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Bienvenido - Willkommen - bula Vinaka - Dobro došli - Hola!*

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

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SUNDAY MASSES 9 am, 11 am, 4.30 pm & 7 pm

WEEKDAYS 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.

Daily Rosary

after 7 am Mass in the Cathedral,
Saturdays & Public Holidays

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 Cenacle (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-6.45 pm.
Contact Fr Glenn - frglen@stpatricks.org.nz

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Tuesday to Friday 9 am – 3 pm

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The DEDICATION of the LATERAN BASILICA 9th November 2025

This week's readings:

1st Reading Ezekiel 47: 1-2, 8-9, 12

Psalm 45 2-3, 5-6, 8-9

2nd Reading 1Corinthians 3: 9-11, 16-17

Gospel John 2: 13-22

Next Sunday 16th November 2025

33rd SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

1st Reading Malachi 3: 19-20

Psalm 97 5-9

2nd Reading 2 Thessalonians 3: 7-12

Gospel Luke 21: 5-19

MONTH OF NOVEMBER

During the month of **November**, we remember and pray for all our **faithful departed**. A **Memorial Box** will be placed at the altar, and you are warmly invited to write the names of your loved ones who have passed away and place them in the box. These names will be remembered in prayer throughout the month of November.



CELEBRATION MASS OF YOUNG LEADERS SUN 7TH DEC 4:30PM MASS

This special event marks the end of our year-long journey with the young leaders of the Diocese of Auckland.

A celebration of the many ways they've served throughout 2025 and present the **Tu Kahikatea Awards**, recognising outstanding contributions to ministry. **Bishop Steve Lowe** will celebrate the Mass, present the awards, and offer a special blessing to all youth and young adult ministry leaders.

Young leaders — don't miss it!

Bring your whānau, friends, and wider faith community as we celebrate an amazing year of ministry together.

Newsletter

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ACYA PRESENTS



Sausage Sizzle
11am - 1pm
Outside Cathedral of St. Patrick and St. Joseph

CHRISTMAS STALL

Get into the Christmas spirit!

**Sunday 16th November,
after the 9am and 11am Masses.**

Come along and browse a lovely selection of **Christmas decorations** and festive items. (Cash sales preferable)

If you're available to **help with the stall**, please get in touch with the office asap - your support would be greatly appreciated!



SAVE THE DATE

In preparation for Advent and Christmas, please join us in sprucing up the Cathedral at the upcoming Labour of Love - **Many hands make light work!**



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.*

ADVENT RECONCILIATION RITE II

Join us for Reconciliation during this Advent season as we prepare our hearts for the way of the Lord!



**Wed 10 Dec 2025
7pm**

For further personal reflection

Bishop Barron: Word on Fire

<https://www.wordonfire.org/>

Fr Mike Schmidt:

Ascension App Bible in a Year

and Catechism in a Year

<https://www.youtube.com/ascensionpresents>



A Night at the Conclave WITH CARDINAL JOHN DEW

Friday, 21 November 2025 | 7.30pm
St Mary's College, St Mary's Bay



TICKETS AVAILABLE ONLINE

<https://events.humanitix.com/conclave>

Tickets \$35 Adults | \$19 Students | \$150 for a group of 10

By joining us, you'll be supporting the Cathedral of St Patrick and St Joseph, with all funds raised going towards our Mother Church.



Suggested apps to help with device usage with our children:

Paid: [AppBlock—Focus and Screen help](https://appblock.app/)
<https://appblock.app/>

Free: <https://blockerhero.com/>

Order of Service

ALLELUIA SING TO JESUS

William Chatterton Dix

Alleluia! Sing to Jesus! His the sceptre,
his the throne; Alleluia! His the triumph,
his the victory alone. Hark! The songs of
peaceful Sion thunder like a mighty flood;
"Jesus out of every nation has
redeemed us by his blood."

