

PARISH NOTICES

1. **ANZAC DAY** - Monday 25th April is a holiday. Mass will be at 8.00am
2. **Your Tax invoices** - are now available in the foyer table. Thank you.
3. **Donation Envelopes** - are also still in the foyer, please take them.
4. 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.

DIOCESE NOTICES

1. **Resources in times of COVID-19 Protection Framework (traffic lights)** The diocese has a page dedicated to the key information for places of worship at this time <https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/covid-protection-framework/> A reminder that the diocese continues to provide broadcast **Sunday Mass**. It is uploaded at 5.30pm Saturday night (as per a Vigil Mass time) to the Youtube channel Auckland Catholic <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCb7o1XyfQet-mOW1mJSzfo> It is also broadcast on Shine TV Sundays at 2.00pm Free-to-air TV Channel 25, Sky TV Channel 201.

2. **Catholic Education Services – Religious Education & Catholic Character Advisor**
Our Catholic Education Services have a vacancy for a full time Religious Education & Catholic Character Advisor, starting in Term 3. The role is to develop, strengthen and support the leadership role of the Directors of Religious Studies & HOD's Religious Education in Catholic Schools. The role will also provide professional development, formation and resources for teachers in Religious Education and Catholic Special Character. Applicants will have a tertiary qualification in Religious Education or a commitment to undertake appropriate study, hold current NZ Teacher registration, interest in and experience in teaching religious education in Years 7 to 10, would be advantageous. Please visit our website <https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/staff-vacancies/> to view the full advert and to apply. Applications close 13th of May.

3. **Scholarship Medical Students -The Walter Francis Darby Trust Scholarship**
If you are a 4th or 5th year medical student in 2022, are an active Catholic and normally reside within the Auckland Diocese you may be eligible for the Walter Francis Darby Trust Scholarship. For more information contact Randall Ramos, Catholic Diocese of Auckland – randallr@cda.org.nz

OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION

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**“FILLED
WITH THE
HOLY
SPIRIT!”**

PENTECOST SUNDAY YEAR C – 5TH JUNE 2022

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

(Acts 2:1-11). Luke has the giving of the Holy Spirit happening on the feast of Pentecost. Jewish tradition saw Pentecost as the feast of the giving of the Law on Mount Sinai. According to a legend, a mighty wind turned to fire and a voice proclaimed the Law. In a further refinement, the fire split into 70 tongues corresponding to the 70 nations of the world, to convey that the Law was proclaimed not only to Israel, but also to all nations. Luke exploits this tradition. He, too, has the mighty wind and tongues of fire coming upon the group of disciples. But for Luke the universal proclamation was not that of the Law, but of the Good News, a proclamation that has undone the sentence of Babel and re-united the scattered nations.

(Rom 8:8-17). Verses 1-8 speak of the indwelling of the Spirit in believers as a result of their baptism. The present indwelling of the Spirit is an anticipation of the complete renewal of life that will come at the general resurrection. Verses 12-17 insist that baptism is only a beginning. Life in the Spirit is a life of freedom, but it is a freedom that has to struggle with constant temptation. This means that suffering will inevitably be part of the Christian life. But that suffering will lead to glory, when believers will inherit the kingdom of God with Christ.

(Jn 20: 19-23). John has the giving of the Spirit happening on Easter day. However, we must avoid any impression of a two-fold initial solemn bestowal of the Spirit. Luke and John are saying the same thing: the risen Lord gives the gift of the Spirit, and inaugurates the mission of the Church. That they differ in their dating is due to the theological concerns. In our passage, the risen Christ appears to his apostles, shows them his wounds, and bestows peace on them. Then he entrusts his mission to them. This mission is the exact same mission he received from the Father: the reconciliation of people with the Father. To carry out their mission he gives them the gift of the Spirit and the power to forgive sin.

Readings for Pentecost Sunday
Year C 5th June 2022

First reading:

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles 2: 1-11
All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages.

