

## ST. ANNE'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

126 Russell Rd, Manurewa, Auckland 2102 Est. 1947



Sunday 19th February 2023 | 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year A | Issue #4

"Lemember that you are dust, and to dust you shall return" Ecclesiastes 3:20



The ashes will be distributed at two Masses this Wednesday 22nd February 2023

12:05pm and 7pm

## ST ANNE'S MASS TIMES

#### SUNDAY MASSES:

Saturday Vigil 5.30pm Sunday 8am, 10am and

#### **WEEKDAY MASSES:**

Monday 12:05pm

Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion Tues - Thurs 12.05pm Mass

Friday 9am Mass Saturday 8am Mass

#### OCCASSIONAL MASSES:

Maori: 4th Sunday of every month at 11.30am Samoan: 3rd Sunday of odd months at 12pm

#### RECONCILIATION

Saturday after 8am Mass Saturday 4-5pm in the hall

#### PREVIOUS OFFERINGS

January Offerings: \$37,205.77 December Offerings: \$29,220.47

#### BAPTISMS

Enrol your 0 - 6 year old child for baptism at the office. You will need to attend two classes before the ceremony can be booked. Contact the office for details. PREFERENCE FORMS

Enrolling your child at a Catholic school? For a preference certificate please contact the office. Processing times can vary so don't delay!

#### MARRIAGE PREPARATION

Can be undertaken six months in advance. Call the parish office today.

#### THINKING OF CATHOLICISM?

Or do you know someone who is interested in our Catholic Faith? RCIA is for you. Contact Therese Lautua, 021 263 6812.

#### PARISH OFFICE CONTACT TUES - FRI 9am - 3pm

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- frontdesk.stannes@gmail.com
- 1 St. Anne's Catholic Church Manurewa
- Fr Peter McAfee sm
  Please contact the church office
- Fr Kevin Murphy sm
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  Deacon Sanele Poluleuligaga
  sanele.poluleuligaga@yahoo.com.au 027 2673210

### LOOKING FOR WORK?!

Holy Trinity Catholic Primary School has a CALENDAR Learning Assistant position vacancy at school. The position is for a full time Learning Assistant (25 hours per week, 5 hours per day) to support students with additional learning, social and behavioural needs.

This position is in a junior Learning Community (5-7 year olds).

**Please** email Carmel office@holytrinity.school.nz or ring the school office 09 296 9039 for further information.

# We celebrate the life of Armando Pereira with a Funeral Mass on Tuesday 21st February 2023 at 1pm at St Annes Church.

This service will replace our midday service.





# Responding to the earthquakes in Turkey and Syria

We join the rest of the global community in Indoor Bowls shock and horror reading about the devastating earthquakes in Turkey and Syria. We pray that the love of God maybe seen in the care and concern of the international family in responding to their needs. Caritas are in contact with partners Tongan Sunday School (ECL) on the ground as they assess the scale of damage and critical needs at this time.

They are also accepting donations for this https://www.caritas.org.nz/donate-online

# ST ANNE'S 2023



#### **FEBRUARY**

22: Ash Wednesday

25: Youth Night

27: Maori Mass 11:30am

28: Knitting Group

#### **MARCH**

07: Knitting Group

19: Samoan Mass 12pm

21: Knitting Group

28: Knitting Group

#### REGULAR EVENTS

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

Every Monday 8pm Zoom - contact Serena



**Christian Meditation Group** Every Tuesday 7pm-8pm,

in the chapel

#### **Knitting Group**

1st, 3rd & 5th Tuesdays of the month

10am-12pm, Church Lounge

**Legion of Mary Senior Meeting** 

**Every Tuesday** 6.30-8pm, Church Lounge

#### **Divine Mercy Prayer Group Every Wednesday**

6.30-8.30pm, Chapel

**Every Wednesday** 7:30pm, Hall Contact Bev 267 2026



#### **Legion of Mary Junior Meeting Every Friday**

5-6pm, Church Lounge

**Every Sunday** 11am, Church Hall

#### **Samoan Sunday School Every Sunday** 8-10am, Church Hall



# SUNDAY READINGS IN



### 7th Ordinary Sunday 19th February 2023

Leviticus 19:1-2, 17-18 Psalms 103:1-2, 3-4, 8, 10, 12-13 1 Corinthians 3:16-23 1 John 2:5 Matthew 5:38-48

