

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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11 February 2024 – Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year B
World Day of Prayer for the Sick

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SUNDAY MASS

SATURDAY:	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

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)

ASH WEDNESDAY MASS AND SERVICE TIMES – 14 Feb

(Day of fasting & abstinence from eating meat)

9:30pm Mass: St Francis Xavier, Mornington: (School attending)

12:00pm (noon) Mass: Cathedral: (School attending)

2:00pm Ashes Service: St Mary's, Kaikorai (School attending)

5:30pm Mass: Cathedral (138th Anniversary of its dedication 1886)

PARISH PICNIC Sausage Sizzle (Hills & Cathedral)

Everyone is most welcome Sunday 25 Feb, 12 Noon after Mass to come up to the Cathedral School to enjoy some free food, drink and picnic games such as tug-of-war, sack races etc.

HELPERS NEEDED to cook sausages on the school BBQ and butter bread. Please contact the parish office if you're happy to help. Thanks for the PTFA for providing drinks and serving. Lolly scramble to finish! The event will go ahead rain hail or snow ☺

LENTEN STATIONS OF THE CROSS

These will be prayed each Friday of Lent in St Joseph's Cathedral, **5:30pm**, (excluding Good Friday). Come and prayer with Christ these final hours of his life!

MĀORI MASS

The first Miha Māori for 2024 will be celebrated **on Sunday, 11 February at 4.30pm in St Patrick's Basilica, South Dunedin**. Shared kai to follow. All are welcome. You don't need to be proficient in te reo Māori. We're all learning!

RCIA – LEARNING ABOUT ENTERING THE CHURCH

The next session will be held **Wednesday 14 Feb**, occurring fortnightly at **7pm** (1-hr) meeting in the Catholic Pastoral Centre (300 Rattray Street, Level 4)

BAPTISMAL CONGRATULATIONS to Sebastian Anton den Boon (son of Sanne, Gore) and Jacob Michael Gottard (son of Matt & Kim, Wellington) who received the sacrament at St Joseph's Cathedral, Sat 3 Feb.

FEAST DAYS, SOLEMNITIES & MEMORIALS

14 February – ASH WEDNESDAY – Day of Fast & Abstinence

17 February – The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order

DRIVING PEOPLE TO MASS – We are looking to create a list of people who would be able to offer a lift to and from Masses when the need arises due to age and/or mobility. Please contact the office if you're able to assist as required.

PARISH INSURANCES

This past weekend the proposal was made by the Diocese for parishes to consider not continuing with the present rate of insurance due to its increasing unaffordability. Instead, Parishes would save the annual premiums that would have been spent (inflation adjusted) each year as a form of self-insurance. A handout is now available about this in each church.

To aid discussion, please see below the present level of insurance and premiums which will likely increase by 27% for the next 2-years approximately. It is also important to note the rate of cover would allow in the case of fire, for new modern buildings, which would mean our gothic Cathedral would not be built like for like, and in the case of natural disaster, some are not covered for any rebuild.

Please give any feedback you have to our finance committees who are responsible for making this decision by the 20 Feb 2024.

Cathedral Finance Committee Members

Dan Doody, Hilary Henderson, Paul O'Neill Stephen Connolly & Fr Vaughan.

Mornington and Kaikorai Finance Committee Members

Adrian Kubala, Trevor Graham, Liz Dempster, Erin Barton, David More, Ross O'Connell & Fr Vaughan.

INSURANCE COVER 2023/24	Material Damage (incl. Fire Insurance)	Natural Disaster (incl. Earthquake Insurance)
CATHEDRAL PARISH Total Cover	\$19,417,014.00	\$1,929,077.00
Church St. Joseph's Cathedral	\$18,122,177.00	\$634,340.00
Contents all Cathedral Parish locations	\$990,444.00	\$990,444.00
Organ St. Joseph's Cathedral	\$304,293.00	\$304,293.00
2023 Premium \$14,475		
MORNINGTON PARISH Total Cover	\$3,632,160.00	\$3,200,846.00
Church/Social Centre St Francis Xavier	\$2,614,768.00	\$2,614,768.00
Contents All Hill Suburbs Pastoral Area	\$267,281.00	\$267,281.00
Dwelling (Tenanted) and double garage	\$617,081.00	\$317,081.00
Meeting Room and Workshop	\$133,030.00	\$1,716.00
2023 Premium \$3,148		
KAIKORAI PARISH Total Cover	\$3,566,204.00	\$1,276,317.00
Church Hall	\$977,045.00	\$22,921.00
Church St Mary's	1,079,891.00	\$44,128.00
Contents All Hill Suburbs Pastoral Area	\$267,281.00	\$267,281.00
Presbytery	\$1,241,987.00	\$941,987.00
2023 Premium \$4,442		

EDUCATION APPEAL – 11 February

Envelopes are available from the church foyers. If you wish to donate directly to the Parish bank account, please use the following details: **Particulars:** Education; **Code:** 129;

Reference: Your name. Many thanks.

