

ORDINATION OF FR MICHAEL GIELEN AS AUXILIARY BISHOP OF AUCKLAND DIOCESE:

We extend our congratulations to Fr Michael. Fr will be ordained Auxiliary Bishop at the St Patrick's Cathedral in Auckland on **Sat, 7 March 2020** at 11.00am.

If you are interested in attending the ordination, the parish is gauging interest in hiring a bus. Please indicate your interest by filling in your name and contact details on the form in the foyer. Further details will follow.

EXCITING NEWS: We welcome the arrival of Fr Stuart's first grandchild, Harriet Shona. Please pray for Harriet and her parents. Thank you.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY DONATION BOX: Unfortunately the box was stolen from the STM Church foyer after Sunday morning Mass. There have been several thefts in recent months in the church/complex and we ask that everyone please be extra vigilant and aware of security. For donations to St VDP please put in the slot on the bench in the STM Church foyer.

THANK YOU to those who assisted with the Christmas Masses and especially the Midnight Mass. A special thank you to the choir at Midnight Mass. It was great to see a good attendance at this Mass.

GIVING BACK PROGRAM: The freezer is empty of meals. If you are able to provide a meal/s, Please take a plastic container from the STM Church foyer, date and label the contents and return it to the freezer. Thank you for your support.

NEW WEBSITE: www.allsaintsbythesea.nz

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

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2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time 19 January 2020

SAFEGUARDING WORKSHOP:

To all those who take Holy Communion to the housebound and those involved with Children's Liturgy (as Leaders) and Youth Leaders. There is a Safeguarding Workshop on **Tues, 4 Feb at 3.00pm** at St Thomas More Church complex OR at **7.00pm** at St Mary Immaculate Church.

It is a requirement that you attend.

This is to ensure your safety and the safety of those who are housebound, children/youth and the vulnerable. See Parish magazine (Dec issue) for more information.

EXTRA ORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION TO THE SICK are needed in our parish.

This is one of the most important ministries in the church and would involve about 30 minutes one day a week (on a day that suits you). You may like to form a team and undertake this ministry in conjunction with another person. Please speak with Fr Stuart or Deacon Henk if you would like to join this ministry. It would be desirable that you attend the Safeguarding Workshop.

ALSO, If you are interested in taking up a ministry in the parish, i.e. Extra ordinary Minister of Holy Communion to the sick, being involved in children's liturgy or helping with the youth, please speak with Fr Stuart or let the parish office know.

TE PUKE MASSES: There will be Liturgy of the Word every **Thursday** commencing on **30 Jan 2020**.

CLEANER WANTED:

We are seeking an energetic person to undertake some cleaning duties in the church and complex. We see some flexibility in hours and duties. These will be discussed with those who show interest. Please contact the parish office.

CATHOLIC EDUCATION FOR YOUR CHILDREN:

If your child/ren are not in a Catholic School, please consider obtaining entry to St Thomas More Catholic School if your child (or you as parent) are Baptised. Make an inquiry at STM School office or make an appointment to see Fr Stuart in order to obtain a Preference Card (this gives you preference to attend a Catholic school if you are baptized). There are no donation costs next year, however there is Attendance dues that are payable and uniform costs. As Catholic parents, this is the best opportunity you can give your children to learn in a great school and faith environment.

BAPTISM COURSE:

If you are expecting a baby or have a child under the age of 8 years of age and would like them to receive the Sacrament of Baptism, there is a Baptism course being held on **Mon, 3 Feb** at the STM Church at 7.00pm. Please register by contacting the parish office.

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.

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.

PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND: Join Bishop Steve on a Hamilton Diocese pilgrimage to the Holy Land from 3 to 22 October 2020. The cost of \$9990 (share twin) includes return air fares from Auckland, accommodation and most meals. For more information and a booking form contact Shona Richards, shonar@cdh.org.nz

PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND: Dip your feet into the River Jordan, walk the Stations of the Cross in Jerusalem, visit the spot where Jesus was born and swim in the Sea of Galilee. Our 21 day pilgrimage leaves on 28 December 2020. Your host will be Shelly Fitness, principal of St Patrick's Catholic School in Te Awamutu and our chaplain is Father Mark Field. Email pilgrimage2020@gmail.com for more information.

READINGS for the 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time 26 January 2020:

1. Isaiah 8:23-9:3 2. 1 Corinthians 1:10-13,17

GOSPEL: Matthew 4:12-23

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 intention cards are available for purchase from the parish office.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK:

Mon	Michael Tunnicliffe RIP
Tues	
Wed	
Thurs	Hamish Rieger RIP
Fri	Allan Rook RIP
Sat & Sun	All Saints by the Sea Parish

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

Mt Maunganui
9.30am & 5pm

**Te Puke
At Anglican
Church***
Saturday Vigil 5pm

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Monday
9am Mt

Tuesday
9am Mt

Wednesday
9am Mt
& Benediction

Thursday
9am Mt &
9am TP*
(Liturgy of Word)

Friday
9am Mt

ROSARY
After 9am Mass
at Mt Mon to Fri

Saturday
9am Rosary Mt

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