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*Kia Ora - Welcome - Mabuhay - Malo e Lelei - Talofa - Buon Giorno - Marhaba
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Bienvenido - Willkommen - bula Vinaka*

Tēnā Koutou Katoa, Welcome to the Cathedral of St. Patrick and St. Joseph, situated in downtown Auckland, at the heart of New Zealand's largest city. As the Mother Church of the Catholic Diocese of Auckland, we are blessed to welcome thousands of people each week—coming to pray, light a candle, or enjoy a moment's peace in the presence of our Lord. Whether you're visiting from another parish, joining us from overseas, or call this Cathedral your spiritual home, we are truly delighted to have you here with us.

We encourage all parishioners to participate in the life of the Church as much as possible. If you're looking for ways to get involved, please feel free to enquire with our friendly volunteers or parish office staff. We'd love to help you find a place to serve and grow in faith.

Thank you for being part of our community today, may your time in this sacred space be filled with peace and blessings.

God Bless - Fr Craig

CATHEDRAL STAFF

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SUNDAY MASSES 8 am, 11 am, 4.30 pm & 7 pm

WEEKDAYS AT THE CATHEDRAL

Mass Monday to Friday 7.00 am & 12.15 pm

SATURDAYS & PUBLIC HOLIDAYS 8.30 am

RECONCILIATION Monday to Friday 11 am to 12 pm
in the St Peter Chanel Chapel.

ADORATION Monday to Friday 11 am to 12 pm

REGULAR PRAYER GROUPS & ACTIVITIES

WCCM Christian Meditation Group (Monday)

5.30-6.30 pm, St Peter Chanel Chapel.

Weekday Rosary (Mon-Fri)

after 7 am Mass in the Cathedral,
and a coffee before work.

Fathers' Prayer Group (Wednesday)

5.30-6.30 pm Contact Michael Hart
021-965-482 or michaelh@nzchl.com

Friday Rosary all four Mysteries 5-6 pm,
St Peter Chanel Chapel.

Marian Movement of Priests (Saturday)

9 am-9.45 am, St Peter Chanel Chapel.

Contact Tina - ckoon89@gmail.com

Young Adults Group (Sunday)

For young adults between the ages of
16 and 35 years. 5.45 pm and 6.45 pm.

Contact Fr Glenn - frglen@stpatricks.org.nz

CATHEDRAL OFFICE

Tuesday to Friday 9 am – 3 pm

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* Spaces on either side of the Cathedral doors must be kept clear for the disabled.

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Wilson Car Park – Durham Lane (City Centre): Validated rate is now \$3. Validate your parking ticket inside the Cathedral, to the left of the main doors. Wait for the red light, then remove your ticket. Pay at the machine when you return to Durham Lane.

**17th Sunday of
Ordinary Time
27th July 2025**

This week's readings:

1st Reading Genesis 18: 20-32

Psalms 137: 1-3, 6-8

2nd Reading Colossians 2: 12-14

Gospel Luke 11: 1-13

Next Sunday 3rd August 2025

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading Ecc 1: 2, 2:21-23

Psalms 89: 3-6, 12-14, 17

2nd Reading Colossians 3: 1-5, 9-11

Gospel Luke 12: 13-21

Buon viaggio - safe travels 🙏🙏

We farewell **Fr Glen Lowe and Anita** as they embark on a special pilgrimage abroad, travelling to **Rome, Medjugorje, and Assisi.**

We wish them safe travels and a spiritually enriching journey.

Please keep them in your prayers for a **safe return and a fruitful pilgrimage.**

THANK YOU, ANITA

We take this opportunity to thank Anita for her 10 years of dedicated service here at the Cathedral. Her care and commitment to the sacramental life of the Cathedral and her support of our many ministries, especially during the challenging COVID years, has been a true blessing to our community. Anita is lovingly stepping aside from this role to focus on important personal commitments. We hold her in our prayers and are extremely grateful for all that she has given so generously over the years! May God continue to bless you in abundance! 🍀

Newsletter

Young Adults

CATHEDRAL YOUNG ADULTS' GROUP

For young adults between the ages of 16 and 35 years. We meet Sunday evenings 5.45 pm and 6.45 pm in the Liston Hall.
email: frglen@stpatricks.org.nz

World Youth Day Auckland 2025



📢 MASS TIME REMINDER

The first Mass time on Sunday morning is 9am.

DIOCESAN MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE

Are you getting married? Book your Marriage Preparation course **at least 6 months before your wedding date.**

www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/discipleship/our-courses/

For more information email:

marriageandfamily@cda.org.nz

Gerry: 021 0224 7442 / gerry@cda.org.nz

THE NICENE CREED

*I believe in one God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.
I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God, begotten, not
made, consubstantial with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation he
came down from heaven, (All bow)
and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the
Virgin Mary, and became man.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius
Pilate, he suffered death and was buried,
and rose again on the third day in
accordance with the Scriptures. He
ascended into heaven and is seated at the
right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the
living and the dead and his
kingdom will have no end.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord,
the giver of life, who proceeds from the
Father and the Son, who with the Father
and the Son is adored and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.
I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic
Church. I confess one baptism for the
forgiveness of sins and I look forward to
the resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come. Amen.*

SYNOD ON SYNODALITY

It is here – the Pathways to the Implementation of the Synod on Synodality – you can download it from the diocesan website <https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/synod/>
Look at for more details in the coming months.

Theology of the Body Courses

Young Adult Book Study on Dr Mary Healy's 'Men and Women are from Eden' - Wed evenings start 3 Sept 2025; Hillsborough, Auckland.
To register please visit:
theologyofthebody.nz

ALONE AGAIN ?