Responsorial Psalm: 104: 1ab+24ac, 29b-30, 31-34 R.30

Bless the Lord, O my soul.
O Lord my God, you are very great.
O Lord, how manifold are your works!
The earth is full of your creatures.

When you take away their breath,
they die and return to their dust.
When you send forth your spirit,
they are created;
and you renew the face of the earth.

May the glory of the Lord endure forever;
may the Lord rejoice in his works.
May my meditation be pleasing to him,
for I rejoice in the Lord.

Second reading:

A reading from the letter of Saint Paul to the Romans 8:8-17
Everyone moved by the Spirit is a son of God.

Sequence:

Holy Spirit, Lord divine,
Come, from heights of heav'n and shine,
Come with blessed radiance bright!
Come, O Father of the poor,
Come, whose treasured gifts ensure,
Come, our heart's unfailing light!
Of consolers, wisest, best,
And our soul's most welcome guest,
Sweet refreshment, sweet repose.
In our labour rest most sweet,
Pleasant coolness in the heat,
Consolation in our woes.
Light most blessed, shine with grace
In our heart's most secret place,
Fill your faithful through and through.

Left without your presence here,
Life itself would disappear,
Nothing thrives apart from you!
Cleanse our soiled hearts of sin,
Arid souls refresh within,
Wounded lives to health restore.
Bend the stubborn heart and will,
Melt the frozen, warm the chill,
Guide the wayward home
once more!
On the faithful who are true
And profess their faith in you,
In your sev'nfold gift descend!
Give us virtue's sure reward,
Give us your salvation, Lord,
Give us joys that never end!

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia!
Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful,
and kindle in them the fire of your love.
Alleluia!

Gospel:

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John 20: 19-23
As the Father has sent me, so I send you. Receive the Holy Spirit!



Readers for this week Saturday 4th and Sunday 5th June 2022

	Commentator	Readers	Reserves
6.00pm	Tatupu Vaalepu	1. Pauline Calvert 2. Veronica Hagar	Therese Ulberg Lily Ulberg
8.30am		1. 2.	
10.00am		1. 2.	

Extra-Ordinary Ministers for this week
Saturday 4th and Sunday 5th June 2022

6.00pm	Assumption Ilalio, David Hagar
8.30am	
10.00am	

Readers for next week Saturday 11th and Sunday 12th June 2022

	Commentator	Readers	Reserves
6.00pm	Therese Ulberg	1. Lily Ulberg 2. Lois Armiger	Pauline Calvert Veronica Hagar
8.30am		1. 2.	
10.00am		1. 2.	

Extra-Ordinary Ministers for next week
Saturday 11th and Sunday 12th June 2022

6.00pm	Colleen & Don Hodges
8.30am	
10.00am	

Anniversaries for the coming week 6th - 12th June

6. Thelma Susan Armiger (1977), Akosita Kaho (1998), Frank Herbert Rae (1999), Frank Gerdelics (2001)
7. Gary Kenworth Lindsay (1975), Elizabeth Agnes Walsh (1978) Francisco C. Basilla (1987)
8. Herbert William Shepherd (1989)
9. Agnes Patricia Petrie(1988), Philip Stanley (2002), Kenneth Louis Godden (2008)
10. Irma Mary Williams (1998), Edward Cadellis (1999),Philip Stanley(2002), Samuel Montague Mathews(2004),Christina Barbara McFall (2010),
11. Mollie May Somers(1978), Margaret Mary Maidens(1982), Leslie Norris (1992), Eileen Ellen McDermott (1992), Phyllis Adeline Morris (1996), Gabriel Moevao Ulumoto (1997)
12. Hilda Mary Prendergast(1975), Alf Albert Kemp(1991), Edward Francis Gargan (1994)

Weekly requirement to run the Parish is approximately \$2700.00
Last Sunday's Collection:

Readings for Next Week (12/06/22)

Trinity Sunday
1st Reading: Proverbs 8: 22-31
Psalm: 8
2nd Reading: Romans 5: 1-5
Gospel: John 16: 12-15

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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