Cathedral & Hill Suburbs Pastoral Area



ST JOSEPH'S CATHEDRAL | ST FRANCIS XAVIER (Mornington ST MARY'S (Kaikorai) | ST JOSEPH'S (Brockville)

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8 October 2023 – 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year A

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SUNDAY MASS

	St Mary's Vigil: 6:00pm
SUNDAY:	St Francis Xavier: 9:00am; St Joseph's Cathedral: 10:30am; (9:00am Latin Mass; Chapel)
	St Joseph's, Brockville remains closed to the public.

WEEKDAY MASS - SEE NOTICE BELOW FOR THIS WEEK!

ST MARY'S: Tue & Fri: 9:30am; ST FRANCIS XAVIER: Wed & Thurs: 9:30am ST JOSEPH'S CATHEDRAL: Mon & Sat: 9:30am (Chapel), Wed: 5:30pm (Cathedral)

CONFESSION Cathedral: Sat 4:30-5:00pm Kaikorai: Sat 5:10-5:25pm **EXPOSITION**

Cathedral: Wed 6-6:40pm Kaikorai: Sat 4:30-5:25pm (both concluding with Benediction)

WEEKDAY MASSES THIS WEEK

Please Note: There will be No Masses in the Parishes: Monday to Friday 9-13 October Instead, <u>Mass Mon-Friday will occur 12:10pm in the Moran Chapel</u>, Octagon for the City of Dunedin

Please remember in prayer our Diocesan Priests from around NZ who will gather in Rotorua this week for the 5-yearly National Clergy Assembly.

NZ BISHOPS' 2023 ELECTION STATEMENT

The NZ Catholic Bishops have published their 2023 Election Statement, which urges the politicians elected on 14 October to focus on issues that matter to the people of the nation rather than the trivia and scandals that dominate public debate. The NZCBC election statement can be read on their website: <u>www.catholic.org.nz/</u> These will also go out with newsletter is week and be available in church foyers.

RCIA – LEARNING ABOUT ENTERING THE CHURCH

The next session will be held <u>Wednesday 18 October</u>, occurring fortnightly at **7pm** (1-hr) meeting in the Catholic Pastoral Centre (300 Rattray Street, Level 4).

CHURCH LIFE SURVEY

Bishop Michael is encouraging all parishioners to participate in the Church Life Survey, a nationwide survey of church attenders. This is a confidential opportunity for you to have your say on the life of our church and be heard by our leaders. Please take 10-15 minutes to fill out the survey between 9th and 30th October.

The survey can be accessed 3 ways:

• Via QR code on your smartphone. QR codes are posted in the church foyers.



• On your computer via the following links:

St Joseph's Cathedral: https://clsnz.org/chis96Be2rIdawic/01HBA2XSHVWERHMFZH3VQ0TZMA/en-rc St Francis Xavier, Mornington: https://clsnz.org/chis96Be2rIdawic/01HBA31DV4DYDAQM4REY3C47MD/en-rc St Mary's, Kaikorai: https://clsnz.org/chis96Be2rIdawic/01HBA2ZMNS0NYN4DRJ6T0JVGCT/en-rc

• Via paper copies available from the church foyers or from the Parish Office during office hours.

Please return completed forms to the Office or place them in the donation collection baskets during Mass.

FEAST DAYS, SOLEMNITIES & MEMORIALS

9 October – St Denis & Companions; St John Leonardi 11 October – St John XXIII: 14 October – St Callistus I

MASS FOR LIFE

Wednesday, 18 October at 5:30pm at St Joseph's Cathedral.

To be celebrated by Fr Vaughan Leslie. Followed by Adoration and Benediction.

VOICE FOR LIFE DUNEDIN – 2023 Annual General Meeting

Wednesday, 18 October, 7:30pm, Catholic Pastoral Centre, 300 Rattray Street, Dunedin. GUEST SPEAKER: Pastor Jeff Coleman "Reaching the Next Generation with the Pro-Life Message." All Welcome. Bring and Friend. The meeting will start with a cuppa and a bite to eat.

20:20 CATHOLIC QUESTIONS

20 minutes presentation, 20 minutes for questions

Why is **Prayer** important in Religious Education? Presenter - Amy Armstrong *What do we understand by prayer, and how are called to respond?*

Thursday, 19 October 6.20pm in St Patrick's Basilica (Repeated: Sunday, 22 October 10.30am – 10.50am in the Mercy Chapel)

PLEASE REMEMBER THE SOULS OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED Recent Deaths Anniversaries: Hugh Madden, Joyce Casey and Msgr. Peter Mee Requiescant in Pace

MARRIAGE PREPARATION WEEKEND: 14-15 October 2023

There is a marriage preparation course coming up on the 14th-15th October at Tirohanga Camp (214 Tirohanga Road, North Taieri). The cost is \$250 per couple (incl udes all accommodation and food). Please register by October 1st. You can register on our website at www.cdd.nz

ST PHILOMENA'S COLLEGE Ex-Pupils' Association Meeting

A Special Meeting to discuss the future of St Philomena's College Ex-Pupils' Association is being held at the Mercy Room across the carpark from St Patrick's Basilica, on Sunday 15 October at approximately midday following the 11am Mass at the Basilica. A light lunch will be provided.

