



Diocese of
Palmerston North

Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Parish

Palmerston North (1951)

Te Parihā o te mātou Wahine o Ruata

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LOL MASSES
5:30pm Vigil (Sat)
8:00am & 10:00am
Mon—Sat: 10:00am
RECONCILIATION
Sat: 10:30—11:00am or on request

EUCCHARIST ADORATION
Fri: 10:30am—Noon & 7:00—9:00pm

RONGOTEA MASSES
9:30am: 1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays
Thurs: 7:00pm



Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

12th February 2017; Year A / Weekdays Year 1

Psalm Response: Happy are they who follow the law of the Lord.
Prayers of the Faithful Response: Whakarongo mai ra kia matou.

LOL FIRST SACRAMENTS PROGRAMME

Begins on Sunday 12th March at 11:00am, after 10:00am Mass. Enrolment forms and the programme are available in the foyer now. Please complete and return to the School or the Parish Office asap.

LOL Liturgy Meeting Tues 14th Feb 5:15pm

LOL GUILD will be celebrating their 60th Anniversary on 3rd May 2017. Please contact former members who may have moved away, and give them the opportunity to join us for lunch to celebrate this milestone. For further information phone Sheila Evans 357 0172 or June Lynch 354 7686.

LENTEN REFLECTION GROUPS Lent is approaching & it's time to think about doing something different for Lent. How about joining a Lenten Reflection Group to share scripture & prayer with fellow parishioners. A list for names & phone numbers is in the foyer. Please join us... a great way to meet people & learn about our faith.

LOL PRAYER CHAIN: Please call Eileen O'Connor 329 1801/021 671 755 or the Parish Office. No request is too big or too small!

MARIAN EUCHARISTIC COMMUNITY
Kerala Catholic Prayer Community prayer meeting, every Monday 4:15pm-7:00pm.
Exposition every 1st Monday of the month.

ST VINNIES is very excited to announce our new Shop Manager has been appointed. **Toni Bidois** will start on Feb 13th. Pop in to 252 Rangitikei St to say hello and grab a Summer bargain while you are there **The Society of St Vincent de Paul's** next meeting will be **Tuesday 14th Feb 5:15pm** at the Cathedral lounge. All welcome.

ON SALE NZ Catholic \$4; Tui Motu \$7; Calendars \$12.

POSITION VACANT Cathedral of the Holy Spirit (PN) Music Director—10 hours per week. See notice board for details or contact Steph Grantham 06 357 2891, s.grantham@pncathedral.org.nz

11th February 2017 is the 25th anniversary of the World Day of Prayer for the Sick. Pope Francis will be celebrating an Extraordinary Mass at Lourdes. Can you make some time in your day to pray for those who are unwell and make a difference in their lives by the power of prayer!

Kia ora tātou As the New Year picks up in rhythm and pace, I wish to draw your attention to the first edition of WelCom for this year. There is wide coverage of news from our Diocese. I learned a lot – from the making of the life size nativity set at St Joseph's Shannon (in our most southern parish) to the now 70th annual pilgrimage from Wairoa (our most northern parish) to the Carmelites Sisters in Auckland. There's news of Suzanne Aubert, an excellent piece on how the Lectionary (our cycle of readings) works, a fascinating history of Te Wairoa parish and Tawhiti A Maru marae, news from St John's College and New Plymouth parish and much more. I have written a piece called Faith, Politics and Elections. It's not about party politics; more a topical framework that stands behind politics. Make a coffee and enjoy the reading!

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PASSIONIST FAMILY GROUPS calling you?

Are you new to the city or do you want to know other Catholics better than just their faces? Passionist Family Groups help develop friendships and companions through the sad, glad and ordinary times of life by living out the gospel message of 'loving one another'. Want to know more, or to join a group? Check out: www.passionistfamily.org.nz
Contact Jenny & Stuart Doidge (PN PFG regional coordinators)
Mobile: 0274187906 or doidgefamily@xtra.co.nz
Registrations open now for a city-wide group.

SUPPORT THE FORMER REFUGEE COMMUNITY IN MANAWATU

You are invited to an Afghan themed 3-Course Dinner and Auction on Tuesday 14th February from 6.30pm at the Central Baptist Church (190 Church St, PN). Manawatu Reuniting Refugee Families Trust and the Palmerston North Red Cross are promoting this event as a great way to support the former refugee Afghan community in our region. Tickets are limited and are \$30 each. **The Diocese has 25 tickets! Contact David Mullin 021 707 266 dmullin@pndiocese.org.nz**
PROLIFE FACTS Voice for Life (09) 4430995 or www.voiceforlife.org.nz. See noticeboard.

CLIMATE CHANGE, OUR RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE EARTH WHICH IS OUR HOME AND ECOLOGY IN THE LIGHT OF OUR FAITH.

This is an issue which Pope Francis brought to the fore in his encyclical Laudato Si "On Care for our Common Home".
The Sisters of Mercy are welcoming Gail Worcelo, a religious sister of Green Mountain Monastery, Vermont USA, to address us on the topic: "The Spirit of Laudato Si: how we may bring our new understanding into our lives and mission?"
There will be workshops in Auckland, Wellington, Christchurch and Dunedin in the week 19th-26th of March. This initiative has the support of the Diocese and details are on the flyer in the foyer.

