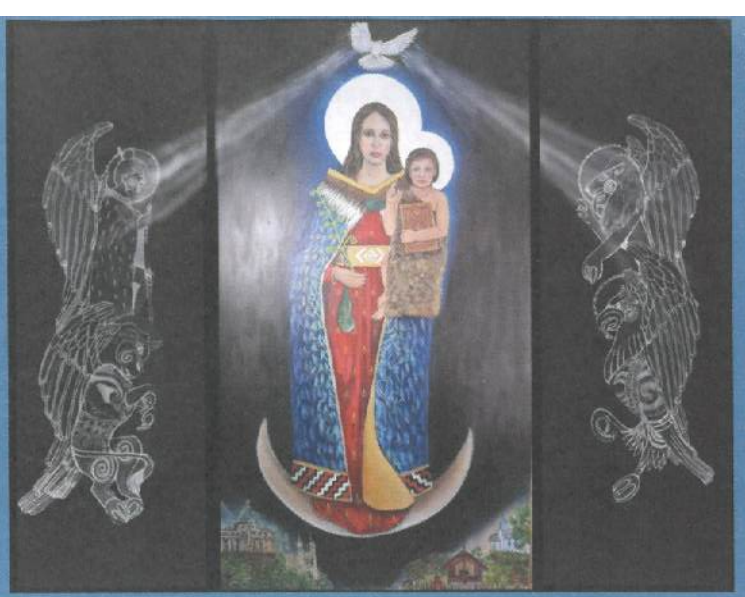


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Ko Hina Maria, te Matua Whānau o te Atua - Holy Mary, Mother of God

9 June 2024, 10th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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St Mary of the Angels Church

MASSES

Sunday 7am, 9am, 11am, 5pm
Mon-Fri 7.30am, 12.05pm, 5.15pm
Saturday 11am

Mass of Anointing- 4th Saturday of the month

ADORATION

Mon-Fri 6.30am - 7.20am
Friday 11am - Noon

RECONCILIATION

Mon-Thurs 11.30am - Noon
12.30pm - 1pm
4.30pm - 5pm

Friday 11am - 11.50am
12.30pm - 1pm
4.30pm - 5pm

Saturday 10.30am - 10.55am
4pm - 5pm

St Joseph's Church

MASSES

Sunday 9.30am
Tuesday 8.30am

BAPTISMS

St Mary of the Angels Church

Baptisms; 2pm on 2nd and 4th Sundays each month

St Joseph's Church

Baptisms on 3rd Sunday of each month.

Please arrange through Parish Office.

The response in our psalm today “Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord” – feels somewhat apt for many of us in the wider Wellington community as we navigate job uncertainty, employment contracts not being renewed and our roles being made redundant. But as Catholics, we are never without hope!

For me, one of the fundamental aspects of our faith has always been our sense of community. It's not just about individual spirituality, but about coming together as a diverse and caring community in good times and in challenging times. It's about the hope and support we offer each other, especially in times of need. Our faith teaches us to “hear the cry of the poor” and compels us to act.

During my time at Caritas, I was inspired by the story of Fr John Curnow and the community in Kaikoura. In the tough economic times of the 70s and 80s, they came together, supported each other, and created a vision of what they could do with the resources they had. From this unity and shared vision, Whalewatch was formed. Today, it is an incredibly vital part of the economy and wellbeing of the region.

This story inspired me to create a similar community here, a place where all are welcome, and everyone's contribution is valued. In these challenging times, many in our community are facing difficult times. It's tough, but remember, you're not alone. The **Wellington Pathfinders network** is here for you (or your friends/co-workers).

We start and finish the week by meeting in person - **Monday at 9.30am** and **Friday at 3pm** in the **Bill Pearce Community room** at **St Joseph's Church, 42 Ellice St, Mt Victoria**. These gatherings are a chance for us to connect, share our experiences, and support each other.

We understand the frustration, anxiety, and anger that come with job loss. But amidst these emotions, we also find room for laughter, tears, and stories of hope and encouragement. Over the weeks, we've discussed various topics like recruitment processes, accessing WINZ, alternative employment routes, and even starting a small business. So, whether you're looking for practical advice or emotional support, we're here to listen and support each other. We've also created an online community space that people can join which contains a wide variety of helpful resources,

There's always a cuppa, biscuits, and a community of support and solidarity waiting for you. All are welcome (you don't need to be Catholic!), there are no costs, and parking is free! Please feel free to pass this on to anyone you know who might benefit from the support network. And for more information, please email me at juleshickey@gmail.com.

