CWL MEETING: The May meeting will be on **Thurs, 16 May** after the 9.30am Mass. Speaker is Carol Long, our parish's very own Forest and Bird activist. All are welcome to come, listen and gain ideas about we can do to care for our flora and fauna. Morning tea to follow. Raffle and Trading table.

2019 SACRAMENT PREPARATION will commence June/July.

Registrations will close **7 June** (no late registrations will be accepted). June Baptism preparation course (2 sessions); July the 10 week course commences. The Confirmation Mass will be 9.30am **22 Sept**, depending on numbers - First Holy Communion may be celebrated prior to Confirmation. Please register you child(ren) early. Criteria is children 9 years plus, (a child under 9 may be eligible it will depend on their level of faith commitment). For further information please contact the office at All Saints by the Sea between the hours of 9am and noon, Mon to Fri, or email:

pastoral@allsaintsbythesea.nz It is preferable that you use the on-line form on the website in the Sacraments section. *Father Stuart Young*

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: We welcome into the Catholic faith Ariane Gabito who is receiving the Sacrament of Baptism this weekend.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults): Have you or someone you know asked about '**Becoming Catholic'?** We would love to hear from you or perhaps you could encourage someone you know to take the next step. Inquiry period for wanting to know more will start in a couple of months. Please make contact with Fr Stuart with your interest or phone Heidi: 575 4807 Ext 6 or EM: pastoral@allsaintsbythesea.nz

ANOINTING MASS at STM Church: Previously advertised as 8 August—date now changed to 1 August.

BOP DOVE FELLOWSHIP: Theme: "Bringing God's Blessings To Others", on **14 May at 7pm** at Aquinas College Chapel, Pyes Pa Rd, Tauranga. All ladies welcome. Speakers:: Jeff and Judy Olsen, will share their experience at Ffald-y-Brenin a beautiful Christian Retreat Centre in the Preseli Hills in Southwest Wales, which has become internationally renowned through the hundreds of remarkable encounters visitors have experienced with the Lord. For more info contact Maree 07 578 3752.

NEW WEBSITE: www.allsaintsbythesea.nz Parish Priest: Fr Stuart Young; EM <u>pp@allsaintsbythesea.nz</u> Assistant Priest: Fr Prakash Somu; EM <u>ap@allsaintsbythesea.nz</u> 17 Gloucester Rd, Mt Maunganui 3116. Ph 07 575 4807 (Parish office Ex 2) EM: admin@allsaintsbythesea.nz Office hours: 9am to 12 noon Mon to Fri



3rd Sunday of Easter 5 May 2019

PARISH BINGO NIGHT FUNDRAISING AND FUN

Will be held on **Saturday**, **25 May at 6.30pm** in the STM Church complex. \$20 per ticket, includes 2 Bingo sheets and snacks, then supper. Book a table with friends or come on your own and make new friends. Tickets available from the parish office, cash, Eftpos or on-line banking. For any further queries ph/text Margaret 575 7868.

BRING: A bingo stamper if you have one, and some cash \$\$\$ to spend on extra bingo sheets (\$2) or buy a drink. Some light snacks and supper with tea or coffee will be served but have dinner before you come.

THEME: COUNTRIES—so pick a country and come along dressed in the theme of that country (Ireland, Fiji, Thailand, & India have already been taken!).

REPLACEMENT OF PARISH DATABASE

The Parish roll is in the process of being replaced with a new system. As a result, to ensure accuracy, we are wanting to re-enter all parishioner data into the new system.

To achieve this, we ask you to do one of the following:

- Log onto parish website—go to <u>Our Place & scroll down to Parish Forms</u>. Complete the form & any data that you do not know, please enter a ".";
- 2. Access the direct link off the Parish App to the form;
- 3. Collect form from parish office.

PLEASE NOTE: We need EVERYONE to complete the form—do not assume your information will be transferred.

HOSPITALITY SUNDAY—SAUSAGE SIZZLE TODAY after the 9.30am Sunday Mass. All welcome. Please offer to help with serving and clean up.

HOSPITALITY CAFÉ—**Sunday 18 May**—after the 9.30am Mass. Café theme: BISCUITS. Please write your name on the clipboard in the STM Church foyer if you are able to bring a plate of biscuits to share. We are also looking for volunteers to assist with set up, serving and clean up. Thank you for your support.

