

## Te Whetu O Te Moana /Star of the Sea Marlborough Catholic Parish

From the Sounds to the Sea, the Mountains to the Plains,  
We Are One Mission. One Parish.

Blenheim | Kaikoura | Picton | Seddon

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13th Sunday Ordinary Time

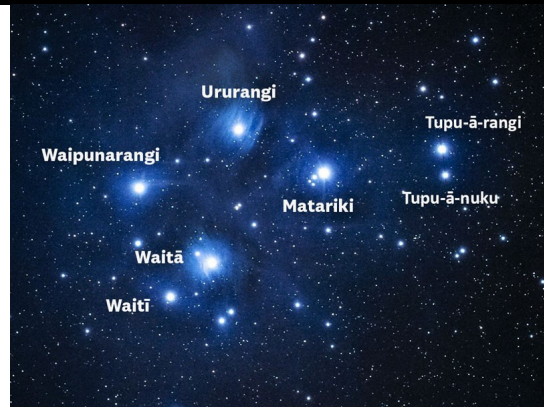
Dear Parishioners

The celebration of Matariki as a public holiday – the traditional beginning of the new year for Māori - is brand new and very welcome in the midst of winter!

Equally, its meaning is challenging. We are told that it is a time for remembering those who have passed, for celebrating family, and for celebrating the prospect of the year ahead. Every one of these threads readily fit into the living out of our faith, even if the relative newness of Matariki may challenge our own preferred ways of thinking and acting – our own traditional and cultural mindsets.

In today's gospel, with its themes of journey and whole-heartedness, Jesus teaches us how we might live out our faith and discipleship in him. Following Christ will include honouring those who have gone before us – the communion of saints; it will involve the honouring of our families of origin and the embracing of life-giving choices as we work together for the greater good. The journey that Jesus begins today is also our journey – not one plotted through a map, but an inward journey of the heart based upon the footsteps of Christ.

With every blessing in Christ  
Michael McCabe



## Parish Calendar, News & Notices

### Friday 24 June

*The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus*

### Saturday 25 June

*The Nativity of St John the Baptist*

### Monday 27 June

*St Cyril of Alexandria*

### Tuesday 28 June

*St Irenaeus*

### Wednesday 29 June

*Sts Peter & Paul, Apostles*

### Thursday 30 June

*The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church*

**Synod**—Stage one is now finished  
Thanks you to 1,500+ people who took part. The completed Wellington Diocesan Synthesis is now

available on our website.

<https://www.wn.catholic.org.nz/>

[about/archdiocesan-synod/](https://www.wn.catholic.org.nz/about/archdiocesan-synod/) This synthesis along with the five other archdiocesan Syntheses and NZ Bishops' submission will go to Rome for the Synod in 2023.

### Volunteers required for Blenheim Church cleaning rosters

We have two rosters, Dusting and Vacuuming and we need volunteers for both, please contact Ginetta at the Parrish Office.



### SVDP are seeking a donation

of 2 single beds & bases for a Mum with 2 young children. Please phone Margaret 021-02607-468

### Community Foodbanks:

Our Community Food Banks help people in need. The bins in our churches are cleared every week so donations can be made outside of the times listed.

**There is a desperate need at the moment for all non-perishable food.**

**1st Sunday @ Blenheim  
1st Sunday @ Kaikoura  
All Sundays @ Picton**

## Quote from ADW Ecology, Justice and Peace Advisor

Let no one rob us of the joy of following Jesus Christ and the courage to propose it to others as a way, truth and life. Let us conquer our fears! It is time for young people to dream and the elderly to prophesy. Let us arise now! It's time to move!

