# CELEBRATING OUR UNIQUENESS AND OUR ONENESS

Dear brothers and sisters, we had much fun, gathering together for a 'Bingo Night' recently, where we had teams representing different countries and members dressing up accordingly. We're looking for more ideas from all parishioners. How would you like to celebrate our individuality and our oneness in faith? Example: celebrating an evening Mass, once a month and a pot luck dinner, from different ethnic groups, in our parish. Please email your ideas to Bernadette at: gr8sHe@gmail.com

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR COUNTING PARISH COLLECTION:** Collection is counted after Sunday Mass. You would be required to assist on a roster with a turn every 6 weeks. Contact Fr Stuart or Jan in office.

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

**BOP DOVE FELLOWSHIP**: Theme: Honouring and Blessing for their faithfuness on **11 June at 7pm** at Aquinas College Chapel, Pyes Pa Rd, Tauranga. All ladies welcome. For more info ph Sue 027 275 1383.

**THEOLOGY ON TAP:** An opportunity for young adults on **Thurs, 6 June** at 7pm at Astrolabe in nana's bar. Guest speaker Bishop Steve. Topic: This is my Body I give for you. Living in Christian community. Ph 027 474 8181.

**VOICE FOR LIFE AGM:** The AGM will be held at St. Mary Immaculate Church, cnr Elizabeth St. and Cameron Rd, Tauranga on **Sun, 16 June** from 1.30 – 3.00p.m. All welcome to discuss with us the Plan for the coming year. Don Brebner, Acting Chairman.

**CATHOLIC SCHOOLS DAY:** Will be held on **Wed**, **12 June** at Aquinas College incorporating the Parish Schools of St Thomas Aquinas and All Saints by the Sea i.e. Aquinas College, St Mary's School & St Thomas More School. See noticeboard for details.

**ADORATION OF OUR LORD:** On the last **Friday** of each month, Adoration will be held in the STM Church from **6pm to 8pm**.

**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



# THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD 2 June 2019

**ST PETER (OUR FIRST POPE) SERIES**: Join us as we follow St Peter in his writings as the Church springs to life following the crucifixion of Jesus. As part of our on-going journey in faith, we are offering these sessions for group study and participation. They will be offered Tues, 4 June at 9.45am and at 7pm at STM John Paul room. There will be a booklet provided at each session. We intend to break after 30 minutes for tea/coffee and then continue for another 30 minutes. The success of this is in your hands. If attendance is poor, then we will re-consider continuing with the series. It is non-demanding, non threatening, has excellent presentation and it is a chance for us to grow together in faith and as a community.

## 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 your child(ren). Criteria is children 9 years plus, (a child under 9 may be eligible it will depend on their level of faith commitment). For further info contact the office at All Saints by the Sea between the hours of 9am and noon, Mon to Fri, or EM pastoral@allsaintsbythesea.nz It is preferable that you use the on-line form on the website in the Sacraments section. *Fr Stuart Young* 

**BAPTISM COURSE** will be held on **Mon**, **3 June at 7pm** in the STM Church complex. If you have a child under the age of 8 and would like them to receive the Sacrament of Baptism, please come (i.e. parents/caregivers).

**NOTE TO ALL TE PUKE PARISHIONERS:** There will be no **Thursday Mass** at Te Puke until the end of June. There will be a Liturgy with Holy Communion. This is due to Fr Stuart being the only priest available in the Parish as Fr Prakash is covering the Parish of the Holy Family.

**FRIENDLY FACES WANTED!!:** We are looking for more friendly faces for the **welcome desk in the parish foyer**! This involves a rostered shift before the Sunday morning Mass. If you are interested & for more details please contact Pam Heaton ph 027 238 3092.

**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</u> & scroll down to <u>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 OR there are forms on the bench in STM Church foyer.

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

**TE PUKE POT LUCK DINNER:** We now have 24 people committed to attending the dinner on **Sat 22 June** following the conclusion of Mass. Dinner will be served in the Anglican Church hall within the church complex. No need to walk outside as there is internal access. It would be great if more people could attend. Please contact Fern before **5 June** if you would like to join us. The dinner will definitely go ahead but more people would make it more fun. At present we have enough meat dishes, but cooked vegetables or desserts would be appreciated. For those yet to tell Fern what they will bring, would you be able to let her know during this coming week. Ph Fern 575 2857. You may leave a message.

**ST JOSEPH PRAYER GROUP** will meet for prayer at the STM Church (by statue of St Joseph) every Sunday at 4pm starting from **Sun**, **16 June**. Contact Titihuia for more info (contact office for her phone number).

**CATHOLIC MENS FELLOWSHIP** Meeting will be this **Tues 4 June** at STM at 7:30pm in the foyer. This weeks focus will be on Pentecost and the Holy Spirit.

PARISH OFFICE & ALL STAFF will be absent on Mon, 3 June.

**MARTIN SOCIAL GROUP: Wed, 5 June** Housie at the STM Church complex. Wed, 19 June – Judy Dailey will speak to the group about her work with the London Electricity Board in the 1960s. Meetings at 10am. Please bring a plate to share and a gold coin donation. New members very welcome. For more details contact John & Denise McCarthy 542 1642.

### PASSIONIST FAMILY GROUP NEWS:

**KOLBE GROUP: Beach Bonfire! Sat, 8 June** @ 5.30pm on the beach opposite Moa Park on Oceanbeach Rd, Mt Maunganui (there is beach access near the park). BYO marshmallows! Contact Pam Heaton for any details...new families welcome too!

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

ALL SAINTS BY THE SEA PARISH CATHOLIC COAST & COUNTRY-SIDE MAGAZINE – JUNE 2019 ISSUE: Would parishioners kindly note that contributions of parish group or committee reports, photos and articles of interest for the Parish magazine, June issue, are now being gratefully accepted. Contributions should be emailed to the editor at p.archer@xtra.co.nz. Please note that the final date for acceptance of items will be Mon, 10 June. Peter Archer, Editor.

#### DIOCESAN FAMILY CAMP WEEKEND:15-17 Nov 2019

To be held at STM Church, complex and School. Volunteers needed for crèche and classes for children please be aware you are required to be Police Vetted. If you are a teacher or have taught in schools, particularly RE, we would very much appreciate your assistance. <u>Accommodation/billeting required</u> – maybe you have a bach or have a 2-3 spare bedrooms - please contact the parish office or write your name on the clipboard in the foyer if you can assist. Many thanks.

**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.

### **READINGS FOR PENTECOST SUNDAY, 9 June Year C**

1. Acts 2:1-11 **2.** 1 Corinthians 12:3-7,12-13 **GOSPEL: John 20:19-23** 

**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	
Wed	
Thurs	
Fri	
Sat & Sun	All Saints by the Sea Parish

#### SUNDAY MASS TIMES

Mt Maunganui 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