For Your Diaries: 2017

24 April, Healing Service

There is to be a Healing Service with Fr John Rea at St Teresa's Church Karori on Monday 24 April beginning at 7.30pm. Everyone is welcome. Please bring those who need Jesus' healing.

24 April, Jimmy Mitchell - International Catholic Speaker

One Night Parish Mission for young and old alike, Come along to hear Jimmy for an evening of stories and songs. St Annes Church, 26 Daniell St, Newtown, Monday the 24th of April from 7-8.30pm.

25 April, Holy Hour

You are invited to a Holy Hour on Tuesday 25 April beginning at 7.30pm in the Cathedral chapel to pray for vocations to priesthood and religious life.

26 April, Life in the Spirit Seminar

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30 April, Organ Recital

2:30pm Please do come along in support of our organ fundraising campaign. Tickets \$20+GST available at the door (cash or eftpos), or from the Cathedral Director of Music - Michael Fletcher 04 496 1700.

2 May, Thomas Gaynor in Concert

Wonderful opportunity to experience a rising international musical talent. St Mary of the Angels Church, 7:30pm. Admission is free.

7 May, Young Church Mass

The St Mary of the Angels young adults are celebrating the reopening of St Mary of the Angels church by hosting the Young Church Mass on Sunday 7 May at the 5pm Mass. We would love to have a big turnout to help make this event a

9 May, Taste of St Pat's Day

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10-14 July, "Companions on the Journey"

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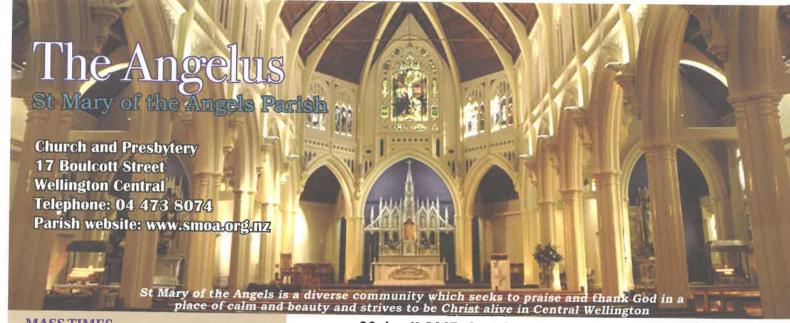
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Contact by e-mail for further information:

mariabaldock@gmail.com



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

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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

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Fr Barry Scannell SM smoapp@xtra.co.nz

Assistant Priest Fr Joe Savesi SM

Adult Education Fr Kevin Conroy SM

Pastoral Worker Sr Frances Gibbs CSB

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23 April 2017, 2nd Sunday of Easter - Year A

Anzac Day

The Archdiocesan ANZAC day Mass will be celebrated on Tuesday 25 April at 9am in our Church. The celebrant for the Mass will be Cardinal John Dew. St Mary of the Angels Choir will lead the singing. Please come and pray for those who fought for peace. This is a significant liturgical event in our Parish and in the Archdiocese.

Archdiocesan Synod '17

Cardinal John has called for a Synod of the Archdiocese which will take place from 15 – 17 September 2017. St Mary of the Angels have been allocated 5 delegates at the Synod.

Included in the Angelus today is a nomination form inviting parishioners to nominate a registered St Mary of the Angels parishioner to become a member of the Synod. Nominations close on 30 April.

Tax Receipts

Tax receipts are available at all Masses today for contributions that parishioners have made through the Planned Giving programme. If you do not collect your receipt it will be posted to you.

There are some people whose address is unknown and who have contributed to the Parish and to the Seismic Strengthening Fund. If you have not yet received a receipt for donations please contact our accountant Jeanette Temelo. She is in the Parish Office on Monday and Friday afternoons.

