

**HOLY TRINITY
12TH JUNE 2022**

EXPLORING THE WORD

The people of Israel were unique among the nations of the ancient world in that they held to a belief in one God. But Jesus speaks of this God as 'Abba', Father. There is an implied relationship with this God. Jesus also speaks of the Spirit, and again, there is a relationship implied between Jesus and the Spirit, for this Spirit will continue to speak the words of God and of Jesus and will glorify them. Thus begins the early church's deep reflection on the mystery of Jesus and the relationship between Father, Son and Spirit. This relationship was ultimately formulated in what we now call the Trinity.

In this text, Jesus is not simply addressing those present with him but all those who will search for the truth down the centuries to come. All of us are led to complete truth and understanding through the actions of the Spirit, who directs us to the Father and the Son: At the heart of the mystery of the Trinity is a Father whose love is incarnated in the Son who gives life to the world, and in the mutual love which exists between the Father and the Son and touches our lives as the Holy Spirit.

(F. Maloney, This is the Gospel of the Lord, Year C, Sydney: St Paul Publications, 1991, p. 115)

BUILDING FUND UPDATE

The loan agreement has been finalised with the diocese.

Thank you to everyone for your continued support of the 2nd Collection.

PARISH COLLECTIONS

5th JUNE 2022

1st Collection: \$2,732.40

2nd Collection: \$1,243.60

PARISH COUNCIL COMMITTEE

Wayne Cammell, Marianne Mudaliar, Thomas Pereira, Celia Hunkin, Fr Craig, Arlene Pereira, Kevin Davies, Josephine Nickel.

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PARISH GROUPS

The Legion of Mary; Our Lady of Victories Presidium

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SAMOAN COMMUNITY

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LIVE CHRIST, SHARE CHRIST

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PLANNED GIVING

Friendly reminder if you would like to help contribute to our **Parish & Building Fund**, we would appreciate if you could set up your planned giving contributions as an Automatic Payment in your internet banking settings. Details are located on the back of this newsletter.

PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES

Available for collection from the office. Please see Celia.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR MASS INTENTIONS

Recently Deceased: Alexander Lee, Louis Chu, Genevieve Brighthouse, Alberta Jayakody, Jorge Alombro, Jean, Nita Laguda, Arnold Leduna, Lito Armas, Theresa Heng, Chastine Chloe Ganuanga, Marilyn Madrid, Jack Farrell, Edward William Castelino.

Anniversaries of Death: Rudolph Godinho, Dennis Emriquez, Romulo Devilla, Romeo Munar, Fermin & Lilia Pineda, Paul Lee, Alice Lim, Anne Abbot, John Lim, Mary Lee SF, Anne Lim Kim Lian Yvonne Rose Johassen, Marina Bautista, Pedro Piramide Junior, Ruth G Paguirigan, Babsy Hoeden Pereira, Soane Kauhalianua, Feliciano Gramata.

For the Sick: Mufi Lologa, Dickson Naidoo, Woon Kong Fatt, Ramalingam, Joseph, Dominica Park, Fale Tufue, Gabrielle Westerlund, Kamla Singh, Aguida Cruz, Robellta Lee, Marek Gabrielczyk.

Special Intentions:

Hieu Trung Pham, Reggie, Jane & Wilbert Santos, Rohan Rodrigues, Vanessa & Terry Alpay,

Bendeict Seo & Family, Jose Moralejo, Ataini & Soane Pule'anga, Philomena

**THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST
19th June 2022**

TIME	COMMENTATOR	READERS	ALTAR SERVERS	COMMUNION	AV	Thank you to all our ministry Volunteers for your service to our Parish! Please see Thomas for any roster queries. 
5:00PM	Cyril Siasoco	Ton Quiballo	Jirus Wong Ling	Kyle Guarin	Oliver Tamayo	
			Zoe Martis	Joseph George		
		Janet Wigmore	Zach Nguyen Asher Nguyen	Thomas George		
8:30AM	Utita Sakalia	Lauretta Weldschidt	Phillip Ah Kau	Megan Noronha	Nathan Pereira	
			Diana Carrillo	Daniel Pereira		
		Evelyn Sia	Diego Carrillo Calvin Chong	Abigail Rodrigues		
10:30AM	Josephine Nickel	Cherrie Lapaz	Kathrina Bacay	Barbara McGivern	T J Reyes	
			Matthew Cortez	Alisa Magele-Rees		
			Miguel Cortez	Lou Garcia		
		Lesley Dickson	Sophie Cong	Thea Garcia Cora Noblejas		

THINKING OF CATHOLISM

St Luke's Parish will be conducting the **RCIA** programme (Rite of Christian Initiation) beginning from AUGUST 2022.

