

St Anthony's Parish

6 July 2014

St Anthony's: cnr Ludlam St & Falkirk Ave, Seatoun, Wellington

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10am to 4pm



MASS TIMES

Sunday Mass	Good Shepherd	8.30 am
	St Anthony's	10.00 am
Mon-Wed, Friday	St Anthony's	9.00 am
Thursday (during term time)	St Anthony's (optional lunch & fellowship)	11.30am
Saturday	Holy Cross	9.00 am

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"WHY WAS SUNDAY 29th June SPECIAL"

"Confirmation Day"

There will be no newsletters for the next two weeks during the school holiday.

The next newsletter will be Sunday 27th July. Rosters for the next three weeks are included.

If you are not available on your scheduled day, please swap with another person on the roster.

ROSTERS		6 July 14 th Sunday Ordinary Time
Ministries on the day	Good Shepherd	St Anthony's
Readers	Aulotu	D Renouf R O'Brien
Communion	Aulotu	L Halliwell B Sheehan D Johnson
Sick		D Johnson
Altar Servers		Volunteers please
Children's Liturgy		School Holidays
Refreshments		School Holidays
Counting		L Halliwell B Roche
Ushers	Paul and Peter	Warren and Matthew
Ministries to be done prior to 6 July		
Altar Linen		R O'Brien
Church Cleaning		Daley/Goodger Families
Flowers		J O'Brien

Sunday 6 July 8.30am Mass, The Good Shepherd invite all to come and share as they celebrate 35 years of the Samoan Community at The Good Shepherd. Shared lunch to follow.

Wednesday 23 July 9am Morning Mass will be held in the Tui class over at school. This is a new initiative and all are very welcome to join Tui class for Mass.

A day in which 27 children from the parishes of St Patrick's Kilbirnie, Holy Cross Miramar, and St Anthony's Seatoun, coming together to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation.

Arch-Bishop John Dew explained the importance of the Sacrament of Confirmation. Confirmation is a spiritual, sacred and permanent sign or seal that marks the Christian as a witness of Christ through the action of the Holy Spirit. It is conferred by the bishop or his designated person. Through this sacrament, the faithful share more fully in the gifts of the Holy Spirit which bring renewed vibrancy to the spiritual life of the person. The gifts of the Holy Spirit are knowledge, understanding, wisdom, fortitude, right judgement, piety and fear of the Lord.

The gift of knowledge helps to instruct us about God and to appreciate God's work in the world, the gift of understanding helps one penetrate into the truths of faith, the gift of wisdom helps one make judgements that will help attain the goal of holiness, the gift of courage or fortitude helps each person boldly to proclaim the Gospel, the gift of right judgement or counsel helps the confirmed to make right decisions, the gift of reverence or piety inspires gratitude to God for all that was given, and the gift of wonder and awe or fear of the Lord inspires appreciation for the presence of the Lord.

The gifts enhance the spiritual life of the confirmed and prepare him or her to be a witness to the world. To be a witness means to behave and speak like Christ.

Through the power of the Holy Spirit the Christian now attends to both physical and spiritual needs of others.

Father Sanele



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	13 July 15 th Sunday Ordinary Time		20 July 16 th Sunday Ordinary Time	
Ministries on the day	Good Shepherd	St Anthony's	Good Shepherd	St Anthony's
Readers	P Franken K Newson	B Roche J Papesch	N Lelevaga F Fiaula	T Sutcliffe D Masters
Communion	I & F Fogasoaia	F Meech T Sutcliffe R O'Brien	Brown-Tauti Family	K Von Lanthen K & J Marshall
Sick		F Meech		J Marshall
Altar Servers		Volunteers please		Claudia Banas Matthew McDermott
Children's Liturgy		School Holidays		School Holidays
Refreshments		School Holidays		School Holidays
Counting		D & J Sharp		M Krafft
Ushers	Paul and Peter	Warren and Matthew	Paul and Peter	Warren and Matthew
Ministries to be done prior to 13 July			Ministries to be done prior to 20 July	
Altar Linen		C Maher		A McArley
Church Cleaning		Bolger/St Just Families		Bartle/Shirley families
Flowers		K Walsh		R O'Brien

Please remember in your prayers Frank Folan and Paulette Finlay whose anniversary occurs around this time, and all those whose anniversaries occur during the month of July. We pray for Mr Lotovale, Va'a's father who passed away recently.

The First Spiritual Exercises - Inner Peace in Divine Love - will be offered at the Home of Compassion, 2 Rhine St, Island Bay, Thurs 3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th and 31 July, 7pm - 9pm. This is an accessible format of St Ignatius' Spiritual Exercises, adapted by Fr Michael Hansen, sj, for anyone wishing to deepen their relationship with God. Kevin Gallagher, a trained spiritual guide, will lead the process of prayer, sharing and discernment each week. Registration and further information from Patricia Kane pakane@ihug.co.nz or 475 8837

Life in the Spirit Seminar - taking place over 6 weeks, each Tuesday, from 29th July to 2nd September, 10.30am to 12 noon. Please note change of venue to: St Joseph's Church, Mt Victoria. There will be guest speakers and a Koha will be taken up each week. For further information and to register please contact Judith Milio, ph 4 389 3272; email: j.milio@xtra.co.nz. Registrations will close on 18th July 2014.

ST MARY'S COLLEGE AUCKLAND is celebrating their 150th Anniversary of the College being in New Street, Ponsonby, in September 2014. For further information please contact Dianne Storer - distorer@ihug.co.nz or phone: 09 6385604/0272790917.

Charismatic Mass

Tuesday, 15th July 2014, 7.30pm at St Joseph's Church, 1 Pine Avenue, Upper Hutt. Celebrant: Fr Ron Bennett. All welcome

Catholic Men's One-Day Retreat- 'Come—Listen—Live'

All men are invited to attend a one-day retreat at the Home of Compassion, Island Bay Sat 19 July, 8.30am to 5pm. Retreat leader is Father Bernard Espiritu SCD (National Director MISSIONZ) Bring lunch to share (morning and afternoon tea provided). NO CHARGE—KOH ACCEPTED ON THE DAY RSVP; Steve 027 547 0737, David Monastra phone 043881079 or text 0274477280 or email joshuawgthb@paradise.net.nz

Sea Sunday, 13 July 2014

On this Sunday we pray especially for seafarers and fishing boat crews, for all those that work in our ports and for God's blessing on the work of the Apostleship of the Sea, the Catholic Church's official ministry to those that work at sea. Please support the work of the Apostleship with your prayer, and consider becoming of volunteer. For more information please see our website www.aos.org.nz or contact the National Director, Fr. Jeff Drane on 027 492 0250, at jeffdrane@aos.org.nz or write to P O Box 25-563 Wellington 6146.

Thurs 17 July - Winter dialogue series on Catholic Social Teaching Speakers: Father Gerry Burns will speak on Social Justice in Catholic Social Teaching. Helen Kelly President of the Council of Trade Unions) will speak on Social justice in practice today - St Joseph's Church, Mount Victoria, 7.30pm-9pm. Koha for the Refugee Family Reunification Trust would be appreciated. Contact Marie Kearney - marie.kearney@hotmail.com or ph.04 384 9891 (Convenor of Wellington South Pastoral Area Social Justice Group)

The St Vincent de Paul Society thanks those Parishioners who assisted with our recent Street Day Appeal and those who contributed so generously towards it. This year's total was \$13,407.00 which was a very pleasing result and a tribute to all concerned.