org.nz

Creativity Workshop - 3

Drawing: don't leave home without it.
Everybody can draw; learn the basics.
Thursday 29 April, 7 – 8.30pm with Julie Anne Coffey

Creativity Workshop - 4

Developing your creative spirit – Knowing how to create your own work. How to develop your own distinct style. Thursday 6 May, 7 – 8.30pm with Julie Anne Coffey

A taster/Introductory Workshop: On Care for Our Common Home. Praised Be! Laudato Si.

Saturday 8 May, 10am – 2pm, \$20

Please bring your lunch.

with Marie Skidmore rsj and Liz Hickey rsj

To register please call Pam on 06 3455 047 ext 3 or email pam.hopper@sosj.org.au

CHURCH TO RENEW BISHOP POMPALLIER'S DEDICATION OF AOTEAROA NEW ZEALAND TO OUR LADY ASSUMED INTO HEAVEN

All the country's Catholic bishops will gather in Wellington on Sunday 15 August for a Mass to renew Bishop Pompallier's 1838 dedication of Aotearoa New Zealand to Our Lady Assumed into Heaven. The Mass will be celebrated at the Wellington landmark St Mary of the Angels Church, which will become the national shrine of Our Lady Assumed into Heaven. To read more please visit the NZCBC website by clicking on this [link](#).

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THE PRAYER VINE—Any request is prayed for.

Christian names only Please call either
Maureen Ph 3455480 or Barbara Ph 342 5812

LADIES COFFEE GROUP—Venue change

This is now at the Brickhouse Wednesdays 10am.
All are most welcome.

PLANNED GIVING TAX RECEIPTS

These will be available for collection from all the churches this Sunday. After that date they will be at the St Mary's Church foyer.

PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES are ready for collection at St Mary's Church Foyer.

THE PRAYER TREE

Details: contact Merle Manson Ph 344 7652 after 5.00pm each night.
Christian names only are used.

FR CHRIS SKINNER CONCERT—SUN 23 MAY

St Brigid's Parish Feilding is delighted to announce a concert by Fr Chris Skinner at St Brigid's Church, 2pm on Sunday 23rd May. Tickets are \$20 for adults and \$10 for students. Please contact St Brigid's Parish: 323 3980 or stbrigids@xtra.co.nz to book your tickets.

COVID LEVEL 1

During level 1 we encourage people entering our churches to be aware of the following:

- Scan the covid-19 QR codes or use the manual sign in register
- Sanitise hands on entry
- The sign of peace is omitted at this time
- If you are unwell please stay at home and contact health line or your GP to see if you should get tested.

HOSPITAL / REST HOMES—If family members are admitted to hospital or a rest homes please contact the Parish Office know so that we can arrange a visit by a priest or chaplain or arrange for Holy Communion to be taken to them.

St Marcellin School

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7a Totara St, Wanganui
06 349 0023

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St Mary's School

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St Anne's School

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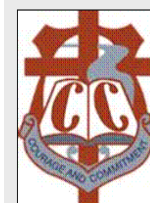


Cullinane College

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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,
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 Brickhouse.
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.

Parish Priest

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Rev Fr John Roberts MSJ
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