Please contact Nicholas through the Parish office if you, or if you know of someone who is interested to find out about our Catholic faith, with the prospect of getting baptised as a Catholic on Easter 2023.

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM

Please continue to pray for our children and their families, who are preparing for the sacraments of Confirmation and First Holy Communion. Our children will be receiving the Sacraments in 3 weeks time.

CHARIS

We, the Human Promotion Team invite you to join with us as we pray for the vulnerable children in NZ. The Rosary will be the main prayer for this event. See link below to join us or you can go to CHARIS Facebook Page and just click on link, which will be easier. If you cannot join us on zoom, please pray for this intention at home or in your prayer groups. Contact: Josephine 0273674453

Wednesday 15th June 2022, 7.30pm Join Zoom Prayer Meeting

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89210259901?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89210259901?pwd=OFd4UlpDbGNIUFhVYWREemp6NXE1dz09)

[pwd=OFd4UlpDbGNIUFhVYWREemp6NXE1dz09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89210259901?pwd=OFd4UlpDbGNIUFhVYWREemp6NXE1dz09)

Meeting ID: 892 1025 9901

Passcode: 15June2022<https://www.facebook.com/charis.nz>

COVID-19 Exposures

There are still cases of covid exposures here at St Luke's Catholic Church, it is important to please follow the protocols:

- **Strongly encouraged to wear a Mask.**
- SOCIAL DISTANCE in your family bubble.
- If any symptoms develop, get tested immediately and isolate.

We appreciate your understanding and co-operation.

MASK WEARING

The public Health advice is that masks continue to be strongly encouraged when indoors. Wearing a mask is a key health measure that slows the spread of COVID-19 in indoor settings.

For that reason, we ask that

Parishioners continue to wear a mask whenever they attend mass at St Lukes.

We can help each other to keep safe as much as possible. Thank you for your understanding and co-operation.

ROSARY WORKSHOP

Learn about the history, the prayers and the mysteries of the Rosary, with hands-on teaching to make your own Rosary : Sunday 2pm – 4pm (\$15 pp per session includes all rosary making materials and afternoon tea) Sun 26 June. Venue: St Francis Retreat Centre.

Contact rosaryworkshopnz@gmail.com to register or for more info.

Catholic Caring Foundation

– together, we care for the poor Our families are doing it tough this winter. Please take home the Foundation's latest newsletter and see how we can all make a difference.

www.caringfoundation.org.nz



EXTRA PARKING FOR SUNDAY MASS

Friendly reminder there is plenty of parking available via the Te Irirangi entrance to the Schools. Only a short walk through the school and less traffic congestion.

New Parishioner Registration Online Form - Available Now!



Our new Online registration is now available. Check it out on our Parish Website or by scanning this QR Code.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION

ALPHA

Alpha is an 11-week course where people are invited to explore, re-discover and deepen the Catholic faith and fellowship.

This coming week's topic - How does God Guide Us?

Come join us in fellowship: Thurs 9th June, 6.30pm
All are welcome!

Alpha

NZ CATHOLIC

NZ Catholic for sale in church foyers again.

Price \$4 (unchanged for 8 years).



Some headlines for this issue:

- *Bishop Michael Gielen appointed as Bishop of Christchurch.
- *Catholic reaction to the Budget.
- *Women who shook up philosophy at Oxford.
- *Te Aroha parishioner knitted 3000 slippers.

MORNING TEA

Our next morning tea will be held Sunday, 26th June After the 10.30am Mass.

Please join special celebrations with our Kiwi & Others Community.



BAPTISM DATES

June 25th ; July 30th ; Aug 27th ; 24th Sep

Attendance at a Preparation Course is necessary for your first baby.

Enquire with Nick at the Parish Office.

INDIAN COMMUNITY

An invitation to meet with Fr Craig to discuss Community Leadership within our Parish.

**Next Saturday 18th June, 3PM
Parish Lounge.**

Thank you in advance for your participation.

2021/2022 Tax Receipts

They will be sent out upon request. Please contact the office if you require your tax receipt. Thank you for your continued support.