

23RD MAY 2010 : PENTECOST SUNDAY - YEAR C

Bishop Welcomes New Catholics

Tonight in the Cathedral at the 7pm Mass Archbishop John will welcome those who were received into the Church at Easter. Among those at this Mass tonight will be six parishioners of St Mary of the Angels who became Catholics at Easter. This welcome by the Archbishop completes the RCIA programme and I sincerely thank all those who have supported our candidates and catechumens in their journey of faith. Please continue to pray for them as they deepen this faith commitment in our Parish.

Pentecost Ecumenical Vespers

Please join our Anglican and Presbyterian friends from St Peter's and St John's in Willis Street to celebrate this Feast of Pentecost by praying Vespers in our Church this evening at 7.30pm. The Choir's from the three parishes will lead the prayer.

If you are able to contribute a plate of food for supper please leave it in the Parish Hall.

Kitchen Upgrade

Over the next few weeks the kitchen in our Parish Hall will be upgraded – (it is long overdue). I apologise for any inconvenience to persons/groups who are using the Hall during this time. I am sure that when the work is completed it will result in a much improved facility for the many meetings and functions which take place each week.

Fr Barry Scannell sm
Parish Priest

Mass has been offered for

Recently Deceased	Rosalinda Nolasco
Anniversaries	Mary Davidson, Robert Bell, Maxwell Fernie, Sheila Fama, Ted & Frank Healy, Jessma Tweedy
Special Intentions	4
Prayers for the Sick	Fr Tom O'Connor sm, Patricia Smyth, Cecilia Dickson, Da Van Luyn, Des Cartright, Ron Blair, Dulcie Campbell, Oinah Macpherson, Joan O'Neill, Mary Egan, Carolyne Collins, Peter Gilbert, Nomaza Sidima-Jacob, Kath Cosgrave, Peter Tawhaki, Mary Jarvis, Angela Hong, Paul Rajan, Maria Kasperowicz, Marie McWilliams, Aileen Gallagher, Pat Smith.

St Mary of the Angels Young Adults' Group

A group for 18-35s and the young at heart - come and share faith, fellowship and friendship.

Events

Theology on Tap Last Sunday of every Month 6.30pm - 7.30pm. Next Theology on Tap is **30 May** The Papal Nuncio to New Zealand Archbishop Charles Balvo will talk about the Church, its structure and hierarchy. Don't miss it! Venue is the Bristol Hotel in Cuba Mall.

Holy Hour Third Thursday of every month 6pm - 7pm. Next Holy Hour is **17 June** - An hour of adoration led by young people of the parish.

Youth Masses Second Sunday of every month at 5pm. Next Youth Mass is **13 June**. Please contact us if you would like to be involved in any way!

Bible Study All are welcome to join a small group of young adults who meet to discuss the Gospel for the following Sunday or join in some form of spiritual reflection. **Every Tuesday** at the new time of **6.45pm** in the Crypt (below the Church).

We welcome newcomers to the group, your ideas and your comments. Contact us at smayacs@gmail.com or through Vicky Wall 027 3274895 or Anna Fleming 027 4637008. Join our facebook group "St Mary of the Angels Young Adults Group". Being Young, Catholic, Together.

Worship Night at St Gerard's Monastery

This will be held on **Friday 28 May 7.30pm** at 75 Hawker Street, Mt Victoria.

This month's topic is on Friendship Evangelism – a message to inspire us to love people in our lives and to share Christ with them, starting with where we are, and where they are at! We look forward to having you join us to worship God together and to grow in our faith together.

Revised Roman Missal

These words, "*Become One Body One Spirit in Christ*" - "*Kia Kotahi ā-Tinana ā-Wairua i roto i a te Karaiti*" we hear in the Third Eucharistic Prayer. They remind us that we are all called to be the Body of Christ, the Church. Because of its strong imagery, the Bishops of the International Commission on English in the Liturgy (ICEL) have used these same words as the title for an interactive resource to introduce the *Roman Missal* to all countries where English is one of the primary languages for worship.

For more information check out this website <http://becomeonebodyonespiritinchrist.org>