

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL in Te Puke is seeking a chest of drawers for a needy family. If you can help please call Maree 5736868 or Lee 5738636. We are keeping up our support of the local foodbank, and have managed to answer every call made for our help this year, including recently providing a washing machine for an elderly widow in poor health.

Thankyou for the financial help you give us, and also for supporting the Vinnies shops, which in turn fund many of our needs. We are praying that more parishioners will join our small team, as we badly need more members.

CATHOLIC FAMILY SUPPORT SERVICES is seeking expressions of interest from an experienced, registered (or eligible to be registered) social worker to work part time in The Tauranga/Mt Maunganui area. For further information contact John at john@cfss.org.nz or ring 078563760 / 0272853340. John Kavanagh Manager Catholic Family Support Services P.O. Box 24010 Hamilton Ph 8563760 0272853340 www.cfss.org.nz

WITH HEARTS ARE BURNING MODULE 6 IS AVAILABLE IN CHURCH FOYERS.

Please take a COPY, PLUS THE Ecclesia in Oceania prayer card/bookmark.

SEASONS | Catholic Young Adult Weekend: 12-14 October 2018, Finlay Park Adventure Camp. This weekend will be a time to come and grow in community, relax, and reconnect with the Lord. Our theme is Seasons, and we will be discussing how to grow and cultivate our faith in every season of our life. Seasons will take place on **October 12 -14** at 6:00pm. We will have a variety of activities, time to relax, music, food, talks, worship and Eucharistic Adoration. Registrations are available at cdhyouth.org.

DONATIONS TO THE PARISH: If you wish to make a donation, **there is a Eftpos** machine in the STM Church foyer. Donations of \$5, \$10 or \$15 or you can nominate an amount. If you wish to use envelopes or bank automatic direct debit, please contact the office to arrange.

GIVING BACK PROGRAMME: If you are able to supply a meal or two, please take a container, label it with whatever the meal is, and the date and pop it in the freezer in the STM Church foyer. Thank you for your support.

NEW STM CHURCH CLEANING ROSTER AVAILABLE on the STM Church foyer, on bench and see parish website.

COME TO THE MOVIES WITH US!!! St. George's, Gate Pa invite you to come with us to see "The Ladies in Black" at the Rialto Theatre, **Sun, 7 Oct** at 1pm. Tickets \$15 each from Parish office (07 578 7916).



24th Sunday in Ordinary Time - 16 September 2018

CONFIRMATION/FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: There are 60 children being presented to the Bishop **NEXT Sun, 23 Sept** at STM Church. There will be a large crowd of family and friends attending. You are all most welcome to come but you will be most welcome also to attend the 5pm Sunday Mass.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY: Children's Liturgy age groups will begin a change from **Sunday 30 Sept.**

There will be three age groups, Under 3's, 4-6yrs, and 7 & 8's. Children who have made their First Holy Communion will stay in the Mass. We are blessed to have a number of dedicated volunteers that facilitate the Children's Liturgy on a roster basis, but would love to have some more helpers join this ministry, especially for the Under 3's group and the 4-6yr olds. If you are a parent(s)/caregiver who has been taking your children to Liturgy for the under seven's and feel that you could help lead the under 3's or 4-6 year old group, we would love you to join us as a volunteer.

Please contact Heidi at pastoral@allsaintsbythesea.nz with your interest and for further information.

PARISH ADVISORY COUNCIL: I am pleased to advise we now have two new members, Ngaire Greaney and Jill Heeny.

SOCIAL JUSTICE WEEK: The theme for 2018, revolves around our disabled community, is: *Enabling Communities: Everyone has a Part to Play*. At a Caritas run workshop held here on 4th August, it was learned that 25% of New Zealanders have some form of disability, and that these people wish to be treated as people first – rather than by being defined as impaired. During Social Justice Week, the Church is challenged to become more fully informed and active in making our parishes and communities truly welcoming and accessible to people with a disability.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: We welcome into the Catholic faith Abigail Crocker and Olivia Crocker who are being baptized this weekend at STM Church.

COLUMAN CALENDARS 2019 . If someone would like to volunteer to sell the Calendars after weekend Masses, please contact the office. Calendars are also available at the parish office \$12.

SERVER ROBINING AREA: This now opens directly into the foyer, in a white cupboard at the end of the foyer bench.

