

For Your Diaries : 2012

Today, 11am-3pm, School Fair

All are invited to attend St Francis Xavier School fair on Main Road, Tawa. There will be ethnic food, quick fire auctions, garage sale, massive inflatable slides, petting zoo, cherry picker rides, hot rod rides & more. Eftpos and child minding available. All proceeds go to upgrading the hall.

Tuesday November 13, 7.30pm, Charismatic Mass

All are invited to attend the charismatic Mass at St Bernadette's Church, 194 Naenae Road, Naenae. The celebrant will be Fr Kevin Connors.

Thursday 15 November, 7.30pm, Joshua Catholic Men's Meeting

Joshua Catholic Men's Fellowship invite to all men to join them at their Praise and Worship meeting at Connolly Hall, Guilford Tce, Thorndon (behind Sacred Heart Cathedral). The Theme is "He is faithful for ever". Want to know more? Contact David on 0274477280

November 16-18, Weekend for separated and divorced

The Lazarus Experience is a healing weekend for separated and divorced Catholics. It will be held in Lower Hutt. For information contact Katrin 970 9385 or Steve 973 7071 or email katrin.eickhorst.squire@gmail.com

Saturday 17 November, 10:30-4pm, Vocations Day

Women are invited to attend 'Explore Mercy: a Vocations Day for Women' in Wellington. Attendance is free. For information contact Sister Stephanie on 027-2458859 or skit2@xtra.co.nz

Saturday 17 November, 1.30-3.30pm, Dove Catholic Fellowship

All women are invited to Connolly Hall to attend the Dove Catholic Fellowship for Women end of year Mass to celebrate and give thanks to God for 20 years of Dove in Wellington. Please bring a plate for a festive afternoon tea. Enquiries Sandra 475 5541 www.dove.org.nz

Traditional Latin Mass Sundays, 12.30pm at St Mary of the Angels.

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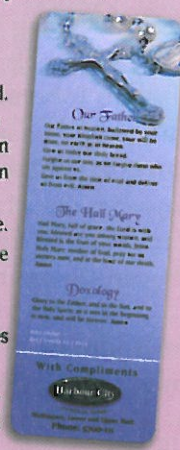
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MASSES

Sunday 7am, 9am, 11am, 5pm

Monday to Friday 7.30am, 12:05pm, & 5:15pm

Saturday 11am

EACH MONTH

1st Saturday Marian Devotions
10:30am

4th Saturday 11am Mass with
Sacrament of Anointing

ADORATION

Monday to Friday 7:00-7:30am

Friday 11am- noon

RECONCILIATION

Monday to Thursday 11:30am - 12pm
12:30-1pm, 4:30-5pm

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

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time, 11 November, 2012 Year B

Planned Giving Renewal

A sincere thank you to the many parishioners who last week supported the Planned Giving Renewal. There is a good indication that your generous response will ensure that the Parish is placed in a very positive fiscal situation and that the deficit over the past two years will be overcome. Our Secretary has been busy during this week processing all the Pledge Cards. By early this week you should have received:

- a letter thanking you for completing a Pledge card; and either;
- an Automatic Payment form or the Parish bank account details for internet banking;
- Planned giving envelopes;

If you have not received these by Wednesday of this week please contact the Parish Office.

If you did not get the opportunity of participating in the Planned Giving Renewal last week members of the Parish Council and Finance Committee will be at the doors of the Church after Mass today with a Pledge Card.

Thank you again for your generous response. May God reward each of you for your goodness.

Marion Hyland

It was with great sadness that we learnt of Marion's death on Friday morning in Wellington Hospital. Marion was a very faithful and committed parishioner of St Mary of the Angels for many years, serving some years ago on the Parish Council. She has been ill for some time and was a wonderful inspiration as she accepted this cross. A Requiem Mass will be celebrated in the Church on Monday at 1pm.

Fr Barry Scannell sm
Parish Priest

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This Week's Readings

First Reading 1 Kings 17:10-16
The widow made a little scone from her flour meal and brought it to Elijah.

Second Reading Hebrews 9:24-28
Christ offered himself only once to take the faults of many on himself.

Gospel Reading Mark 12:38-44
This poor widow has put more in than all who contributed.

Next Week's Readings

First Reading Daniel 12: 1-3
Psalm 15
Second Reading Hebrews 10: 11-14, 18
Gospel Reading Mark 13:24-32

Last Sunday's Collection

Total	\$4,817
Parish Expenses	\$3,420
Support of House	\$1,397



Adult Education in the Faith Ministry

The next session will be on Wednesday 14 November

Time: 5.30pm - 7.30pm **Venue:** Parish Hall

Theme: Spirituality and Growth and Development in the Spiritual Life

Session 2: Mysticism

Engaged Encounter

Engaged Encounter is a weekend experience for couples intending to be married. The remaining weekend this year is Nov 30 – Dec 2. Weekends are held at the Home of Compassion, Island Bay. For details go to www.ceewellington.org.nz or phone Aniela & Mark Potter 477 1957 or 021 187 9808 or email markandaniela@gmail.com

Mass has been offered for:

Recently Deceased: Marion Hyland, Helen Garden.

Anniversaries: Denise Sutich, Joan Welch, Malcolm Ross, Eileen Nichols, Peter O'Meeghan.

