

## 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.

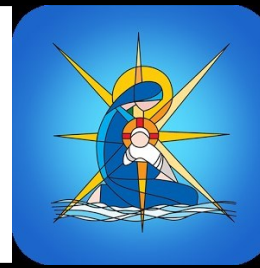
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### Newsletter 32, 1st September 2024 22nd Sunday of Ordinary Time



This weekend several children from around the parish will be confirmed by Archbishop Paul Martin SM.

On Saturday at 5pm Mass at St Mary's the following children will be presented:

Kenshin Campo, Janella Cruz, Hashen Dabarera, Malachi Davies, Antonio Dos Santos, Jessica Jackson, Hayley Jackson, Nazario Laffey, Benjamin Mitchell, Gideon Narayan, Karotu Taraua, Mia Watson, Emma Webster.

On Sunday at 9.30am Mass in Kaikoura the following will be presented:  
Stella Milligan, Tamaroa Ngapora.



The parish welcomes Archbishop Paul Martin and we thank him for giving his time to us this weekend.

### Parish Calendar, News & Notices

**Sunday September 8th**, feast of the Nativity of Mary or the Immaculate Conception is the designated day we were assigned by Cardinal John Dew as the religious feast day for Star of the Sea Parish. Please bring a plate of finger food to share after the 10am Liturgy and enjoy a cuppa with your fellow parishioners.



**HMS Pinafore** by Gilbert and Sullivan is a comic opera presented in concert by Blenheim Choral and the Marlborough Civic Orchestra.

Experience the sharp, satirical humour that only Gilbert and Sullivan can deliver. Up to 100 performers on stage.

You will be guided on your voyage with a witty narration as you get to know the various characters of the ship and the amusing situations in which they find themselves.

This production is perfect for audiences of all ages. Bring your family and friends and enjoy a night of wholesome entertainment together.

Sat 7 Sep 2024 7:30PM - 9:30PM

Sun 8 Sep 2024 2:00PM - 4:00PM

**Yamaha grand piano** to give away to a good home. Please contact Pamela Jacobstein via email at [pamelajacobstein1@gmail.com](mailto:pamelajacobstein1@gmail.com)



**Adoration:** given the interest in Adoration, we are trialing having this on a regular basis, starting with once a month, on the first Sunday, in the Mercy Chapel between 11.30am and 2pm. The next day will be on 1st September.



**Wellspring Formation Retreat:** 18-20 Oct. St Mary's church. Hosted by St Mary's youth ministry. Keynote speaker Brendan Malone of [lifenet.co.nz](http://lifenet.co.nz). Check details on poster in foyer. Prayer, adoration, reconciliation, worship, thought-provoking sessions for adults and teens. This awesome weekend will fill your spiritual cup! Please join us! \$20 adults, \$10 teens (or just the koha you can afford). Invite any interested friends outside of the parish as well.

Register with Mieke or Maurice after Mass, or contact them on 0223918584.

**Antioch Teen Camp:** 27-29 Sept. Woodend, Chch. \$135 . for school years 9-13. Info & register at <https://cyt.org.nz/what-we-offer/events/antioch/> and talk to Maurice Davies (youth coordinator) 0223918584 about help with transport and help with camp fee. We already have a small group headed down there! Thanks.

### 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

### 22nd Sun of Ord

#### Sat 31 August

Blenheim -5pm **Mass and Confirmation**

#### Sun 1st September

Seddon 8am - **W&C**  
 Picton- 9.30am **W&C**  
 Kaikoura 9.30am- **Mass and Confirmation**

Blenheim 10am - **W&C**

#### Tuesday-3rd September

Blenheim 9.30am **Mass**  
 Kaikoura 9.30am **W&C**

#### Wednesday-4th Sept

Picton 9.30am **Mass**  
 then Reconciliation  
 Kaikoura 9:30am **W&C**  
 Blenheim 12.05pm **W&C**  
 Kaikoura 7pm Rosary

