

PARISH NOTICES

Congratulations to Caroline-Rose TOVIO upon receiving the Sacrament of Baptism. May the Lord Bless you, your parents, god-parents, family and friends on this your very special day. Our Parish welcomes you all.

- 1. Adoration** this Sunday 11th July 2021 is at the usual time of 5.00pm. **All welcome!**
- 2. Altar Servers Old and New:** are invited to join Fr Tino & Fr Vijay for a day of fun. **When:** Monday 12th July 2021. **Where:** Parish Hall. **Time: 9am till 3pm**
- 3. Liturgy committee** meeting Tuesday 13th July 7pm in the meeting room.
- 4.** Here is our ASB Parish A/C 12-3427-0301332-51 if you wish to donate towards the repairs to the Priests' 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.
- 5.** We would like to acknowledge with great gratitude the kind donations that three more of our Faith Families have made towards the repairs to the Priests' House. \$2500, \$250, & \$200. May the Good Lord bless and watch over you & your families.
- 6. 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

- 1. Notices from Titipounamu Study & Joy Online Sessions (Evening): Psalms - From the Heights of Hymns to the Lows of Laments!** with **Br Kieran Fenn.** Monday 26 July, 7-8.30pm. Fee: \$25/session. ZOOM. <https://www.studyjoy.nz/events/psalms-from-the-heights-of-hymns-to-the-lows-of-laments-c2-a0-3/> For more information and registration: info@studyjoy.nz
- 2. The Catholic Caring Foundation** is looking for a community-focused database/grants and administrator co-ordinator to join their busy team on a fixed term 11-month (August 2021 to July 2022) contract period for 20 hours per week. The Foundation is the philanthropic trust of the Bishop of Auckland, and annually gives out grants to social service agencies who care for the poor, the marginalised and the vulnerable. To help us with our mission, we need a co-ordinator who will make sure that our office runs smoothly and that our team are well supported in grant making, fundraising and donor care. You'll have great attention to detail, demonstrate excellent customer service, have experience of working with a CRM system, and have well-developed organisational skills to help us successfully connect with our donors and provide grants to our partner agencies. Please visit our website www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz. Diocesan Services, Staff Vacancies for a full position description and how to apply.
- 3. 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.
- 4. Marriage & Family Life – Volunteers Needed** The Catholic Diocese of Auckland invites married couples to consider volunteering to become Marriage Educators. If you have been married for 5 years or more and at least one of you are Catholic then we would like to hear from you. The type of couples we are seeking are those committed to journeying with young engaged couples, passionate about strong healthy marriages being a platform for stability for families and have 2 hours per week spare, we would like to meet you. The Marriage Educator Training Course starts in June, July and August. Please call Gerry on 09 3603025 or 021 02247442 or email Gerry on gerrys@cda.org.nz

OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION

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**“ACTIONS
SPEAK
LOUDER
THAN WORDS.”**

The Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B – 11th July 2021

Daily Morning Eucharist:

Daily Evening Eucharist:

First Friday Eucharist:

Saturday Eucharist:

Sunday Eucharist:

Public Holidays:

Adoration:

Tongan Mass:

Samoan Mass:

Youth Mass:

Reconciliation:

Samoan Divine Mercy prayer meetings:

The Legion of Mary prayer meeting:

Monday - Friday 7.30am

Tuesday - Thursday 6.30pm

7.30am and **also at 6.30pm**

8.00am and Vigil 6.00pm

8.30am & 10.00am

8.00am, **no evening Mass**

Sunday 5.00pm-5.45pm

2nd Sunday of every month at 12.00pm

4th Sunday of every month at 11.30am

4th Sunday of every month at 10.00am

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

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

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

REFLECTION

(Amos 7:12-15). Amos was the great champion of social justice. He was a prophet by divine call. As a poor, unsophisticated shepherd and 'dresser of sycamore trees', he was a total outsider to the ranks of professional prophets. Though a native of Judah, he was preaching in the northern kingdom of Israel. His message proved too much for his hearers, who told him to get back to his own country. His reply was that this was what he was called by God to do, and he was going to do it whether they liked it or not.

(Mk 6:7-13). As Amos was sent to the people of Israel, Jesus sends out the twelve apostles. Amos was a poor, unsophisticated shepherd. Much the same could be said about the twelve apostles. Having instructed them, the time had come for them to take an active part in his ministry. Their mission was an extension of his own mission. In sending them out 'two by two' he was following Jewish practice. They are to take nothing with them for the journey. This was only a temporary mission, of short duration and limited to the surrounding Jewish towns and villages. They are to preach repentance, because, like the Baptist, their task is to prepare the way for Jesus.

He gave them the power to heal, and authority over unclean spirits. Casting out demons symbolises the confrontation with evil. The birth of Christianity saw a liberation from the fear of demons, something that was all pervasive at that time. If they are not received in a village, they are to 'shake the dust from their feet' as they leave.