### 1st Sunday of Lent

#### 26th February 2023

Genesis 2:7-9; 3:1-7 Psalms 51:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 and 17 Rom 5:12-19 Rom 5:12, 17-19 Matthew 4:1-11, 5:12, 17-19



#### RECENTLY DECEASED



Armando Pereira, Iusitina Laumatia, Teofilo Iakopo



#### THE SICK

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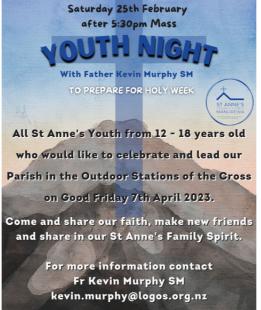
#### **BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS**

Paea Moala, Lutimila Finau, Kelsey Manuatu, Dijana Temple, Hine Kauvalu, Dean Montilde, Annie Bourke, Zoey Wallace, Anna Everatt, Snekinah Fomai, Bronil Dabreo, Marcia Tamuera, Leo Ancheta, Maria Espiritu, Lorna Gayatin and Urban Teofilo

Also a very special mention to June Papalii turning 21!



## IN OUR PARISH.



#### **Christian Meditation Group**

My name is Grace Switzer and I have been practising Christian Meditation, a form of contemplative prayer, for 7 years. In contemplative prayer we seek to become the person we are called to be, not by thinking of God but by being with God. Simply to be with God is to be drawn into being the person God calls us to be." – John Main, OSB. It echoes the spirit of the psalmist's words: BE STILL AND KNOW THAT I AM GOD.

The New Zealand Community for Christian Meditation welcomes people of all faiths to join us in this shared tradition of deepening the spiritual life. Those new to meditation are very welcome. Join us on Tuesdays from 7-8pm in the Small Chapel in St Anne's Church.

Contact Grace on 027 250 7206 for further information or just drop in.

#### Frances Mazur looks back....

#### First 'Old Boy' Priest - Leonard Danvers

In response to Frances' request, Mons Leonard Danvers, the first local priest from St Anne's, reminisces. He is currently Hamilton Dio Administrator. I have many happy memories of St. Anne's - back in the 50's. My sister Joy and I arrived in 1958 to live with our grandparents Alice & Billy Lee following the death of our mother. The Parish was quite small but it was certainly a growing town in those days – everybody knew everybody in the parish if you were in anyway regular in attending Mass. There was so much Happening, and still is I'm sure.



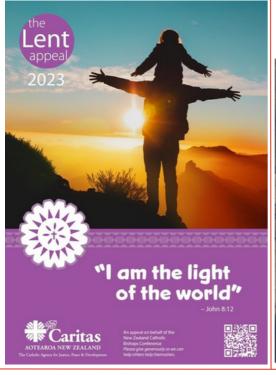


Father Kenefick was our Parish Priest and his faithful "side kick" his boxer dogs Joe & later Cassius. I remember when the Parish was going to give Father Kenefick a new car for some jubilee he was celebrating, and parishioners were concerned about Joe travelling in the car with Fr. K. as was his custom. I remember Fr. K. making it known that if Joe was not able to travel with him, he would keep the car he had! Fr K. got his wish and Joe was a regular passenger on trips to Weymouth beach with Fr. K. for a swim. There was always a large rug on the back seat to protect the upholstery!

Another memory is the arrival of our first curate -in 1960 – newly ordained Fr. Pat Ward and his Vesper Motor scooter! Fr was a keen rugby player but Archbishop Liston was not in favour of priests playing rugby on the weekend in case of injury and unavailability for Mass. Fr. Pat played rugby nevertheless under the name of W. Patrick! He was also a very keen squash player. The 3 yearly Parish Mission also another memory – especially when the Passionist Fathers came – Frs. Benignus and Cornelius. They had a large stage erected beside the Pulpit and a large mission Crucifix on a stand at one end. Particularly memorable was the sermon on the final night on the "Last Things" – Heaven, Hell and Judgement –no one dared miss it – and there was a good line up for Confessions afterwards! I still remember the prayer we prayed each day.

"I adore the wounds in thy Sacred Heart, with sorrow deep and true May every act of my heart this day – be an act of love for you!"

(to be continued next week...)