PARISH APP:

We encourage you to download the App. This is able to be downloaded from your phone App store. Search for allsaintsbythesea and upload the app and be connected for latest alerts, newsletters etc.

STM WEEKEND MASS MINISTRIES ROSTER available in Church foyer. Please note there are two rosters—9.30am & 5.00pm. The rosters are also available on the parish website.

TE PUKE WEEKEND MASS MINISTRIES ROSTER available on the parish website.

MARTIN SOCIAL GROUP: Wed 15 May - 10.00am at the STM Church Complex. HOUSIE HOUSIE HOUSIE. Please bring a plate to share and a gold coin donation. New members are very welcome. For more details contact John and Denise McCarthy Ph 542 1642.

PARISH DONATION TAX RECEIPTS: Have been posted. Please be aware that the post is VERY slow—if you have not received your receipt by **Fri, 10 May**, contact office.

CATHOLIC MEN'S FELLOWSHIP: Meets on **Tues**, **7 May** at 7:30 pm at STM Church with Fr John Joliffe as a guest speaker. All welcome.

DAWN CAVANAGH – RIP: St. Vincent de Paul members from right across Western BOP gathered in force for Dawn's Requiem. Following her prolonged battle with cancer, this was a fitting farewell for a strong SVDP supporter. Dawn was the wife of Te Puke's longest-serving (and most senior) SVDP member, John, to whom members now offer their support and prayers. *Well done, thou good and faithful servant*.

PASSIONIST FAMILY GROUP NEWS:

"From Strangers to Friends: Together We Belong" is the theme for this years formation day to be held **Sat**, **18 May** at St Pius X Centre, Beach Rd, Katikati from 9.00am to 1.00pm (with shared lunch at conclusion). Tea & coffee provided. All welcome. For any further enquiries ph Merrilyn 575 4148.

Family on the Edge invite you to join us on **Sun 12 May** for a casual bush walk with the infamous Carol Long, from Forest and Bird. We will visit Otanewainuku and refresh ourselves among the glorious trees and ferns before the winter sets in. See you after Mass and cups of tea. Dolores 027 292 8617 Bev 575 3212

For Diocesan information check out www.newsletter.cdh.nz

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

BLANKET "DRIVE": During the month of May we are doing a blanket drive. If you have any spare blankets that you no longer have a use for, please consider giving them to those less fortunate. You can drop them off to the STM Church foyer—in the Library area—and these will be collected and distributed to those in need. Thank you.

ADORATION OF OUR LORD: On the last Friday of each month, Adoration will be held in the STM Church from 6pm to 8pm (note time change)

ARE YOU HOUSEBOUND? If you would like to receive a visit from the clergy please let the parish office know so this can be arranged.

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.

MEDITATION: Held every **Wed** in the STM Church 7.30 – 8.30pm. Contact Dolores 027 292 8617.

READINGS FOR 4th Sunday of Easter, 12 May, Year C 1. Acts 13:14,43-52 2. Apocalpyse 7:9,14-17 GOSPEL : John 10:27-30

MASS INTENTIONS:

If you wish to have a Mass offered, please complete the card in the STM Church foyer or alternatively phone the office to arrange. Mass offering envelopes are available in the foyer also.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK:	
Mon	
Tues	
Tues Wed	Jane Tellis RIP
Thurs	
Fri	
Sat & Sun	All Saints by the Sea Parish

<u>Mt Maunganui</u> 9.30am & 5pm

<u>Te Puke</u> At Anglican Church* Saturday Vigil 5pm

> WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

> > **Monday** 9am Mt

Tuesday 9am Mt

Wednesday 9am Mt & Benediction

Thursday 9am Mt & 9am TP*

> **Friday** 9am Mt

ROSARY After 9am Mass at Mt Mon to Fri

Saturday 9am Rosary Mt

SACRAMENT ANOINTING 1 Aug, 12 Dec , 11am

RECONCILIATION

Wed to Friday (Mt) 8.30am to 8.45am. Sat (TePuke) *4:30pm

<u>Maketu</u> Maori Mass 2nd Sunday 11.30am 3rd Sunday Liturgy service 11.30am