

# MASS TIMES AND PARISH DIARY

**SUNDAY MASS TIMES:**

<b>Miha Maori</b>	<b>Patea</b>	<b>Waverley</b>	<b>RECONCILIATION:</b>
St. Anne's Tues 11.30am, Sat 9.30	Sun. 1 Kaiwhaiki 11.00am 9.30	Sun 1 & 3 9.30	Sun 2 & 4 9.30
St. Mary's 9.30am & 6.00pm	Sun. 3 St. Mary's 9.30am	Wed 2 & 9.30	Wed 1 & 3 9.30
Holy Family Sat. Vigil: 5.30pm	Sun. 4 Jerusalem/Ranana 10.00am (Hiruharama)		Holy Family Sat. 5.00-5.20pm

**SCHOOL HOLIDAYS**

	ST MARY'S	HOLY FAMILY	ST ANNE'S/OTHERS
<b>MONDAY 14 Nov</b>	7.00pm Pro-life Rosary	9.00am Service 4.45pm SVDP 7.30pm Faith Exploration	
<b>TUESDAY 15 Nov</b>	12.05pm Mass	10.00am Mass 4.00pm Legion of Mary 5.15pm MOWAC	10.30am Jane Winstone 11.30am St Annes Mass
<b>WEDNESDAY 16 Nov</b>	12.05pm Mass	9.00am Mass	9.30am Waverley Mass
<b>THURSDAY 17 Nov</b>	11.30am Reconciliation 12.05pm Mass Exposition follows Mass	9.00am Mass 9.30am Craft/Exp	9.15am Nazareth Mass
<b>FRIDAY 18 Nov</b>	9am-12pm Exposition 11.30am Reconciliation 12.05pm Mass	9.00am Mass	10.45 Cullinane Mass
<b>SATURDAY 19 Nov</b>		5.00pm Reconciliation/Rosary 5.30pm Vigil Mass	9.00am Reconciliation St Annes 9.30am Mass St Annes

**ROSARY LIST 2017:** I am compiling the Holy Family Rosary Statue List for 2017. If you and your family would like to be on the list or if you do not wish to be part of the roster for 2017 please contact Pat.

**CHRIS SKINNER CD's:** I have one copy of each of Fr. Chris' CD's "Like A Beautiful Day" and "You Are the Gift" @ \$25 each. First in first served!! Pat.

**TUI MOTU – NOV. ISSUE – Caring for our Common Home**

Pope Francis introduced an 'eighth' Corporal Work of Mercy – 'Care for our Common Home'. He wrote 'Care for our Common Home' requires "simple daily gestures which break with the logic of violence, exploitation and selfishness" and "makes itself felt in every action that seeks to build a better world." This issue has a great variety on offer – Three Secondary School Students offer their reflections on *Laudato Si*, and of course our regular columnists feature with a stunning reflective centre-fold, and a bonus *four extra pages..!* We- hope you enjoy a great read.

*Please keep in your prayers those of our parish and school community who are sick, lonely or going through hard times and need our help and comfort. Please pray for the happy repose of the souls of*

**RECENTLY DECEASED:** Lisa Mancer (secretary of St Annes for 5 years) Bridget Burke RIP(Ireland), Michelle Grey, Paddy Cross, Ned Mauren (Ireland) Joy Hall (17/10), Joan Gosnell, Bernie Sheridan (30/10), Moira Moody

**CONDOLENCES: ANNIVERSARIES:** Karl Kelly (Ireland 10/10), Teresa Anderson (9/11) Judith Coakley (22/11), Tom Cresswell (22/11), Ron McPhun (28/10), Blair Gleeson (7/11), Mary Kaveney (7/11), David White (7/11)

