



16th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B – 21 July 2024

Daily Mass Readings:

Sunday 21 Jer 23:1-6; Eph 2:13-18; Mk 6:30-34

Response: *The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.*

Monday 22 Song 3:1-4; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Tuesday 23 Micah 7:14-15, 18-20; Mt 12:46-50

Wednesday 24 Jer 1:1, 4-10; Mt 13:1-9

Thursday 25 2 Cor 4:7-15; Mt 20:20-28

Friday 26 Jer 3:14-17; Mt 13:18-23

Saturday 27 Jer 7:1-11; Mt 13:24-30

Weekday Masses

Tues 9.30am St Patrick's Church
Weds 9.30am St Anthony's Church
Fri 9.30am Holy Cross Church

Weekend Masses

Saturday Vigil
5.30pm St Anthony's Church, Seatoun
Sunday
8.30am Holy Cross Church, Miramar
10.30am St Patrick's Church, Kilbirnie

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Holy Trinity Parish Vision

We are a prayerful and diverse Catholic community in the Eastern suburbs of Wellington, drawing strength from one another to grow and become fully alive as missionary disciples.

' A SHEPHERD WHO CARES '

There are times when we understand instinctively that a person is very close to us, that he or she understands us and feels with us, even if few words are said. This is how Jesus was one with the people, one of them, feeling with them, seeing their needs without having to be told, also in the hidden needs, the needs of the heart. This is how Jesus feels about us. The gospel expresses this in the image of Jesus as the shepherd who cares. We are gathered here around him and entrust ourselves to him. May we learn from him to care for one another.

Fr Bill

JUBILEE MASS – thank you to those parishioners who were able to attend the Jubilee Mass on Tuesday morning at Sts Peter and Paul Church in Lower Hutt. It was appreciated very much.

HOW WELL DO WE KNOW THE DIFFERENT PARTS OF THE MASS

PART 1 - THE GATHERING RITE: Coming together, assembling, is at the heart of our Sunday worship. The reason behind each of the ritual actions of the first part of the Mass can be found in this word: gathering. The purpose of these rites is to bring us together into one body, ready to listen and break bread together.

GREETERS – In many churches today there will be someone at the door to welcome you as you arrive. We all like to be greeted and welcomed when we gather for a celebration.

USE OF WATER (this applies outside our current COVID situation at present) One of the first things we normally do is bless ourselves with holy water as we enter the church. This ritual is a reminder of our Baptism. We were baptized with water and signed with the cross.

GENUFLECTION / BOW – In medieval Europe, it was a custom to go down on one knee (to genuflect) before a king or person of rank. This secular mark of honour gradually entered the Church and people began to genuflect to honour the altar and the presence of Christ in the tabernacle before entering the pew. Today many people express their reverence with an even older custom and make a simple bow to the altar before entering their place.

POSTURE, SONG - When we have been welcomed and the mass begins everyone (that is the gathered assembly) stands. Standing is the traditional posture of the Christian at prayer: It expresses our attentiveness to the Word of God and our readiness to carry it out. Often we begin by singing together. What better way to gather than to unite our thoughts and our voices in common words, rhythm and melody.

GREETING – The priest (he is the Presider of the liturgy) invites the assembly to begin with the sign of the cross, again reminding us of our baptism.

PENITENTIAL RITE, GLORIA - All the other ritual acts of this first part of the Mass are intended to gather us together into a worshipping assembly. Sometimes we are asked to pause and recall our common need for salvation (Penitential Rite). The Gloria is sung and it is a hymn of praise and petition to God. It praises God and signals the festivity of the day. The Gloria has been a part of the Mass since about the 6th Century.

COLLECT – it is also known as the OPENING PRAYER. It begins by calling the assembly to quiet prayer. After a few moments of silence he will collect our intentions into one prayer to which we all respond " Amen " a Hebrew word for ' So be it '.