In these trying times, let's remember to extend our aroha and support to our neighbours, especially those who are facing hardships. After all, we're all part of the same community, and it's together that we'll get through this.

Jules Hickey—St Joseph's Church Parishioner

This Week's Readings


First Reading **Genesis** **3:9-15**
I will make you enemies of each other: your offspring and her offspring.

Second Reading **2 Corinthians** **4:13-5:1**
We believe and therefore we speak.

Gospel **Mark** **3:20-35**
It is the end of Satan.

Next Week's Readings

First Reading: **Ezekiel** **17:22-24**
Psalm: **91**
Second Reading: **2 Corinthians** **5:6-10**
Gospel: **Mark** **3: 20-35**

	Last Sunday's Collection	
	Sunday Collection:	\$3,449
	Automatic Payments:	\$6,546
Total: \$9,995		

Wellington Pathfinders

Have you recently found yourself out of work? Are you wanting to meet other people who are going through a similar experience and can understand? Are you wanting to talk about a way forward in a supported environment? Come along to Wellington Pathfinders, a group facilitated by Jules which meets on Monday mornings from 9.30am and Friday 3pm in the Bill Pearce Room at St Joseph's Church by the Basin Reserve. All are welcome you don't have to be Catholic.

Thought for the Week

Your mind is your greatest weapon.

Mass has been offered for:

Recently Deceased: Des Lyons, Sean Frantz Garlick, Michael Kennard

Anniversaries: Michael Dunn, Joanna Heemskerck, Nola Griffin, Sharon Cowan, Marie Robinson, Joan Olson, Arie Roskam, Krystine Tomaszuk, Da Van Luyn, Gino Di Leva, Fr Alex Taylor sm, Robert Taylor, Jack McGuire

Prayers for the Sick: Jeanette Papesch, Kirwan sisters, Dianne Sweet, Losalia Leo, John Mora, Kerry Barber, Pam Finlayson, Francisca Sparnaay, Pat Mahony, Kay De Bernardo, Saturino Vilorio, Jim Meachen, Tony Mackle, Dr Bill Glass, Stephen George, Greg Hayward, Kathryn Frances Lloyd, Fr Joe Savesi sm, Neni Beres



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.

Responsorial Psalm 129

R. With the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption

Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord, Lord, hear my voice!
 O let your ears be attentive to the voice of my pleading. **R.**

If you, O Lord, should mark our guilt, Lord, who would survive?
 But with you is found forgiveness: for this we revere you. **R.**

My soul is waiting for the Lord, I count on his word.
 My soul is longing for the Lord more than watchman for daybreak. **R.**

Because with the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption, Israel indeed he will redeem from all its iniquity. **R.**



Ou-ia anud Domi-num mi-se-ri-cordi- a:



et co-ni- o-sa re-dempti- o-

Because with the Lord there is mercy, and plentiful redemption.

Faith Rosaries

We sell rosaries in the Parish Office designed and hand made by Ngaire Greger from Faith Rosaries. If you are looking for a rosary as a gift or for yourself, please contact the Parish Office to arrange a time to come in.

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National Shrine Prayer

E te Atua , Creator of heaven and earth,
Source of all life, giver of all that is good,
We pray for Aotearoa New Zealand

And for all who come to her shores and make it their home.

We recall with gratitude our forebears in the Faith,
Who dedicated this country to the care of Mary,
Mother of God, assumed into heaven.

Pour out your Spirit upon us as we seek to respond to you,
Bringing your peace and harmony to this sacred land.

May we continue to praise you as we carry the Good News
of Jesus Christ to our brothers and sisters.

We make this prayer through Christ, our Lord. Amen.
Mary, assumed into heaven; pray for us.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults Program

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) programme will commence again on the 12th of September for anyone who is interested in joining our Catholic Community. This programme runs from September to May and involves weekly group meetings to learn about and discuss our Catholic Faith. If anyone is interested in joining this programme, or would like to support as a leader or sponsor in this programme, please make contact with Fr Michael on mlyoung@gmail.com. Registration closes once the programme begins.

