

### **Meditation Group**

Every Monday 5-6pm in the Chapel (St Anne's). All welcome Ph: Charmaine 0274800418 or Paulina 02102590750

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Every Thursday 7.15-8.30pm in the Chapel (St Anne's). All welcome Ph Anita 0212523444.

### **Samoa Sunday School**

Every Sunday in the church hall 8.30 - 9.30. All are welcome between 0-18 years.

### **Rosary for Life:**

Every Monday in the Chapel 7pm Contact Pat 2676027 or Bernadette 2669475.

### **Legion Of Mary:**

Juniors & Intermediate: Fridays at 5pm. Seniors: Tuesday 6.30 pm both groups meet in the Parish Lounge. Contact Jacinta 021 02649993

**Divine Mercy Group Prayer Meeting** on Wednesday every week in the Chapel starting from 6-8pm and 1st Wednesday of every month it's our Eucharist Adoration 6-8pm You are all most welcome to pray with us.

### **Temples of the Holy Spirit Prayer Group**

Every Monday 7.30pm in the Lounge. Serena 2696353.

**The Annual Mass for Pope Francis** on his Patronal Feast Day will be celebrated by Bishop Patrick Dunn at the Cathedral of St Patrick & St Joseph on Thursday 4 October at 12.15 pm. The Mass will be followed by light refreshments and celebratory cake in Liston Hall. Be sure to sign the greeting card. Normal weekday Wilson car parking rates apply.

**Daylight Saving Time Starts**  
**30 Sep Forward 1 hour 2:00:00 a.m.** clocks are turned **forward** 1 hour to **3:00:00 a.m.**



**Fit for Mission** "Grace is not part of consciousness; it is the amount of light in our souls, not knowledge nor reason."

*Pope Francis*

**Dove Catholic Fellowship for Women** next meeting Tuesday 25th September 7.30pm in the St Anne's Hall. **Speaker:** Margaret Paton

**Topic:** God's Image Gen 1:27 Ph Grace 5773479

**Knitting Group.** We continue to meet every 2nd and 4th Tuesday in the multipurpose room at the front of the school, from 10-12. We're a friendly group and all are welcome. Any queries contact Tina on 2667699 or 0274404563, any yarn donations are always welcome.

**Zumba** every Saturday 9-10am in the Parish Hall. Cost \$4.00

**Married Couples:** Attend the Marriage Encounter Weekend -5-7 October at Mt Richmond Hotel Mt Wellington. BOOK NOW! - Phone 0800-362686 or Christine & David Sloan 372-3581or david.christinesloan@gmail.com

### **New Zealand Nutrition approached the Parish**

I give this my full support and have asked Hospitality to be the liaison person for this... **"JUSTCOOK Healthy Ageing cooking and nutrition programme .**

A four week free programme working with a small group starting Thursday 4th October 10.30-1.30 (including lunch). A limited number of spaces are available. This programme is run by NZ Nutrition Foundation. For more information please contact Jeanette on 2664079 or 0212662773

**Marcellin College in Royal Oak** has limited places available for boys and girls in Year 7 & 9 for 2019. Please contact the office on 625 6509 or email [office@marcellin.school.nz](mailto:office@marcellin.school.nz) for an enrollment pack

### **NEW PARISHIONERS:**

Welcome to our parish! Please fill in this box and hand it in to the Parish Office.

Surname \_\_\_\_\_

Christian Names \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

For the planned giving programme please circle one of the following **Automatic Payment** **Envelopes**



**ST ANNE'S PARISH (Est 1947)**  
**126 RUSSELL ROAD, MANUREWA**  
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**MARIST COMMUNITY** Ph (09) 266 5826

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### **PARISH OFFICE**

Secretary: Ph (09) 266 5826 Fax (09) 267 3729

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Hours: Mon 11.30am-2.00pm; Tues, Wed, Thurs 9.00am-3.00pm; Fri 9.00am-12-30pm; 1.30-3.00pm

### **ST ANNE'S PARISH SCHOOL**

Principal: Mr Glen Ryan Ph (09)269 0023

**PARISH NEWSLETTER 25th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, 23rd SEPTEMBER 2018**

**In times of trouble**, we call on God. Help me, save me, I need you we pray. We beg, we plead for God to be with us.

When we have success it is easy to say to ourselves what the Book of Deuteronomy, (8:17), says. My power, my hands, have produced this wealth for me. But the next line is often forgotten. "Don't forget the Lord your God, for it is God who gives us the ability to produce our wealth"

New Zealand is a wealthy country, and there are many who have more than they could possibly need, and then in our country there are many poor who have very little in what they need. In our parish, we all are being called to share our time, our talents (gifts), and our treasures, (wealth and excess). This is not a money thing, this is a human response to God who has given us everything, and when we have so much so much is asked of us. St Annes together we are a very gifted, wealthy, and gifted people.

