


Twenty Fifth Week Ordinary Time
1. Isaiah 55:6-9 2. Phillipians 1:20-24,27 Mathew 20:1-16
24th September 2023

	Saturday 5pm	Sunday 8:30am	Sunday 10:30am
Welcome/Intercessions 	Barbrianna Soo Choon	James Bingwor	Sela Kaloni
Ministers of the Word 	Martin Lautua Apaula Lautua	Helen Le Marque Lani Erlano	Rosalie Petelo Tevita Koloamatangi
Extra-Ordinary Ministers of the Eucharist 	Jovita Parker Nigel Boyham Jackie Boyham Anthony Thoman Raquel Sanga	James Obeng Shyamalee Krone Falaniko Malaki Filimoni Feagaiga Atelina Hunt	Sei Kumi Kaloni Lucie de Jesus Anna Cullen Marietta Vaotuu Nigel de Jesus Rolando Reyes
Altar Servers 	Martin Thomas (cross) Ethan Clarito Enzo Collado	Sheshan Krone Jeevani Krone Renee Nuia	Oliver Kiutau (cross) Pedan Peter Tulaga John Paul Feagaiga

 Our Vinnie's Shop has expanded and is now able to accept donations of household furniture and appliances. If you can deliver to the shop at 275 Great South Road, Papakura, this would be greatly appreciated. Should you require a collection, you can phone 2965052, Monday to Friday 10:00am - 3:00pm and Saturday from 10.00am-1.00pm to arrange for a pickup time and date.



Fr John Vianney in Uganda is putting together a scholarship fund for students at a high school he has established. Some students are not able to continue their studies owing to lack of funds.
New website: www.sfahighschool.org



If any of you want to contribute he has an account with **BNZ: MAKANDA JOHN MARY VIANNEY**
Acc Number: 02-0400-0111981-097
 Bank Ref: Your Name / Scholarship



St Mary's Catholic Church

- A listening, praying, servant community

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Twenty Fourth Week Ordinary Time

Liturgy of the Word (Year A)

1. Ecus 27:30-28:7 2. Romans 14:7-9 Matthew 18:21-35
 17th September 2023

Mass Times

Saturday: Vigil 5:00pm
 Sunday: 8:30am 10:30am
 Filipino Mass 1st Sunday 12:30pm
 Baptisms 2nd Sunday 12noon
 Samoan Mass 3rd Sunday 12:00pm

Clevedon Community 8:30am
 1st Sunday of month
 Clevedon District Centre
 (Postponed until further notice)

RECONCILIATION 9 - 10am
 Saturdays

Weekday Mass:

Monday 9:00am Liturgy
Tuesday 9:00am
Wednesday 6:30pm
Thursday 9:30am
Friday 9:00am
First Fridays of month 10.00am
Saturdays 8:30am Liturgy

Exposition of The Blessed Sacrament

Fridays 9:30am - 12:00 noon
 (10am—12noon First Friday of month)

Saturdays after 5pm Mass led by ALPHA

Sharing the Fruits of Our Retreat

Dear Parishioners,

I hope this message finds you all in good health and high spirits. Last Saturday was truly a blessed day for our parish, a day when we gathered in the presence of the Lord to listen to His divine guidance. Our retreat day was filled with various forms of spiritual nourishment, from prayer and Mass to the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and the Rosary. We also had the privilege of hearing the Word of the Lord through our guest speakers, the song we heard and sang and the word that we shared with our fellow parishioners.

Just as Jesus instructed his disciples Peter, James, and John to descend from the mountain after the Transfiguration, we too must come down from the spiritual heights of our retreat and share the abundant fruits we have gathered with our community. This is especially important for those who, for various reasons, could not join us on that special day.

The first and foremost fruit of our retreat that we need to share is UNITY. Let us unite in our common goal, which is to build and strengthen the body of Christ, the people of God, right here in Papakura. Together, let us go forth, pray fervently, evangelize tirelessly, and become a shining beacon of faith in this secular world. Our faith plays a vital role in our lives, and by being united, we can demonstrate its transformative power to all.

As a result of our retreat, we have exciting plans for both spiritual and social activities within our parish. We are committed to keeping you all informed and involved as we move forward.

In closing, let us remember the words of St. Paul, who said, "Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace" (Ephesians 4:3). Together, we can achieve great things in the name of our Lord.

Yours in Christ,

Fr. Nathaniel



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Thinking about selling?

We can help you get your home sold or rented!

Kelly, Darren and their family have been part of our parish and the school for over 20 years.

We offer a full real estate service to our fellow parishioners and when successful not only do you get rewarded, so does the parish. We look forward to being of service to you.



