TO WELCOME

all who we encounter so that we can build a relationship with each other

> **TO LOVE** as Jesus loved



OUR VISION 'LIVING AS CHRIST'

TO ENGAGE

OUR MISSION

with God, each other and our community with hearts, minds and spirit TO SERVE

God, each other, our community and our environment



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Parish Priest: Fr. Marcus Francis (On leave) Assistant Priest: Fr. Trung Nguyen 0220626726

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Our Lady of Lourdes

85 Te Mata Rd Havelock North

Sunday Mass 9.30am

Weekday Masses

Mon: 9.00am-Liturgy Tues: 9.00am Wed: 9.00am - Mass Thurs: 9.30am

Fri: 9am-Exposition 10am-Liturgy

Sat: 9.00am - Liturgy

St. Peter Chanel 817 Gordon Rd

Hastings

Vigil Sat: 5.30pm Sunday Mass: 10.30am

<u>Weekday Masses</u>

Tues: 5.30pm Thurs: 5.30pm

Sacred Heart

425 Heretaunga St East Hastings

Sunday Masses 9:00am & 5.30pm

Weekday Masses

Wed: 12.05pm Fri: 12.05pm Sat: 8.30am

Immaculate Conception

Paki Paki

Sunday Mass

8.00am



14th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Parish Administrator: Fr. Anthony Htun 0273373356

3rd July 2022

Reflection for Today

The readings today, reminds us that **God comforts us**, even in **difficult times**. In the **first** reading we hear that God provides for us in abundance. When we allow God's Will to flow into our hearts and guide our lives, we become fulfilled, satisfied, at peace, and our communities and entire world become a wonderful place. We are therefore called to be messengers, instruments, and agent of **God's peace**. And it must flow from, and through us to others.

In the second reading Paul encourages us to rejoice in the cross, for we are united with **Christ.** We must make room for peace in order that **our joy** may be complete in Jesus Christ. The **absence of God's peace** in any heart, family, community, society, or nation, leaves it **devastated**. **Peace** advances our communities. Any community that welcomes peace, welcomes an opportunity for both spiritual and material prosperity.

In the Gospel, Jesus tells us that discipleship will involve work and even rejection, but Jesus also tells us to rejoice in our labour. The Gospel account concludes with those disciples rejoicing over their successes and the fact that Jesus' miraculous power worked through the disciples. Jesus tells them: "Do not rejoice because the spirits are subject to you but rejoice because your names are written in heaven." In other words, "rejoice because you have found a home in my love; rejoice because you live in my presence."

All of this reminds all of us to ask: "Are we at home with Jesus? How aware are we of the presence of God living within us and how aware are we that we are living in the presence of God?" Spirituality is, after all, living in peace and love with God, at home with God. That is the Will of God and that is what deep down in our hearts we want. For us today, the challenge is the same: **Proclaim Jesus Christ!** Proclaim Jesus in the way we live and in the way we deal with hardship, suffering and rejection. It is not easy to walk the way of Jesus, but it brings an incredible awareness of God's love and God's maternal care for us. We are sent by Jesus. Let us live in Jesus!

Rev. Deacon Tevita Faka'osi

Office Hours: Monday - Friday 9.00a.m - 1.00p.m.

For urgent matters please contact the priests. Contact details above.

Readings for Next Sunday: Year C: 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time Deut 30:10-14; Col 1:15-20; Lk 10:25-37;

YOUR PARTICIPATION IS WELCOME...

ADORATION: Madonna Tuesdays 9am—1pm

BAPTISM PREPARATION: Please contact the office to arrange an

appointment with a priest.

BENEDICTION & Exposition: SH Fridays 11am

CHOIR PRACTICE: SH Thursdays 5.30p.m. NEW MEMBERS WANTED!

CHRISTIAN MEDITATION GROUP: Currently meeting via ZOOM Wednesdays 7-7.40 pm. No meditation or zoom experience necessary.

Ring Paula 878 3314.