THE FRIENDSHIP CLUB

Sacred Heart Home – Little Sisters of the Poor, 295 Brockville Road, Dunedin. **Every Tuesday 10:00am – 3:00pm**. Morning tea, lunch, afternoon tea and transport. Fee: Donation. To register your interest: ph. 03 476 2028 or email: <u>dt@lsppdun.co.nz</u>

PLANNED GIVING For giving by automatic payment our Parish accounts are listed below. Please insert your name and "PG" as the reference and advise the parish office name and address details for your tax receipt.

Mornington Parish:	06 0901 0054866 07
Kaikorai Parish:	06 0901 0054903 02
Brockville Parish:	06 0901 0054938 27
St Joseph's Cathedral:	06 0901 0054874 01

SEPTEMBER 2023 – SUNDAY MASS COLLECTIONS & AUTOMATIC PAYMENTS

Cathedral Parish:	5,740.90	Mornington Parish:	1,765.85
Clergy Support:	2,871.00	Clergy Support:	882.82
Total Giving:	8,611.90	Total Giving:	2,648.67
Kaikorai Parish:	1,158.90	Brockville (APs only):	120.00
Clergy Support:	579.50	Clergy Support:	60.00
Total Giving:	1,738.40	Total Giving:	180.00

DOMINICAN EX-PUPILS XMAS LUNCH

At Luna on Highgate, Saturday 11th November 12:30pm RSVP to Diane by October 25th ph. 027 258 1941

NZ CATHOLIC Oct. 8-21 issue for sale in the church foyer. Price \$4.

Some headlines for this issue: Bishop John Adams ordained in Palmerston North. General Election Bishops' Statement and Party Policies. Catholic bookstore organised in Christchurch parish. New youth hub opened in Auckland.

FAMILY LIFE CATHOLIC GIFTS

We are in the month of October, the month of the Holy Rosary and here at Family Life Catholic Gifts, we would like to celebrate this wonderful and necessary devotion, with a great sale - 20% OFF ALL ROSARIES. Our Rosaries are brought in from various countries including Italy, Portugal, Brazil and the United Kingdom.

The sale will run from 1st October to 14th October, which encompasses two Marian feast days of the Holy Rosary, October 7th and the 106th anniversary of the Miracle of the Sun at Fatima on October 13th. Visit us at our shop online at <u>catholicgifts.co.nz</u>. Proceeds from shop sales support the very important work of Family Life International in promoting Life, Faith and Family.



PROLIFE FACTS

The New Zealand abortion law changed significantly in 2020 with the passage of the Abortion Legislation Act 2020. This new law has widened the parameters for abortion significantly in New Zealand and is now one of the most liberal abortion laws in the world. For more pro-life information, contact www.voiceforife.org.nz.

SUPPORT LIFE SUNDAY 2023 TAUTOKONA TE RĂTAPU WHAKAORA



Te Kahu o te Ora A Consistent Ethic of Life

... everything is connected...

...THIS MEANS

RIGHT TO LIFE: CONSISTENTLY TREATING EVERYONE WITH UNCONDITIONAL LOVE.

> Te Hulnga o nga Pôropa Katorika o Astearon

THE NATHANIEL CENTRE

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ACTIVELY OPPOSING ALL FORMS OF PREJUDICE AND UNJUST DISCRIMINATION. ...THIS MEANS WORKING FOR WITHIN OURSELVES, OUI FAMILIES AND COMMUNITIES AND BETWEEN NATIONS.

catholic.org.nz/resources/sls2023 #everythingisconnected #hehonongangämeakatoa

PARISH MINISTRIES (for next week)

28 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	ST MARY'S 14 October 2023	ST FRANCIS XAVIER 15 October 2023	ST JOSEPH'S CATHEDRAL 15 October 2023
Ministers of Communion		Susan More	Jo Stanley, Kelly Braithwaite
Readers: 1 st and Psalm	}	Solly Joseph	School
2 nd and Gospel Acclam.	}	Ann Hassan	School
Introduction & Prayers of the Faithful	} Filipino Community Mass	Michael Jarka	
Altar Servers	Will Deerness, Nikau Walker		Sophie Waterworth, Jack Lodge, Sammy Cotter
Collections	}		School
Gifts	}	Ross O'Connell, Bill Steele	School
Children's Liturgy			
Overhead Projector	Liz Dempster	David More	R & M Alahakoon
Counter/s	Lawrence Finnerty	Gerald & Heather O'Connell	D & T Doody
Church Cleaning	Rachael Deerness	Brosnahan Family	Maria Lane (October)
Morning Tea		Chris & Julia Sullivan	
Greeters	Finau Taungapeau	Michael & Marie Morgan	Julie Dawkins
Parish Needs Co-ordinator		Susan More 476 2521	