

SUPPORT OF THE PARISH: There will be collection baskets in the foyer, AFTER MASS for you to place your donation. No collection will be taken in the church. Thank you. We welcome your continued financial support of the parish.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

CAN BE HELD IN THE CONFESSIONAL IN STM CHURCH. 8.30-9am Wed to Sat.

A requirement is that you must be in good health—i.e. no temperature or cold/flu like symptoms. Alternatively, please make an appointment if required.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION: Just got engaged?

Visit <https://www.cdh.org.nz/marriage> for information, available marriage preparation course dates and to register your interest.

CHRISTMAS 2020 AT ALL SAINTS BY THE SEA PARISH:

Masses will be held:

CHRISTMAS EVE, 24 Dec at STM Church: Family Mass at 4.30pm.

Bring your children dressed in characters to depict the nativity scene e.g. shepherds, wise men, animals, angels, stars, inn-keeper, Joseph, Mary. Tell your children's grandparents to mark the date/time on their calendars and invite them to come along.

11.30pm Midnight Mass at STM Church.

CHRISTMAS DAY, Friday, 25 December 9.00am Mass at STM Church.

Reminder: Boxing Day (**Sat, 26 December**) will be the Vigil weekend Mass (at 5pm at Te Puke, St John the Baptist Anglican Church).

IS THERE ANYONE INTERESTED IN FORMING A CHOIR to lead the singing at the Christmas Midnight Mass? Please contact the parish office or speak to Fr Stuart.

FOOD BANK: Donations of non-perishable food items are needed for the Foodbank. There is a cane basket in the church foyer for ALL donations and these will be distributed through the Food Bank. Thank you for your generosity.

NEW WEBSITE: www.allsaintsbythesea.nz

Parish Priest: Fr Stuart Young; EM pp@allsaintsbythesea.nz

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20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

16 August 2020

MASSES UNDER COVID LEVEL 2

Mass times: ALL MASSES are at St Thomas More Church—Sat Vigil 5pm; Sunday 9.30am & 5pm.

Come EARLY —numbers are limited to 100 in total.

Doors open 1 hour before Mass times.

You must have a parish barcode. Many will already have these.

Ignore the Mass times on your card. You can come to any of the 3 Masses—first in first served. Collect your barcode/s from the STM Church foyer on the table just inside the front doors. If we are full before you locate your card, then you will not be allowed in.

If you wish to wait outside practicing safe distancing and wearing masks if possible, we will endeavour to come out and distribute Communion. The Mass can be heard outside through speakers.

If you require a barcode, please phone 07 575 4807 or email admin@allsaintsbythesea.nz & we will leave it on the table in the foyer today (Friday afternoon) or Saturday for you to collect.

In the event of Level 3 being announced, there will be NO Masses.

The Bishop will livestream Mass from the Cathedral for the Feast of the Assumption tomorrow, **Sat, 15 Aug** at 8am. He will also livestream Mass on **Sunday at 10:30am**. Please use the link below to access the Masses

<https://youtube.com/channel/UC-pvQBENvW9Rkt3QhoAjjhw/videos>

IF YOU ARE UNWELL: Have a cough or cold please do not come to church. You will be politely asked to leave if you attend. This is part of the current nationwide Covid 19 precautions. We appreciate your co-operation and care for the welfare of your fellow parishioners.

SIGN OF PEACE: No handshakes and no hugs. The "Covid Bow" is both effective and also very spiritual.

RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION: Communion is only distributed in the hand, no chalices.

MINISTRY OF HEALTH COVID TRACING QR CODE:

There are 6 Tracing QR codes around the outside of the Church if you wish to use them.

SACRAMENTS OF CONFIRMATION & FIRST HOLY COMMUNION:

The celebration of the Sacraments is scheduled to be held at STM Church next **Sun, 23 August**. However, we do not yet know if this will be held. If we are still in Level 2, it is unlikely to continue. As soon as we know, we will send out a parish Alert.

COMMON GOOD FOUNDATION:

Are you working with the needy in your community and requiring extra funding? The Common Good Foundation is looking for worthy projects it can fund in your parish following a successful Caring Sunday Appeal. Applications and information can be found at www.commongood.org.nz/support-others/grants. Please note applications close 30 September 2020. Any queries please email: admin@commongood.org.nz

TEAMS OF OUR LADY (Equipes Notre Dame)

Unfortunately due to Covid 19 we have postponed the promotion of Teams until a later date.

THE FINAL CHOICE:

Renee Joubert of 'Euthanasia Free N.Z.' will be holding a meeting in Tauranga **today, Sun, 16 August at 7pm**. She has invited Caralise Traves to share her research as published in her superb new book. 'The Final Choice'. Caralise will bring a presentation, followed by an interview with Renee. This is a Life and Death issue, so please come. Venue: Life Church, 934 Cameron Rd, Tauranga.

CWL AUGUST MEETING is our mid-winter lunch to be held at the Kwang Chow restaurant, Maunganui Road situated across the road from Coronation Park. It will be on **Thurs, 20 August** at 12 midday. If you need a lift there will be car pooling from St Thomas More church carpark. Please be at the carpark by 11.30am. **REMINDER:** Please bring items for annual Mission Fundraiser raffle (being held in September).

ARE YOU BEING ADMITTED TO HOSPITAL?

If you are admitted to Tauranga Hospital and would to be visited by a hospital chaplain and or receive Holy Communion, please let the parish office know so this can be arranged. Please also ensure you enter on the Hospital Admittance form that you are a **Roman Catholic**.

CDH VOCATIONS AWARENESS MONTH - August 2020

Inside Holy Cross Seminary is a seminarian's story on discernment and fulfilling the will of God. Follow this short story of Adam Kirkeby on this [link](#). Or visit: cdh.org.nz/events+news/notices. We encourage you to please pray for our priests, seminarians to discern God's call in them. Email: vocations@cdh.org.nz or robertg@dh.org.nz for queries on discerning vocations.



FAMILY WEEKEND | 6-8 November 2020 | Lake Taupō

Our weekend for families is back for 2020! We invite families from across the diocese to step away from the challenges of everyday life. Come and experience the freedom, joy and unity of family life re-centred on Christ. **Registrations open 1 August** Visit familyweekend.cdh.nz SAVE THE DATE! More details coming soon.

READINGS for 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time, 23 Aug.

1. Isaiah 22:19-23
2. Romans 11:33-36

GOSPEL: Matthew 16:13-20

MASS INTENTIONS:

If you wish to have a Mass offered, please complete the card in the STM Church foyer or alternatively email the office to arrange. Mass offering envelopes are available in the foyer also, please drop the envelope and card in the parish drop box in the foyer. You will be contacted if the date requested is not available. Mass intention cards are available for purchase from the parish office.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK:

Mon	
Tues	Joe Rush RIP
Wed	Michael Erksine-Shaw RIP
Thurs	Arthur McGuinniss RIP
Fri	Jack Hayden RIP
Sat	
Sun	All Saints by the Sea Parish

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

Mt Maunganui
9.30am & 5pm

Te Puke At Anglican Church*
Saturday Vigil 5 pm

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES
(subject to change)

Monday
No Services

Tuesday
9am Mt

Wednesday
9am Mt
& Benediction

Thursday
9am Mt

Friday
9am Mt

Saturday
9am Mt

ROSARY
After 9am Mass
at Mt Tues to Sat

RECONCILIATION
Wed to Friday (Mt)
8.30am to 8.45am.

Sat (TePuke)
*available before
Mass

Maketu
Maori Mass
2nd Sunday
11.30am
3rd Sunday Liturgy
service 11.30am