**MASS OFFERINGS:** Cyril Collis (2/11), David Collis (8/11) Relatives of Sullivan and Collis families. Walsh, Manson and Fitzjohn families, Carlo Ramirez, Pacencia Ramirez, Joey Baarde, Clarence (Clarry) Craig (15/11 birthday), Anna Nakamura, Akiko Nakamura, Robbie Gembitsky., Verv Ennis, Joy Hall, Brian Knuth, Fahy, Walsh & Deazley families; Friends & family Hoskin family; Raymond & Joyce Rothery; Bernie Sheridan, Colin, Patricia & Stuart Tasker; Lecrivain & Leddy families; Bernie Sheridan, Briggs-Sandlant Families, Kevin Anderson: Friends & family of Adams family, White, Prince, Gallagher and Pettis families; Joyce Burrell; Joan Triplow; Maureen Hopkins; Deceased Members of Falconer & McDermott families; Samuel & Gregoria Munsayac;

## 13 NOVEMBER 2016 33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### READINGS THIS WEEK:

**1st:** Mal.4.1-2 Judgement Day  
**2nd:** 2 Thess 3.7-12 Models for Imitation  
**Gospel:** Luke 21.5-19 Salvation in Christ  
**Readings for next week:** ; 2 Sam 5.1-3 Col 1.12-20 Luke 23.35-43

**Next week's reading: CHRIST THE KING**

II Samuel 5:1-3 Colossians 1:12-20 Luke 23:35-43

Next week's Feast of Christ the King is not an easy one to get our heads round. First of all, nowhere in the gospels did Jesus lay claim to being a king. In fact, when Pilate specifically asked him about it, he said 'you're the one calling me a king'. It's the title 'King of the Jews' placed above Jesus' head on the cross as a taunt to the Jewish rulers that provokes them into scoffing at Jesus with the words 'if you are the king of the Jews, save yourself!' Using Jesus' actual crucifixion, Luke shows how Jesus' leadership was completely different from kingship as the Jews understood it. One of the criminals joins the crowd in wanting to know why 'the king of the Jews' as the inscription on the cross proclaims, doesn't save the three of them by showing that he's more powerful than the soldiers who've crucified them. But Luke's Jesus is more concerned for the one we've traditionally called the 'good thief' than he is for himself. 'Truly, I tell you, today you will be with me in paradise.' He makes it clear that he is not into power and majesty and making his authority felt. In the course of Luke's full account of Jesus' passion and death, Jesus heals the man's severed ear in the garden, speaks words of comfort to the women mourning his death, turns and looks at Peter after his denial, and forgives those who crucified him. His focus on non-violence, compassion, forgiveness are in stark contrast to the arrogance and cruelty of Pilate and the ruling authorities. Pope Francis says religious leaders, following the example of Jesus, 'must be peacemakers.... and our communities..... places where we learn to overcome tensions, foster just and peaceful relations between peoples and social groups, and build a better future for coming generations.' JB rsj



**The Annual Sick and Retired Priests Special Collection  
Sunday 27 November 2016**

On behalf of the Bishop, the Clergy Trust Fund provides for the well-being and care of priests in the Diocese. This includes stipends, food, travel home for overseas priests, retreats, and all costs relating to healthcare. The Clergy Trust Fund struggles to meet increasing medical costs. Hence, your giving to this special collection is most appreciated especially by our elderly priests who then benefit from your generosity. Your support is a great way of showing your gratitude to your priests. Many thanks and blessings to all who contribute to this special collection. Every contribution helps.

*Fr. Brian Walsh*

Fr Brian Walsh, Vicar General



**Year of Jubilee conclusion**

The 'Year of Jubilee' will conclude on the Feast of Christ the King, Sunday, November 20th, 2016. This will be celebrated for the Diocese at the Cathedral of the Holy Spirit, Palmerston North, at the 9:30am Mass that day, when the 'Holy Doors' will be closed. Everyone in the Diocese is welcome to attend the Mass, as well as the morning tea afterwards in the Diocesan conference rooms. NO RSVP required.

*Fr. Brian Walsh*

### CHURCHES & PEOPLE

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 Office hours

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 Office hours: 8.30am—3pm

**•St. Patrick's**

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**St. Francis de Sales**

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 Waverley

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GENERAL BUSINESS

MASS OFFERINGS

WANGANUI CATHOLICS' WEEKLY

## OUR FAITHSHARING GROUPS

**WOMEN'S FAITHSHARING**  
the meeting next week will be held 10am at Moya Ericsson 17 Lindsay Crescent Phone 344 3137. All are welcome.