Notices from Titipounamu Study & Joy Elijah - Prophet of Fire with Beate Matthies Repeat of the successful presentation about the Prophet Elijah, his life, works and his connection to fire. Monday, 22 July 2024, 7-8.30pm (Zoom). Koha <https://www.studyjoy.nz/events/elijah-prophet-of-fire-2/> Shining the Light - Women who changed the course of the biblical narrative with Debbie Miller Sunday, 28 July 2024, 5-6pm (Zoom). Fee: \$20.

<https://www.studyjoy.nz/events/shining-the-light-women-in-the-bible/> For more information: www.studyjoy.nz

Portraying the Invisible God: How Early Christian Artists Depicted Christ **Tuesday 23rd July 7 – 9pm** Public Lecture, All Saints Church, 90 Hamilton Rd, Haitaitai. Wellington. [REGISTER HERE >>](#)

Everybody is welcome to join in Prayer for Wellington on **Saturday 27th July between 1:00 and 3:30pm** at the Sacred Heart Cathedral, Hill Street. Afternoon tea to follow. Hosted by Current of Grace Wellington. Contact: Josephine Olsen josie_olsen5@hotmail.com

Only a few days left so remember to make the **'Prayer for Wellington'** your go-to event this coming Saturday 27th July between 1:00 and 3:30pm at the Sacred Heart Cathedral, Hill Street. Everybody is welcome. Afternoon tea to follow. Hosted by Current of Grace Wellington. Any queries? Contact Josephine Olsen josie_olsen5@hotmail.com or mobile 027 367 4453

IGNATIAN RETREAT IN DAILY LIFE 'Inner Peace in Divine Love'

Christian Life Community Wellington invites you to an Ignatian First Spiritual Exercise retreat in daily life based on a programme developed by Australian Michael Hansen SJ. Participants meet weekly in guided small groups to pray and share their experience of prayer. The programme supports self-directed prayer at home during each week.

The retreat is open to all and will be held at Cardinal McKeefry School, 66 Albemarle Road, Wilton, Wellington, over five Sunday afternoons from 1:30pm - 3:30pm – 28 July, 4,11,18, 25 August 2024.

Meeting by Zoom at these times is another option available. The cost of the retreat is \$55, and the cost of the book if required is \$30. Sponsorship is available if the cost would prevent you from attending. To register or for further information contact Sarah Dench on 021 0814 4424 or email christianlifecommunitywqtn@gmail.com

Wednesday 31 July & Wednesday 7 August Seasons for Growth Parent Program: Supporting your child following separation and divorce. An upcoming educational, evidence-based parent program designed to support you and your child through the challenging times following separation and divorce. For just \$25, which covers the cost of the journal, parents will have the opportunity to better understand the experiences of separation and divorce from your child's perspective. The program includes essential insights into understanding children's reactions, effective ways to help your child, improved communication strategies, and important methods for self-care during this period. Don't miss this chance to receive expert guidance and support. To register, contact Jess at Catholic Social Services seasons@wn.catholic.org.nz or call 021 374 405. Registrations close Monday 29th July.

Wednesday 31 July (every Wednesday for 8 weeks) Game On! Parenting Course for Dads. Our highly regarded parenting course for dads, run by dads starts next in Upper Hutt. The course looks at what our kids need, our role as Dads, communication, discipline and boundary setting, and more. The course is co-facilitated by two dads with a mixture of prepared content, "role modelling" and some group work. Facilitators are trained counsellors, social workers, and trained volunteers. Starts Wednesday 31 July for 8 weeks, 6.30pm – 8.30pm, Family Works 4 Exchange Street Upper Hutt. Contact reception@wn.catholic.org.nz or phone Francis 021 0887 4824 for more information.

