

Parish Library - Located in the church foyer. Parishioners are welcome to take, keep or return at their leisure and there is no need to sign out. When you no longer need the book, bring it back to share with others.

Your participation in the library is most welcome!

If unable to attend Mass on Sunday Shine TV are still broadcasting each Sunday at 2pm on Free to air Channel 23 or Sky Channel 201

Columban Calendars for 2021 are available and for sale in the foyer. \$12 per copy.

**Saints for the Week**

- 16 Nov.: Saint Margaret of Scotland or Saint Gertrude the Great.
- 17 Nov.: Saint Elizabeth of Hungary, religious .
- 18 Nov.: Dedication of the Basilicas of Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles



**Rosters 22nd Nov.**

- Organist.....
- Door Welcome.....R> Mueller
- Formal Welcome.....K Tansey
- 1st Reader.....Jo Slater
- 2nd Reader.....Henry Cowie
- Writing Prayers.....N Burr
- Reading Prayers.....K Tansey
- Eucharistic Ministers.....to be advised
- Altar Servers..... Maribeth,  
Luki Muller, Perez-Rupeni families
- Flowers.....The Flower Team

**Scripture Readings for Sunday,**

22nd Nov. 2020

**34th Week in Ordinary Time**

First Reading: Ezekiel 14: 11-12, 15-17. ...

Psalm 23: 1-2, 2-3, 5-6 (1) ...

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 15: 20-26, 28. ...

Gospel: Matthew 25: 31-46.

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**Mass Times:**

9am on Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

**Church of the Holy Rosary Matakawau**

11am on the last Sunday of each month.

**Exposition and Benediction** Following Thursday 9am Mass.  
**Confessions:** following Benediction on Thursday and following Saturday 9am Mass

**Rosary** is recited at 8.30am before Mass

15th Nov. 2020

*33rd Week in Ordinary Time*



*Scripture Readings:*

**1st Reading: Proverbs 31:10-13,19-20,30-31**

A perfect wife - who can find her?

**Responsorial Psalm : 127(128):1-5**

*Happy are those who fear the Lord*

**O blessed are those who fear the Lord And walk in his ways  
By the labour of your hands you shall eat  
You will be happy and prosper**

**Your wife like a fruitful vine In the heart of Your house;  
your children like shoots of the olive, around your table**

**Indeed thus shall be blessed the man who fears the Lord'  
May the Lord bless You from Zion in a happy Jerusalem  
all the days of your life**

**2nd Reading: 1 Thessalonians 5:1-6**

God will bring with him those who have died in Jesus

**Gospel: Matthew 25:14-30**

You have been faithful in small things: come and join in your master's happiness

Please keep in your prayers all our parishioners who are unwell at this time and let Father Gilbert know of anyone who may need assistance.

**NZ Catholic** has been named as Publication of the Year at the Australasian Religious Press Association 2020 Awards. The November 15-28 issue of NZ Catholic is out now. Some headlines are: Priests and bishop at pro-life street vigil. Nuncio speaks on youth, laity and Pope's vision. Memorial for young Christchurch priest killed in accident. Tauranga couple die on same day after 66 years married. See also [www.nzcatholic.org.nz](http://www.nzcatholic.org.nz)



More Altar Servers are needed.

Please see Father or Theresa if interested.

Advent/Christmas Booklets

*Copies of the Advent booklets have arrived and these will be available after Mass today. Please see Carol if you would like a copy.*



Remembering the Holy Souls .... November is a special month when we pray for the repose of the souls of the deceased members of our parish, families and friends. There is a box available in which you may wish to place the names of those for whom you would especially like Mass to be offered.

The box will be placed in front of the Altar during each Holy Mass in November.

World Day of the Poor

**Pope Francis** established the **World Day of the Poor** in 2017. The Holy Father's message for 2020 is a reflection on Sirach 7:32: "Stretch forth your hand to the poor". As Catholics we should make this a time of action in response to Christ's words from the Gospel of Matthew: "whatever you did for one of these least brothers of mine, you did for me" (Mt. 25:40). This could include donating food to your Parish or community foodbank, safely passing on some home-grown vegetables to a neighbour, baking a cake for a new-born's family or sharing a meal with others.

'Prayer attains its goal when accompanied by service to the poor.'

Mass Count in November In the tradition of the Church, here and all over the world, a Mass Count, of persons attending, is taken at every Mass to be reported back to Rome. If you see someone taking a head count, please make yourself and your family seen. Thanks!



Please join us following Mass for a cup of tea or coffee and a chat.

Parish Christmas celebration on Sunday morning 6th December.

The Catholic Women's League are combining with the Social Club to host a Christmas Brunch/Luncheon following Mass.

The CWL will have their usual Christmas raffles and the profit from these will go to their missions and any surplus left over from the cost of the brunch/luncheon will go to wards purchasing a steriliser for the parish kitchen. All are welcome and more details will follow soon. We will need numbers of those who will be attending and tickets will be available from next Sunday.



CWL Christmas raffles—we would be grateful for donations of appropriate Christmas food and gifts for the raffles.

Counties Catholic Men's Fellowship

We invite all men together with wives/partners, to our final get-together for 2020, on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> November. We will meet at St. Patrick's Pukekohe, commencing with the celebration of The Mass at 7pm. This will be followed by our year end dinner prepared by the men. If you will be attending our group for the first time please advise for catering purposes either Roger Peterson 092384667 or Tim Reynolds 0272436211, by the 18<sup>th</sup> November.



Diocesan Noticeboard.... Special Pre-recording for the Christmas Mass for Radio New Zealand & Shine TV at the Cathedral 7 pm Thursday 19 November The Cathedral of St Patrick & St Joseph has been asked by Radio New Zealand to provide a recorded Christmas Day Mass for broadcast. We will be celebrating this pre-recorded Mass here at the Cathedral, Thursday 19 November at 7 pm. Please join us and Bishop Michael and lend your voices and your faith to this opportunity for our Diocese. The Mass will also be filmed for the Shine TV Christmas broadcast. Validated parking will be available at the Wilson's car parks from 6.30 pm on Hobson Street (\$4) and Durham Lane (\$2).