CWL MEETING: There will be no meeting on Thurs, 20 Sept, due to Eastern regional meeting being held on that date. The **September meeting will be on Thurs, 27 Sept** after the 9.30am Mass. Trading table and Raffle. While enjoying morning tea we will engage in a SnapChat.

EMCs POSITIONING TO DISTRIBUTE COMMUNION: Please ensure that you have familiarized yourself with the positions for EMCs to stand, to assist you these are marked with tape on the floor, It would be advisable until you are confident of the positions and routine that you gather prior to the Mass in the library area.

READERS: It would also be helpful if you revised the guidelines for readers. It is recommended that you see Fr Stuart or a Deacon if one is ministering.
NOTE: We never say "The responsorial psalm is" you start just by stating the response to the psalm.

CHRISTMAS SHOE BOX APPEAL: Once again it's that time of the year where we hope to fill lots of these colourful boxes (in the foyer) with gifts for those children less fortunate. If you would like to contribute, please take a box and pamphlet with details of what can and cannot go inside, age group and gender. Once filled can you kindly return to the Church or contact Helen on 0274 177 581. I will be collating all boxes by mid October. Many thanks for your generous support.

PASSIONIST FAMILY GROUP NEWS:

St Patrick's Family Group:

Meeting **Sun, 30 Sept** at 12.30pm at Pacific Coast Village, Beach Hut Restaurant for lunch. Any queries ph Marilyn 575 4148.

Martin Family Group: Wed 19 Sept 10am Church Complex: By very popular demand come and play and be entertained with HOUSIE.

Wed 3 Oct 10am Church Complex. Bring a plate for morning tea and a small donation—come along for a chat.

Wed, 17 Oct (new date) Come and hear Trish O'Donnell expand on her many interesting articles for the Marist Messenger and beyond. Please bring a small morning tea and a gold coin. For more info ph John or Denise 542 1642.

NEW WEBSITE: www.allsaintsbythesea.nz

Parish Priest: Fr Stuart Young ; Assistant Priest: Fr Prakash

17 Gloucester Rd, Mt Maunganui 3116. Ph 07 575 4807 (Parish office Ex 2)

Email: admin@allsaintsbythesea.nz Office hours: 9am to 12 noon Mon to Fri

LIGHTHOUSE YOUTH GROUP: Is having a break this weekend as most of the kids are busy with mocks and I am busy also. The final youth group for this term will be **23 Sept** as there will be no youth group the weekend of Ascend.

TAHU GROUP YOUTH- Yrs 7-9's **Fri, 21 Sept** 6.30-8pm at STM. Please bring skateboard IF you have one. All welcome. Ph Carol 021-533-090 EM stmountyouthgroup@gmail.com

CHANGE OF WORKING SACRISTY: The Sacristy for all Mass setup has been moved to the room off the side foyer. For those needing to access the Tabernacle please contact the office for further information.
The Vesting Sacristy will be fitted with a door with glass panels. This will allow clergy to meet with parishioners privately when required before or after Mass and still be visible to others. This Sacristy is for clergy only; it is not a thoroughfare, or gathering space.
Please respect this space as Clergy only.

LECTIO DIVINA is a simple and practical process that allows us to listen and focus on what God wants to show us as He speaks personally to each of us through the scriptures. Our next Lectio Divina series will begin on **Thurs, 4 Oct** at 7.00pm, will run for 8 weeks and is being held here at STM Church. If you require more information please contact Mary Parker on T. 577 1200.

PARISHIONERS who kindly share their religious reading material/subscriptions with others please ensure that you place the reading material on the white shelves located on the LIBRARY SIDE of the church foyer. There is a shelf in which to place your material. Thank you.

READINGS FOR 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time,

16 September (Year B): 1. Isaiah 50:5-9 2. James 2:14-18

GOSPEL: Mark 8:27-35

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK:

Mon	
Tues	
Wed	Theodorus Kragten RIP
Thurs	Fogden family
Fri	Bimler family
Sat & Sun	All Saints by the Sea Parish

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

Mt Maunganui
9.30am & 5pm

Te Puke
Saturday Vigil 5pm

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Monday
9am Mt

Tuesday
9am Mt

Wednesday
9am Mt

Thursday
9am Mt &
9am TP

Friday
9am Mt

LITURGIES

Tuesday
9am Te Puke
(Liturgy of Word &
Holy Communion)

Saturday
9am Rosary Mt

Anointing of Sick
During Fri Mass
at Mt
15 Nov 2018

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

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