

## PARISH NOTICES

Happy Anniversary to our **Fr Talipope**, celebrating 29 years this Sunday 20th June. Thank you for your love and service to the Church. May the good Lord bless you abundantly in your priestly ministry.

- Adoration** this Sunday 20th June 2021 is at the usual time of 5.00pm. **All welcome!**
- Our priests will be away in Wellington from 21st to the 23rd June. Another priest will be celebrating our masses until their return.
- You are invited to a public talk by Mons. Dr. Brendan Daly who will speak on the very topic: **The Law of Intercommunion for those who are not Catholics at 7:00PM this Tuesday 22nd June at Our Lady of the Assumption Parish Hall, 97 Galway Street, Onehunga.** Light refreshments afterwards.
- Family Committee** meeting Wednesday 23rd June 7.30pm in the meeting room.
- We would like to acknowledge two more of our Faith Family that have donated \$100 and \$150 towards repairs to the Priests' House. Thank you, & God's blessings to your families.
- Here is our ASB Parish A/C 12-3427-0301332-51. If you wish to donate towards the repairs to the Priest House (Presbytery). **And if it's a cash donation that you place in the collection basket, could you label it Priests' House please.** Thank you & God Bless.
- Thank you all for your generosity in your continual giving of dried goods to enable the Caring and Services Committee to continue our work.** YES we are still collecting and distributing - while the need is there, we will continue.

## DIOCESAN NOTICES

- Parish Secretary** Applications are being sought for the role of Parish Secretary at St Therese Parish Three Kings. This is a part time role - 16 hours a week @\$20 an hour. A full job description is available on request. Please email your resume to [sttherese@st3kgs.onmicrosoft.com](mailto:sttherese@st3kgs.onmicrosoft.com) by Monday, 21st June 2021.
- Training and formation for Lay Leaders of Liturgical Prayer.** This training is being offered by the Centre for Liturgy of the Auckland Diocese, in conjunction with the Catholic Theological College. It is to prepare people to lead the Liturgy of the Word. It will take place on Saturdays: June 26<sup>th</sup> and July 3<sup>rd</sup>, 9.30am – 3pm each day (bring your lunch). The venue is the Pompallier Diocesan Centre, 30 New St Ponsonby. Participants need to be present at all sessions. To register email [liturgycentre@cda.org.nz](mailto:liturgycentre@cda.org.nz)
- Divine Mercy Devotion & Mass on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 7:00pm**  
**St Mary's Church**, 20 Kitenui Ave, Mt Albert. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Chaplet of Mercy Sung, Benediction, Mass, followed by general blessing of St Faustina's relic. **All Welcome**
- Come and join us for post Covid-19 Restrictions spiritual inspiration at the Auckland Eucharistic Convention.** Hear overseas and local speakers address the theme: 'Come to me all you who are weary and heavily burdened.'  
**Friday 16, Saturday 17 and Sunday 18 July** St Mary's College, New Street, Ponsonby (opposite the Pompallier Diocesan Centre) Tickets \$30.00 per day or \$50 for the weekend. See flyer for more information.  
'May our Eucharistic celebrations transform the world.' Pope Francis.

# OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION

## **Parish Priests:**

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## “THE CALMING OF THE STORM.”

The Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B – 20th June 2021

**Daily Morning Eucharist:**

Monday - Friday 7.30am

**Daily Evening Eucharist:**

Tuesday - Thursday 6.30pm

**First Friday Eucharist:**

7.30am and **also at 6.30pm**

**Saturday Eucharist:**

8.00am and Vigil 6.00pm

**Sunday Eucharist:**

8.30am & 10.00am

**Public Holidays:**

8.00am, **no evening Mass**

**Adoration:**

Sunday 5.00pm-5.45pm

**Tongan Mass:**

2nd Sunday of every month at 12.00pm

**Samoan Mass:**

4th Sunday of every month at 11.30am

**Youth Mass:**

4th Sunday of every month at 10.00am

**Reconciliation:**

Every Saturday at 8.30am-9.00am and 5.00pm-5.30pm

**Samoan Divine Mercy prayer meetings:**

Every 2nd, 3rd & 4th Fridays at 6.00pm-8.00pm

**The Legion of Mary prayer meeting:**

Every Thursday from 7.10pm (**Pavilion**)

## REFLECTION

**(Job 38:1,8-11).** In the Bible the calming of a storm is a characteristic sign of divine power, because the wind and the sea are seen as forces of evil and chaos that only God can control. Today's reading stresses God's mastery over the watery chaos. But the storm can also stand for the trials and tribulations which the righteous suffer, and from which only the power of God can save them. All this prepares us for the gospel. By calming a storm Jesus shows his divine power and his care for his disciples in their trials.

**(Mk 4:35-41).** In 4:35-5:43 Mark follows the section on the parables with four miraculous actions of Jesus. The first of these was the calming of the storm. In the calming of the storm, the apostles witnessed a work that only God can accomplish, which means that Jesus has divine power. At the same time the miracle shows Jesus' care for his apostles. Mark is using the story for catechetical purposes. The storm reflects the post-Easter experience of the early Church. The disciples have run into all sorts of difficulties, and feel that the Lord has abandoned them. But they are summoned to have faith in his presence with them and his care for them. We can relate the storms mentioned in the scriptures to the storms through which the Church is passing, and proclaim the power of Christ to still these storms today if we cling to him.

