# 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 24 10 July 2022 15th Sunday Ordinary Time

Dear Parishioners

On Monday we celebrated a Mass for the School children and staff of Saint Joseph's School in Kaikoura. The gospel chosen was today's well-known story of the Good Samaritan.

During the homily I was impressed with the children's recall of the gospel – their grasp of all the beautiful details and their significance was impressive.

It was five-year-old Evie who remembered the words of the Good Samaritan to the innkeeper, "Take care of him until I return."

Saint Bede, who died in 735, writes that the Good Samaritan is an image of the church which looks after those in need until the Lord returns – Evie was quoting Jesus and Saint Bede!

So how might we show mercy to others? And how might we show the same mercy to ourselves?

With every blessing in Christ Michael McCabe



# Parish Calendar, News & Notices

# Sunday 10 July

Sea Sunday— Day of Prayer for Seafarers

Monday 11 July
St Benedict

Wednesday 13 July

St Henry

Thursday 14 July

St Camillus de Lellis

Friday 15 July

St Bonaventure

Saturday 16 July

Our Lady of Mount Carmel



#### Wednesday 20 July

Ladies Friendship group Coffee morning 10am Raupo Café

#### Sunday 24th July



World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly The

theme for this year's World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly is "In old age they will still bear fruit" (Ps 92:15),

# **For Sale Church Pews**

range in price from \$175—\$350. Contact Carolyn Strongman 027-2785-811



# Te Ara a Maria Mary's Way



Here in the Parish Saturday 30 July to Tuesday 2nd August.

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

In the face of so much pain and suffering, our only course is to imitate the Good Samaritan. Any other decision would make us either one of the robbers or one of those who walked by without showing compassion for the sufferings of the man on the roadside. The parable shows us how a community n be rebuilt by men and women who identify with the vulnerability of others, who reject the creation of a society of exclusion, and act instead as neighbours, lifting up and rehabilitating the fallen for the sake of the common good. Pope Francis: <a href="Fratelli Tutti">Fratelli Tutti</a> paragraph 67, 2020

# 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 9 July

Blenheim 5pm -W&C

Sun 10 July

Seddon 8am—**Mass** 

Picton 4pm— Mass

Kaikoura 9.30- W&C

Blenheim 10.am-Mass

# Tuesday -12 July

Blenheim 9.30am W&C Kaikoura 9.30am W&C

# Wednesday -13 July

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

# Thursday - 14 July

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

# Friday — 15 July

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

#### Sat 16 July

Blenheim-5pm -**Mass** 

# Sun 17 July

Seddon 8am—W&C Blenheim 10am-W&C Kaikoura 9.30am-Mass 11am- 12 Picton 9am— W&C

Reconciliation Blenheim Friday and available after weekday Mass or by Appointment.

#### **Collections:**

We are most grateful for your support

#### Last Week:

Total \$5,735.89 Peter's Pence \$27

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:**

July 1st 60th Roderick Milne,

17th July 65th Brian Wysocki

# Readings for 10-17 July

# Sunday 10 July

Deut 30:10-14 Colossians 1:15-20 Luke 10:25-37

# Monday 11 July

Isaiah 1:11-17; Matt 10:34-11:1

# **Tuesday 12 July**

Isaiah 7:1-9; Matt 11:20-24

# Wednesday 13 July

Isaiah 10:5-7,13-16; Matt 11:25-27

# Thursday 14 July Isaiah 26:7-19

Matt 11:28-30

Friday 15 July Isaiah 38:1-6,21-22,7-8; Matt 12:1-8

# Saturday 16 July

Micah 2:1-5; Matt 12:14-21

# Sunday 17 July

Genesis 18:1-10 Colossians 1:24-28 Luke 10:38-42

#### Find peace in God's Word



# Titipounamu Study &

# **Online Sessions:**

Stories, Films & the Bible Friday 8 July 7-8pm

#### Also Muffin talk Radio

Programme recordings: for more informationwww.studyjoy.nz

#### **Wellington Catholic Social Services**

(CSS) is looking for a resourceful, persistent and energetic human to join our team to take on and develop the role of Community Facilitator. For a copy of the role description, please email: reception@wncatholicsocialservices.org.nz



# Remembering the Holy Souls-**May they Rest** In Peace

# David Roberts

Jack Monaghan (Kapiti) John Taylor (Kapiti) Fr Kevin Neal (Palmerston North)

Pat Grucshow (mother of Fr David Gruschow) Wgtn Joy O'Brien (Brisbane) Gerry Riordan

Maria Blue

Fran Guthrie

Tim Wilkes

James McElhinney Harnett, Ford, Meehan &

Rundles families Joevil Basulgan Dela Cruz

and all our deceased

parishioners and benefactors

# Intentions please keep the following parishioners in your prayers.

Karl Ventuna (Thanks giving) Arlo Eygenraam Charlotte Cagney Chris Potts Maureen Hammond Greg Archer Harvey Howard Mary Norton Liz James

Pray for Peace in the Ukraine

# Deepen your faith through study of the Word

Find out more. Register for these courses to be held at the Catholic Centre, Wellington

# SC502 Interpreting the **New Testament.**

5-6 & 26-27 August (Friday 5.30-8.30pm, Saturday 9am-4pm)

# TH502 What is Theology

30 Sept-01 Oct & 21-22 Oct (Friday 5.30-8.30pm, Saturday 9am-4pm) Enquire at office@ctc.ac.nz

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