

CALLING ALL MEN

HERE I AM LORD

A Hamilton Diocese Conference
For men

Saturday May 11
9.00 a.m. – 3.30 p.m.
Catholic Church of the Holy Angels, Matamata

Bookings/ Inquiries
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Meals provided; Leader : Mike Lobo



Come join the Novena of the Divine Mercy— starts in Chapel after 3.00pm Service on Good Friday Pamphlets in foyer for info. Ends Mercy Sunday 7th April 3.00pm



Notices from Titipounamu Study & Joy

Bible Stories - What do they mean?
Join us in unravelling Bible stories and looking for answers within a group, and with Bible Scholar Kieran Fenn fms.
Sundays, 07 Apr, 05 May 2024, 5-6pm (Zoom). Koha
<https://www.studyjoy.nz/2024/01/19/bible->



The Appeal is crucial to ensuring our mission supporting the poor and vulnerable continues www.caritas.org.nz

You can also make adontion on line <https://https://www.caritas.org.nz/lent>
GOOD FRIDAY –Collection of Holy Places

STATEMENT FROM BISHOPS OF AOTEAROA
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Prayer chain -
Ring Sr Cynthia 8686378
Shirley Gregory 0276332320



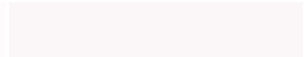
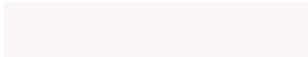
MASS & Rosary TIMES
.Tuesday 9.00 am. Wednesday 9.00 am. Thursday 9.00 am Saturday 9.00 am Sunday 9.00 am
Friday 12.10 pm - preceded by **ADORATION 11.00AM Rosary for Life 11.30** the Angelus.12.00 noon
ROSARY 8.30am TUES, WED, THURS, SAT , SUN –FRI 11.30 Monday 9.00am
Saturday Vigil Mass 6..00PM SUNDAY 9.00AM Mass at Tolaga Bay 2nd Sunday 11.00 am. Tokomaru Bay 3rd Sunday 11.30 am MATAWAI 4th Sunday 11.00am

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Deacon: Mike Rolfe



	EASTER SUNDAY	31ST MARCH 2024	
SATURDAY	30TH MAR	7.00PM Vigil Mass	EASTER VIGIL 
SUNDAY	31STMAR	9.00 AM 8.30AM ROSARY	RESURRECTION OF THE LORD 
MONDAY	1ST APR	NO MASS 9.00am Rosary	
TUESDAY	2ND APR	9.00 MASS 8.30 ROSARY	MARGARET, PAUL & ANDREW CLARK
WEDNESDAY	3RD APR	9am MASS 8.30am Rosary	HUBERT WOLTER +
THURSDAY	4TH APR	9.00AM MASS 8.30AM ROSARY	MAGGIE BLAKE+
FRIDAY	5TH APR	11.00AM ADORATION 11.30AM ROSARY FOR LIFE 12.10AM MASS	GILLIAN COATES+
SATURDAY	6TH APR	9.00 MASS 8.30 ROSARY 6.00PM VIGIL MASS	MAGGIE BLAKE+
SUNDAY	7TH APR	9.00 AM MASS 8.30 AM ROSARY MAORI MASS	DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY 



EASTER SUNDAY 2024



A happy and a holy Easter to you all. The Lord is Risen – he is Risen indeed!

Last year during his Easter Urbi et Orbi message, Pope Francis said: “We believe in you, Lord Jesus.

We believe that, with you, hope is reborn and the journey continues. May you, the Lord of life, encourage us on our journey and repeat to us, as you did to the disciples on the evening of Easter:

“Peace be with you!” (Jn 19:21). And Jesus says the same to us today... and every day.

A beautiful prayer to pray during the Easter season is the Regina Caeli:
Queen of Heaven, rejoice. Alleluia!

For the one you were chosen to bear. Alleluia!

Has risen as He said that he would. Alleluia.

Pray for us therefore to God. Alleluia!

Rejoice Virgin Mary and be glad. Alleluia!

Because the Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!

I also encourage you to take time to read the daily Mass readings through this Easter season – they are simply stunning.

I will head away for a break after Easter, returning mid-April, before Father Richard heads home to the Philippines in late April / May for a well-deserved holiday.

I thank all who have contributed in any way to the ceremonies this Holy Week and Easter weekend, and wish you and your families every blessing.

The parish office will, of course, be closed on Monday.

May the Risen Lord be with you all as we continue our journey of faith.

God bless you all.

Father Mark

Readings Sunday: 1. Acts 10:34, 37-43 Ps 118 2. Colossians 3:1-4 GOSPEL JOHN 20:1-9 *Renewal of Baptismal Promises*

PLEDGE ENVELOPES ARE AVAILABLE IN THE FOYER

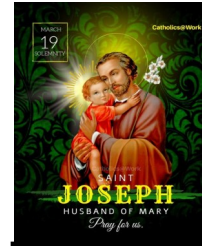


PARISH OFFICE HOURS—Mon, Wed, and Friday 9.30am—1.30pm (NB: Office closed Good Friday & Easter Monday)

Koha and Pledge Donations to our Parish gratefully received at this time. **PAYWAVE** Available on Weekend Masses or weekdays in office.

Collection last week : \$ 3202.00 approx. Caritas \$455.00 Holy Places \$15.00

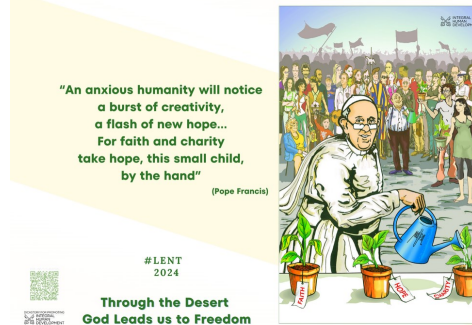
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MARCH
 THE MONTH
 OF
ST JOSEPH
 PATRON SAINT OF
WORKERS, FAMILIES,
HOMES AND A HAPPY
DEATH.

CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF HAMILTON

—Link to updates: <https://www.cdh.org.nz/diocesan-bulletin>



FLOWERS TO DECORATE THE CROSS EASTER SUNDAY



Pope Francis has inaugurated a Year of Prayer.

He is calling on the faithful “to intensify prayer to prepare us to live well this event of grace and to experience the power of God’s hope” **Personal life, in our Church.**

Kete Korero have landed for Easter—Available this Sunday

PREPARATIONS FOR EASTER WEEK
HELPERS NEEDED PLEASE:

GOOD FRIDAY (29th March) and EASTER VIGIL (Sat. morning 30th March)

HELP EVEN FOR AN HOUR OR TWO ON ANY OF THOSE TIMES WOULD BE APPRECIATED. PLEASE PHONE OR TEXT SHELLEY-ANNE AVISENIS 0211337035 (With Date and Times you are willing to help)

-TIMES WILL BE ARRANGED WITH HELPERS

Thank you, Shelley-Anne

Also—if anyone has any knowledge of the whereabouts of the purple cloths. please

NZ Catholic for sale in church foyers again. Price \$4.

Some headlines for this issue -.. Dunedin diocese eyes self-insurance as premiums soar; Holy Cross welcomes six new seminarians;

Pilgrimage endures despite Holy Land turmoil. <https://indd.adobe.com/view/a8a79db0-cdb5-472a-85e0->