# SAFEGUARDING

BOTH INDIVIDUALLY AND COLLECTIVELY. WE HAVE A RESPONSIBILTY TO ENSURE. 'THAT EVERY PERSON HAS A VALUE AND DIGNITY FROM HIS/HER CREATION IN THE IMAGE AND LIKENESS OF GOD'. SAFE CHURCH-SAFEGUARDING 

(Strictly Confidential) For any feedback, complaints and concerns. Your first point of contact for this Parish is Tina Pakipaki: opsmanager.stannes@gmail.com

OR TO LEAVE A STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL MESSAGE, CALL 2665826 OPT 9. ONLY TINA HAS ACCESS TO THIS MAILBOX SO YOU CAN REST ASSURED YOUR MESSAGE WILL BE HELD IN THE STRICTEST MEANS. THIS RESPONSIBILITY IS FOLLOWED WITH ASSISTANCE FROM THE DIOCESAN SAFEGUARDING COORDINATOR, LISA-MAY GRAY AND THE DIOCESAN PEOPLE AND SUPPORT MANAGER, LEANNE KILGOUR.

#### COMMITTEES, GROUPS, & MANAGEMENT

Finance - Meg Goodman, 267 6177, michaelfg@xtra.co.nz Liturgy - Philip Cortesi, 266 4079, pjcortesi@hotmail.com Rosters - Philip Cortesi, 266 4079, pjcortesi@hotmail.com Music - Rose Lamont, 0275845548, rosemarielamo@gmail.com

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Events - Christabel Edwards, 021 875 956, christabel.edwards@gmail.com

S.V.D.P Conference - Antonette Fletcher, 0212603917

St Vincent de Paul Shop - 4 Station Road, Manurewa (09) 267 4581

Altar Servers - Tyndale (Tee) Fiso, tyndalef@gmail.com, 0226599361/0210353917

Knitting Group - Tina Shore, 027 440 4563 or 266 7699

Indoor Bowls - Bev Glass 267 2026

#### PRAYER AND CATHOLIC LIVING GROUPS

Couples for Christ - Glen Cunningham, 027 800 0050 Divine Mercy - Pesi Tuala, 027 256 1955,

bessietuala@hotmail.com

Legion of Mary - Telesia Burgess, 021 090 49100, burgesstelesia@gmail.com Temples of the Holy Spirit - Serena Rouse, 269 6353 or 027 322 3540 Sacramental Prog. - Andrew Malele, 021 023 90935,

stannesacrament@gmail.com RCIA Prog. - Therese Lautua, 021 263 6812

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#### COMMUNION TO THE SICK

Private Houses - Coordinator Amy Verissimo, 029 264 2102, stannes.sick@gmail.com Rest Homes -Coordinator Joseph Tucker, 021 037 0363, stannes.circ@gmail.com

#### CULTURAL GROUP REPRESENTATIVES

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Malaetele, 022 043 0637

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Fijian - Chermayne Raega, 021 167 9230

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Every Friday, 7PM during Lent, we invite parishioners and groups to take part in leading each Friday.

For more info, contact Malia Faafoi 021 028 20142



#### ALTAR SERVER, COMMENTATOR, LECTOR AND SPECIAL MINISTER ROSTER

WEEKEND OF THE 25/26 FEB	25th- 5:30pm	26th- 8am	26th- 10am	26th- 5pm
ALTAR SERVER 1	Benjamin Fiso- Lolohea	Zavius Collier	Jaxon Changaiya	Olivia Malele
ALTAR SERVER 2	Josephine Fiso- Lolohea	Alexandria Ligamate	Aloyze Tafu	Ellie Scorringe
ALTAR SERVER 3	Savannah Fiso- Lolohea	Suli Mafivaea	Katalina Tautolo	Joseph Malele
COMMENTATOR	Tyndale Fiso	Joseph Tucker	Tuala Pesi*	Addison Scorringe
LECTOR 1	Rose Agana	Florita Kalolo	Rita Filimaua	Crispin Montilde
LECTOR 2	Nick Agana	Henry Kalolo	Andy Filimaua	Unaloto Po'oi
SP. MINISTER	Aryan Pereira- Dsor*	Antonette Fletcher	Ruben Filimaua	Carina King*
SP. MINISTER	Loma Gayatin	Liz Hilliar	Eteline Tau	AJ Scorringe
SP. MINISTER	Philip Cortesi*	Mele Kautai	Lealo Tuiatua	Andrew Malele
SP. MINISTER		Matalena Masoe	Joan Sanele	
SP. MINISTER		Fa'amasino Lemisiio Kollio	Michael Pereira	