

For Your Diaries : 2011

Tuesday 23 August, RCIA Programme, 7.30pm

The RCIA group (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) meets each Tuesday in the Parish Hall at 7.30pm. All enquiries: Fr Tom O'Connor Ph 473 8074

Thursday 25 August, Holy Hour for Vocations, Sacred Heart Cathedral

You are invited to a Holy Hour on Thursday 25 August beginning at 7.30pm in the Sacred Heart Chapel to pray for vocations to priesthood and religious life. This holy Hour will include prayers, Scripture, times of silence and conclude with Benediction, followed by supper.

Friday 26 August, Wellington Branch St Vincent de Paul, Annual Mass

Mass to celebrate Blessed Frederick Ozanam will be held 5.30-6pm above the St Vincent de Paul Shop, Riddiford Street. All welcome. RSVP 389 7122.

Saturday 27 & Sunday 28 August, Stewardship Institute

Held at St Patrick's College Kilbirnie. The themes covered are the Theology and Spirituality of Stewardship, gratitude, responsibility, generosity and Stewardship in Action. Cost \$220 for the weekend. Enrolment forms from the Parish Office.

Sunday 28th August Winter Series Organ Recital, 2:30pm.

The 2nd recital in our Winter series will given by Thomas Gaynor, Maxwell Fernie Scholar. Music by Vierne. Fliers at the Church entrances. Bring your friends to hear our marvellous organ.

Saturday 3 September, Walking the Camino de Santiago, 2.30pm

Archbishop John Dew will be speaking on his pilgrimage walk across Spain. His talk begins at 2.30pm in the Church and will be followed by refreshments in the Crypt at 3.30pm. All are very welcome to attend.

Winter Dialogue Series: Social Justice

• **Wed 7 September (7.30-9pm) Speaker: Grant Robertson MP.**

• **Wed 14 September (7.30-9pm) Speaker: Hon Bill English, Deputy PM**

"On a level playing field—striving for the common good." Venue: Bill Pearce Room, St Joseph's Mt Victoria. Each 30min session followed by discussion and supper. Koha for the Refugee Family Reunification Trust.

11-13 November Rachel's Vineyard Retreat (Wellington)

A weekend Retreat of spiritual and emotional healing for those whose lives have been touched by abortion. All enquiries are strictly confidential.

Contact Wendy Hill 027 254 9222 or info@rachelvineyard.org.nz

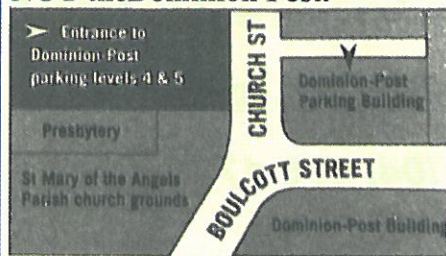
Traditional Latin Mass each Sunday of August, 12.30pm at St Mary of the Angels.

Contact Neil Coup: 021-896-924.

SUNDAY MASS PARKING

Parking available for 9am, 11am and 5pm Masses on levels 4 & 5 ONLY of the Dominion Post parking building, Church Street. Entrance to these levels is from the western side of the building as shown in the map. Levels 4 & 5 open 30 minutes before each mass and are locked 30 minutes after 11am & 5pm masses.

If your vehicle is locked in, you must contact the Presbytery NOT the Dominion Post.



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Parish Office Weekdays 9am to 4pm

Parish Website: www.smoa.org.nz

St Mary of the Angels is a diverse community which seeks to praise and thank God in a place of calm and beauty and strives to be Christ alive in Central Wellington

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MASSES

Sunday 7am 9am 11am 5pm

Monday to 7:30am 12:05pm

Friday & 5:15pm

Saturday 11am

Public Holidays 9am

EACH MONTH

1st Saturday Marian Devotions 10:30am

4th Saturday Sacrament of the Anointing at 11am Mass

ADORATION

Monday to Friday 7am-7:30am

Friday 11am-noon

RECONCILIATION

Monday to 11:30am-12pm

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

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

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

21 August 2011 : 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A

Sir Paul Reeves, RIP

During the week an event uncommon in New Zealand took place; the State Funeral of a former Governor General. The tributes from across the country and from around the world for Sir Paul Reeves spoke of a man respected, admired, liked and loved.

