## **Parish Calendar**

Blenheim-10am Mass

#### Weekend Mass Times

28th June-9th July Fr Jacob away 14th Sun Ord Time (1) Sat July 3 Blenheim-5pm Mass Sun July 4 Seddon-8am Mass Picton-9am Mass Cuppa after Mass Kaikoura-9.30 W&C Blenheim-10am Mass Shared Cuppa after Wed 7th July No 9am Mass at Picton 15th Sun Ord Time (2) Sat July 10 Blenheim-5pm Mass Sun July 11 Seddon-8am W&C Picton-9am Mass Cuppa after Mass Kaikoura-9.30 Mass Blenheim-10am W&C 16th Sun Ord Time (3) Sat July 17 Blenheim-5pm Mass Sun July 18 Seddon-8am Mass Picton-9am W&C Kaikoura-9.30 Mass

Psalm:

17th Sun Ord Time (4) Sat June 26 Blenheim-5pm Mass Sun June 27 Seddon-8am Mass Picton-9am Mass Kaikoura-9.30 W&C Blenheim-10am Mass WEEKDAY MASSES Blenheim Tues, Thurs & Sat: 9.30 Mass Except 1st Thurs: Bethsaida 10.45 Wed & Fri: 12.05 Mass Wed: Scriptural Rosary:

5.30pm Ph: 572 9067 or 5782507 for venue Fri: 11am Adoration 11.30am Reconciliation Sat: Reconciliation after 9.30am Mass

Weekly 27 Burleigh Rd. Flame of Love Rosarv Praver group, Contact Belinda Bryce 0220123315

Kaikoura Tues, Wed & Fri: 9.30 Thurs: 5.15

Readings for 14th Week of Ordinary Time

Sun 4th July Ezekiel 2:2-5 2Cor 12:7-10 Mark 6:1-6 Our eyes are fixed on the Lord, pleading for his mercy Mon 5 July Gen 28: 10-22 Matt 9:18-26 St Anthony Zaccaria Tues 6 July Gen 32:23-33 Matt 9:18-26 St Maria Goretti Gen 41:55-42:24 Wed 7 July Matt 10:1-7 Thus 8 July Gen 44:18-29 Matt 10:7-15 Fri 9 July Gen 46:1-7,28-30 Matt 10:16-23

Gen 49:29-33;50:15-25 Matt 10: 24-23 Blessed Virgin Mary Sat 10 July Readings for 14th Sunday of Ordinary Time **Sun 11th July** Amos 7:12-15

Eph 1:3-14 Mark 6:7-13 Sea Sunday – Day of Prayer for Seafarers

Let Us Remember in our Prayers and at Mass: Recently Deceased: Hilton Williams	COLLECTIONS: We are most grateful for your support of our Parish of Star Of The Sea. Last week:		
(Timaru), Margaret Marker, Kitty Collier, Richard Carroll. Anniversaries:	AP's: Envelopes: Cash	\$ 2,341.35 \$ 646.14 \$ 604.50	
<b>Other Intentions:</b> Peter Phillips, Ruth Fili, Gerry Riordan, Br Leo Harnett, George Cheesman, Paula Schreuder, Patria Pahila, Joan Golding	Peter's Pence	\$ 430.00	6

Wed: 7pm Rosary **Thurs:** 11am Scripture grp

## Picton

Wed: 9.00 Mass Adoration & Reconciliation: 9.30-10.30am Thurs: Adoration 4.00-5.00pm Fri: 7.30pm Rosary -24 York Street

### 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

Parish Office: 61 Maxwell Road, Blenheim T. 03 578 0038 EM. office@staroftheseamarlb.co.nz FB. Star of the Sea Marlborough (392 followers)

## **A Warm Welcome** to Our Parish Family of Marlborough

We, the people of Te Whetu O Te Moana, Star of the Sea Parish, are committed by our baptism in Christ, to share our living faith, and make God visible, in joyful union with all people, by our actions in the community. (Parish Mission Statement)