Pope Francis: [Message to Pastoral conference](#), 2017

## A Warm Welcome to Our Parish Family of Marlborough

**We are joy-filled missionary disciples: walking in Christ's light, growing in faith together, and taking the Gospel and the love of Jesus to the people of Marlborough and beyond.**

# Parish Calendar, News & Notices

## Mass & Liturgy Schedules

### Sat 25 June

Blenheim 5pm -W&C

### Sun 26 June

Seddon 8am—Mass

Picton 4pm— Mass

Kaikoura 9.30- W&C

Blenheim 10.am-Mass

### Tuesday -28 June

Blenheim 9.30am Mass

Kaikoura 9.30am W&C

### Wednesday -29 June

Picton 9.30am Mass

Kaikoura 9:30am W&C

Blenheim 12:05 W&C

Kaikoura Rosary 7pm

### Thursday - 30 June

Blenheim 9.30am Mass

Kaikoura 11am Scripture

Kaikoura 5.15pm W&C

### Friday - 1 July

Kaikoura 9.30am W&C

Blenheim 11am Exposition

Blenheim Mass 12.05pm

### Sat 2 July

Blenheim-5pm -Mass

### Sun 3 July

Seddon 8am—W&C

Blenheim 10am-W&C

Kaikoura 9.30am-Mass

Picton 9am— W&C

**Reconciliation  
Blenheim  
Friday  
11am- 12  
and available  
after weekday  
Mass or by  
Appointment.**

## Readings for 19-26 June

### Sunday 26 June

1Kings 19:16,19-21;

Galatians 5:1,13-18;

Luke 9:51-62

### Monday 27 June

Amos 2:6-10,13-16

Matt 8:18-22

### Tuesday 28 June

Amos 3:1-8,4:11-12

Matt 8:23-27

### Wednesday 29 June

Acts 12:1-11

Matt 16:13-19

### Thursday 30 June

Amos 7:10-17

Matt 9:1-8

### Friday 1 July

Amos 8:4-6,9-12

Matt 9:9-13

### Saturday 2 July

Amos 9:11-15

Matt 9:14-17

### Sunday 3 July

Isaiah 66:10-14

Galatians 6:14-18

Luke 10:1-12,17-20



*Find peace in  
God's Word*



**Remembering  
the Holy Souls—  
May they Rest  
In Peace**

Gerry Riordan

Dave Williamson

Fran Guthrie

Moirra O'Connell

Des Holden

Claire O'Halloran

Conal Cairns

Danny Foley

Steve Hadley

Glen & Louise Foley

Royden Andrell

and all our deceased

parishioners and benefactors

**Intentions please keep the  
following parishioners in  
your prayers.**



Chris Potts

Maureen Hammond

Greg Archer

Harvey Howard

Mary Norton

Liz James

**Pray for Peace in the  
Ukraine**

## Psalm 16: 11

You will show me the path of life,  
fullness of joys in your presence,  
the delights at your right hand  
forever.

## Collections:

We are most grateful for your support

### Last Week:

Total \$2,210.50

Peter's Pence \$15.00

If you would like to contribute to the running costs of the Parish. Here is our account number:

Star of the Sea

**02-0600-0154396-00**

Please contact Ginetta at the Parish Office for a giving number, or for setting up an Automatic payment.

**Ordination Anniversaries: June 29th 60th David Arms SSC.**

**July 1st 60th Roderick Milne, 17th July 65th Brian Wysocki**

## Titipounamu Study & Joy Courses;

**Matariki & the Pleiades** with

Beate Matthies

Monday, 04 July, 7-

8.30pm. ZOOM.

Koha/Donations welcome.

[https://](https://www.studyjoy.nz/2022/06/21/matariki-the-pleiades/)

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**Stories, Films & the Bible** with

Fr Kevin Waldie sm.

Friday, 08 July, 7-

8.30pm. ZOOM.

All sessions are connected but also stand alone.

Koha/Donations welcome.

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[www.studyjoy.nz](https://www.studyjoy.nz)

## Te Ara a Maria Mary's Way



**The Icon will be here at  
St Mary's Blenheim from  
Saturday 30 July to  
Tuesday 2nd August.  
Details to follow**

**Parish Priest: Fr Michael McCabe—** ParishPriest@staroftheseamarlb.co.nz

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**Parish Pastoral Council Chair: Blair McLean Finance Committee Chair: Tom Harrison**