A Maori custom is to give away the first fruits of everything. At a funeral, to share what we have to give to the family who is suffering. To make sure that others always shared in our wealth. It is called Manakitanga, the way of sharing and looking after each other. In all our cultures we will be called to share, and be hospitable. The words go like this, Tatou, Tatou,

This is a core value of our Parish, we share..., if we are rich we are called to share with the poor, if we have too much we share with those who have little, if we are warm and comfortable, we share so others may be warm and comfortable. Providing for others when in need. This is definition of belonging to St Anne's.

Look, open our eyes, and hear the cry of the poor, we can make a huge difference to clothe the naked, to feed the hungry, to visit those in trouble; this is living the Gospel of Christ. When did we see you Lord, hungry, naked, in trouble, sick, when did you see it in the least of my brothers and sisters? This is our meeting with Jesus; this is being a good steward.

*Fr Brian sm*

## PARISH MASS TIMETABLE

### SUNDAY MASSES

Sat Vigil: 5.30pm,  
Sun: 8.00am,  
10.00am.  
12noon 3rd Sun (Samoan) 2nd month  
11.30am 4th Sunday (Maori)  
7.00pm

### WEEK DAY MASSES

MON: 7.00am (Public Hols 8.00am)  
TUES: 7.00am, 5.30pm  
WED & THURS: 7.00am, 12.05pm  
FRI: 7.00am, 9.00am  
SAT: 8.00am

## PLEASE PRAY FOR PARISHIONERS

**Recently Deceased:** Msgr (Fr) Pat Ward,  
Alexander Buzeika, David McDonogh, .

**The Sick:** Baby Adrian Mansur, Rosalynn Clark, Henry O'Neil, David Ifopo, Demi Ball, Jon Maplesden, Usu Istitolo Ikenasio, Francis Gallego, Olivia del Valle, Bob Belz, Su'a Pese, Margaret Hokai, Peter Dickens, Marie Dephoff, Alice McElhinney, Kevin Nelson, Nadia Kourkgy, Naomi Daculan.

### Baptisms

For Children 0-6 years. Baptism Courses  
Ph Sesilia ph/text 0211176334

### RCIC

Baptism for Older Children (7 years+) Please contact the Parish Office Ph 266 5826 to register for the next programme.

### RCIA Want to Become Catholic?

Come to our enquiry session, last one on Friday, 28th Sept 7-8:30pm School Multi Purpose room. Do you want to know more about Catholicism? Are you 15yrs or older? If you want to explore this and other questions Ph Therese Kiely 0212636812

**Columban Calendars for 2019** are now available from the Parish Office and after Mass at \$12 each.

## CELEBRATION OF SACRAMENTS

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

TUES: 7.30—9.30pm  
THURS: 11.30am—12.00NOON  
SAT: 10am—10.30am; 4.30—5.00pm

### MARRIAGE

Give the priest 6 months' notice and enrol in Pre-Marriage Preparation Programme.

### BAPTISM

Contact Parish Office and complete the preparation programme.

### HOLY COMMUNION, CONFIRMATION, RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION)

Contact Parish office for enrolment

### ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please contact one of the priests

## READINGS FOR SUNDAY

### 25th Sunday Ordinary Time 23rd September

Wisdom 2: 12. 17-20 James 3:16- 4:3  
Ps: 54: 3-6. 8 Mark 9:30-37

### 26th Sunday Ordinary Time 16th September

Numbers 11:16,17,25-29 James 5: 1-16  
Ps: 18: 8, 10, 12-14 Mark 9: 38-43, 45, 47-48

### Lay Ministry Training Programmes: Saturdays of September 2-4pm

**22nd Sept** Sacristans and Altar Servers

**29th Sept** Leaders of Choirs, Music groups, Ushers/Greeters, Prayer Leaders & commentators.

### Reconciliation, Holy Communion and Confirmation Registrations are Now Open:

Forms are available in the atrium, from the Parish Office and the School Office.

**Parents Meeting:** Thursday 11th October 7pm or Sunday 14th Oct 3pm in the Church. Parents must attend one of these meetings to start the programme.

Registrations close 10th October 2018

**Acts Fellowship (20-30s)** Those in their 20+ single, married, parents or in a relationship, are welcome to Acts Fellowship. Ph: Therese Kiely 0212636812

### Daily Mass Times,

Daily Mass change; this new timetable will begin in the first week of October, and will be for a trial period. We know that some will be disadvantaged by these times. We do want to trial this?