Parish Priest: Fr Giltus Mathias CP Mar. Gerry Burns Priest in Charge: Jacob Kuman iacob.kuman@passionists.com Past Assist: Sr Maureen Connor SMSM maureensmsm@yahoo.co.nz 03 319 5385 Past Assist: Sr Frances Anna SMSM franciesmsm@gmail.com Manager/Secretary: Ginetta Petersen Youth Ministers: Maurice & Mieke Davies stmarysyouthgroup@xtra.co.nz 022 391 8584 Parish Pastoral Council Chair: Greg Stretch Finance Committee Chair: Tom Harrison

### Newsletter 22 4th Julv2021 14th Sunday of ordinary Time

Dear parishioners

Last weekend the final Mass at Sacred Heart church, Havelock was celebrated. A good congregation gathered, including people from other parts of the parish. We did what we usually do at Sunday Mass: praved, sang, reflected on the Word, savoured the Eucharist. We honoured Kath Maher for her long service to the parish.

Then we took the major sacred liturgical objects - lectionary, missal, candles, bell, chalice, ciborium – and processed these from the sanctuary. To conclude there was a commemorative lunch at a local eatery and much animated conversation. There was sadness at this moment in the history of the Church in the area but there was also a quiet strength of faith, a resourceful, enduring faith.

At the final Mass were connections of some of the first Catholic families of the Marlborough area, including Archbishop Redwood who blessed the church at its 1924 opening. Redwood commented at the time that it was the first church (in his then almost 50 years as bishop) he had opened debt-free. Debt-free because of the generosity of a parishioner who had set aside money in his will for the purpose of a church – Mr John Fitzpatrick.

Our Lady Star of the Sea parish is working its way through various challenges – buildings, adult education, sacramental preparation, witness of service and prayer, care of the sick, common purpose, etc. Are these tougher than what was faced by those early Catholic families who came to Marlborough?

John Fitzpatrick, trusting in God, wanted to provide for the future of the faith and invested for it. In our time who among us will invest time, talent or treasure for the faith development of this parish. As we mark the stars of Matariki, let us honour in deeds the one who is Star of the Sea.

Msgr. Gerry Burns



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On Wednesday, 14<sup>th</sup> July all are invited to a Jubilee Mass of Thanksgiving for Priestly Anniversaries . It will be held at St Patrick's Church, Kilbirnie at 11am.

This years' celebrations with include 2020 and 2021 anniversaries as Convid-19 meant there was no Jubilee Mass last year.

Those with milestone anniversaries this year are:

65 Years Fr John Rea SM (2020) 60 vears Monsignor Charles Cooper, Fr Des Darby (2020), Fr Frank Twiss SM, Fr Frank Whitaker, Fr Petelo Mauga (2020)

50 years Fr Ede Condra, Fr Maurice Carmody (2020), Fr Pat McIndoe CP, Fr Arthur Toothill SM, Fr John Joliffe SM (2021)

25 years

Fr Colin Durning, Fr Joe Savesi SM (2021) Cardinal John Dew (consecration as bishop 2020)

# **Parish Calendar, News & Notices**

a family member housebound or in hospital and would like a priest to visit nating to a church in Samoa? Please or someone to take Communion, please contact the Parish Office or Judith Kerridge 578 6209

Parish Stall: David Marwick has pro-

cured a variety of items that would be

lovely gifts for relatives going through

the sacramental programme around

the country and is open after each

weekend mass or by arrangement

with the Parish Office during the

**Communion to the Sick:** If you have **Do you have a large inside statue** of Mary that you would consider docontact Paula Schreuder 022 422 9657 or paulaschreuder77@gmail.com

### Praver for the Beatification of Venerable Suzanne Aubert

Lord Jesus Christ, you taught us that as often as we show compassion to the least of your brothers and sisters, we show it to you. Hear our pravers that the intercession of Venerable Suzanne Aubert, who supported the Maori people and devoted her life to



week.