Holy Souls: Where a special Mass has been requested, these will be offered during the month of November.

Prayers for the Sick: Barbara Ross, Ann Ross, Kathleen Phelan, Marjorie Feitsma, Phil Busby, Mary Egan, Dulcie Campbell, Oinah Macpherson, Helen Havasi, Maureen McDonald, Patricia Smyth, Stanley Bright, Catherine Symes, Mary Dysart.

Responsorial Psalm 145

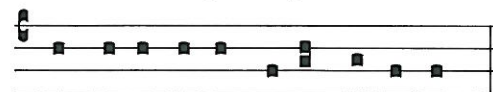
Praise the Lord, my soul!

It is the Lord who keeps faith for ever, who is just to those who are oppressed. It is he who gives bread to the hungry, the Lord, who sets prisoners free. **R**

It is the Lord who gives sight to the blind, who raises up those who are bowed down. It is the Lord who loves the just, the Lord, who protects the stranger. **R**

The Lord upholds the widow and the orphan but thwarts the path of the wicked.

The Lord will reign for ever, Zion's God, from age to age. **R**



Lauda a-nima me- a Domi-num.

Offertory Hymn For 11am Mass

No 151-'Come Down O Love Divine, verses 1, 2 & 4

Month of the Holy Souls

During the month of November we have a Remembrance Book for the Holy Souls and you can write the names of any Holy Souls in the book and they will be prayed for at every Mass celebrated in our Church during November. The book is on a small table in front of Our Lady's altar.

If you would like a special Mass Intention for those who have died please write the name of the person(s) on the envelopes provided on the tables at the entrances to the Church, place a Mass stipend inside and either give it to one of the priests or to Sister Frances.

Columban Calendars

Calendars for 2013 are now available for \$10 each from the Parish Office. They feature both beautiful religious art and Liturgical information.

Reflection

The story of the Korean Church is in every way a remarkable story. It is the story of a Church founded entirely by laypeople. It withstood wave after wave of persecution. In less than a century it could boast of 10,000 martyrs. Pope John Paul II canonized the Korean Martyrs on 6 May 1984.

On Friday evening there was great joy among the Korean community from St Mary of the Angels when Deacon Andrew Kim was ordained a priest by Archbishop John in the Cathedral. Deacon Andrew has been working this year in the Heretaunga Parish but has been a regular visitor on Sundays to the Korean community who are based here at St Mary of the Angels. Each Sunday after the 11am Mass the Korean community meet in the Parish Hall. They move from the Eucharist to continue their faith development through prayer, catechesis and song after which they have a shared lunch.

Father Andrew's ordination is a great day of celebration for the Korean community. We thank God for blessing them with one of their own as a priest. Father Andrew will celebrate his first Mass in the Korean language in our Church at 2.00pm this afternoon. While Father Andrew is a priest for the Archdiocese of Wellington and will be appointed to a Parish, he will, I am sure, continue his association with the Korean community here and from time to time will be able to celebrate Mass for them.

Please keep Father Andrew and the Korean community in your prayer. They are both a great gift to the Archdiocese and to St Mary of the Angels Parish.

Gap Year with Challenge 2000 and Society of Mary

Are you about to leave school, or under 20, and not sure what to do? Interested in how you can help those around you while getting paid for it? Want to have opportunities to travel nationally and internationally? Do you have a son, a granddaughter, or know someone else in this position?

Challenge 2000 in partnership with the Society of Mary offer a Gap Year in 2013! What is this Gap year? It's a one year programme that involves holistic formation, NZQA youth work training, work placements, experiences, and local and international travel. The Gap Year offers the chance to develop social, spiritual, intellectual, employment, well-being and physical elements that are required for a positive, successful and balanced life, as well as some extras to get you ready including your drivers license, first-aid certificate, and technology training!

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SMAYACs Prayer Group

When: Thursdays @ 6pm

Where: St Mary of the Angels Church.

All are welcome to join this group of young adults and the young at heart to pray, read and reflect on the Scriptures.

Theology on Tap

When: Sunday 28 October, 6.30pm

Where: Hotel Bristol (Upstairs), Cuba Mall

For the final Theology on Tap of the year we have Brother Doug Dawick fms who will talk about chastity. For more information email smayacs@gmail.com

Young Adult Community

The Grove, a Marist Brothers' young adult community in Lower Hutt, is accepting applications for membership for 2013. There are 3 Brothers and 5 young adults (19 – 35yrs) who stay for one year.

For more information contact Br Doug (brdougfms@gmail.com or 021 258 1484) or Br Kieran (kieranfenn@gmail.com) or call The Grove 972 6926. Applications close November 30 (flexible).

Pilgrimage

Join the 14th Challenge 2000 - Marist Leadership, Service and Justice Pilgrimage from December 10th to 18th 2012. It is a fantastic opportunity to discover sacred sites in the lower North Island while being of service at the same time. Kitty Mckinley will lead the Pilgrimage and there will be more input from many wise speakers along the way.

Cost: \$150. Age: 18-30. For more information contact Therese Kyne 0273832099, Heath Hutton 0273293270, or Felise So'oa 021920046 or contact any of them at 477 0045. Sponsorship may be available.

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