## 14TH MARCH 2010: 4TH SUNDAY OF LENT - YEAR C

## Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion

As you are probably aware at present I am the only resident Priest in the Parish. That is unlikely to change before Easter. It is important for my own well-being that I have a 'day off' and that day needs to be on a Monday. The usual 5.15pm Mass on Monday evening will be replaced for the next few weeks by a Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion. We will reassess this situation after Easter. This also means that there will be no Sacrament of Penance at 4.30pm on Monday evening. I apologise for any inconvenience.

## **Planned Giving Envelopes**

Planned Giving Envelopes for the next financial year are available today. Please take your set of envelopes which have your name and address on them from the side pew in the middle of the Church.

If you would like to contribute to the Parish using either Planned Giving envelopes or direct debit please contact our Parish Manager. There is a substantial advantage in contributing in this way as you are able to claim a third of your giving back in tax.

### Thank You

Sincere thanks to those who helped with the gardens and grounds yesterday in preparation for Easter. They are looking much better after your wonderful effort.

If anyone would like to get their 'hands in the soil' you are welcome again next Saturday 21 March at 10am.

Fr Barry Scannell sm Parish Priest

**Recently Deceased** Sister Cecilia Mulcare

**Anniversaries** Meg Mulcare

Elizabeth O'Callaghan Ted Frank Healy

**Special Intentions** 4

Prayers for the Sick Fr Tom O'Connor sm, Patricia Smyth, Cecilia Dickson, Da Van Luyn, Des Cartright, Dulcie Campbell, Peter Tawhaki, Mary Egan, Oinah Macpherson, Joan O'Neill, Nomaza Sidima-Jacob, Maria Kasperowicz, Harrie Bode, Kath Cosgrave, Marie McWilliams, Ron Blair, Peter Gilbert, Paul Carr, Victor Stairs, Paul Rajan, Joan Mulcahy, Angela Hong, Mary Jarvis

### **Young Angel Voices**

Children who love to sing, aged 8 to 12.

Meeting at the Parish Hall
4.30pm on Thursday afternoons



# A Lenten Contemplation in Song and Silence

Thursdays at 12:30pm – 12:50pm following mid-day Mass

Scripture readings, prayer, and plainsong antiphons

Singers from the choir of St Mary of the Angels lead the singing.



### St Mary of the Angels Young Adults' Group

## Parish BBQ and Youth Mass:

14 March following 5pm Mass. To welcome new (and old!) students to Wellington and to reconnect at the start of a new year. We welcome newcomers to the group, your ideas and your comments.



Contact us at smayacs@gmail.com or through Vicky Wall 027 327 4895

or Anna Fleming 027 463 7008

**Holy Hour -** Third Thursday of EVERY month 6 - 7pm. An hour of adoration led by young people of the parish and elsewhere.

### **Singers**

Have you left school and are you looking to sing in a Choir? St Mary of the Angels Youth Choir has its first meeting in the Crypt **5:30pm Friday 19<sup>th</sup> March**Fliers at the Church Entrances,

and on the website, or e-mail Robert.oliver@paradise.net.nz

#### **Wellington Academic Mass**

The Wellington Archdiocese welcomes you to this new academic year. Come receive a blessing for your commitment to learning, teaching and growing, from Archbishop John Dew. All are welcome. **Tuesday 23 March** at St Mary of the Angels, from **5.45pm**. For further information, contact Travina, Clare or Dan on 472 3325 or e-mail – catholic@vuw.ac.nz