HOPE and ACT with CREATION The Integral Ecology Committee, Archdiocese of Wellington Ecology, Justice and Peace Commission are hosting A Season of Creation Workshop to animate Care for our Common Home in our communities **Tuesday 6th August** St Peter & Pauls, 60 Knights road, Lower Hutt from 6.45pm to 9pm or **Saturday 10th August** at Our Lad of Kapiti, 1 Presentation Way, Paraparaumu from 9.45am – midday. Please register d.meskill@wn-catholicocialservices.org.nz

Put this date in your diary. **Men's One-Day Retreat at Home of Compassion, Island Bay on Saturday 17th August 8:30am to 5pm.** Theme: 'Hear then what God is asking you. Only this...' Retreat leader: Brendan Woodnutt, Christchurch Want to know more? Ring Steve Ready 027-356-9555 email: joshua.wgtn@gmail.com

"Te Kupenga Catholic Theological College is holding its fifth lecture in the series, A Taste of Theology. Topic is titled "What is Philosophy? A short introduction to the fascinations and frustrations of philosophical questioning". Speaker is Rev Dr John Owens, sm, on Tuesday, 06 August 2024 from 5:30-6:30pm on Zoom. For a fee of \$60 you get access to all 9 courses in this lecture series and join the remaining live sessions. Go to www.tekupenga.ac.nz/tasteoftheology to register."

Monday 12 August - Tuesday 13 August Seasons for Growth Adult Companion Training. Train to become a certified Seasons for Growth Companion in the Adult Program! This professional development training enables educators and professionals to facilitate the Seasons for Growth seminar and/or small groups within their communities. Venue is St Anthony's Church, Seatoun. Cost is \$420 for training & resources. To register email Jess at seasons@wn.catholic.org.nz for an application form.

'Only a heart that does not allow itself to be taken over by hastiness is capable of being moved; that is, of not allowing itself to be caught up in itself and by things to do, and is aware of others, of their wounds, their needs. Compassion is born from contemplation. If we learn to truly rest, we become capable of true compassion; if we cultivate a contemplative outlook, we will carry out our activities without that rapacious attitude of those who want to possess and consume everything; if we stay in touch with the Lord and do not anesthetise the deepest part of ourselves, the things to do will not have the power to cause us to get winded or devour us.'

Pope Francis Angelus, 18 July 2021

Home of Compassion happenings

The Suzanne Aubert Heritage Centre and Cloister Café are open. Everyone is welcome to spend some time in our public spaces.

Cloister Café: 10:00 am – 3:00 pm, Tuesday to Friday.

Suzanne Aubert Heritage Centre: 10:00 am to 2:00 pm, Tuesday to Friday

Chapel of Our Lady of Compassion and Resting Place of Suzanne Aubert: 8:00 am – 4:00 pm, Everyday

Meditation in the Christian Tradition

Monday, 7:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Thursday 11:00 am – 12:00 pm

Venue: The Chapel of Our Lady of Compassion, 2 Rhine Street, Island Bay

Join our ancient form of contemplative prayer, deeply anchored in the teachings of the ancient Christian traditions of the Desert Fathers and Mothers. All are welcome.

Craft Gathering at the Home of Compassion

Wednesday, 12:00 pm

Venue: Suzanne Aubert Heritage Centre, 2 Rhine Street, Island Bay

Join us for our weekly craft gathering.

For more information contact ph. (04) 383-7769 or events@compassion.org.nz

Miha Māori – Māori Mass

Every Sunday, 11:00 am – 12:00 pm

Venue: The Chapel of Our Lady of Compassion, 2 Rhine Street, Island Bay, Wellington.

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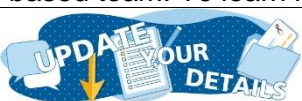
Viard House Cleaner After a very long tenure the current cleaner at Viard House in Hill Street is moving to Australia. We are looking for someone who will take up the role. Viard House is the home for our Archbishop, the Parish Priest of the Cathedral Parish, and also houses visiting priests and bishops from time to time. In addition to the normal house-cleaning duties, you would be required to prepare rooms to accommodate guests. Hotel/Motel experience would be an advantage. The role is 5 hours per week, preferably on a week day. If you are interested in hearing more about this role, please contact Jude McKee, ea-abp@wn.catholic.org.nz or call her on 021 562 096.

Vacancy: Digital Content Creator, Catholic Enquiry Centre Are you a social media superstar? The Catholic Enquiry Centre is seeking applications for the role of digital content creator. This role requires an excellent knowledge of social media platforms, outstanding design skills, and the ability to write engaging content quickly and accurately. This is a part-time (15 hours negotiable), fixed-term position (6 months) as we develop engagement across a range of social media platforms. There is space in our office in Wellington, however the role can be based remotely if necessary. For a description of the role, email the Director of the Catholic Enquiry Centre, Rebecca Taylor-Hunt, via rebecca@catholicenquiry.nz Deadline for applications: 1st August 2024.

