### For Your Diaries: 2016

### 9 October, Palliser Viols at Te Papa

Robert Oliver and Palliser Viols present a free concert at Nga Toi, Arts Te Papa, Level 5 at 3pm on Sunday 9th October.

### 13 October, St Pats Old Boys Association Annual Dinner

Calling all 'Town' and 'Stream' Old Boys! You are invited to attend our annual dinner to be held this Thursday 13th October 2016, at 6pm, SPC Hall, Kilbirnie. Guest Speaker: Tim Bennett, Head of the NZ Stock Exchange. Cost: \$45.00. Tickets: Online banking 02 0500 0021983 000 enter first name & surname as reference then email: secretary@spcob.org.nz to advise. We will also be announcing this year's Old Boy of the Year at the dinner. Visit our website www.spcob.org.nz & find us on Facebook.

### 14 October, XLT (eXaLT) Youth Worship Night

Friday 14th October @ St Anne's Hall, 7pm to 9pm. Cool music, Eucharistic Adoration, fun, food and fellowship. Come with your friends! Open to Year 9 – 13 students and young adults.

15 October, A Remarkable Stillness - Mental Health Awareness Week Saturday 15 October 7pm St Johns in the City. Schola Cantorum (the Youth Choir of St Mary of the Angels) directed by Robert Oliver, and the Singers' Creative Research Ensemble Wellington, directed by Heather Easting, including students and graduates of NZSM vocal program, present a concert of classical vocal music especially for Mental Health Awareness Week. Door sale tickets \$20/\$10 with all proceeds going to the Wellington City Mission.

### 15 October, Dove Fellowship for Women

Dove Wellington invites all women to our meeting from 1.15pm-3pm on Saturday 15 October at Connolly Hall, Guildford Terrace, Wellington. This meeting, we are blessed to have Diana Ingle, Chairperson of New Zealand Catholic Charismatic Renewal, as our guest speaker. We look forward to seeing you there. Please contact Rachel Blackaby for more info: 233 2553.

### 15 October, Songs from The Heart - Concert

7.30pm, St Brigid's Parish, Feilding. Mezzo-soprano Wendy Kale supported by tenor Kevin O'Kane and accompanied by Sue Alexander with the young men from Hato Paora College's Kapa Haka Group adding another flavour to the mix. There will be opportunities throughout for the audience to join in this musical feast. A light supper will follow Wendy's concert.

### 16 October, Sunday Best - Concert

11am, St Brigid's Parish, Feilding. A smorgasbord of musical treats. Wendy Kale & Kevin O'Kane accompanied by Sue Alexander and also by St Joseph's School Kapa Haka Group. A real community event, beginning with 9am Mass, followed by a special morning tea, then the concert. Tickets can be purchased by contacting the Parish Office (06)323 3980



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### MASS TIMES Sunday

7am St Mary of the Angels Parish Hall 9am Sacred Heart Cathedral 12pm St John's Presbyterian Church 5pm St Joseph's Church, Mt Victoria

**Monday to Friday** 

St Mary of the Angels Parish Hall 7:30am, 12:05pm & 5:15pm

### Saturday

11am St Mary of the Angels Parish Hall

### SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING

St Mary of the Angels Parish Hall 11am Mass 4th Saturday of each month

### **ADORATION**

St Mary of the Angels Parish Hall

Monday to Friday 6:45am - 7:30am

Friday 11:00am-12:00pm

#### RECONCILIATION

St Mary of the Angels Presbytery

Monday to Thursday 11:30am-12:00pm

12:30pm - 1:00pm 4:30pm - 5:00pm

Friday

11:00am-12:00pm 12:30pm - 1:00pm 4:30pm - 5:00pm

Saturday

10:30am-11:00am 4:00pm - 5:00pm

### Parish Priest

Fr Barry Scannell SM smoapp@xtra.co.nz

Assistant Priest Fr Carl Telford SM

Adult Education Fr Michael Young SM

#### Pastoral Worker Sr Frances Gibbs CSB

Director of Music

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9 October 2016, 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Judge Paul Barber QSO (RIP)

One of our most respected and faithful parishioners, Judge Paul Barber passed away at Mary Potter Hospice on Tuesday morning. Paul had been suffering for some months with Motor Neurone Disease. Paul and his wife, Kerry, have been faithful and generous parishioners of St Mary of the Angels for over 40 years.

Paul was born on 21 August 1937 in Epsom, Auckland. He was educated at St Michael's Convent School in Remuera, Kilbirnie Convent School, Marist Miramar, Holy Name Seminary in Christchurch and Victoria University where he graduated with a Law degree (LLB) in 1963.