PLEASE REMEMBER THE SOULS OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Recent Deaths

Ian McCadie

Anniversaries:

Ewan Brown, June Reid, Marguerite Macpherson,
Paul Stevenson and Margaret Hunter

Requiescant in Pace

BISHOPS' LENT APPEAL 2024

Donation Envelopes for the Bishops' Lent Appeal will be available next weekend. This year, Caritas are using a single giving envelope. You can give once or weekly, as is your preference. You may place your donation envelopes in the collection or send them directly to Caritas using the freepost option.

The Lenten Reflection Programme and His Holiness Pope Francis' Lenten Message can be found online here: <https://www.caritas.org.nz/lent-resources>

MORAN CHAPEL (OCTAGON) FRIDAY CONFESSIONS

Confessions are heard in the Chapel every Friday 3-3:30pm (outside of holiday time).

ST JOSEPH'S CHORISTERS

Does your child enjoy singing? We're looking for more children to sing with the St Joseph's Choristers, a small group who sing with the cathedral choir at Sunday Mass once a fortnight. All children aged between 7 and 11 are welcome to join. No previous musical experience is needed, and membership is free.

As well as learning the music sung at Mass, the Choristers learn about musical notation and how to use their voices well. We sing in a variety of musical styles and languages.

We rehearse 3.30–4.20pm on Thursdays in the cathedral chapel, and sing at Mass twice a month with a warm-up rehearsal at 10am. Please contact the Organist and Choir Director David Burchell on d.c.burchell@outlook.com / 021 135 2535 if you are interested.

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

JANUARY 2024 – SUNDAY MASS COLLECTIONS & AUTOMATIC PAYMENTS

CATHEDRAL PARISH:	\$5,302.43	MORNINGTON PARISH:	\$1,701.31
Clergy Support:	<u>2,652.67</u>	Clergy Support:	<u>850.66</u>
Total Giving:	<u>\$7,955.10</u>	Total Giving:	<u>2,551.97</u>
KAIKORAI PARISH:	1,234.30	BROCKVILLE (APs only):	163.33
Clergy Support:	<u>617.20</u>	Clergy Support:	<u>81.67</u>
Total Giving:	<u>1,851.50</u>	Total Giving:	<u>245.00</u>

ORGAN CONCERT – Christopher Hainsworth

COMING SOON: **Friday 1 March at 7.30pm at St Joseph's Cathedral, Rattray St, Dunedin:** organist Christopher Hainsworth performs a lively programme in celebration of Rossini's 56th birthday (Rossini was born on 29 Feb!). Includes some familiar music in an unfamiliar guise: Rossini's Overture to William Tell, Monti's Czardas, and Vaughan Williams' Fantasia on Greensleaves. Christopher Hainsworth is one of NZ's most entertaining organists and is touring the country on a visit home from his current position as organist of the cathedral of Beziers in France. Admission by donation: \$10-\$20 per person suggested.

WORLD MARRIAGE DAY is celebrated every second Sunday of February and is included as part of the NZCBC National Calendar. World Marriage Day honours married couples for their love and commitment to each other and their families and invites them to celebrate this day.

PARISH MINISTRIES (for next week)

<i>1st Sunday of Lent</i>	ST MARY'S 17 February 2024	ST FRANCIS XAVIER 18 February 2024	ST JOSEPH'S CATHEDRAL 18 February 2024
Ministers of Communion		Sue Kennedy	G & B Magnuson
Readers: 1st and Psalm	}	School	Julie Tuitea
2nd and Gospel Acclam.	} Filipino Community Mass	School	Julie Dawkins
Introduction & Prayers of the Faithful	}	School	
Altar Servers	Matthew Rietveld		Rihan & Rositta Richard Jack Lodge
Collections		School	Caragay Family
Gifts			June Steele, Georgina Luby
Children's Liturgy			
Overhead Projector	Adrian Kubala	Chris Sullivan	N & R Alahakoon
Counter/s	Lawrence Finnerty	Gerald & Heather O'Connell	D & T Doody
Church Cleaning	Deanne Barton	School	Tuitea Family (Feb)
Morning Tea		Jenny & Roger Kennedy	
Greeters	Emila Makasini	Ioane & Leva'ai Sefo	R & M Clark
Parish Needs Co-ordinator		Susan More 027 431 1263	