

PARISH NOTICES

1. Parish Pastoral Council meeting Tuesday 4th November 6.30pm in the meeting room.
2. The Fundraising Committee meeting Wednesday 5th November 6.30pm in the meeting room.
3. Columban Calendars for 2026 - available now at the Parish office at \$15.
4. Bringing the word to life - a daily scripture reflection - Advent/Christmas seasons 2025/26 is also available at the Parish office at \$8.
5. Safe Travels to Fr Iosefo and crew, who will be departing this Sunday evening 2nd November for their Italian pilgrimage journey. Be safe and remember us in your prayers. God Speed!
6. **Our Parish Retreat Program for Advent as follows. Flyers will be displayed in the church foyer and office window when they come to hand.**

SUNDAY 7TH DECEMBER 2025

TIME	DURATIONS	PROGRAM	PERSON IN CHARGE	And RE-MARKS
5.00 - 5.02pm	2 Min	Introduction		
5.02 - 5.14	12 Min	Praise & Worship	Music Team	
5.15 - 5.55	40 Min	1st Talk: Father's merciful heart.	Fr Alliston	
5.55 - 6.25	30 Min	Ministry time	Music Team	<i>Instrumental soft music</i>
6.25 - 6.30	5 Min	Closing Announcement		

MONDAY 8TH DECEMBER 2025

TIME	DURATIONS	PROGRAM	PERSON IN CHARGE	REMARKS
6.30 - 6.32pm	2 Min	Introduction	Fr Alliston	
6.32 - 6.44	12 Min	Praise & Worship	Music Team	
6.42 - 7.25	40 Min	2nd Talk: Restoration in Christ	Fr Alliston	
7.25 - 7.58	30 Min	Reconciliation & Anointing the sick	Priests and Fr Alliston	<i>Songs and Instrumental soft music</i>
7.58 - 8.00	2 Min	Closing Announcement		

TUESDAY 9TH DECEMBER 2025

TIME	DURATIONS	PROGRAM	PERSON IN CHARGE	REMARKS
6.30 - 6.32pm	2 Min	Introduction		
6.32 - 6.44	12 Min	Praise & Worship	Music Team	
6.42 - 7.25	40 Min	3rd Talk: Empowered by holy Spirit	Fr Alliston	
7.25 - 7.58	30 Min	Praying for a fresh outpouring of the Holy Sprit	Fr Alliston	<i>Music and songs to the Holy Spirit</i>
7.58 - 8.00	2 Min	Closing Announcement		

OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION

Parish Priests:

Fr. Iosefo Timu mf
Fr. Joseph Nguyen Minh Phuc mf
Fr Andrew Pham mf

Presbytery: 97 Galway St. Onehunga

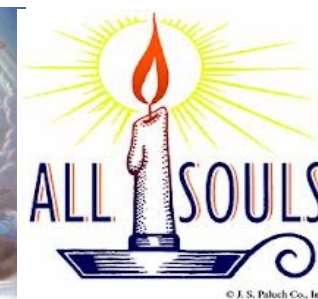
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COMMEMORATION OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED 2ND NOVEMBER 2025

Daily Morning Eucharist:

Daily Evening Eucharist:

First Friday Evening:

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

Suspended until further notice

Lectio Divina 6.30pm-7.30pm

8.00am and Vigil 6.00pm

8.30am & 10.00am

8.00am, **no evening Mass**

Sundays 5.00pm-5.45pm

2nd Sunday of every month at 12.00pm

5th 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 1st, 3rd & 4th Mondays at 12noon-2.00pm

Every Thursday at 7.00pm (**Pavilion**)



Reflection

The Commemoration of the faithful departed reminds us that we are still one with those who have gone before us into eternal life, and that death is not and can never be the end. Since they are alive, we still owe them love and support in Christ's name, even beyond the grave.

The Commemoration of the faithful departed gives us an opportunity to look at the mystery of death and the new life that Christ has won and promised for all of us who believe. The Commemoration does not provide the answer to the question why a person must die at a particular moment in time, but informs us that for us as believers, death is not and can never be the end.

Even as we commemorate the faithful departed, we must remember that the readings of today do not focus on death at all, rather they focus on life and life in abundance. After God has spoken in Jesus, death is seen only as a transition from one kind of life to another. In the words of the sixteenth century poet John Donne: "Death, thou shalt die."



