

PARISH NAME TAGS: If you requested a name tag or a replacement, please collect from the bench in the STM Church foyer .

PARISH WEBSITE: www.allsaintsbythesea.nz

To keep updated with the latest parish information please check the parish website. See the green bar on the screen (along the top) OUR PLACE. Click on the down arrow to LATEST NEWS.

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.

PARISH BARCODES: Please *RETAIN* your barcodes and keep them in a safe place, just in case we go back to Level 2 Covid. If you do not have one, email office or write on clipboard on bench in STM Church foyer & we will arrange for one to be printed.

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.

GIVING BACK—MEALS NEEDED: If you are able, we ask that you kindly take a container from the STM Church foyer and make a meal or 2. The freezer is empty as many frozen meals have been given to those in need over the past few weeks.

RECONCILIATION RITE II—WED, 24 MARCH

St Thomas More Church 3pm St Mary's, Tauranga 5.30pm

EASTER SERVICES 2021 AT ST THOMAS MORE CHURCH:

Holy Thursday, 1 April at 7pm

Good Friday, 2 April:

10am Stations of the Cross

3pm Service

Easter Vigil, Saturday 3 April at 7.15pm

Please note there will be no Masses at Te Puke or Suzanne Aubert School.

Easter Sunday, 4 April at 9.30am

NEW WEBSITE: www.allsaintsbythesea.nz

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2nd Sunday of Lent, 28 February 2021

CARITAS IN ACTION:

The Kiribati Health Champions, a group of women and youth supported by Teitoiningaina (the Catholic Women's Assn) are working to transform the health of their communities. Adopting a healthier lifestyle requires a big change, especially when fresh produce is difficult to come by due to the poor planting conditions on the atolls. The Health Champions each studied to receive a Certificate of Proficiency in Pacific Nutrition, learning about the importance of drinking water, exercising regularly and eating vegetables—including up to 11 types of traditional leaves found in Kiribati. After completing their certification programme, the Health Champions were eager to share their knowledge with their communities. Almost 5000 people have received training from the Kiribati Health Champions, and an estimated 15 000 people have received messaging on health & nutrition from presentations made during public events. The Champions are now working to reach even more remote communities in the outer islands of Kiribati and have mobilized with the Public Health Service to deliver resources & information to prevent the spread of Covid 19.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS: Are held every **Friday, at 5pm** during Lent at STM Church. There are 3 sets of different resource books. Please keep the books in their sets. Books will be on table as you enter the Church. You are welcome to gather during Lent for this devotion.

THE GIFT: LIFE IN THE SPIRIT PROGRAM: Has started but it is not too late to come along. (Runs until 24 March). **There are two sessions – morning & evening. Morning session 9.45am Tues, Evening session 7.00pm Tues.** You can choose if you prefer the morning or evening sessions.

VOLUNTEERS/HELPERS REQUIRED:

Following on from Fr Stuart's request, if you are available to assist with any of the following please write your name on the clipboard in the STM Church foyer stating what you like to be involved in.

Church cleaning/morning teas/Greeters/Welcomers/Power point /Mass Co-ordinator OR any other Ministry you would like to be involved in.

TEAMS OF OUR LADY(EQUIPES NOTRE DAME):

The Teams of Our Lady have a specific and direct mission: to help couples to live fully their Sacrament of matrimony.

In our Parish we have two TEAMS (groups) of married couples (& a spiritual counsellor) who meet once per month in each other's homes to share a meal, catch up on each other's lives, pray, and discuss a topic we have chosen.

It allows each of us to deepen our relationship with God, growing in faith as individuals, as a couple and as a family.

We pool our life experiences. We share with the other couples our personal, married, family and professional life—in a spirit of mutual support and love. While it is a Catholic movement—only one spouse is required to be Catholic.

This is a movement for ALL married couples—young and not so young! If you would like to know more please see one of the Team couples after Mass or pick up a brochure in the foyer or Ph Jan & Tony on 07 571 6536.

DO YOU HAVE ANY PHOTOS OF ST BERNADETTE'S CHURCH, MT MAUNGANUI?

St Bernadette's Church was built many years ago in Girven Road (now Bernadette House for the elderly). Please see Fr Stuart.

SET FREE YOUTH FESTIVAL 16-18 April 2021 - Christian Youth Camp, Ngaruawahia

Registration is open for our 11th Annual Set Free Youth Festival for college students year 10-13. This festival is sure to be a stunner! Throughout the weekend we will be unpacking this year's theme "Follow Me," which focuses on Jesus' invitation to each of us to be His disciples.

We will be hearing from our very own Danielle Mourits who will be keynoting the weekend, and she will be joined by Bishop Steve and presenters from all over Aotearoa. We will also have a worship band, Mass, Eucharistic Adoration, Reconciliation, awesome camp activities, and last but not least, you get to join the SF Whanau that everyone has come to know and love.

Early Bird discounts apply now until 1 March.

Visit www.setfree.cdh.nz to register

DOVE FELLOWSHIP FOR WOMEN: Invites all women of the parish to come and hear Fr Arnold speak on "When We Lose Everything For Him, We Can Find Ourselves In Him". **Tues, 9 Mar at 7pm** at Aquinas College Chapel, Pyes Pa Rd, Tauranga. John 15:4 Abide in Me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear fruit of itself, unless it abides in the vine, neither can you, unless you abide in me. **Invite a friend and come along.**

MARTIN SOCIAL GROUP: **Wed, 3 Mar**, morning tea at 10am at the STM Church Complex. Please bring a plate to share and a small donation. **New members very welcome.**

BAPTISMS: We welcome to the Catholic faith Roman Dales & Elizabeth Kirkpatrick who are receiving the Sacrament of Baptism this weekend.

HEAVEN COME YOUTH FESTIVAL 19-21 March, 2021 - Finlay Park, Cambridge

We are back this year with Heaven Come 2021. After an incredibly successful year in 2019 we are excited to host the second annual Heaven Come Young Adult Festival. You'll be joined by over 100 young adults (ages 18-35) from all over Aotearoa and Bishop Steve. The festival is held at Finlay Park at Lake Karapiro where you'll get to take a step back from life and dive deep into a thriving community, the Sacraments, prayer, and camp activities that'll make you feel like a kid again. Registrations are open now and close 13 March. **Early Bird discounts apply now until 1 March.** Visit www.heavencome.cdh.nz to register now. Couples are welcome and special rates apply.

READINGS FOR 3rd Sunday in Lent, 7 March 2021:

1. Exodus 20:1-17 2. 1 Cor 1:22-25

GOSPEL: John 2:13-25

STM WEEKDAY MASS MINISTRIES ROSTER FOR READERS OF THE WORD: Tues, 2 Mar, WEEK ONE (1st Tues of month).

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.

N.B. that Fr is only able to offer ONE Mass intention per Mass. It is advisable that you arrange the Mass intention as early as possible. Mass intentions that are requested for anniversaries of deceased on a specific date will be given preference.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK:

Mon	
Tues	Brian Murphy RIP
Wed	Len Sands RIP
Thurs	Teresa Downer (special intention)
Fri	
Sun	All Saints by the Sea Parish

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

Mt Maunganui
9.30am & 5pm

Te Puke
Saturday Vigil
4pm
at Anglican Church,
Jocelyn St.

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES at Mt Maunganui
(subject to change)

Monday
No Services

Tuesday
9am

Wednesday
9am
& Benediction

Thursday
9am

Friday
9am

ROSARY
After 9am Mass
at Mt Maunganui
Tues to Sat

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

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