

**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 4, 11, 18 and 25, October 10.30-1.30 (including lunch).and at Manukau City Baptist Church, 9 Lambie Drive, Manukau on Wednesdays October 3, 10,17 and 24. From 10am to 1pm. Please phone 489 3417, or email [anna@nutritionfoundation.org.nz](mailto:anna@nutritionfoundation.org.nz) A limited number of spaces are available. This programme is run by NZ Nutrition Foundation.

**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 enrolment pack

**Bupa Erin Park** Retirement Village open day 30 September 11am-3pm

**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](mailto:david.christinesloan@gmail.com)

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

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

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

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

**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  
**Legion of Mary:** Rosary for the month of October will be held in the church or Parish Lounge at 3pm. On the 7th October Legion of Mary combined with "Rosary Aotearoa" will be holding a Rosary Prayer at 3-00 pm in the church. All are welcome. Please see <http://rosarynewzealand.nz/> for more details.

**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.

**Fit for Mission** We are all called, in our respective roles, to cultivate and promote respect for the intrinsic dignity of every human person," *Pope Francis* (Re Welcoming migrants & refugees). 20/9/18

**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.

**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**  
**SOUTH AUCKLAND 2102**



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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 26th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, 30th SEPTEMBER 2018**

As I reflect on my time as the pastoral council chairperson (though I still have a year to go) there are many challenges ahead not only for the council but for the priests and the people of this parish.

If I am honest with myself and the people of this parish, there are areas that I would consider dysfunctional and in need of change.

There are though many areas of connectedness, passion, service, love and joy. The parish expo is about bringing this out into the light and celebrating it all and connecting.

My own connection experience through getting the expo up and running is connecting with the Maori group in St Anne's. I attended their meetings, talked to them about what the council and the expo is about, attended Maori Mass and after Mass, we broke bread together.

As a non-Te Reo speaker, I found a non-judgemental place of comfort, openness and worship that resonated with me and I know would resonate with many if people knew more about them.

On another level, there's a number of mindsets that we must each look to embrace. A "give it a go and its ok to fail" mindset where learning from the experience is where growth as an organisation, as a person and as a person lies.

Having attended the 2016 annual general meeting (AGM) as a parishioner and then the following year as the chairperson, what was coming through loud and clear was that, AGM's don't work for an organisation like a parish. Certainly not this parish.

We are considered to be one of the largest parishes in this country and yet the level of AGM participation was dismal and the information provided, inadequate.

Where an AGM should provide a sense of direction and confidence. The ones I had attended, left many frustrated and annoyed.

The parish expo is the manifestation of a mindset change.

So come, join me and the many others on Oct 7th, to celebrate and connect.

Come, ask, learn and enjoy.

*Heta Dawson PPC – Chairperson*

## 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

### LITURGY OF THE WORD AND HOLY COMMUNION

MON: 7.00am (Public Hols 8.00am)

### WEEK DAY MASSES

TUES & THURS: 7.00am,  
WED: 12.05pm  
FRI: 9.00am  
SAT: 8.00am

## PLEASE PRAY FOR PARISHIONERS

**Recently Deceased:** Theresa Teau Tungare,  
Jocelyn Rakuraku, Msgr (Fr) Pat Ward,

**The Sick:** Baby Adrian Mansur, Rosalynn Clark, Henry O'Neil, David Ifopo, Demi Ball, Jon Maplesden, Usu Isitolo 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?

If you want to know anything or join  
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

### 26th Sunday Ordinary Time 30th September

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

### 27th Sunday Ordinary Time 7th October

Genesis 2:18-24, Ps 128:1-2,3,4-5,6,  
Hebrews 2:9-11, Mark 10: 2-16.

### Lay Ministry Training Programmes:

#### Saturdays of September 2-4pm

**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,

This week coming, we begin the New Mass time table.

Monday: Liturgy of the Word  
and Holy Communion 7:00 am

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

We will trial this for the next three months and make a decision to its permanence after that.

Encourage all the parish to be part of the Expo for the Parish. Thanks to so many people who are working away at this task for next Sunday.

We have a huge need for helpers in the baptism programme.

We want to standardise the baptism programme so that every month we will run only one baptism programme. We need at least another ten people, married couples and young people to help this come about. This may be an opportunity to help. Why so many, it means that there is not a big demand on a few people who are so generous with their time. Please come forward to the office with your contact details.

We also wish to have two Sundays only set aside for Baptisms. The 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays of each month for baptisms.

We also wish to offer the opportunity to have baptism at Mass on occasions.

These will begin in the next year.

We ask every couple wanting baptism for their infants to do the preparation for the sacrament.

We do not expect couples who have done the preparation to do it again, but they may wish to come and do it again.

Couples not practicing their faith will be encouraged to do the preparation again.

Baptism is the doorway into the life of God, the first gift of God to us, the promise of everlasting life.

We have done some work on an app. The company that offered to do it asks the following, It will cost \$1200 to start with and a \$50 per month fee for the use. The fixed fee is for the beginning and start up. The 50 dollar per month is for the upkeep of the app. It would need a group of people to be the responders for the app from the parish. What do you think of this? The app would include, the calendar of the parish, the events of the parish, the parish bulletin, the parish rosters, the notification of the sick and the dying, the notification of funerals, Marriages and baptisms. All the events of the church would be available. We would be able to do our donations to the church and to the needy. I think it is worthwhile. If you think we can do better please let me know.

*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 Anne's this Advent. Scripture, prayer, chant, silence. Reflect and meditate on the Sunday Gospel. In the church every Thursday of Advent 8-9pm. Enquiries Des Kiely 027-2221672.

### **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**

### **"Let's Take a Walk the Through Mass"**

To be delivered on the 27th of Oct 2018 at Christ the King Parish, Owairaka from 10am-1pm with morning tea included. This workshop will be hosted by the Diocesan Liturgy Centre and is aimed at our participation in the Mass. The workshop will cover a range of topics such as: The Introductory Rites, The Liturgy of the Word, The Liturgy of the Eucharist, The Dismissal

**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.

**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 1<sup>st</sup>-16<sup>th</sup> 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)

**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

**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)

. **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). . **Creative Korean Rice pancake (Hwajeon)** with CECILIA KIM. Thurs 4 Oct, 10am-12noon. \$15 incl. ingredients. This event is for anyone who is interest in learning about Korean Culture and how to make Korean Flower Rice Pancake.

. **The Laudato Si Pledge** with Fr NEIL DARRAGH. Thurs 11 Oct, 7-9pm. \$15. A key concept in 'Laudato Si' is that of an 'integral ecology' that is both realistic and respectful of the interconnectedness of all things. This talk explores the concept and how it could change our lifestyles. See our website for more details. Bookings essential, email: [info@mercyspiritualitycentre.org.nz](mailto:info@mercyspiritualitycentre.org.nz) to reg.

**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)

**Marlena Devoe Concert – Tuesday 16 October at 7.30 pm** at the Cathedral of St Patrick & St Joseph. Entry by donation. Marlena was cantor at the Cathedral for some time and is fundraising to help with the costs of her tuition in Italy.