Alleluia! Not as orphans are we left in
sorrow now; Alleluia! He is near us, faith
believes, nor questions how. Though the
cloud from sight received Him,
when the forty days were o'er,
shall our hearts forget his promise,
"I am with you ever more"?

Alleluia! Bread of angels, and on earth our
food, our stay. Alleluia! Here the sinful
come to you from day to day. Intercessor,
friend of sinners, earth's redeemer, plead
for me, where the songs of all the sinless
sweep across the crystal sea.

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GLORIA

Mews Mass – Douglas Mews

Glory to God in the highest, and 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.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world, have
mercy on us; you take away the sins of the
world; receive our prayer; you are seated
at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.

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. Amen.

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PSALM 45

Jeff Ostrowski

**R: The waters of the river gladdened the
city of God, the holy dwelling of the
Most High!**

Cantor: *God is our refuge and our
strength, an ever-present help in distress.
Therefore, we fear not, though the earth
be shaken and mountains plunge into the
depths of the sea. -R*

Cantor: *There is a stream whose run lets
gladden the city of God, the holy
dwelling of the Most High. God is in its*

PSALM CONTD

*midst; it shall not be disturbed; God will
help it at the break of the dawn. -R*

Cantor: *The Lord of hosts is with us; our
stronghold is the God of Jacob. Come!
Behold the deeds of the Lord,
the astounding things he has
wrought on earth. -R*

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GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Celtic Alleluia – F O'Carroll & C Walker

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

Father we praise you as Lord,
All of the earth gives you worship,
For your majesty fills the heavens,
fills the earth.

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ETERNAL REST

Sisters of Mercy

Eternal rest, grant to them O Lord and let
your perpetual light shine upon them. May
they rest in peace, may they rest in peace.

TASTE AND SEE

James Moore

**Taste and see, taste and see the
goodness of the Lord. O taste and see,
taste and see the goodness of the Lord,
of the Lord.**

I will bless the Lord at all times. God's
praise shall always be on my lips, my soul
shall glory in the Lord for God has been
so good to me.

Glorify the Lord with me. Together let us
all praise God's name. I called the Lord
who answered me: from all my troubles
I was set free.

Worship the Lord at all times. You'll want
for nothing if you ask. Taste and see that
the Lord is good. In God we need put
all our trust.

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HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

Mews Mass – Douglas Mews

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

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

Mews Mass – Douglas Mews

When we eat this bread and drink this cup
we proclaim your death O Lord,
until you come again.

GREAT AMEN

Mews Mass – Douglas Mews

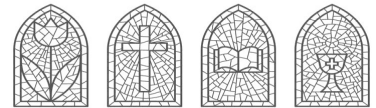
Amen, amen, amen!

LAMB OF GOD

Mews Mass – Douglas Mews

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.



BE THOU MY VISION

Mary Byrne and E Routley

Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart, be
all else but naught to me, save that thou
art, be thou my best thought in the day
and the night, both waking and sleeping,
thy presence my light.

Be though my wisdom, be thou my true
word; be thou ever with me, and I with
thee, Lord, be thou my great Father, thy
child let me be, be thou in me dwelling,
and I one with thee.

Be thou my breastplate, my sword for the
fight, be thou my whole armour, be thou
my true might, be thou my soul's shelter,
be thou my strong tower, O raise thou me
heav'n-ward, great Power of my power.

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CITY OF GOD

Dan Schutte

Awake from your slumber! Arise from
your sleep! A new day is dawning, for all
those who weep. The people in darkness
have seen a great light. The Lord of our
longing has conquered the night.

**Let us build the city of God, may our
tears be turned into dancing!
For the Lord, our light and our love,
has turned the night into day!**

We are sons of the morning, we are
children of day. The one who has loved us,
has brightened our way. The Lord of all
kindness has called us to be, a light for His
people, to set their hearts free.

God is light; in Him there is no darkness.
Let us walk in His light, His children one
and all. O comfort my people;
make gentle your words. Proclaim
to my city the day of her birth.

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