Kelly & Darren Brady, Harveys Papakura

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Pastoral Associate: Benita Kiutau Ph 299 6056 weekdays (except Wednesdays)
Parish Office: Roleta Aranda Ph 299 6056 / 022 6730675 (Office hours 9am-3pm- Mon-Fri)
Sacramental Programme: Parish Office
Parish Office Library: Tuesday to Friday: 8:00 am - 3:00 pm **Parish Hall Hireage:** Parish Office Ph 299 6056
Library: Monday to Sunday 9:00 am - 4:00 pm
St Mary's Catholic School: Ph 298 4450 **Web Site:** www.stmaryspapakura.school.nz
Holy Trinity Catholic Primary School: Ph 296 9039 **Web Site:** www.holytrinity.school.nz

New to the Parish? Welcome to St. Mary's Catholic Church. Please visit our website at www.papakuracatholic.org.nz and register online or you are very welcome to visit us at the parish office. Thank you

Welcome to St Mary's Parish

Children's Liturgy: 10.30 Sunday (Term time/not run on Public Holiday weekends) for children aged 4-8 years.

Holy Rosary: 8:30, 5:30p.m. Monday to Friday

Stations of the Cross: 5pm Fridays. Michael 298 9295

The statue of Our Lady is available for families, add your name to the list in the foyer or ph Jean 296 5486

Legion of Mary: Tuesdays 6:15pm, hall committee room. Celerina 298 4080

Medjugorje prayer meetings: Mondays, @ 2/1 Clark Rd, Joseph 298 2297

Meditation Groups: Tuesdays 9.40am Fr Ryder Rm. (St Anne's Manurewa every Monday 5-6pm in the Chapel.)

Knitting group: each 2nd & 4th Tuesday: 1- 3 pm Ryder Rm. Jenny 297 7292

St Vincent de Paul Foodbank Office: Food parcels please phone for an appointment. Mob: 021 026 71430

St Vincent de Paul Shop: Mon—Fri 10:00-3:00pm Sat 10:00-1:00pm 275 Great South Rd, 296 5052

The Knights Of The Southern Cross—Richard Powell
Lay Camillian Family NZ Ministry to the sick—Dennis Sanga dtbsanga@gmail.com

We pray for those who have died

Anthony Michael Charman, Mary Elizabeth Taylor, Joseph Subritzky, Tom Mulligan, Rose Violet Martinovich Ian Milliken, Teresita Carezo, Pauline Sorraghan, Fereita Sio, Frances Mary Cotter, Bruce Williams, Josephus Hendricus Loomans, Jenny Hill and Nonie Devoy

And those whose anniversaries occur at this time including:

Maree Patricia Pohio, Anna Maria Hulsbosch, Lizabeth Robinson, Natalie Louise Quill, Hugh Kevin Fagan, Paul Thomas Kelly, Doreen McMenamin, Annie Elizabeth Murphy, Michael John Sanders, Alphonsus O'Kane, Erina Louise Wilson, Judith Lawrence, Doreen Theresa Mulligan, Faialofa Siaosi, Maree Patricia Pohio, Anna Maria Hulsbosch, Madeline Frances (Rose) Falgate, Johannes (John) Biggelaar, Robert Desmond Payne, Margaret Lamberth Byrnes

We pray for those who are sick including:

Elizabeth Nau, Alipati Afoa, Elizabeth Schubert, Marna & Tony Starbuck, Pauline McDonald, Daphne Bankien, Christopher Bird, Helen Moverley, Margaret (Jean) Soo-Choon, Neil Stewart, Terry Brunton, Mele Tuila, and Jack Kayes

Church Events:

School Preference Forms: Fr. Nathaniel Brazil is available to sign the **School Preference Forms** every **Thursday from 2:00—6:00 pm**. Please contact the Parish Office for an appointment time and give your contact details in case there may be changes. Many thanks for your co-operation.

Parish Baptisms:

Baptisms will be celebrated every **SECOND SUNDAY** of the month after the 10.30am Mass. Please note that there will be a monthly group baptismal preparation course in the **RYDER ROOM** on the **last Thursday of the month at 7.00pm**. **REGISTRATION** is required, please contact Parish Office at **09 299-6056**. **No paperwork - no baptism.**

PARISH SITE DEVELOPMENT

"Building A Vibrant Faith Community"



Online Donations:

Acc. 02-0108-0707147-004

REF: Build Fund

Include your pledge number or contact parish office for receipt. Please note that you can also make automatic pledge payments to the above Account Number. Your support is most appreciated!

Parish Building Project Fundraising Team Contact Details

Can you help make our dream for a better church a reality? Contact one of us to arrange a time to meet to discuss your options. There will be an option that will work for you. We can also explain how up to 33% of your donation can be claimed back from IRD.

Vince O'Loughlin - loch.ness@xtra.co.nz
09 291 9194 or 021 379 845

ST MARY'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL, PAPA KURA

54 Clark Road

We love being an active part of our parish community. Your children are our children. Your family is our family.

Together We Learn, We Pray, We serve
Me Whakakotahi, Kia Maarama, Kia Pono, Ki Te Karakia
ENROL NOW! PLACES ARE FILLING UP FAST!