He was first and foremost a man of faith and a family man. He was appointed Anglican Archbishop of New Zealand and as Governor General, seemed to draw all strands of New Zealand society together. We offer our prayers alongside those many others, for this quiet and gifted man.

Stewardship Institute Weekend 27-28 August

Archbishop John is hosting a Stewardship Institute at St Patrick's College, Kilbirnie. The weekend will examine the vision, theology and spirituality of stewardship as a way of life and how our attitudes fuel ministry and evangelisation. Places are still available on the weekend, which costs \$220. Please keep this weekend in your prayers.

Thomas Gaynor Recital

Music plays an important part in our Liturgy and the nurturing of musical talent is a commitment

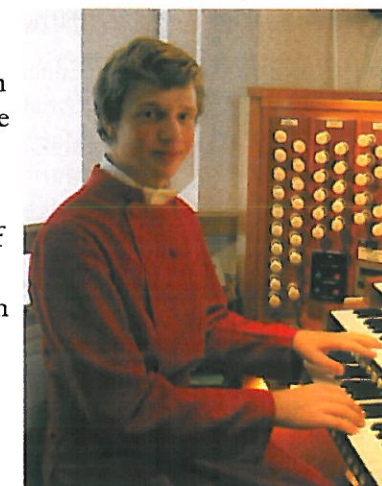
St Mary of the Angels makes through the commitment and participation of our own musicians and through the Maxwell Fernie Trust.

The inaugural Maxwell Fernie Scholar, Thomas Gaynor, will be giving a recital of French Organ Music in the Symphonic Tradition on Sunday 28th August between 2.30 and 3.30pm, in the Church.

This is a free concert and an excellent opportunity to hear from this young man at this stage in his professional music career.

Fr Barry Scannell s.m.

Parish Priest



INVEST IN YOUR FAITH

This Week's Readings

First Reading Isaiah 22:19-23
I place the key of the House of David upon his shoulder.

Second Reading Romans 11:33-36
From him, through him and in him are all things.

Gospel Reading Matthew 16:13-20
You are Peter, to you I will give the keys of the kingdom of heaven.

Next Week's Readings

First Reading Jeremiah 20:7-9
Psalm 62 (63)
Second Reading Romans 12:1-2
Gospel Matthew 16:21-27

Last Sunday's Collection

Total	\$4,168
Parish Expenses	\$2,959
Support of House	\$1,209

Thank You

Marriage Encounter Weekend (9—11 September)

Marriage Encounter is holding its next weekend of enrichment for couples to spend quality time together, far from the distractions of everyday life. This weekend Retreat is in the beautiful rural setting of the Magnificat Retreat Centre in the Wairarapa.

The weekend is an opportunity for couples to allow time to talk, to listen and to reflect on their journey together in marriage. Bookings and enquiries can be made by calling Francie or Neil on 0800 362 686.

Mass has been offered for:

Recently Deceased Anna Zonotti, Sir Paul Reeves

Anniversaries Patricia Goulter, Joan O'Neill, Anne McDonald

Prayers for the Sick Eileen Nevin, Margo Chrustowski, Maryvac de Rosario, Mary Egan, Dulcie Campbell, Oinah Macpherson, Maureen McDonald, Patricia Smyth, Ron Blair, Paul Carr, Vicki McPhee, Mary Jarvis, Peter Tawhaki, Cecilia Dickson, Jan Tuinman, Lizzie McKay, Maria Kasperowicz, Marion Hyland, Ron Finlayson, Helen Havasi, Dr Zuccullo, Catherine Tong, Penny Holden, Ray Keenan.



Please remember in your prayers, these and the other sick of the Parish. If you know of anyone who is confined to their home or who needs a visit with Holy Communion, please contact Sister Frances at is Parish Office. Phone 473 8074

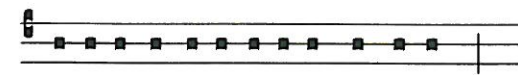
Responsorial Psalm 137 (138)

**R. Lord, your love is eternal;
do not forsake the work of your hands.**

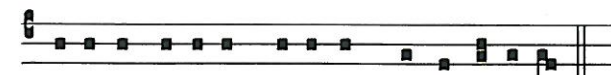
I thank you, Lord, with all my heart,
you have heard the words of my mouth.
Before the angels I will bless you.
I will adore before your holy temple **R.**

I thank you for your faithfulness and love
which excel all we ever knew of you.
On the day I called, you answered;
you increased the strength of my soul. **R.**

The Lord is high yet he looks on the lowly
and the haughty he know from afar.
Your love, O Lord, is eternal,
discard not the work of your hands. **R.**



Mi-se-ri-cordi- a tu- a in saecu-lum,



ope-ra manu- um tu- a- rum ne despi- ci- as.-

*Thy mercy endureth for ever,
O despise not the works of thy hands*

Offertory Hymn For 11am Mass

No 193 "Holy Father, God of Might."