Monday: No Mass.

Tuesday: 7:00 am Mass

Wednesday: 12.05 pm Mass

Thursday : 7:00 am Mass

Friday: 9:00 am Mass

Saturday: 8:00 am Mass

### Confessions time:

Saturday after the 8:00 am Mass

Saturdays from 4:00 till 5:00 pm

### Do Your Children See You Give?

Every parent wants to raise children who share and give generously. When our children someday meet God face to face we want to know that they will hear Jesus say to them the same words the master said to those who used their talents wisely, "*Well done, my good and faithful servant...Come, share your master's joy.*" (Matt 25:21)

However, raising a generous child is a challenge in a society that constantly teaches children to want more and more things for themselves. One of the key factors in teaching children to be generous is to let them see you giving. After all, children mimic what they **see**, *not* what they **hear**.

### Teaching giving is by action.

We welcome Father John Crispin sm. staying with us for a few weeks.

Special meeting for the Liturgy Committee, Sunday for three o'clock, to prepare for Parish Expo. All members are needed to attend.

The last two parish meetings, the Parish Pastoral Council and Parish Liturgy Committee, did not have the necessary quorums.

The flag pole hole has been concreted in and ready for the flag pole, is there anyone who is a

metal fabricator in the parish. Need some help?

The church buildings have been sprayed to remove the growth and lichens from the roof. This will give us a clear picture of what has to be done. A warning the roof has some rust, some leaks, and some rot that has become evident already. We will need special support to achieve this goal of fixing the roof, and restoring it.

The Blossoms of the cherry trees are a remarkable sign for St Anne's. The trees were planted to show the wonder of this time of year. Thanks to those who planted them.

Fr Brian

**It's all Go for the Parish Expo** as we head towards the Oct 7<sup>th</sup> with many of the groups coming forward to be part of the event. You can expect quite a bit from the expo stands as they were given this brief.

"Express in your own way what your group is about. Impart knowledge, be open for questions, tell a story about who you are, what you do and how people can be part of it. Do all of this as creatively as possible which you can entice people to pause, interact, and know more than they did before."

This is just a small taste of what is to come with a booklet of what to expect on the day will be ready for the people of the parish on the weekend of the 28<sup>th</sup> of Sept. Come to the expo. Gather as a people and celebrate.

**Taize-style prayer series** at St Annes this Advent. How will you prepare for Christmas this year?  
Enquiries Des Kiely 027-2221672.

**HELP WANTED PLEASE:** We have a family in need of some bedding and a double bed. If you are able to help can you please phone Valda 0220145256. Thank you.

### YOUTH NOTICES:

Next youth session Fri 28 Sept  
6.30-8.30 in the Parish Hall.  
Ph Tino Tofaeono 021 032 2835

### **Leader Faith Formation Team, Parish & Pastoral Services Group**

The Parish & Pastoral Services Group seeks an enthusiastic committed person to work as Leader Faith Formation Team to promote, encourage and support faith formation in the Diocese and to lead and guide the Faith Formation Team. This is a full time position of 40 hours a week.

You will need to be committed to the ministry of the Catholic Church with an understanding of its teachings and structures; have appreciation of the cultural diversity of the Diocese; understanding of the Bi-cultural commitment of the Diocese; an excellent communicator; willingness to work flexible hours including some Saturdays and Sundays.

A Masters qualification in Theology or Religious Education is desired. Significant theological formation is essential, if a degree is not held.

**St Leo's Catholic School** are celebrating their 125th Jubilee on Sunday

11 November 2018, beginning with a celebration of Mass at 11am and followed by lunch, entertainment and a mix and mingle. We invite any past pupils, families or staff to help us celebrate. Bookings can be made on the website

[trybooking.co.nz/LN](http://trybooking.co.nz/LN) and more

Information is available on the facebook page **St Leo's Catholic 125th School Jubilee**

**G.I.F.T. OPEN DAY** Bishop Pat's Apostolate for Intellectually Disabled Christians (Growth in Faith Together) is holding an Open Day on Friday 28<sup>th</sup> September from 10.30am to 4.30pm at 28a Telford Ave, Balmoral, Phone 620 9524. Please come and visit during the day.

**Joshua Catholic Men's Fellowship** North Shore welcomes all men to the September meeting on **Wed 26 at 7.30pm**. Our guest speaker is **Michael Pervan** and he will give a talk on the topic - ***Mystical theology of St John of the Cross***. Venue: St Josephs Centre, 1 Fred Thomas Drive, Takapuna. For more info contact Russell at 0220345678. [www.joshua.org.nz](http://www.joshua.org.nz) Come and spend quality time with other Catholic men and enjoy the fellowship.