**FAITHSHARING**  
Rosary and Scripture  
Wed. 10.30am  
St Mary's Community Room.  
All welcome.  
**Resuming 14 October**

**MOTHER'S COMBINED PARISHES PRAYER GROUP**  
Fridays 1—2pm 17 Lindsay Crescent. **Resuming 14 October**  
All ages welcome.

**MEN'S FAITHSHARING**  
Fri. 7.00am. Contact Peter ph. 342 5812 for venue.

**LEGION OF MARY**  
Holy Family Church  
Tuesdays @ 4pm. For more info contact Paul Daws, 344 4828

**LADIES GUILD GROUPS**  
St. Anne's  
Meet on the 2nd Tuesday of the month. Ring Kay Wilkinson Ph. 343 3367

**HOLY FAMILY**  
Meet on the 4th Tuesday of the month. For further information please contact Shirley phone on 344 6365.

**HOLY FAMILY CRAFT GROUP**  
Meet weekly on Thursdays at 9.30am. For further information phone Shirley on 344 6365

**ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY**  
Holy Family Conference meet on the 2nd Monday of the month at 4.45pm. ph: Kevin Foley on 345 0542. Or 345 0161.

St Annes/St Marys Conference meet 1st and 3rd Wed of month at 5pm. Contact Liz Thomas 3437117

**EXPLORING FAITH GROUPS:**  
EVENING: Mon 7.30pm -9.00pm  
Holy Family Meeting Room  
MORNING: Tuesday 11.00am - 12.15pm St Mary's Community Room

*This week we will continue exploring "Parish Rights and Obligations"*

Hosts: Mary Wood 344 3552,  
Nancie & Brian Quigley 347 8177  
Jo Smillie 345 0609 (Morning Group)  
Led by Sr John Bosco Kendall rsj



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### Exploring ECO- Spirituality Group

Thursday 17 November, 7-9pm

### Liturgy – Shapers of Our Journey

Sunday 20 November 4-5pm

*No registration necessary*

### Advent Reflection

Saturday 26 November, 10am – 3pm, \$20

with Maureen Calman

### Liturgy – Meri Kirihimete

*(Please bring a non-perishable food item to assist those in need at this time.)*

Sunday 18 December, 4 – 5pm

To register please call Pam on 3455047 ext 3 or email [pam.hopper@sosj.org.au](mailto:pam.hopper@sosj.org.au)

### Tips to overcome problems in your Prayer Life

Prayer for Humility– To the extent we are humble is the extent of the power of God's grace changing our lives. Without humble prayer, God is unable to reach us, because we have no interior need for him.

### Quote for the week:

I cannot see a child without wanting to tell them how much God loves them.  
St Marcellin Champant

Wanted to buy or rent, 2-3 bedroom town-house or house. Preferably on flat section. Required by 16<sup>th</sup> December. Please call Kathy Orsborn. 3480030.

### Week ending November 13:

There is a deep reality in the readings this week, at the end of the Church's year. It will be in justice and in 'toil and drudgery' that we will live out the joy and strength of our lives of love and service. There is no contradiction between love, joy and eternal life, and ordinary, down to earth blood, sweat and tears. In fact it is in the sweat and tears that we witness to God's love in this place and time.

### MARIAN MOTHERS THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH

You were not born a winner, and you were not born a loser. You are what you make yourself be.

### Marian Corner

Mary knows that she will only contribute to the salvation of the world if, rather than carrying out her own projects, she places herself completely at the disposal of God's initiatives.

### Friendship Meals

Unless someone comes forward as a co-ordinator/volunteer for next year, Friendship Meals may no longer be a service we can offer our community. Please come forward if you can help. Thank you.

### MARAE TIME

at Te Rau Oriwa Marae.  
The Drop-in Centre is open 9-1 pm every Monday to Thursday.  
Nau Mai, Harae Mai. All Welcome.



### MAINLY MUSIC.

St. Anne's Church Raine Street.  
Ph. Anne 344 6569.  
Mondays at 10am.  
A great morning to meet Parents and Carers and Pre-schoolers.