EMMAUS COMPANIONS: SPC 2nd Monday of the month 7pm.

Ring Rob 0276591313 or John 0278787014.

FOCOLARE SHARE "Living the Word "1st Saturday each month.

Contact Gerard 0211216391 or Ellen 0274484242

HOSPITAL SINGING: Hospital main entrance 2nd Sunday 6pm (on hold)

MARIST THIRD ORDER: SH, (room off Day Chapel)1st Sunday of the

month, 2pm.

MATTHEW'S GOSPEL STUDY: 60 Reynolds Rd., Havelock Nth

2nd & 4th Tuesdays. 7.30pm Ring Diana 0226510946

MORNING PRAYER: SH Day Chapel Mon-Fri 9am, except

Thurs 8.45am

MORNING TEA: SH Wednesdays 10-11.45am All welcome. Bring a friend

RECONCILIATION: SH - Friday 11.30am, Saturday 8.30am

SPC - Saturday 5pm OR by appointment

OLOL - Wednesday 9.30am

ROSARY: OLOL - Thursdays 9.10am

SH - Saturday 8am

SUNDAY READINGS 4 U: SH room off day chapel. Tuesdays 10 -11am

YOUNG ADULTS: Mission Centre. 1st & 3rd Sunday after 5.30pm Mass

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The AGM of the St Joseph's Branch 172 Hastings of the Hibernian Catholic Benefit Society will be held at Our Lady of Lourdes Havelock North following the 9.30am Mass on Sunday 3rd July. Interested parishioners are very welcome.

Palmerston North Synodal Submission Synthesis

Copies of the condensed version of the Palmerston North Synodal Submission synthesis are available in the church foyers or can be obtained from the Parish office.

GREEN TIP FOR A SUSTAINABLE LIFE

Week beginning July 3rd

Let us reduce waste to landfill by diligently separating and recycling waste such as paper and cardboard, glass, plastic bottles, and tins both at home and at the workplace. In the workplace we can check that it does get collected for recycling.

> Please note there will be a school Mass at 9am. Sacred Heart church on this Sunday 3rd July.

Health & Safety Section:-Please refer to noticeboards in each church

We warmly invite you to a

St Mary's School Story Gathering

Our Aotearoa NZ history is becoming far more prominent in our school curriculum from 2023.

It is very important to have a knowledge of what has gone before, starting with where our feet stand.

Ka mua, ka muri

'Walking backwards into the future', Looking to the past, to inform the future.

We will be hosting two gatherings for people who are past pupils/families/staff of St Mary's.

11am Tuesday 28th June

7pm Thursday 18th August in our new school hall.

At St Mary's we are wanting to find out some history about our school. The purpose of this gathering is for our current St Mary's whanau community to maintain links with our past. We hope it will be an opportunity for you to reconnect with your St Mary's family.

We are hoping to gather memories, anecdotes.

RSVP to the school office.

Please indicate which event you are attending

Session 1: 11am 28th June Session 2: 7pm 18th August

06-876 6421

office@stmaryshastings.school.nz

Memorial Mass for Susan Fitzgerald on the 5th July, 11am at OLOL.



SACRAMENTS OF FIRST RECONCILIATION AND FIRST COMMUNION update.

Due to Covid and winter ailments it has been decided to delay the programme until the school 4th term -October/November.

SACRED HEART MINISTERS

Ministers rostered on for the Sunday Masses are now assembling together in the gathering space, outside the Sacristy for prayer, before joining the procession into the church. You are still required to sign the Minister's register, so the Mass Co-ordinator is aware of your attendance. Readers are requested to sit at the front of the church for easy and guick access to the lectern/ ambo, and once completed your reading return to their families. It is important, that if you are unavailable on the day you are rostered, to find a replacement or contact the office.