**Alone Again?** Widowed, Separated or Divorced? The Beginning Experience is a non-profit organization with the motto a "Weekend Away for a Lifetime of Change". The retreat will help you work through your painful loss. The participants find new hope, increased emotional health and renewed energy. Friday eve 5<sup>th</sup> to Sunday pm 7<sup>th</sup> October. Cost \$295 or early bird price of \$245 if paid by 2<sup>nd</sup> September. Includes accommodation, meals and materials. Contact Carol 0220890458 or leave message on 09-3603054. [www.beginningexperience.org.nz](http://www.beginningexperience.org.nz)

**Fr Joy Thottamkara CSsR**, of Ellerslie Parish, is leading a pilgrimage to the Holy Land in March 1st-16th next year. For more info 0212050206

**Fr Carlo Cruz' Pilgrimage** to the Holy Land and Egypt from 27 October- 7 November 2018 (departing Melbourne). More info Ph + 61 3 8372 5722 or 0415 461 665  
E: [deerpark@precillatravel.com.au](mailto:deerpark@precillatravel.com.au)

**Living the Splendour of Truth' International pro-life, pro-family conference:** This amazing weekend conference will help you, your family and our entire culture rediscover the newness of the faith and its power to enlighten and transform our communities. 5-7<sup>th</sup> October. Epsom Girl's Grammar School. Register now at [www.fli.org.nz/prolifeconference2018](http://www.fli.org.nz/prolifeconference2018) or phone 09 629 4361.

### **Scholarship for Study at Good Shepherd College**

Bishop Patrick Dunn is pleased to announce the launch of a new scholarship to be known as the *Ruth Miller Scholarship for Study at Good Shepherd College*. This scholarship will be available for a selected number of people who intend to do one or more Theology papers at Good Shepherd College towards a Bachelor of Theology degree in 2019. Please contact Linda McQuade, Vicar for Education, Email: [lindam@cda.org.nz](mailto:lindam@cda.org.nz). **The closing date for applications is 15 Oct 2018.**

### **Responding to the NZ Housing Crisis:**

In his 16 September Pastoral letter to all Parishioners Bishop Pat asked 'whether your Parish, or individuals within it, can provide affordable rental accommodation or emergency housing or furnishings to help a homeless family'. If you think you may be in a position to assist in this way, an initial contact can be made with Catholic Social Services ph 378 9650 or [johnm@ccsauckland.org.nz](mailto:johnm@ccsauckland.org.nz).

### **Candlelight Rosary Procession & Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament**

Sacred heart College 250 West Tamaki Rd Glen Innes Sunday Oct 7<sup>th</sup> 7pm  
Led Bishop Patrick Dunn .All are invited

### **Mercy Spirituality Centre**

104 The Drive, Epsom. Ph. 638 6238 or [www.mercyspiritualitycentre.org.nz](http://www.mercyspiritualitycentre.org.nz)

**CELEBRATING 30 YEARS: High Tea & Mercy Day** Mon 24 Sept, 2-4pm incl. afternoon tea. Donation/ Koha. We invite you to step apart to enjoy the warmth of hospitality in this oasis of beauty and peace where we will share our story with you.

**TONGAN Culture: Faa'i kavei koula'ae Tonga** with Hila'atu and 'Anitelu Tuli. Thurs 27 Sept, 7-9pm. \$15. Looking at the four main principles all Tongans grow up with, and how these beliefs are related to the teachings in the Bible and how they are applied in Tongan life today.

**Tai Chi – International Day of the Older Person** with Jocelyn Watkin. Mon 1 Oct, 10am-12noon. \$15 incl. morning tea. Jocelyn will give a short talk followed by the opportunity for attendees to give tai chi a try under her tuition. She will teach a short section of Tai Chi for Arthritis and Fall Prevention, especially as she is qualified to provide this for both seated students, as well as those could can stand (or prefer to stand).

**2019 Silent Retreat:** Light and Shade, led by Laurence Freeman OSB Director, The World Community for Christian Meditation. January 13<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at the University of Waikato, Hamilton.

For more information visit [www.christianmeditationnz.org.nz](http://www.christianmeditationnz.org.nz) or write to NZCCM retreat, 12 Everest St, Wellington 6035

**Contemplative Care:** Healthcare and Meditation, a Meditatio Seminar, with New Zealand healthcare professionals and Laurence Freeman OSB

January 17 & 18, 2019 at the Clinical Education Centre, Auckland City Hospital. For more information visit [www.meditatio.org.nz](http://www.meditatio.org.nz)