### Combined Music Group

for Feast of Christ the King and Fr Brian's Farewell  
Friday 18th Nov at 5.30pm at St Marys  
Any musicians and singers who would like to join us you are most welcome.

**THANKS;** A number of people do great things keeping our churches clean and tidy and many hours are spent. We are all very aware of their efforts. Thanks to Peter Couchman who spent some time water blasting the exterior frontage of Holy Family Church during the week.

**Congratulations to**  
Timothy Lapuz achievement – DUX Award at Wanganui Collegiate

Jordan Hagenaars– DUX Award Cullinane College

Congratulations on such wonderful academic achievements.



### Cullinane College

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This past week our Seniors began to sit their External Exams. We wish them all the best of luck on all of them. Some of our Seniors also began to attend our Summer School programme where they are given the opportunity to finish off some of their Internal Assessments and sign off on their courses for the year.

This week is a pretty slow week in regard to extra events around the school. Our attention is now fully focused on the Junior students and their final exams. These exams will be occurring on Monday and Tuesday this week. On Monday the students in both Year 9 and 10 will be sitting their Math Exam in the morning and their English Exam in the afternoon. On Tuesday they will be sitting Science in the morning and Social Studies in the afternoon. On both days Period 5 will run as scheduled. Finally on Friday we will continue again with our weekday Masses in St Joseph's Chapel at 10:45am. This week's celebration is being hosted by students from 9TB. As usual we invite our wider community to join these students as they continue to learn the Catholic traditions and beliefs as experienced in the Mass each week.

**Save the Children** will be having an Open Day on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> November at 25 Gilligan Close (off Purnell St) from 10am-3pm.

A wide range of gifts including souvenirs for sale. Look for our flag. All welcome.

### DID YOU KNOW –

that on Friday's at 11.00am at St Mary's the Rosary is recited for our priests and all of our Parishioners. Have you thought about coming along and joining in in this special prayer.

All are very welcome

A time to explore a possible calling from God to become a Sister of Mercy. Single women are invited to attend an event at Mercy Centre, Thorndon, Wellington on Sunday 27 November from 11.45am – 5pm, lunch included. Bookings are necessary. Please contact Sister Stephanie on 04-8198312 or [skit2@xtra.co.nz](mailto:skit2@xtra.co.nz). Come along and bring a friend!

## OUR SCHOOLS AND YOUNG PEOPLE WHAT'S UP?

### ST. ANNE'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL

**Principal:** Karl Zimmerman  
**DRS:** Jo Gichard.  
Raine St. Wanganui East  
Ph: 343 8389  
Email: [office@stannes.school](mailto:office@stannes.school)



St Annes School Mass this Sunday  
13th November. 9.30am at St Marys Church.

### ST. MARY'S SCHOOL

**Principal:** Jacqui Luxton  
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Tēnā koutou



Thank you for joining us tonight at our School Mass.

Tonight we are unveiling our mural of St Mary!

She has been designed and painted by our Gifted and Talented Group of young artists. They work together every Friday under the expert guidance of Nadine Kaua. This has been a major project where students have worked and reworked ideas around Mary and her place in our community.

We are truly blessed to have this taonga which will take pride of place in our school hall.

Ma te Atua koutou e manaaki e tiaki  
May God care for and look after you all

Nga mihi nui



### Fr Brian's Farewell

You are invited to  
Fr Brian's Farewell  
Sunday 20th November  
after 9.30am Mass.  
Please bring a plate  
You are all most welcome!

If you would like to contribute to a gift-please let Jo know ASAP.



### Christmas Raffle

On sale now. \$2.00 per ticket.  
Some lovely Christmas items, Christmas cake, toys, nativity sets, chocolates, books and much more to be won!

### Christmas Gift Ideas:

Heavenly Delights Recipe books \$10.00 each.

**Columban Calendars** for sale \$12.00 each.

Bishop Charles is now on Facebook!

You can follow him at [www.facebook.com/BishopCharlesDrennan](http://www.facebook.com/BishopCharlesDrennan)