**(2 Cor 5:14-17).** Paul had experienced the boundless love of Christ. This was the driving force behind all that he did. Christ showed his love for us by dying for us. We therefore must not live self-centred lives. It is by this, and not worldly standards, that we should be judged.

**Readings for The Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B 20th June 2021**

**First reading:**

A reading from the book of Job. 38: 1-4,8-11

***Here have I prescribed the bounds of the sea.***

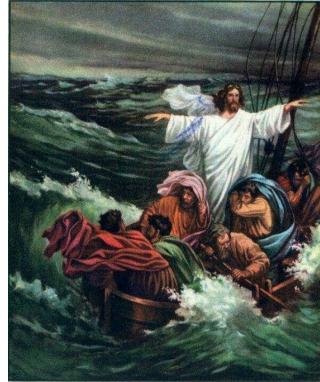
**Responsorial Psalm: 107**

Some went down to the sea in ships,  
doing business on the mighty waters;  
they saw the deeds of the Lord,  
his wondrous works in the deep.

For he commanded and raised the stormy wind,  
which lifted up the waves of the sea.  
They mounted up to heaven and  
they went down to the depths;  
their courage melted away in their calamity.

Then they cried to the Lord in their trouble,  
and he brought them out from their distress;  
he made the storm be still,  
and the waves of the sea were hushed.

Then they were glad when it grew calm,  
and he brought them to their desired haven.  
Let them thank the Lord for his steadfast love,  
for his wonderful works to the children of Adam.



**Second reading:**

A reading from the second letter of St Paul to the Corinthians. 5: 14-17

***See, everything has been made new.***

**Gospel Acclamation:**

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

A great Prophet has risen among us;  
God has looked favourably on his people.

**Alleluia!**



**Gospel:**

A reading from  
the holy Gospel  
according to  
Mark.

4: 35-41

***Who then is this,  
that even the wind  
and the sea obey him?***

**Readers for this week Saturday 19th and Sunday 20th June 2021**

	Commentator	Readers	Reserves
6.00pm	Lois Armiger	1. Joseph Tuipulotu 2. Veronica Hagar	Tatupu Vaalepu Pauline Calvert
8.30am	Fiesola Pifeleti	1. Susitina Tu'inukuafe 2. Savelina Mahoni	Glen Hill Grace Tu'inukuafe
10.00am	Eseta Oloa	1. Su'a Tagaloo 2. Selesitina Taamale	Peta Sefo Ane Enosi

**Extra-Ordinary Ministers for this week**

**Saturday 19th and Sunday 20th June 2021**

6.00pm	Tonga Enosi, Lily Ulberg
8.30am	Limpia Britto, Paul Lovett
10.00am	Stan & Melanie Duarte, Imeleta Kelemete, Inoke Kata

**Readers for next week Saturday 26th and Sunday 27th June 2021**

	Commentator	Readers	Reserves
6.00pm	Pauline Calvert	1. Lois Armiger 2. Ane Enosi	Assumption Ilalio Veronica Hagar
8.30am	Christina Christopher	1. Hulu Tu'inukuafe 2. Paul Lovett	Fiesola Pifeleti Lily Ulberg
10.00am	Lika Leavasa	1. Dilynne Muller 2. Magnolia Tomasi	Tavite Mataele Tatupu Vaalepu

**Extra-Ordinary Ministers for next week**

**Saturday 26th and Sunday 27th June 2021**

6.00pm	Therese Ulberg, Tony Atonio
8.30am	Grace Tu'inukuafe, Su'a Tagaloo
10.00am	Cory Apikotoa, Malia Tuipulotu, Michaela Duarte, Sione Mataele

**Anniversaries for the coming week 21st to the 27th June**

- 21. Sidney Thomas Worthington (1977)
- 22. Alice Louisa Abdon (1981), Mabel Stanislaus Clark (1985), Dorothy Ann Veronica Henehan (1997)
- 23. Letty Elizabeth Nortje (1985), Eileen Mary Brown (1985), Galumalemana Savaiinaea Emanuele (2012), Nivea Maria Salaivao (2006)
- 24. Alfred Edward Rabbidge (1994), Jacob-Poe Nansen (2002)
- 25. William Joseph Kemp (1986), Thomas Luke Butler (1994), Joliff Rodriguez (2018)
- 26. Leonilda D'Silva (1984), Salvador Fernandes
- 27. Edith Isabella Fitzpatrick (1999), Joseph Michael Doherty (2006), Marie Antoinette Burrell (2011), Eseta Moevao-Lainei (2011)

**Weekly requirement to run the Parish is approximately \$2700.00**

**Last Sunday's collection was \$1765.50**

**Readings for Next Week (27/06/21)**  
**Thirteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time Year B**  
 1st Reading: Wisdom 1:13-15;2:23-24  
 Psalm: 30  
 2nd Reading: 2 Corinthians 8:7-9,13-15  
 Gospel: Mark 5:21-43

**Anniversaries of Deaths:** If you wish the deceased members of your family to be mentioned in the Sunday bulletin, please supply details the week before.  
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 Monday—Friday, 9:00am to 3:00pm  
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