

## 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.

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Newsletter 29—14 August 2022

### Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Dear Parishioners

As Mother of Jesus and Mother of the Church Mary is our reason for hope.

We were blessed to have the Icon of Mary's Assumption with us recently and to pray before this beautifully fresh image of her.

Perhaps this has opened up fresh ways of understanding Mary's role in our lives?

Perhaps we feel an even greater closeness with her because of this Icon?

Perhaps we have rediscovered the rosary as a prayer reminding us of Mary's role in giving flesh to the Word of God in our lives?

The Lord is with Mary and the Lord is with us – let us stay close to her and commend our parish and loved ones to her maternal heart.

Michael McCabe

## Parish Calendar, News & Notices

**Friday 12 August** *St Jane Frances de Chantal*

**Saturday 13 August** *Sts Ponitian & Hippolytus*

**Sunday 14 August**— Patronal Feast Day for NZ  
**Kaikoura School Sunday Mass** 9.30

**St Mary of the Angels, Wellington** Celebrating the Dedication of St Mary of the Angels as the National Shrine of Mary Mother of God, Assumed into Heaven 2.00pm

**Monday 15 August** *Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

**Tuesday 16 August**—*St Stephen of Hungary*

**Wednesday 17 August**

Women's Friendship Group Coffee morning at CBD Café 10am



**Friday 19 August**—*St John Eudes*

**Saturday 20 August**—*St Bernard*



### **Ministers of Communion to the sick**

Thank you to Judith Kerridge for all the years of service as organiser for the Ministers of Communion to the Sick. The new contact person is Mary Tolan or contact the parish office.

### **NOSTALIGIA QUIZ NIGHT**

**17th September 6.30pm**, St Marys Community Centre, \$10—come dressed up in nostalgia theme, and join in this fun night, with proceeds going to our youth ministry! Quiz, live auction, spot prizes, supper provided, BYO, book a table of up to 8 ppl or just come along and join a table. Tickets on sale after Mass or contact Mieke Davies 0223918584



### **Quote from ADW Ecology, Justice and Peace Advisor**

The door of God's mercy is narrow but is always open to everyone! A narrow door to restrain our pride and our fear; a door open wide because God welcomes us without distinction.

Pope Francis: [Angelus 21 Aug 2016](#)

### **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 13 August

Blenheim 5pm –Mass

### Sun 14 August

Seddon **8am—W&C**

Kaikoura 9.30– **Mass**

Blenheim **10.am-W&C**

Picton **9am— W&C**

### Monday 15 August Feast of the Assumption

Blenheim 9.30am W&C

Kaikoura 11am Mass—Requiem for Paul Harnett

### Tuesday –16 August

Blenheim 9.30am Mass

Kaikoura 9.30am W&C

### Wednesday –17 August

Picton 9.30am Mass

Kaikoura 9:30am W&C

Blenheim 12:05 W&C

Kaikoura Rosary 7pm

### Thursday – 18 August

**Blenheim 11am Mass School Hall  
Everyone welcome**

Kaikoura 11am Scripture

Kaikoura 5.15pm W&C

### Friday – 19 August

Kaikoura 9.30am W&C

Blenheim 11am Exposition

Blenheim 12.05pm Mass

### Sat 20 August

Blenheim 5pm –**W&C**

### Sun 21 August

Seddon **8am—Mass**

Kaikoura 9.30– **W&C**

Blenheim **10.am-Mass**

Picton **4pm— Mass**

**Reconciliation  
Blenheim  
Friday  
11am– 12pm**

## Office Manager position at Holy

Cross Seminary in Ponsonby Auckland. Applications to [secretariat@nzcbc.org.nz](mailto:secretariat@nzcbc.org.nz) by 22 August. More details available at

<https://www.seek.co.nz/job/58017032>

## Readings for 14 August –21 August

### Sunday 14 August

Jeremiah 38:46,8-10

Hebrews 12:1-4

Luke 13:49-53

### Monday 15 Aug

Apoc 11:19;12:1-6,10

1Corinthians 15:20-26

Luke 1:39-56

### Tuesday 16 August

Ezekiel 28:1-10

Matt 19:22:23-30

### Wednesday 17 August

Ezekiel 34:1-11

Matt 20:1-16

### Thursday 18 August

Ezekiel 36:23-28

Matt 22:1-14

### Friday 19 August

Ezekiel 37:1-14

Matt 22:34-40

### Saturday 20 August

Ezekiel 43:1-7

Matt 23:1-12

### Sunday 21 August

Isaiah 66:18-21

Hebrews 12:5-7,11-12

Luke 13:22-30

**Find peace in  
God's Word**



## Collections:

We are most grateful for your support

**Last Week:** Total : \$3,346.96

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

Star of the Sea Parish  
**02-0600-0154396-00**

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



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

Paul Harnett  
Hariata Manawatu  
Margaret Hassan  
Elva Tombs  
Monica & Bruno Dalliessi  
Terry Lacey  
Graeme Jarvis  
Mary O'Connor  
Kath Holden  
and all our deceased parishioners and benefactors

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

Margaret Haines  
Sr Frances Anna smsm  
Arlo Eygenraam  
Charlotte Cagney  
Chris Potts  
Harvey Howard  
Michelle Parkin  
Liz James  
Margaret Fairhall  
Suzanne Jeffries

## Pray for Peace in the Ukraine



The Catholic Agency for Justice, Peace & Development

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## Work With Us



Caritas is seeking a Wellington-based Head of Programmes to lead and manage the Programmes Team. For more details:

<https://www.seek.co.nz/job/57927367?>

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## Titiponamu Study & Joy Courses

**Mary of Nazareth** with Prof Thomas O'Loughlin and Kieran Fenn fms.

Monday, 22 August, 7-8.30pm. ZOOM. Koha/Donations welcome.

<https://www.studyjoy.nz/events/mary-of-nazareth/>

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