A weekend away to help those suffering the heartache of Separation, Divorce, or Widowhood on 5-7 September. The Beginning Experience is a non-profit organization that provides support for the grieving single again, and offers an opportunity to turn the pain of loss into an experience of positive growth. The cost for 2 nights' accommodation, meals, and materials and follow up event is \$350 with EARLY BIRD cost \$325 if paid by 30 JULY. For further information please phone Karena evenings on 021-802-352. www.beginningexperience.org.nz

VACANCY Pastoral Coordinator St Patrick & St Joseph Cathedral

The Cathedral wishes to employ a person part-time for **25 hours per week** as the parish Pastoral Coordinator. This role is to assist the Cathedral Dean to ensure that the pastoral and administrative needs of the parish are met. The role provides pastoral assistance and is responsible for the coordination of the Parish Education Programmes and assisting with Sunday Masses.

Applicants should be active Catholics able to partake in the full sacramental life of the church, with theological formation (preferred) and ministerial experience.

Good communication, planning and organisation skills are essential.

Applicants for this position must have NZ residency or a valid NZ work permit.

Please send a covering letter and your CV to the Cathedral Dean –

Fr Craig Dunford, email frcraig@stpatricks.org.nz

Applications close at 5pm 20 August 2025

Order of Service

ALL ARE WELCOME

Marty Haugen

Let us build a house where love can dwell,
and all can safely live. A place where
saints and children tell, how hearts learn
to forgive. Built of hopes and dreams and
visions, rock of faith and vault of grace
Here the love of Christ shall end divisions:

***All are welcome, all are welcome
All are welcome in this place.***

Let us build a house where prophets
speak and words are strong and true.
Where all God's children dare to seek to
dream God's reign anew. Here the cross
shall stand as witness. And a symbol of
God's grace. Here as one we claim the
faith of Jesus: ***All are welcome, all are
welcome, All are welcome in this place.***

Let us build a house where love is found
in water, wine and wheat. A banquet hall
on holy ground, where peace and justice
meet. Here the love of God, through Jesus
is revealed in time and space. As we share
in Christ the feast that frees us:
***All are welcome, all are welcome
All are welcome in this place***

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GLORY TO GOD

Tony Alonso

***Glory to God, glory to God,
glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace, on earth peace
to people of good will.***

We praise you, we bless you,
we adore you, we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly king,
O God almighty Father.

Verse 2: Cantor/Choir

Verse 3: For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord, you alone are the
Most High Jesus Christ, with the Holy
Spirit, in the Glory of God the Father.

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PSALM 137: ON THE DAY I CALLED YOU ANSWERED ME, O LORD

Mike Stanley and Jo Boyce

***Response: On the day I called,
you answered me, O Lord.
You answered me, answered me O Lord.***

I thank you Lord, with all my heart,
You have heard the words of my mouth.
Before the angels I will bless you, I will
adore you before your holy temple. - R

PSALM 137: (CONT)

I thank you for your faithfulness and love
which excel all we ever knew of you.
On the day I called, you answered; you
increased the strength of my soul. - R

The Lord is high yet he looks on the lowly
and the haughty he knows from afar.
Though I walk in the midst of affliction,
you give me life and frustrate my foes. - R

You stretch out your hand and save me,
your hand will do all things for me.
Your love, O Lord, is eternal, discard not
the work of your hands. - R

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ALLELUIA

Tony Alonso

**ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA!
ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA!**

Speak Lord, your servant is listening
You have the words of everlasting life.

**ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA!
ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA!**

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SEEK YE FIRST

Karen Lafferty

Seek ye first the kingdom of God,
and His righteousness, And all these
things shall be added unto you;
Al-le-lu, Al-le-lu-ia!

***Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia,
Al-le-lu, al-le-lu-ia!***

Ask, and it shall be given unto you;
Seek, and you shall find. Knock, and it
shall be opened unto you.
Al-le-lu, Al-le-lu-ia!

We shall not live by bread alone,
But by every word that proceeds from
the mouth of the Lord. Al-le-lu, Al-le-lu-ia!

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HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

Tony Alonso

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts.
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna, hosanna,
hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he, blessed is he who comes
in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the
highest. Hosanna in the highest,
hosanna in the highest.

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MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

Tony Alonso

When we eat this Bread
and drink this Cup,

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION (CONT)

We proclaim your Death, O Lord,
until you come again

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LAMB OF GOD

Tony Alonso

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of
the world, have mercy on us. (x2)
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of
the world, grant us peace.

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TABLE OF PLENTY

Dan Schutte

***Come to the feast of heaven and earth
Come to the table of plenty
God will provide for all that we need
Here at the table of plenty***

O come and sit at my table
Where saints and sinners are friends
I wait to welcome the lost and lonely
To share the cup of my love

O come and eat without money
Come to drink without price
My feast of gladness will feed your spirit
With faith and fullness of life

My bread will ever sustain you
Through days of sorrow and war
My wine will flow like a sea of gladness
To flood the depths of your soul

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BRING FORTH THE KINGDOM

Marty Haugen

You are salt for the earth, O people:
Salt for the Kingdom of God!
Share the flavour of life, O people:
Life in the Kingdom of God!

***Bring forth the Kingdom of mercy,
Bring forth the Kingdom of peace;
Bring forth the Kingdom of justice,
Bring forth the City of God!***

You are a light on the hill, O people:
Light for the City of God!
Shine so holy and bright, O people:
Shine for the Kingdom of God!

You are a seed of the Word, O people:
Bring forth the Kingdom of God!
Seeds of mercy and seeds of justice,
Grow in the Kingdom of God!

We are a blest and anointed people:
Signed for the Kingdom of God!
Oil to strengthen us on our journey:
Shine for the Kingdom of God!

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