Joshua Wellington

Joshua Wellington invites men to join us on Thursday 20 June at 7:30pm in 'Loaves and Fishes' next to Anglican Cathedral of St Paul, corner Hill and Molesworth Streets followed by supper. Steve Ready is speaking on "Pray with meaning". If you want to know more, contact David Monastra 027 447 7280, joshua.wgtn@gmail.com

Matariki Celebration - Friday 5 July 2024

Matariki is a time of companionship, thanksgiving and remembrance and will be celebrated with a social gathering at St Joseph's on Friday 5 July. Please join us at 6pm for "bring your own takeaways" kai and enjoy them in the fellowship of others. We will conclude with a short time of prayer and reflection.

June Mass Cancellations

Due to the lack of Priests the following Masses are cancelled in June:

St Joseph's Church

18 June, 8.30am

St Mary of the Angels Church

10-14 June, all evening Masses (5.15pm) and Reconciliation (4.30pm).

17-21 June, all evening Masses (5.15pm) and Reconciliation (4.30pm).

18-21 June, 7.30am Masses and Adoration.

Liturgy of the Word

(The 2nd of four workshops centred on The Mass). This workshop presented by Fr Patrick Bridgman is on **Wed. 26th June** at **Sacred Heart Church, Petone from 7pm-9pm**. Tea & Coffee available from 6.30pm. Anyone wanting to deepen their appreciation and understanding of the Mass is very welcome. Registrations: c.walkerline@wn.catholic.org.nz

Common Grace Aotearoa

Save the dates! Common Grace Aotearoa is offering a programme 'Belonging in this Land - Treaty Basics from a Christian Perspective'. This consists of two video presentations followed by group discussion. The programme is an opportunity for us to learn more about Te Tiriti, and what it means to be Tangata Tiriti in the face of the Treaty Principles Bill. It is very important that all of us: Māori, Pākehā, recent migrants as well as those whose ancestors came to this country in the 1800s, have an understanding of te Tiriti and the Treaty (note they are separate documents). Sir David Moxon, former Anglican Archbishop of NZ is one of the presenters.

Date Session 1: Monday 10 June at 7pm -8.30pm

Date Session 2: Monday 24 June at 7pm -8.30pm

Venue: St Anne's Church.

Common Grace would be very grateful for any donation. Go to treatyandbelonging.nz/resources. There will also be a donation basket at the back of the church Please let the Catholic Parish of Wellington South Parish office know if you wish to attend so a participant's booklet can be prepared for you. Email: office@wellingtonsouthcatholic.org (You can also download the booklet from the above website.).



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Cathedral of the Sacred Heart Re-Opening

Celebrations have been taking place at the Metropolitan Cathedral of the Sacred Heart in Hill Street, Wellington. After nearly 6 years of earthquake strengthening, renovations and plenty of fund-raising the doors are ready to be re-opened.

Sunday 9 June

- 10am** Archbishop Paul to preside at the Cathedral 'parish-homecoming' Mass
- 11am** Refreshments and fellowship following Mass.
- 2pm-4pm** Tours of the Cathedral. Entry by Koha.
Tours at 2:00 p.m. 2:45 p.m. 3:30 p.m..
- 7pm** Evening Mass

Seasons for Growth Companion Training

Virtual two-day Seasons for Growth Companion Training with Jess Ferroni, Seasons for Growth Trainer/Coordinator, Catholic Social Services. **Monday 17 – Tuesday 18 June, 9.30am – 4.30pm.** This online training is aimed at those based in the South Island but it is open to everyone. Fill out the application form here: <https://forms.office.com/r/gz9WZb2adC>. Learn how to support children and young people to understand and respond well to issues they experience as a result of death, separation, divorce or other significant change and loss in their lives. Learn how to assist children and young people to understand that their feelings and other reactions are normal. Registrations close Thursday 6 June. Cost is \$300 + resources. Contact Jess at j.ferroni@wn-catholicsocialservices.org.nz

SMOA Church App

If you haven't already downloaded our new Parish App onto your smart phone, please do! On the app, you'll be able to view the newsletters, Mass times, upcoming events and more. You will also have the option to receive alert notifications, particularly if you are a part of a Parish group or ministry. To download the app, follow the steps below:

1. Go to your App Store or Google Play Store and search "ChurchAppsNZ"
2. Download the app, and then select St Mary of the Angels as a Parish
3. The app will then prompt you to select which "alert groups" you want to be a part of. Select as many or as few of these groups as you like. You will be able to change this later if you need to.

If you need any help setting this up, please do not hesitate to contact Abby at the parish office.



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