Visits welcome. Contact our school office on **09 298 4450** or visit our new website. www.stmaryspapakura.school.nz

Follow us on Facebook too!

Holy Trinity Catholic Primary School

Learn Love Serve
Ka Ako Ka Aroha Ka Manaaki

137 Airfield Road, Takanini
School website: www.holytrinity.school.nz
School email: office@holytrinity.school.nz
Contact us at 296 9039
Enquiries and school visits welcome

Information on the Synod We are currently at the start of the 2021-2023 Synod For A Synodal Church. To find out more about this process including how to get involved head to the website <https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/synod/> where you can read all about it and download information.

There will be a prayer for the sick integrated in the Liturgy of the Word every 1st Saturday of the month at 8:30am. If you want your sick family members or friends to be included in the prayers please send their names to Lay Camillian Family- Dennis Sanga at dtbsanga@gmail.com

For safety concerns, please note that **no parking** is permitted outside the front entrance of our church on the Wellington Street side and make sure that you are legally parked on the surrounding street. Many thanks for your co-operation.



SMYFS
St Mary's Youth Family

"With God we will grow together in faith, family and love, leaving no one behind"

When: Friday every fortnight 7-8:30pm
Where: Church Hall
Who: 10 years and up

TERM 3
11 August
25 August
8 September
22 September

Follow us on our socials:
Facebook: Smyfs Papakura
Instagram: smyfs_

Youth Co-ordinator : Tracey Luamanu
Contact: 021 084 04602
Email: stmarysyoungfamily@gmail.com



Junior Praesidium—Friday 5-6pm

Senior Praesidium—Tuesday 6:15pm

The Rite of the Christian Initiation of Adults/ Children

As a parish, we receive one of the greatest gifts of the liturgical year to welcome Christians into the Body of Christ at Easter Vigil. If you personally or if you know of anyone interested in finding out about the Catechumenate faith journey between now and Easter 2024, You are all welcome. For further information please contact the parish office at 09 2996059 or email Rcia@stmaryspapakura.org.nz

ST MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH, PAPA KURA



SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION
2023-2024
Reconciliation
First Eucharist
and Confirmation
Registration close on 8th October

Form available on Parish website

Exposition of Blessed Sacrament
after 5pm Saturday Mass led by ALPHA

Retirement Village Mass— Fr Nathaniel will be celebrating Mass for the residents at Longford Park Village on 26th September, Tuesday at 10.30am. Please note that there will be a mass in our church at 9.00am that day.

St. Vincent de Paul Food Bank

Food parcel items that would be greatly appreciate are: Canned Mackerel / Spaghetti, Peanut Butter or Marmite and cakes of soap.

NOTICES

Please see changes to the account numbers

For Building Fund Donation

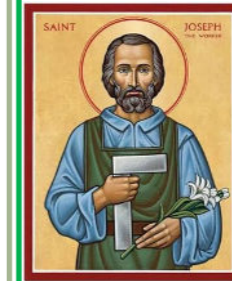
Account Number: 02-0108-0707147-004

For Parish Pledge / Donation

Account Number: 02-0108-0707147-000

Kindly put your Name, Surname and Planned giving number if you have one for reference.

If you wish to join in our Planned Giving Scheme, please visit or call parish office at 299 6056



St Joseph wants you!

Calling any man wanting St Joseph's help

Come and find out how to be a man like St Joseph Why? For help, guidance, companionship, support, or encouragement.

When? 7:00 p.m. Wednesday 27 September

Where? Saint John Paul II Centre for Life
569A Richardson Road, Mt Roskill

Want to know more?

Call me – Simon Archer (Family Life International) – 021 400 729

LIFE TEEN CAMP 2024

DATE: 16th-20th January 2024

WHERE: St Peter Cambridge Hamilton

AGES: 13-17 years Old

COST: \$250 (Please advise if you need financial support)

If interested please email Parish Youth at stmarysyoungfamily@gmail.com

Fore more info visit lifeteen.nz

Fundraising for Life Teen Camp 2024

September to November

After all masses

Sausage Sizzle

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Enrolment opens
September 25

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FOR MORE INFO
admin@etc.ac.nz
0991 583 1055

To join ALPHA please scan the QR Code for registration



New to the Parish

Welcome

Please fill in the online form at www.papakura.org.nz or visit Parish Office

Week 18th—23rd Sept.	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Psalm	28 p.37	101 p.110	111 p.121	19A p.28	49 p.57	100 p.109
1 Reading	1 Timothy 2:1-8	1 Timothy 3:1-13	1 Timothy 3:14-16	Ephesians 4:1-7,11-13	1 Timothy 6:2-12	1 Timothy 6:13-16
Gospel	Luke 7:1-10	Luke 7:11-17	Luke 7:31-35	Mathew 9:9-13	Luke 8:1-3	Luke 8:4-15