"When Joseph awoke from sleep, he did as the angel of the Lord commanded him." (Pope Francis, Patris Corde)

The 150th Anniversary of the Proclamation of St Joseph as Patron of the universal Church

# Quote from ADW Ecology, Justice and Peace Advisor

Saint Joseph's work reminds us that God himself, in becoming man, did not disdain work. The loss of employment that affects so many of our brothers and sisters, and has increased as a result of the Covid-19 pandemic, should serve as a summons to review our priorities. Let us implore Saint Joseph the Worker to help us find ways to express our firm conviction that no young person, no person at all, no family should be without work.

Pope Francis: Patris Corde – Apostolic letter for the Year of St Joseph, 2021



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the poor, the sick and the underprivileged, and whom the Church has declared to be one of your true and humble followers, will be recognized in a miraculous healing by the Church and will lead to her beatification. Amen

Passionist retreats: Did you know the words SILENT and LISTEN have exactly the same letters? Passionist retreats invite you to step away from the noise and demands of life ... to just be!

### Passionist Retreats

Youth Retreat 15-18 years old Mon 19 July - Thurs 22 July cost \$110 Young Adult Retreat 19 years plus Fri 9 July - Sun 11 July cost \$140 Check it out https:// ww.youtube.com/ watch?v=zURnZTv eTc. For more info and Registering visit:

www.passionistretreats.co.nz .Call Paul 022 682 6004 for further enquires

Notices from *Titipounamu Study* & Joy Online Sessions (Evening): Online Sessions (Evening): Psalms - From the Heights of Hymns to the Lows of Laments! with Br Kieran Fenn.

Monday 05/12/19 and 26 July, 7-8.30pm, Fee: \$25/session, ZOOM, https://www.studyjoy.nz/events/ psalms-from-the-heights-of-hymns-to -the-lows-of-laments-c2-a0-3/ For more information and registration: info@studviov.nz

### **Getting married**?

An Engaged Encounter weekend builds a solid foundation for your marriage.

Remaining weekends this year are 17 & 18 July and 30 & 31 October, at the Catholic Presbytery, 301 Karori Road, Karori, Wellington.

To enrol, go to our website at www.cee-wellington.co.nz Here's what one couple said after they attended "We have grown to love each other more....we had not thought this was possible. Thanks," For information or to register contact

Simon & Kate 027 486 0700

### Parish Calendar

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#### July 1...BLN Mass, Bethsaida (10.45) (this is the parish Mass everyone is welcome)

July 4...Sounds Stewardship (5) July 6...Wairau Stewardship (7) July 13 Ginetta away July 13 –14 Priests in Watn at cleray meetings July 13..Review Group (5.30) then Parish Pastoral Council July 20.. Finance & Property (7) July 21..BHM Women's friendship grp

at local café (10)

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Aug 1...Stewardship Sounds (5) Aug 2...Stewardship Kaikoura (7) Aug 3...Wairau Stewardship (7) Aug 5..BLN Mass, Bethsaida (10.45) Aug 10., Review Group (5.30) then Parish Pastoral Council (7) Aug 17., Finance & Property Com.(7) Aug 18..BHM women's friendship grp At a local café (10)

## September

Sep 2.. BLN Mass Bethsaida (10.45) Sep 5.. Sounds Stewardship (5)

## **Community Foodbanks:**

Our Community Food Banks help people in need. This is a collaborative work of Churches, other organisations and individual people in our towns. 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.

#### Star of the Sea **Collects as follows:** 1st Sunday @ Blenheim

We Urgently Need rolled oats, spaghetti, baked beans, canned fish, flour, sugar, baby food, spreads & iams, toiletries, milk powder and other non-perishable foods. We have been given eggs so we need empty egg cartons.

> 1st Sunday @ Kaikoura All Sundays @ Picton & Havelock