Young Church Mass

The St Mary of the Angels young adults are celebrating the reopening of St Mary of the Angels Church by hosting the Young Church Mass on Sunday 7 May at 5pm. The Young Church Mass is held each month, and hosted by different young Catholics groups in the Wellington area. They are a great opportunity to meet other young Catholics and share our faith. After Mass we will go over to the Parish Hall, where Cardinal John Dew will talk about the upcoming Synod. We will be providing Beef Stroganoff and bread, and would love it if some people bring along either a salad or dessert. We would love to have a big turnout to help make this event a success.

Father Barry Scannell s.m. Parish Priest

This Week's Readings

2:42-47 First Reading Acts The faithful lived together and owned everything in common.

Second Reading 1 Peter 1:3-9

He has given us a new birth as his children, by raising Jesus Christ from the dead.

Gospel Reading 20:19-31 John After eight days Jesus came in and stood among them.

Next Week's Readings

2:14. 22-33 First Reading Acts **Psalm** 1:17-21 1 Peter

Second Reading 24:13-35 Gospel Reading Luke

Last Sunday's Collection

Total: \$9,476





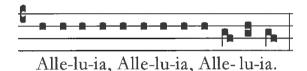
Responsorial Psalm 117

R. Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, his love is everlasting.

Let the sons of Israel say: 'His love has no end.' Let the sons of Aaron say: 'His love has no end.' Let those who fear the Lord say: 'His love has no end.' R

I was thrust, thrust down and falling but the Lord was my helper. The Lord is my strength and my song; he was my saviour. There are shouts of joy and victory in the tents of the just. R

The stone which the builders rejected has become the cornerstone. This is the work of the Lord, a marvel in our eyes. This day was made by the Lord; we rejoice and are glad. R



Planned Giving Tax Receipts

The 2016-2017 planned giving tax reciepts are now available. The envelopes are labelled alphabetically by surname and can be found in the entrance fover after Mass today. If you would like to join the St Mary of the Angels Planned Giving Scheme please contact the Parish Office on04 473 8074 or smoaoffice@xtra.co.nz. A tax rebate of 33.3% may be claimed on all your contributions.

Mass has been offered for:

Recently Deceased: Ooi Seang Sooi, Hongkyu-Jeong (Joachim)

Jaime Biton, Rosalie Coyle, Malcolm McClure, John Blake, Joseph Churchward, **Anniversaries:**

Czeslaw Tomaszyk, Jean Auld, Linton Eskridgge, John Keating, Juing Jieng, Ian Jones,

Prayers for the Sick: Gil Lescher, Mary Crompton, Jenni Rowell, Jeanette Parker, Teresa Jeong, Dr Peter Brooke, Clem Cull, Fr Kevin O'Donoghue sm, Maureen Ayling, Richard Wright, Losalia Leo, Patricia Smyth, John Foden, Imelda Reeve, Jan Tuinman, Kathleen Phelan, John Mora, Maria Kim, Carol Aldridge, Maureen McDonald

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.





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Prayer for Vocations

St Peter Chanel, you left your homeland to proclaim Iesus, Saviour of the world, to the peoples of Ocenania. Guided by the Spirit of God, who is the strength of the gentle, you bore witness to love, even laying down your life. Grant that, like you, we may live our daily life in peace, in joy, and in fraternal love. May your prayer and example call forth from our midst many workers for the Gospel so that God's Kingdom may reach to the ends of the earth. Amen

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Organ Recital

Sunday April 30th 2:30pm welcomes Johann Vexo, Organist Nancy Cathedral and Choir Organist Notre-Dame Cathedral, Paris and Damien Rivière Tenor, Notre-Dame Cathedral Choir, Paris as they present a concert of music by Bach, Alain, Vierne, Durufle and Langlais in support of our organ fundraising campaign. Please come along to listen to some fantastic music performed by leading French artists in support of our organ fundraising campaign. Tickets \$20+GST available at the door or from the Director of Music - Michael Fletcher 04 496 1700.

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Mass in Te Reo

Nau mai, haere mai! This Miha is celebrated each Sunday at 11am at the Home of Compassion, Island Bay. As the main chapel there is being renovated, the Mass is held in another chapel in the main building. Follow the signs. For further information, contact Carolyn Carr on 9205657

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