Paul had a very distinguished law career as a partner in Swan Davies & McKay and was appointed a District Court Judge in 1981. He served as a Judge of the Arbitration Court, the Taxation Review Authority, Customs Appeal Authority, ACC Appeals and the Real Estate Agents Disciplinary Tribunal.

Paul was a person of the upmost integrity and had a deep Catholic faith. Although failing in health over the last few months he attended the 9am Mass every Sunday until three weeks before his death.

We offer his wife Kerry, daughters Nerissa and Marina and son-in-law David our deepest sympathy and prayers. A Requiem Mass for Paul will be held in the Cathedral on Tuesday 11 October at 1pm. May he rest in peace.

### **Anne Hartley**

It is with sincere regret that we say farewell this weekend to Anne Hartley and her husband Peter who are going against the trend and moving to the Sunshine Coast of Australia. Anne began attending the 5pm Mass in the Parish in the late 1980's. She joined the Music Group in the early 1990's, was commissioned as a Eucharistic Minister and Reader in 1994 and served on the Parish Council from 2008 to 2013.

Anne has served the Parish in so many ways. She has been a dynamic leader of the 5pm Music Group, preparing the music each Sunday and has gathered around her a wonderful and talented group of musicians and singers. We are really going to miss her cheerful personality and many skills.

We wish Anne and Peter every blessing in their new venture and we assure them of a warm welcome on their return visits to Wellington. May God bless you Anne for all that you have contributed to St Mary of the Angels Parish.

The Parish will acknowledge Anne with a farewell meal after the 5pm Mass tonight.

Father Barry Scannell sm (Parish Priest)

### This Week's Readings

First Reading 5:14-17 Kings Naanman returned to Elisha, the prophet, and acknowledged the Lord.

Second Reading 2 Tim 2:8-13

If we hold firm, we shall reign with Christ.

17:11-19 Gospel Reading Luke It seems that no one had returned to give thanks to God except this foreigner.

### **Next Week's Readings**

First Reading	$\mathbf{E}\mathbf{x}$	17:8-13
Psalm	120	
Second Reading	2 Tim	3:14 - 4:2
Gospel Reading	Luke	18:1-8

## **Last Sunday's Collection**

Total: \$4,390



### A Remarkable Stillness

Youth Choir Concert for Mental Health Awareness Week

- Saturday 15 October 7pm St Johns in the City -Schola Cantorum (the Youth Choir of St Mary of the Angels) directed by Robert Oliver, and the Singers' Creative Research Ensemble Wellington, directed by Heather Easting, including students and graduates of NZSM vocal program, present a concert of classical vocal music especially for Mental Health Awareness Week. Enjoy beautiful music from medieval to modern times, much of it from composers or authors whose lives were touched by mental distress, including Britten's Rejoice in the Lamb, setting the words Christopher Smart wrote while in the asylum, famous for the verse 'For I will consider my cat Jeoffry'. Tickets \$20/\$10 door sales only, Eustie: (04) 550 9240, Katrin: (04) 970 9385, or email: all proceeds to the Wellington City Mission.

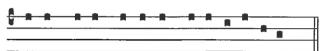
### Responsorial Psalm 97

### R. The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power.

Sing a new song to the Lord for he has worked wonders. His right hand and his holy arm have brought salvation. R

The Lord has made known his salvation; has shown his justice to the nations. He has remembered his truth and love for the house of Israel. R

All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God. Shout to the Lord all the earth, ring out your joy. R



No-tum fe-cit Domi-nus sa-lu-ta-re su-um.

The Lord hath made known His salvation.

## The Lazarus Experience

A weekend retreat based on Catholic teaching and designed to heal those suffering from a marriage break up.

The next retreat takes place from 7pm Friday 28th October until 4pm Sunday 30th October 2016. For further information or to register for the weekend pick up a flyer from the Parish Hall or visit the website: www.wn.catholic.org.nz/lazarus

To talk to one of the organisers please contact: lazarus.wellington@gmail.com

### Mass has been offered for:

Recently Deceased: Paul Barber, Mary Dysart

Anniversaries: O'Brien Reeve, Tina Lyons, John Casserley, Eileen Dysart, Claire Bourke, Sidney Hall,

Ann Ross, Colin Hoopert, Bryan Outtrim, Fr Peter Bradley sm, Maria Dorriguzzi,

Hannah McGuigan, Kathleen Cosgrave

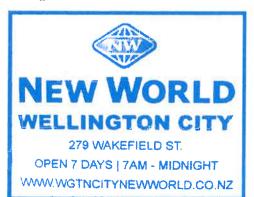


Prayers for the Sick: Don Hayes, Jenni Rowell, Joseph Glowazc, Jeanette Parker, Teresa Jeong, Dr Peter Brooke, Patricia McGreevy, Clem Cull, Fr Fred Bliss sm, Maureen Ayling, Richard Wright, Losalia Leo, Maureen McDonald, Patricia Smyth, John Foden, Joanna Veltman, Imelda Reeve, Jan Tuinman, Kathleen Phelan.