YOUTH CORNER

Lifeteen Hastings has embarked on a new journey. On Sunday we started a new series called signs and wonders. The theme we explored was anticipation and the miracles God has done and how we can reflect on ourselves and recognise what God has done for us. God is a pillar of strength, we can and will hold onto on our journey leading our teens closer to Christ and others. We thank you for your continued support and prayers. Please continue to pray for our youth team and young people within our parishes.

God bless, Youth Team.

"Do you want to hear beautiful, inspiring, music giving glory to God?

Hastings Choral Society invites you to attend "Glorious Glorias" featuring Antonio Vivaldi's Gloria, John Wells's Gloria Tonga and Gabriel Faure's inspirational Requiem all accompanied by John Wells.

> Time and date: 2pm Sunday 3 July Venue: St Matthew's Church Hastings Tickets \$25 and \$5 school students Door sales available - cash only

Tickets also available from choir members or from emvond@outlook.com Donations will be accepted at this concert to go to the Anglican Missions Tongan Relief Fund for Tonga following their devastating volcanic eruption and tsunami earlier this year.

HELP NEEDED! Can you help us?

Cleaners at St Peter Chanel church are urgently required for one month a year. Please contact the office on 06 - 878 7774 if you can assist.



Pasifika Mentor position available.

This is a wonderful opportunity to work alongside our Pasifika students to help them achieve their God given potential. We have secured funding for 8 hours a week, this could be spread across the week or across two days. The role would involve helping our students achieve their goals by supporting them in attendance, achievement and navigating any difficulties they may be facing. If this sounds like something, you would like to help with please contact pr.sec@shcn.school.nz

WE PRAY FOR OUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS **Recently Deceased:**

Ken Thornton, Aubynne Phillips (former parishioner of SPC died in Sydney), Gynthia Veronica Stokes, Eve Van Bohemen, Lynda Devoy, David Williamson, Staveley Tankersley.

Please pray for the Souls of:

Stanislaw Melgies A 21/05, John Heasley A 22/05, Vanessa O'Niell A 24/05, Walter Hannan A 02/05, Alan Hannan A 14/05, George L. Sullivan A 23/05, Olga Unverricht A 31/05. Joseph Moran A 01/06, David Weir A 06/06, Reuben & Nancy Lange and their departed siblings, William, Pattie, David and Peter O'Keefe, Joyce & John Huisman, Dulcie O'Boyle A 15/06, Patrick (Paddy) McGrath A 19/06, T. Colleen Meehan, Janina Melgies A 21/06, Carmel Jones (nee O'Boyle) A 22/06, Elaine McGrath A 05/07.

Please keep in your prayers those in our parish and communities who are sick especially:

Names for the sick will be rotated monthly. Please let the parish office know if you wish for the name to stay on the Prayer List.

Margaret Martin, members and volunteers of the Hastings St Vincent de Paul, Lily Walsh, Margaret Roberts, Des Sutton, Loyola Mouldey, Vincenza Ercolano, Peter Dawes, Sue Davis, Bronwynne Thorp, Raewyn Connors, Chris Lucy, Trish Sharp, Jo Ramsay, John Janssen, Mark Rice, Noreen Pakinga (Laracy), Annette Brunton, Tony Brunton, Bob Barber, Robert McIntyre, Keith Billington, Teresa Griffin, Tiffany Wong, Jan Skinners, Maree McCracken, Livia Bairstow, Fr. David Gledhill, Elaine Campbell, Jaimee Gregory, Catherine Guilford, Eve van Bohemen, Kristen Hay, Colleen Taylor, Beverley Morley, Malakai Lyford, Natalie & Reg Corbett, Lauretta Ball, Louise O'Connor, Xavier Allen, Joyce Dawes, Des Kavanagh, June Brunton, James Minehan, David Neilson, Marie McCormick, Mark Sullivan, Kathryn Ingram, Mike Timu, Selani Poe, Rita Yule, Tovi'o Levy, Marie Tatere, Sally Wilson, Fenton Kelly, Margot Hamilton, Ann-Marie Middleton.