(Eph 1: 3-14). This is a long prayer in which the author thanks God for the blessings he has bestowed on us in Christ. It is a veritable summary of God's plan of salvation, beginning before the foundation of the world and looking forward to the fullness of time when the universe will be reconciled in Christ. Throughout the prayer the emphasis is on God's initiative and Christ's mediation.

Readings for The Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B 11th July 2021

First reading:

A reading from the prophet Amos 7: 12-15
Go, prophesy to my people.

Responsorial Psalm: 85

Let me hear what God the Lord will speak,
 for he will speak peace to his people.
 Surely his salvation is at hand for those who fear him,
 that his glory may dwell in our land.

Steadfast love and faithfulness will meet;
 righteousness and peace will kiss each other.
 Faithfulness will spring up from the ground,
 and righteousness will look down from the sky.

The Lord will give what is good,
 and our land will yield its increase.
 Righteousness will go before him,
 and will make a path for his steps.



Second reading:

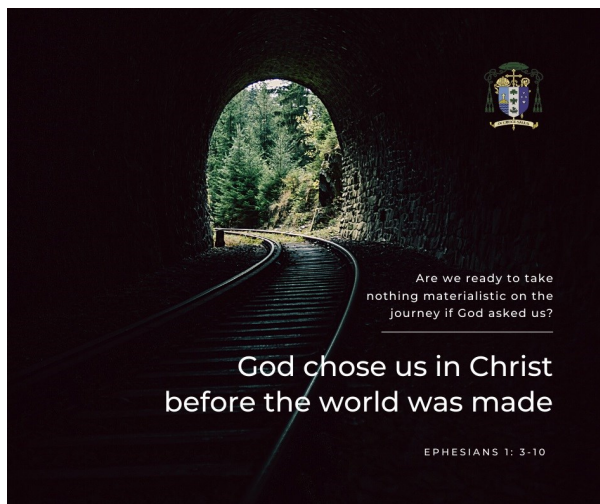
A reading from St Paul to the Ephesians 1: 3-14
Before the world was made, he chose us in Christ.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia!

May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ
 enlighten the eyes of our heart
 That we may know the hope to which we are called.

Alleluia!



Are we ready to take
 nothing materialistic on the
 journey if God asked us?

God chose us in Christ
 before the world was made

EPHESIANS 1: 3-10

Gospel:

A reading from the holy
 Gospel
 according to
 Mark 6: 7-13
**He called the Twelve,
 and began to send them out.**

Readers for this week Saturday 10th and Sunday 11th July 2021

	Commentator	Readers	Reserves
6.00pm	Assumption Ilalio	1. Pauline Calvert 2. Therese Ulberg	David Hagar Lois Armiger Cheryl Peters
8.30am	Lily Ulberg	1. Su'a Tagaloo 2. Susitina Tu'inukuafe	Paul Lovett Petrina Fuga
10.00am	Su'e Leavasa-Tapu	1. Peta Sefo 2. Kalala Soalo	Tafaomaloo Leavasa

**Extra-Ordinary Ministers for this week
 Saturday 10th and Sunday 11th July 2021**

6.00pm	Colleen & Don Hodges
8.30am	Hulu Tu'inukuafe, Tony Atonio
10.00am	Faumuina Lio, Elaine Williams, Malia Fuga, Iufita Sefo

Readers for next week Saturday 17th and Sunday 18th July 2021

	Commentator	Readers	Reserves
6.00pm	Joseph Tuipulotu	1. David Hagar 2. Lily Ulberg	Tatupu Vaalepu Pauline Calvert
8.30am	Grace Tu'inukuafe	1. Fiesola Pifeleti 2. Savelina Mahoni	Lily Ulberg Susitina Tu'inukuafe
10.00am	Eseta Oloa	1. Su'a Tagaloo 2. Selesitina Taamale	Peta Sefo Malia Apikotoa

**Extra-Ordinary Ministers for next week
 Saturday 17th and Sunday 18th July 2021**

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

Anniversaries for the coming week 12th to the 18th July

12. Arthur Davenport (1989), Strowan Mary White (1977), Viti Angela Tupou (1982), Millicent Ethel Walker (1984), Joy Elizabeth Rusden (1986)
13. Gustav Paul Louis Hartner (1983)
14. August Metzler (1979), Seagar Augustine Patten (1983), Herbert Clifton Morgan (1990), Peter Damien Keane (2001), Margaret Anne Capner (1989), Cecilia Britto (1994)
15. Salaevalu Galumalemana (1984)
16. Ivy Louisa Deirdre Lillian Tracy (1996), Eileen Mavis Lodge (1997), Hilton Edward Aulin (1997), Vaifale Laifai-Kalolo (2011), Raphael P. Mapa (2014), Asumptha Pereira (2016)
17. Iris Daphne Norris (1994), Elizabeth Reddy (2010)
18. Mima Adeline Sheehan (1977)

**Weekly requirement to run the Parish is approximately \$2700.00
 Last Sunday's collection was \$1903.00**

Readings for Next Week (18/07/21)
Sixteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time Year B
 1st Reading: Jeremiah 23:1-6
 Psalm: 23
 2nd Reading: Ephesians 2:13-18
 Gospel: Mark 6:30-34

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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