

## 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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### Newsletter 30—21 August 2022

#### 21st Sunday Ordinary Time

Dear Parishioners

Attached to the newsletter is the annual financial statement for Star of the Sea Parish. Our sincere thanks to you all for your generous support of the parish in what has been a very challenging year for families and parish alike. My thanks also to members of the Parish Finance Committee for their wisdom and stewardship of the parish resources. They met this week as did the Steering Group, Youth Trustees, and St Vincent de Paul conference. Our parish council meets this coming week on Tuesday – all these groups help to strengthen the living out of our parish vision and help us make connections between our Sunday Eucharist and the needs of our community.

I will be away from the Parish on annual leave during September and am grateful to Father Julian Wagg for helping to take care of the parish during my absence.

Let us continue to pray for each other. Sincerely

Michael McCabe

### Parish Calendar, News & Notices

**Monday 22 August**—*The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

**Tuesday 23 August**—*St Rose of Lima*

**Wednesday 24 August**—*St Bartholomew Apostle*

**Thursday 25 August**—*St Louis, St Joseph Calasanz*

**Saturday 27 August**—*St Monica*

#### **Nostalgia Quiz Night**

**17th September** 6.30pm—St Mary's 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 and 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



Sisters Frances Anna and Maureen send grateful thanks for all the love, prayers and support at this time. God bless you all

#### **National Synod Document**

Parishes and dioceses around the country took part in the local phase of Pope Francis's synodal path to the Church's future, which will culminate in an Assembly of the Synod of Bishops in Rome in October next year. The NZ bishops have just published the National Synod synthesis document that emerged from the diocesan phase of the process and the national hui held in Wellington in June. The national document has been sent to Rome as one of the many such documents from around the Catholic world as part of the Synod process.

A copy of the National Synod document is attached. The document, a summary of its contents, and an outline of the Synod process are online here: <https://www.catholic.org.nz/news/media-releases/nz-synod-synthesis/>

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

*Do I believe that to love is to reign, and to serve is power? That the purpose of my life is Heaven, paradise? Or am I concerned only with worldly, material things?" Pope Francis, [Angelus 15 August 2022.](#)*

### **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 20 August

Blenheim 5pm -W&C

### Sun 21 August

Seddon 8am—Mass  
Kaikoura 9.30— W&C  
Blenheim 10.am—Mass  
Picton 4pm— Mass

### Tuesday –23 August

Blenheim 9.30am Mass  
Kaikoura 9.30am W&C

### Wednesday –24 August

Picton 9.30am Mass  
Kaikoura 9:30am W&C  
Blenheim 12:05 W&C  
Kaikoura Rosary 7pm

### Thursday – 25 August

Blenheim 9.30am Mass  
Kaikoura 11am Scripture  
Kaikoura 5.15pm W&C

### Friday – 26 August

Kaikoura 9.30am W&C  
Blenheim 11am Exposition  
Blenheim 12.05pm W&C

### Sat 27 August

Blenheim 5pm -W&C

### Sun 28 August

Seddon 8am—W&C  
Kaikoura 9.30— Mass  
Blenheim 10.am-W&C  
Picton 9am— W&C



Family with 3 young children are looking for a house to rent. Please contact Joe 0223849404

## Catholic Social Services Wellington

is seeking a Creative Social Worker to join the team. For more info email: reception@wn-catholicsocialservices.org.nz or phone 04-385-8642 Application close 3pm Friday 30 September 2022.

## Readings for 21 August –28 August

### Sunday 21 August

Isaiah 66:18-21  
Hebrews 12:5-7,11-12  
Luke 13:22-30

### Monday 22 August

2Thess. 1:1-5,11-12  
Matt 23:13-22

### Tuesday 23 August

2Thess. 2:1-3,14-17  
Matt 23:23-26

### Wednesday 24 August

Apocalypse 21:9-14  
John 1:45-51

### Thursday 25 August

1Corinthians 1:1-9  
Matt 24:42-51

### Friday 26 August

1Corinthians 1:17-25  
Matt 25:1-13

### Saturday 27 August

1Corinthians 1:26-31  
Matt 25:14-30

### Sunday 28 August

Ecclesiasticus 3:17-20,28-29  
Hebrews 12:18-19,22-24  
Luke 14:1,7-14

## Find peace in God's Word



## Collections:

We are most grateful for your support

**Last Week:** Total :\$2,487.04  
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  
Gerry Riordon  
Kath Holden  
Chris Fredericks  
Pat Drummond  
Joan Southby  
Ellen Gallagher  
Noel Spencer  
Terry Mulvena  
Joan Brown  
Joy Mulvena  
Cecylia Stavic  
and all our deceased parishioners and benefactors

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

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

## Pray for Peace in the Ukraine

## The Society of Mary New Zealand

### Vocations Weekend

30 Sept—2 Oct  
for young Men 18 –35

Marist Seminary Ponsonby  
Auckland

Contact Fr Pat Email:  
vocations@smnz.org.nz

Text: 02102578466

\*\*\*New Date

## Titiponamu Study & Joy Courses

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

Marian Dogmas Monday, 22 August, 7-8.30pm. Zoom  
Mary of Nazareth her sacred life & her human life—Monday 29th August 7-8.30pm Zoom  
Koha/Donations welcome. <https://www.studyjoy.nz/events/mary-of-nazareth/>  
For more info and registration: info@studyjoy.nz

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

**Past Assist: Sr Maureen Connor SMSM —** maureensmsm@yahoo.co.nz — 03 319 5385

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**Manager/Secretary: Ginetta Petersen—** office@staroftheseamarlb.co.nz—03 578 0038

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