Reflection: the Queenship of Mary (22 August)

'Queen of Heaven' the title given to the Blessed Virgin Mary is very familiar in Catholic teaching and the inspiration for some of the most beautiful prayers of intercession ever composed.

The title, first given at the Council of Ephesus in the fifth century, when the Blessed Virgin Mary was proclaimed as theotokos ("God-bearer," or "birth-giver of God"). In Latin: Mater Dei, "Mother of God".

Throughout the ages, recognition of Our Lady, Queen of Heaven has encouraged devotion, expressed in prayer, theology, literature and liturgies. The Liturgy of the Hours (or Divine Office) for example, is a prayerful discipline practiced today by Consecrated religious and the laity.

In more recent times, Pope Pius XII proclaimed the Queenship of Mary in his 1954 encyclical *Ad Caeli Regina*, recognising her special place in our salvation history.

Noted as a theologian, Pope Benedict XVI has endorsed Mary's place in Heaven saying her humble and unconditional acceptance of God's will is a model for all ages. "God exalted her over all other creatures, and Christ crowned her Queen of Heaven and Earth."

Apart from the 'Hail Mary', the 'Salve Regina' (Hail Holy Queen) is one of the most oft-recited prayers to Our Lady, asking her help in bringing us to Christ.

Salve Regina, Mater Misericordiae,
vita, dulcedo, et spes nostra, salve!

Ad te clamamus, exsules filii Hevae,
ad te suspiramus, gementes et flentes,
In hac lacrimarum valle.
Eia ergo, Advocata nostra,
Illos tuos misericordes oculos ad nos
converte.

Et Jesum,
benedictum fructum ventris tui,
Nobis, post hoc exilium, ostende,
O clemens, O pia, O dulcis Virgo Maria.

Hail Holy Queen, Mother of mercy
Hail our life, our sweetness and our hope!

To thee do we cry, poor banished
children of Eve,
To thee do we send up our sighs,
Mourning and weeping in this valley of
tears.

Turn, then, o most gracious advocate,
Thine eyes of mercy toward us and after
this our exile, Show unto us the blessed
fruit of thy womb, Jesus.

O clement, o loving, o sweet Virgin Mary.



*The Crowning of Our
Lady, Queen of Heaven.*

SMAYACS

St Mary of the Angels Young Adult Catholics

Young Adult Mass (Sunday 11 Sept)

Once a month the 5pm Mass is led by the Young Adults. If you are interested in reading, singing, playing an instrument or helping in any way, please contact us by email. We would love to have you involved!

Holy Hour (Thursday 15th September)

Third Thursday of every month, 6-7pm at St Mary of the Angels Church.

Theology in the Pub (Sunday 28 August)

Venue: Hotel Bristol, Cuba Street at 6.30pm
The topic and the speaker will be advised.

As always, we would love to hear any feedback and suggestions you may have. Please email us with any questions, comments or feedback.

Email: smayacs@gmail.com

Challenge 2000 Street Day Appeal

The Challenge 2000 Youth Development agency Street Appeal will be held on Friday 2nd September. Help is required for the street collection in the Wellington area, from 7am to 7pm. Challenge2000 runs a range of programmes for over 3,500 young people every year.

Please contact: Bridget Masoe 477 0045 or email: challenge2000@xtra.co.nz

Catholic Institute of Aotearoa: Celebrating Liturgy

This course, presented by Fr John Greally is both theoretical and practical in delivery. It covers the Vatican Council II, the renewal of the liturgy, the purpose of the Scripture in worship, the Eucharist, Church art and architecture,

Dates: Thursdays 25 August—29
September, 5.30pm—8.30pm
Venue: Catholic Centre, Hill Street,
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