Traditional Prayer



Family Prayer



Praying Together

Readings for All Souls' Day

First reading:

A reading from the book of Wisdom 3:1-9
Like a sacrificial burnt offering he accepted them..

Responsorial Psalm: 116

R; I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living.

Gracious is the Lord, and righteous;
our God is merciful.
The Lord protects the simple;
when I was brought low, he saved me. **R.**

I kept my faith, even when I said,
“I am greatly afflicted”;
I said in my consternation,
“Everyone is a liar.” **R.**

Precious in the sight of the Lord
is the death of his faithful ones.
O Lord, I am your servant;
you have loosed my bonds. **R.**



Second reading:

A reading from the book of Revelation 21:1-5,6-7
Death will be no more.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia!

Jesus Christ is the firstborn of the dead;
To him be glory and dominion for ever and ever. Amen,
Alleluia!

Gospel:

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke 7:11-17
Young man, I say to you, rise!

The Jubilee Prayer

Father in heaven,

may the **faith** you have given us in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother,
and the flame of **charity** enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit,
reawaken in us the blessed **hope** for the coming of your kingdom.

May your grace transform us into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel.
May those seeds transform from within both humanity and the whole cosmos,
in the sure expectation of a new heaven and a new earth,
when, with the powers of Evil vanquished your glory will shine eternally.

May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, **Pilgrims of hope**,
a yearning for the treasures of heaven.

May that same grace spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer
throughout the earth.

To you our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise for ever.

Amen.



Readers for this week Saturday 1st and Sunday 2nd November 2025

	Commentator	Readers	Reserves
6.00pm	Veronica Hagar	1. Therese Ulberg 2. Selesitina Taamale	Pauline Calvert Tatupu Vaalepu
8.30am	Fuailalagi Lima	1. Cheryl Peters 2. Fiesola Pifeleti	Sylvia Paul Dominic Paul
10.00am	Iutita Sefo	1. Fusi Mataele 2. Leonie Rawson	Tatupu Vaalepu Ana Lauaki

Extra–Ordinary Ministers for this week Saturday 1st and Sunday 2nd November 2025

6.00pm David Hagar, Assumption Ilalio, Colleen & Don Hodges, Diana-Marie Ulberg
8.30am Su'a Tagalao, Kalevina Su'a, Johndell Ubido, Robert Lemana, Susitina Tu'inukuafe
10.00am Michaela Duarte, Tonga Enosi, Inoke Kata, Faumuina Lio, Peter Rawson

Readers for next week Saturday 8th and Sunday 9th November 2025

	Commentator	Readers	Reserves
6.00pm	Pauline Calvert	1. Colleen Hodges 2. Diana-Marie Ulberg	Therese Ulberg Veronica Hagar
8.30am	Selesitina Taamale	1. Glen Hill 2. Susitina Tu'inukuafe	Cheryl Peters Fiesola Pifeleti
10.00am	Su'e Tapu	1. Assumption Ilalio 2. Iutita Sefo	Selesitina Taamale Tafaomalao Leavasa

Extra–Ordinary Ministers for next week Saturday 8th and Sunday 9th November 2025

6.00pm David Hagar, Don Hodges, Su'e Tapu, Tatupu Vaalepu, Lily Ulberg
8.30am Su'a Tagalao, Kalevina Su'a, Johndell Ubido, Robert Lemana, Susitina Tu'inukuafe
10.00am Robert Lemana, Eseta Oloa, Selesitina Taamale, Su'e Tapu, Malia Tuipulotu

Anniversaries for the coming week 3rd to the 9th November

- 3. Nora Mary Murdoch (1992), Edgardo Nuestro (2008), Cesario Rivera (2010)
- 4. Elsie Mary Heffernan (1991)
- 6. Terence Clyde Starnes (1990), Eileen Winifred Mary Marlow (1995)
Herman Joseph Ulberg (2002)
- 7. Bridget Joyce Dick (1985), Joan Hackett Drumm (2002),
Isapela Tuputala Vaifale (2013)
- 8. Stevie-Rose Rowe (2000)
- 9. Reginald Allen Dodd (1980), Lolina Vila Noa (2002)

Weekly requirement to run the Parish is approximately \$2700.00
Last Sunday's collection \$2109.30

Readings for Next Week (9/11/25)

Dedication of St John Lateran

1st Reading: Ezekiel 47:1-2.8-9.12

Psalm: 46

2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 3:9-11.16-17

Gospel: John 2:13-23

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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