

Roster for Sunday 22nd June 2025

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

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Readings for Sunday 22nd June 2025

1st Reading: [Genesis 14:18-20](#) ·

Psalm: [Psalm 109\(110\):1-4](#)

2nd Reading: [1 Corinthians 11:23-26](#) ·

Gospel: [Luke 9:11-17](#)

Saints of the week:

Sun 15th:

Mon 16th:

Tue 17th:

Wed 18th:

Thu 19th:

Fri 20th:

Sat 21st:



"These are plenty complicated enough for now – why don't we save the Trinity stuff for later?"

The Regina Caeli (Queen of Heaven)

The Regina Caeli (Queen of Heaven) is a traditional prayer until the Ascension of Jesus.

It replaces the Angelus for Eastertide.

Regina Caeli

Queen of heaven, rejoice, Alleluia.

For He Whom thou did merit to bear, Alleluia.

Has risen as He said, Alleluia.

Pray for us to God, Alleluia.

V. Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary! Alleluia.

R. Because Our Lord is truly risen, Alleluia.

Let us pray:

O God,
Who by the resurrection of Thy Son,
Our Lord Jesus Christ, has
vouchsafed to make glad the whole
world, grant, we beseech Thee, that,
through the intercession of the
Virgin Mary, His Mother, we may
attain the joys of eternal life.
Through the same Christ our Lord.
Amen.

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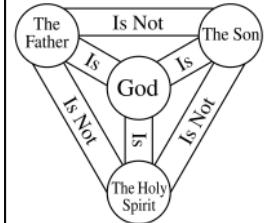
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*Sunday 15th
June 2025*

*The Most
Holy Trinity*



Sunday Mass Times: 9am

Weekdays: Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday 9am

Exposition & Benediction following Thursday 9am Mass

Confessions: before Benediction on Thursday and following Saturday 9am Mass

Rosary is recited at 8.30am before Mass

Scripture Readings

1st Reading: Proverbs 8:22-31 ·

Before the earth came into being, Wisdom was born

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 8:4-9

*O Lord, our God, how wonderful your name
in all the earth!*

2nd Reading: Romans 5:1-5 ·

The love of God has been poured into our hearts

Gospel: John 16:12-15

The Spirit of truth will lead you to the complete truth

Bereavement Notice

*St Anthony's acknowledge the death of parishioner
Maureen Catherine O'Hagan who died on 3rd June 2025.*

*Our love & prayers for Maureen & her family.
May she rest in peace with her Heavenly Father.*

NEW

Notices from Auckland Diocese

Kia ora katoa, Trinity can be a slightly complicated concept to get our heads around. But we are invited this week to reflect not only on who God is, but also on how we are called to live—in unity, in love, and in community. May we be filled with awe and gratitude for the God who is beyond us, with us, and within us.

STATE KILLS 612 VULNERABLE PATIENTS IN 2024!

Media Release 21 May 2025

In response to an Official Information Act request from Right to Life dated 5th May, the NZ Ministry of Health advised that a total of 612 vulnerable patients in New Zealand had been given a lethal injection or assisted in suicide in the year ending 31 March 2025. This was an increase of nearly 78% from the 344 patients killed in 2024. On average, this is nearly 12 patients being killed each week in New Zealand. The Ministry advised that since the introduction of the End of Life Choice Act on 7th November 2021 and up to 31 March 2025, a total of 1213 vulnerable patients have been killed, 898 in their home, 84 in a hospital, 195 in a retirement home and 36 in a hospice. The community should be concerned that an insidious culture of death is increasingly threatening the most vulnerable patients in our community.

ST PAUL'S COLLEGE 70 YEAR ANNIVERSARY

Friday, June 13th 6:00pm. You are warmly invited to celebrate the 70 year anniversary of St Paul's College. We will be celebrating Mass in the school chapel Followed by drinks and nibbles in the school auditorium Registration is not essential but would be appreciated.

To register go to <https://www.trybooking.com/nz/XCK>

WORLD YOUTH DAY AUCKLAND 2025: SIGNS OF HOPE

Saturday 2nd August 10am – 8:30pm

Calling all young people aged 13–35 (and their awesome youth leaders)!

Join over 1,500 young Catholics at Victory Convention Centre for World Youth Day Auckland 2025 - a massive, joy-filled day of faith, community, and HOPE.

Get ready for dynamic speakers, uplifting praise and worship, powerful prayer experiences, delicious (free) kai, Mass with Bishop Steve Lowe, and a huge celebration of our Catholic faith.

Follow the link for more details and to register: <https://events.humanitix.com/wydk25>

CATHOLIC NEWS IN YOUR INBOX

What's happening in the Catholic Church in New Zealand? What is Pope Leo doing and saying? What are the big stories affecting people of faith in our country?

Get Catholic headlines delivered to your inbox each Tuesday and Friday.

Sign up today at: <https://cathnewsnz.com/>

ARE YOU A CATECHIST OR VOLUNTEER IN YOUR PARISH?

All catechists, volunteers, and those who serve in their parish are welcomed to share in a day of refreshing with Dianna Fouhy and Dcn Steve Fraser as your retreat hosts.

South of the bridge parishes. \$25.00 per person. 10am to 3:30pm

Details and registration for Southern region July 5 @ 10:00am - 3:30pm

<https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/event-1/be-refreshed-1-day-retreat-south/>

Registrations essential. For further information please contact Dcn Steve on stephenf@cda.org.nz

Local and Waiuku Notices

Please keep in your prayers all our parishioners who are unwell and please let Fr Andrew know of any who may need assistance.

COFFEE MORNING

next Thursday June 19th at Glow at 10.00. All welcome.

CHOIR PRACTISE

We have choir and music practise every 2nd Saturday after the 9:30am mass. Practise covers the music to be used for the following two Sundays, it lasts about an hour, and all are welcome.

MINOR CHORDS KIDS' MUSIC AT ST ANTHONY'S

This year our Minor Chords sessions are after mass on the FIRST and FOURTH Sundays of the month. Look forward to seeing you there!

CWL KNITTING PROJECT– THANK YOU!

We would like to thank all those who have been busy knitting for the CWL project. We will be taking the knitting up to conference so will need knitting to be delivered to the church by Sunday 13th July at the latest. Please see either Josephine or Kaye.

THE ST. ANTHONY'S PRAYER CHAIN

If anyone would like to be added to the chain or would like to be prayed for, please contact Josephine Henderson at jmh@teachlit.com.

TODAY! SPECIAL MORNING TEA

We are having an extra special morning tea today following Mass to thank Father Andrew for his time as Parish Priest here in Waiuku. Please join us for delicious food and great company.

COMBINED CHURCH SERVICE

Dear friends, we warmly invite your church community to join us for a Combined Church Service on Sunday, 29 June at 6pm at St Andrew's Centre to celebrate and affirm our unity in Christ.

This special service is based on the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity resources.

Although this is usually observed earlier in June, we felt it would be meaningful to come together at the end of the month in a shared act of worship.

<https://www.oikoumene.org/resources/documents/resources-for-the-week-of-prayer-for-christian-unity-2025>

We encourage each church to engage with the Week of Prayer materials in ways that best suit your context—whether through daily reflections, incorporating prayers into regular worship, or holding your own gatherings. Then, let us join as one body to celebrate our shared faith and hope.

ARE YOU ENGAGED OR PLANNING A WEDDING?

Catholic Diocese of Auckland Approved Marriage Preparation course.

Book your course early, one year for NZ and 18 months for overseas weddings.

Register here <https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/discipleship/our-courses/>