YOUTH, YOUNG ADULTS, TERTIARY CHAPLAIN CONTACT DETAILS ARE ON THE NOTICEBOARD

The Catholic Institute (TCI) is underway with another academic year! Courses are starting and the distance semester starts on 13th Feb.

Academic Mass for Tertiary Students 6:00pm Sunday 5th March, Cathedral of the Holy Spirit.

Caritas Challenge 6pm March 31-3pm April 1 St Peters College students & TGIF youth group. Fundraising to support the Pacific Islands in their battle against the effects of climate change.

Set Free Catholic Youth Festival Hamilton We are taking a group to this 7-8 April. Yrs 11-13 and young adults. setfree.org.nz

Check out the noticeboard for full details on any of the above events.

We Pray for the Sick: Liu Mingquiong, Vanessa Farrelly, Vinnie Carroll, Phillip Gleeson, Joseph Ang, Joan Lambourne, Liam Stone, Graeme Younger, Marie Wenman, Aileen Ryan, Helen Taylor, Mary Jefferies, Kevin Patterson, Ian Sutherland, Jules Haakman, Ann Fairclough, Mikulas Oros, Louis Heynen, Braxton Prentice, Anne & Bill Bethune, Katherine Denby, Toshi Sekizaki, Oliver Gillespie, Marie Hubbard, Guiseppina Dujany, Trevor Wilson.

Died Recently

Nora Monk & Msgr David Price

Anniversaries

Requiescant in Pace

Parish Picnic Hymn Sheet

LicenSing No 625977

Processional Hymn

Sing of the Lord's goodness,
Father of all wisdom,
come to him and bless his name.
Mercy he has shown us,
his love is forever,
faithful to the end of days.

Refrain:

**Come, then, all you nations,
sing of your Lord's goodness,
melodies of praise and thanks to
God. Ring out the Lord's glory,
praise him with your music,
worship him and bless his name.**

Power he has wielded,
honour is his garment,
risen from the snares of death.
His word he has spoken,
one bread he has broken,
new life he now gives to all.

Refrain:

Courage in our darkness,
comfort in our sorrow,
Spirit of our God most high;
solace for the weary,
pardon for the sinner,
splendour of the living God.

Refrain:

Praise him with your singing,
praise him with the trumpet,
praise God with the lute and harp;
praise him with the cymbals,
praise him with your dancing,
praise God till the end of days.

Refrain:

Gloria

Refrain:

**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.

Refrain:

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.

Refrain:

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.

Refrain: ... Amen

Responsorial Psalm

**Blessed are they who follow the way
of the Lord.**

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried;
he descended into hell;
on the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of God
the Father almighty; from there he will come to
judge the living and the dead. I believe in the
Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting.
Amen.

Offertory Hymn

Refrain:

**Create in me a clean heart, O God
And renew a right spirit within me
(x2)**

Cast me not away from thy presence, O Lord,
and take not thy Holy Spirit from me.
Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation,
and renew a right spirit within me.

Refrain:

Memorial Acclamation

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup,
we proclaim your Death O Lord,
until you come again.

Communion Hymn

Refrain:

**Your words are spirit and life,
O Lord: richer than gold, stronger
than death. Your words are spirit
and life O Lord; life everlasting.**

God's law is perfect, refreshing the soul,
reviving the weary spirit. God's rule can be
trusted: bringing us wisdom, bringing God's
wisdom to birth.

Refrain:

God's precepts keep us; their purpose is right.
They gladden the hearts of people. God's
command is so clear it brings us new vision;
bringing God's light to our eyes

Refrain:

Living by God's truth is holy and sure;
God's presence is everlasting. God's truth is
eternal, bringing us justice; bringing God's justice
to earth

Refrain:

God's word is precious, desired more than gold:
worth more than we dare imagine and, sweeter
than honey, this word will feed us, bringing
fulfilment and joy.

Recessional Hymn

**Refrain: Change my heart, O God,
Make it ever true.
Change my heart, O God,
May I be like You.**

You are the Potter, I am the clay;
Mold me and make me, This is what I pray.
(repeat)

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NEXT WEEK

Readings Feb 19th: Lev 19:1-2, 17-18; 1 Cor 3:16-23; Mt 5:38-48.

ROSTERS: February

Church Cleaning: Wendy Lyons and Megan Murrell (Feb 13th)

Counting: Marion Carey (Feb 14th)

Flowers: Diane Baucke (Feb 4th)

Greeters: Vigil 5.30pm Colleen Hughes and Denise Bailey **8am** Raymond and Julie Jones **10am** Josie Conlon.

Readers: Vigil 5.30pm: Judith Wall and Kathy Gardiner **8am:** Moya Booth and Leigh Basile **10am:** Patria Kerr and Barney O'Connor.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Vigil 5.30pm Pat Curran, Prue Smith, Hannah Brown, Denis Jones, Denise Bailey **8am** Kieran McCormack, Raymond Jones, Kevin McKenzie **10am** Brendon O'Connor, Paul Darbyshire, Julia Sissons, Mary O'Connor, Joseph Joseph.

Altar Servers: 10am

Children's Liturgy:

Hospitality: 10am Kapatiran Group.

Religious Goods/Library: Rita Auta.

Brass: Colleen Hughes (Feb) **Linen:** Mary O'Connor (Feb)

Lawns: Raymond Jones (Feb 18th)