PRAYERLINE: When in need of prayers for special intentions please phone any one of the following people: Fay Evans 878 8643, Eleanor McFlynn 878 9928, Trish Webley 8778172 or Margaret Frater 877 7571.

Wednesday Morning Cuppa.

Time to get together with others, To **enjoy** a muffin or a biscuit, To **celebrate** the birthdays. All free. All welcome.



POP IN! BRING A FRIEND! **Sacred Heart Gathering Space** 10:00am - 11:45am



St Mary's Primary School

As we come to the end of Term 2, we are grateful for all the events and celebrations we have been able to have this term. It has been very busy, and we are all ready for our school holidays. We are grateful for those who were able to come together and share stories of their time at St Mary's School in the past. Thank you for your valuable contributions. We look forward to those who can make our evening Story Sharing time next term. Our School Hall, which opened earlier this term, has been extremely well used already. The Junior School has enjoyed a visit to the MTG to learn and experience Matariki and we are looking forward to our Jesus Meal and Junior School Mass at Madonna Maria on the last Friday of this term. The children have enjoyed their school disco. Many thanks to the PTA for running this! We are all looking forward to celebrating our Jumping June and our Young Vinnies fundraiser Nacho Day on this coming Wednesday.

Rachael Quinney (DRS)

Sacred Heart College

On Monday our Year 13 students are travelling to Wellington to visit Victoria University. Senior reports were emailed out last week, check your inbox for these. Junior progress reports will be emailed out on Wednesday. This week's bake sale will be hosted by Aubert on Thursday. This is a fun and important fundraiser for our PTA. Sacred Heart College & St John's College Combined School Mass will take place at St Patrick's Church on Sunday 3 July at 10am. Our Open Evening takes place on 17 August this year. Please pop this date on your calendars and let your friends and family know.

Nga mihi Maria Neville-Foster (Principal)

St John's College

This week we had our senior and junior and senior academic challenge on Monday and Wednesday respectively whereby each house class put forward a team to answer questions from each of the subject areas. This was concluded at assembly on Friday with a quick-fire quiz. The results have yet to be finalised to determine the winning house. On Friday, we had Attitude presentations for each year group dealing with wellbeing and relationships. This is an important aspect of the education of our young men and compliments our health and sexuality curriculum.

TASTE OF ST JOHN'S DAY – New date Wednesday 27th July – Year 8 boys come to the College for the day. Please registered through the office 878 6853. **OPEN DAY** – Sunday 14 August at 2pm

Conor Bolton (DRS)

MATARIKI BLESSING

The new light of Matariki has risen! May it be to you a sign of resurrection and new life. May it be to you a sign of hope in times of darkness.



May it be to you a sign of the wondrous mystery of Atua who loves you.

May it be to you a sin that the eyes of the Eternal One are ever upon you and that the presence of the Holy One is ever with you. And may this be the cause of your rejoicing.

Go in peace.

Through Christ and in the perfect unity of the Holy Spirit, we pray. Amen.

National Liturgy Office

Notices from Titipounamu Study & Joy

Online Sessions (Evening): Matariki & the Pleiades with Beate Matthies Monday, 04 July, 7-8.30pm. ZOOM. Koha/Donations welcome. https://www.studyjoy.nz/events/matariki-the-pleiades/ Stories, Films & the Bible with Fr Kevin Waldie sm. Friday, 08 July, 7-8.30pm. ZOOM. All sessions are connected but also stand alone. Koha/Donations welcome. https://www.studyjoy.nz/events/stories-films-the-bible/

For more information and registration: www.studyjoy.nz

Winter Ailments

It is that time of year again when colds and flu bugs are rife. At Mass please be mindful of your choices which could affect others. Thank you for your consideration. Keep warm and well .

Please follow our Parish social media platforms like Facebook, Website, and the APP for latest updates.

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Please write your name and contact details in the space below and one of our wonderful staff members will contact you.
Name
Phone Number
Email address
Please place this slip into the offertory basket