



Current of Grace Prayer Meeting

Monday 24th June at 6.30pm

Spend an evening with Our Blessed Mother and her son Jesus

Is it truth or fiction that Our Lady has been and still is appearing daily to visionaries 38 years later in a little Village called Medjugorje

Hear a testimony from a parishioner of addictions being overcome with the help of Our Blessed Mother

“Our Lady Queen of Peace, our Mother is inviting each and every one of you to come and join us for an evening with her”



On this Day of Prayer for Refugees and Migrants, we reflect on how we might better Share the Journey with refugees and migrants around the world.



Part of a message fromPope Francis

Pope Francis says.....” that the future of humankind is up to us, not just the politicians, leaders or big companies. He emphasises the need for each other. When it comes to refugees and migrants, the ‘other’ is not just a statistic or a number - the ‘other’ has a face. They are a real presence, a person of innate dignity”.

MASS TIMES

Monday 7.30 am. Tuesday 6.00 pm. Wednesday 9.30 am. Thursday 9.00 am

Friday 12.10 pm - preceded by the Angelus. Saturday 9.00 am

Saturday Vigil Mass 6.00 pm. Sunday Mass 9.00 am

Mass at Tolaga Bay 2nd Sunday 11.00 am . Mass at Tokomaru Bay 3rd Sunday 11.30 am

Mass at Matawai 4th Sunday 11.00 am Mass at Ruatoria when there is a 5th Sunday in the month 10.00 am Morning Prayer Mon-Fri 8.00 am, Sun 8.30am

Holy Hour Sun 7.00 pm Rosary for Life Fri 11.30 am

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Office: 9.30am to 12.30 pm. Monday - Friday Diocesan Website : newsletter.cdh.nz



22nd and 23rd June 2019

Sat	22 Jun	6.00 pm		Special Intention for Stuart & Lola Cross
Sun	23 Jun	9.00 am		People of the Parish and especially Refugees and Migrants
		11.00 am	Matawai	
Mon	24 Jun	7.30 am		Special Intention Pope Francis
Tues	25 Jun	6.00 pm		Special Intention our Parish Priests
Wed	26 Jun	9.30 am		
Thurs	27 Jun	9.00am		
Fri	28 Jun	11.30am	Confession	
		12.10pm		
Sat	29 Jun	9.00 am		
		9.30 am	Confession	
		6.00 pm		Charles Rau Anniversary
Sun	30 Jun	9.00 am	Children's Mass	Children of our Parish
		10.00am	Ruatoria	People of the Parish

LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING:	Genesis 14: 18-20
PSALM:	109: 1-4
	You are a priest forever in the line of Melchisedek
SECOND READING:	1 Corinthians 11: 23-26
GOSPEL	I am the living bread, the living bread from heaven; who ever eats this bread will live for ever, says the Lord
ACCLAMATION:	
GOSPEL :	Luke 9 : 11-17



We pray for our Bishop Steve Lowe. May he be blessed in his ministry with our Diocese of Hamilton.

May our Lady bless his ministry.

NEXT WEEKS READINGS - 13th Week Ordin Time

First Reading : 1 Kings 19: 16 19-21

Psalms: 15: 1-2. 5. 7-11

Second Reading : Galatians 5:1 13-18

Gospel: Luke 9: 51-62

Last Sunday's collection total est.: \$2,788.00

Monsignor Frank's Message

Dear parishioners of St. Mary Star of the Sea and all visitors,

This weekend we celebrate the Feast of the Body and Blood of Jesus. Our focus will be upon the Blessed Eucharist- giving God thanks. In the Blessed Sacrament Jesus is present- before us and within us- in an extraordinary way.

Out of love for Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament, a small group of parishioners gather in the Chapel at 7.00pm every Sunday evening, under the leadership of Deacon Mike. The Blessed Sacrament is exposed in a Monstrance on our altar until 8.00pm. During this time we pray the Evening Prayer and the Night Prayer of the Church and spend time in quiet prayer and adoration. It is a time of profound closeness with Our Blessed Lord. I sense that this hour of prayer brings great blessings upon our Parish and Schools during the coming week. Feel very welcome to join us.

It is so good to have Fr. Jack back. Welcome home!

A big Congratulations from all of the Parish to Lola and Stuart Cross on their 65th Wedding Anniversary last Saturday. We hope you have many more years of good health and grow to cherish each other ever more and more deeply.

At our Saturday evening Mass this weekend we will present to the Parish the candidates from Campion College who are part of the Sacramental Preparation Programme for this year. We will also commission the new Board of Trustees- welcoming Vicki Briant, Dion Neems, Paul Sadler and Alleyne Chater onto the Board. Staying on the Board will be Gina Holmes and Peter Renshaw alongside the Proprietor's Representatives- Bridget Armstrong, Mark McBreen and Mark Tilley. It will be a special Mass for our beloved Campion College.

Next Sunday the 9.00am Mass will be a parallel Mass for our equally loved St. Mary's School. I'll give the details next week.

Requiem Mass was celebrated on Thursday afternoon for Margaret Birtwistle. Margaret and her husband, Ted, have been loyal parishioners for many years. It was wonderful to see so many parishioners at her Mass. May she rest in peace.

Trevor Evans, who looks after our Church and Grounds so meticulously- will be avoiding the winter once again and returning home to England to visit family until mid August. We wish him a very happy time. We are looking for volunteers during this time to vacuum the Church and Parish Centre. Audrey, in the Office, will be coordinating this.
Kind Wishes, Mons Frank.

This week's featured link on the parish web site (<http://stmarysgisborne.co.nz>)

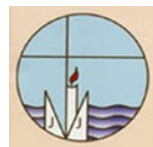
The Appeal of Cardinal Pell



Reminder from Sr. Meg
MEETING OF COMMUNITY LAY
MINISTERS OF COMMUNION
Tuesday 25th June

at the Convent 2.30 - 4.00 pm

Invitation to Ministry
in our Parish
.....refer Notice Board in foyer



Josephite Companions An invitation to come along to the Josephite Companions meeting on **Saturday 29th June at 2pm** at the Parish Centre. We will focus our meeting on the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Join us and share your time, hospitality and prayers. Contact Chris: 8676375.

Happy Anniversary!

Congratulations to Stuart and Lola Cross
on your 65th Wedding Anniversary
from us all at
Saint Mary's Star of the Sea Parish



Please Can You help us ?????

We require the assistance of a Cleaner/Caretaker while Trevor, our Caretaker is on 8 weeks leave.

If you can spare us a couple of hours a week to do general cleaning duties at a time to suit yourself (ie: vacuuming and bathroom facilities etc) we would be most grateful. We are hoping to be able to have a 'shared roster' Please see Monsignor or Audrey.... Thank you

DIOCESAN NEW WEBSITE

The Diocesan new website is now Live at
www.proudtobecatholic.co.nz - You can also access it at
www.cdh.org.nz. It will be a constant work in progress so any suggestions and feedback are very welcome