#### Thursday - 5th Sept

Blenheim 9.30am **Mass**  
 Kaikoura 9.30am **W&C**  
 Kaikoura 11am Scripture

#### Friday-6th Sept

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

### 23rd Sun of Ord- Social Justice Week

#### Sat 7th September

Blenheim 5pm -**Mass**

#### Sun 8th Sept- Feast Day of the Parish

Seddon- 8am **W&C**  
 Picton- 9.30am **W&C**  
 Kaikoura- 9.30am **Mass**  
 Blenheim -10am **W&C**

**Collections:** We are most grateful for your support.

#### **Last Week:**

Total: \$2416.81

Māori Pastoral Care \$122.00

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 so you can claim on your donations each year.

## Readings for:

### 1st- 8th September 2024

#### Sun 1 Sept-22nd Sun of Ord - Day of Prayer for Care of Creation

Deut 4:1-2,6-8  
 James 1:17-18,21-22,27  
 Mark7:1-8,14-15,21-23

#### Mon 2 Sept

1Cor 2:1-5  
 Luke 4:16-30

#### Tues 3 Sept-St Gregory the Great, Pope

1Cor 2:10-16  
 Luke 4:31-37

#### Wed 4 Sept-

1Cor 3:1-9  
 Luke 4:38-44

#### Thurs 5 Sept

1Cor 3:18-23  
 Luke 5:1-11

#### Fri 6 Sept

1Cor 4:1-5  
 Luke 6:1-5

#### Sat 7 Sept

1Cor 4:6-15  
 Luke 6:1-5

#### Sun 8 Sept-23rd Sun of Ord- Feast Day of our Parish

Isaiah 35:4-7  
 James 2:1-5  
 Mark 7:31-37

### *Find peace in God's Word*

The 2025 Year of Jubilee will give voice to Pope Francis' desire to foster a greater sense of global sisterhood and brotherhood, solidarity with the poor, and caring for the environment. Preparations are underway. All parishes are encouraged to become involved in this Jubilee Year. The 2024 focus for the People of God is on prayer and study. In 2025 the focus shifts to the People of God making a Pilgrimage of Hope. The NZCBC has created an informative webpage. Please visit the website <https://www.catholic.org.nz/about-us/jubilee-year-2025/> to find out more information and watch this space for opportunities to become involved in Jubilee 2025.



## Remembering the Holy souls - May they Rest In Peace

Lance Sutton— Masterton; Peb Simmons— CHCH; Michael Bulman; Ellen Smith; Drina Raemaekers; Val Price; Graeme Jarvis; Terry Lacey; Michael Smith; Gerard & Chris	Riordan, members of the Smith & Riordan family; Moran, Norah & John Costello, relatives & friends of M Hickman;  and all our deceased parishioners and benefactors.
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### Intentions: please keep these parishioners in your prayers.

Richard Booker; Rebecca Upton; Donna Lippiatt; Les McKay; Barry Butcher; Luke Clayton; Tilly van Dyke; Graeme Daines; Kath Maher; Jessica Jackson; Michael Carmody & Family; Matt & family in CHCH; Lyn Turner; Aimee Bardell; Travis Jamieson;	Maria Martin; Charlotte Cagney; Nancy Woolford-Stayner; Denise Eddowes; Terry Price; Steven Crundwell-Nlsn Lex & Mary Agnew; Peter Smith; Margaret Searle; Anne Rundle; Sophie Greening; Jocelyn Cresswell; Vince Smith; Nancy Spatz; Mary Worsley;
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### 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.**

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

Please consider donating non-perishable goods, UHT Longlife milk, rice, pasta, tinned food & cereals.



## Quote from Pope Francis

### 1st September (22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time) Season of Creation Day of Prayer for Care of Creation



"To hope and act with creation means above all to join forces; to walk together with all people of good will...to extend this harmony between human beings to creation... with responsibility for a humane and integral ecology." (*To Hope and Act with Creation' Message of His Holiness Pope Francis for the World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation 2024*)

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