Impact (MERL) Lead – Caritas Aotearoa New Zealand We're on the hunt for an Impact (MERL) Lead to join our team. Reporting to the Head of Programmes, the Impact Lead will provide advice, guidance, and support in Monitoring, Evaluating, Researching, and Learning (MERL) activities for a wide range of international development and humanitarian programmes across Aotearoa, Oceania, Asia and other regions of the world. The ideal applicant will hold a relevant post-graduate tertiary qualification in international development, statistics, MERL, or other related fields and have an international advisory background and strong MERL experience. To learn more or apply visit [Impact \(MERL\) Lead Job in Wellington Central, Wellington – SEEK](#).

Digital Marketing Specialist – Caritas Aotearoa New Zealand We're on the hunt for a Digital Marketing Specialist to join our team! Crafting and executing digital marketing strategies to enhance donation growth and engagement, the ideal candidate will have a minimum of 3 years of experience in digital marketing. Proficiency in SEO/SEM, ad serving tools, email marketing, social media, and digital analytics tools (i.e. Google Analytics) is also required.

Reporting to the Head of Advocacy, Marketing and Education, this role will optimise Caritas's digital channels to drive income and amplify advocacy efforts. This role offers an exciting opportunity within a close-knit Wellington-based team. To learn more or apply visit [Digital Marketing Specialist Job in Wellington – SEEK](#).



Do we have your correct details? Let us know if any of your details have changed or to add your email address to our mailing list. We want to make sure we can keep you updated as things change. If you don't have access to a computer, do we have your correct phone number? Please contact the office with your details 04 3886 953 or holytrinty.wgtn@xtra.co.nz

Masses have been offered for Patricia Gallagher (anniv), Dick Uy (anniv), Maria Kersicla (anniv), Jo McBride (anniv), Jack O'Donnell (anniv), Nelson Potts RIP

Let us pray for all those who are unwell especially **Fr Kevin Purcell, L Paese, J Hunt, W Stevenson, W Quirke, E Wilkins, and M Mercado**. And we pray for the wonderful people who are caring for the everyday needs of the sick in our Community.

We also pray for the members of our Parish families who have died recently and those whose anniversaries occur around this time; J O'Donnell, M Burgess, M Northmore and J Seamer.

SUNDAY MASS MINISTRY ROSTER – 17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (28 JULY 2024)

2 Kg 4:42-44

Eph 4:1-6

Jn 6:1-15

Prayers of the Faithful: V Sinafoa

Counters: M Penny & G Kingston

St Anthony's Church, Seatoun

<u>Time</u>	<u>Host / Welcomers</u>	<u>Altar Servers</u>	<u>Proclaimers of the Word</u>	<u>Offertory</u>	<u>Special Ministers</u>
5.30pm			B & B Brook		L Foster M Penny C Colgate
Cleaning: Aulotu		Altar Linen: N Sharma			

Holy Cross Church, Miramar

<u>Time</u>	<u>Host / Welcomers</u>	<u>Altar Servers</u>	<u>Proclaimers of the Word</u>	<u>Offertory</u>	<u>Special Ministers</u>
8.30am	K Dreverman		P Denton V Sinafoa	Lavea Family	S Lavea D Fugle M Paasi
Altar Linen: M O'Sullivan					

St Patrick's Church, Kilbirnie

<u>Time</u>	<u>Host / Welcomers</u>	<u>Altar Servers</u>	<u>Proclaimers of the Word</u>	<u>Offertory</u>	<u>Special Ministers</u>	<u>Commentary</u>
10.30am	M Attard	Andrew Doug	A Vaka AM Vissers	Setefano Family	D Hyland I Robertson B Dodson P O'Donnell F Va'aua	P Vaka

Rita Angus Communion Friday 26 July 11am (Movie Room)