> Please remember these and any others in the Parish who are ill. If you know of anyone confined to their home or who needs a visit with Holy Communion, please contact Sister Frances at the Parish Office.







## Prayer for Seismic Strengthening Work

Gracious God, Creator of the Universe, you made us in your own image and likeness.

You gave us wisdom and understanding. grateful hearts and creative minds.

We pray that our beautiful Church will be strengthened against the peril of earthquake through the generosity of parishioners, the community of Wellington and people throughout New Zealand.

We ask, Lord, that you abundantly bless those who have already donated funds. skill and expertise to this project.

May St Mary of the Angels Church be a symbol of a unified community that will gather to praise and thank you.

Mary our Mother, pray for us.

### St Mary of the Angels Young Adults Group (SMAYACs)

The SMAYACs welcome all students and young adults in the Parish to join them in their upcoming events:

Thursday 20th October following 5.15pm Mass: Prayer Group in SMOA Parish Hall. Afterward we go downtown for something to eat. For more info contact: smayacs@gmail.com or search for St Mary of the Angels Young Adults on Facebook.

Saturday 15th October: SEEK 2016. Organised by



the Wellington Archdiocese and held at St Thomas More Church, Wilton, SEEK is an opportunity to explore your

calling and reflect on vocational questions. The afternoon includes a short hike in Otari-Wilton bush with space for conversation, afternoon tea and concludes with Mass. Held at St. Thomas More Church. Wilton. 1-5pm. Please rsvp to Isabella McCafferty by Tuesday 11th October: i.mccafferty@wn.catholic.org.nz

## Month of the Holy Rosary - The Joyful Mysteries

The mysteries of the Rosary embrace the earthly life, public ministry and death of Jesus Christ, his resurrection and ascension. They also emphasise the motherhood of Mary. This week we offer a reflection on the five Joyful Mysteries which remind us of the events in which Mary was directly involved before the birth of Jesus and during his childhood.

The First Joyful Mystery - The Annunciation

Lk 1:26-38 | Pray for the ability to accept God's will. The archangel Gabriel announces to Mary that she is to be the Mother of God. The Holy Name of Jesus will be given to her Son. He will rule from the throne of his father David forever. Mary will maintain her virginity perpetually for she conceives only by the Holy Spirit.

The Second Joyful Mystery - The Visitation

Lk 1:39-56 | Pray for your family, friends and neighbours. Mary visits her relative Elizabeth. John the Baptist, in the womb of Elizabeth, rejoices at the sound of Mary's voice and at the presence of the Lord in her womb. Elizabeth says, "Blessed are Thou amongst women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb." Mary then proclaims the "Magnificat".

The Third Joyful Mystery - The Nativity

Lk 2:1-14 | Pray that you may develop a concern for the poor. Joseph brings Mary to Bethlehem because of a census, but there is no place for them except in a stable outside of town. There, Jesus is born. The angels announce this to local shepherds, while magi come from the east, beckoned by a star, to worship the Lord.

The Fourth Joyful Mystery - The Presentation

Lk 2:22-35 | Pray that you may recognise the spirit of God in others. Mary and Joseph her husband fulfilled the Jewish law and went to Jerusalem and consecrated Jesus to the Lord, in a ceremony in the temple. The holy man, Simeon, who had been assured by God that he would not die until he had seen the Lord with his own eyes, looked on Jesus and intoned the touching canticle/prayer the "Nunc dimittis", ("Now master, you can let your servant go in peace, just as you promised".)

The Fifth Joyful Mystery - The Finding in the Temple Lk 2:41-50 | Pray for understanding the needs of others in your family. When Our Lord was twelve years old Mary and Joseph made their annual journey to the temple for the Jewish Passover. On the way back home Jesus could not be found among the travellers. They searched for three days and eventually found him in the Temple among the elders who were astonished at the boy's wisdom and knowledge. And Jesus gave Mary a strange and puzzling message.

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