

Reconciliation

Whangamata Wednesday after 9:00am Mass
 Waihi Beach Thursday after 9:00am Mass
 Waihi Saturday after 9:00am Mass

The Outpouring of God's Love through His Spirit
 Presenter: Theresa Goulding
 Date: Thursday 7th July, 2011
 Time: 7:30—9:30 pm
 Venue: St Joseph's Parish Centre, Clarkin Road, Fairfield, Hamilton

All Ladies Welcome
 For further enquiries contact Shirley 8536626
 Catholic Women's Fellowship www.dove.org.nz



The Society of St Vincent De Paul in Hamilton

are running a workshop to update information about how best to help those in need effectively.

The workshop will cover the following topics:

- An overview of SVDP and the role of Conference members and centre volunteers.
- A speaker from WINZ will be giving an update on current policy and what grants are available etc.
- A speaker from the Food Bank will give attendees an overview of their role.

This would take about 2 hours with a Q & A session at the end.
 We need a minimum of 10 people to confirm attendance before booking the speakers.
 All those interested please contact Mike Rolton 847 4044

PROLIFE FACTS On 12th June, TV3's 60 Minutes documentary looked at plans for genetic testing for Down's syndrome in NZ. 90% of parents, when advised that their unborn baby has Down's syndrome, accept the routine offer of abortion. The pressure can be intense at a time when the parents are in shock and unaware of the support services available.
 For more information about pro-life issues, contact Voice for Life on (09)4430995.


Centennial Celebrations
 Holy Cross Parish, Henderson, Auckland will be holding it's centennial celebrations over the weekend of 5, 6 and 7 August 2011. We would like to extend a warm welcome to any past priests and parishioners who have since left the parish but would like to attend these celebrations. For more details please visit www.hendersoncatholic.org.nz or contact Jessica Andrades on (09) 835 9798 / Jessica@otarahealth.org.nz

St Joseph's Parish Roll Form
Waihi, Whangamata, Waihi Beach

M For new parishioners and those who have changed their address.

Surname:
Names:.....
Address:.....
Phone No:.....
Mob/email:.....

We attend Church at:



Waihi
 Whangamata
 Waihi Beach

I would like Planned Giving



Parish Newsletter

St Joseph's

Mueller St, Waihi
 Port Rd,
 Whangamata
 Fyfe Rd, Waihi Beach
 P O Box 7, Waihi
 Ph 07-863 8998

Trinity Sunday – 19 June, 2011

Dear parishioners of St. Joseph's, St. Patrick's, Stella Maris and all visitors,

Today is the Feast of the Blessed Trinity. It is a celebration of the love which bonds the three Divine Persons so intimately that they are, in truth, One God. It celebrates the love flowing out from the Trinity to embrace us all.

In a letter dated 15 June 2011, Bishop Denis has written: "The tenders for the Whangamata Church Extensions were discussed at the College of Consultors and Diocesan Finance Council meetings of the 14 June 2011. As a result of those discussions I write to inform you that I have accepted the tender from G J Gardner. I pray the project will be blessed as it comes to its completion."

In the coming week a discussion will be held with the Whangamata franchise of G J Gardner to ascertain when building can begin. It is our expectation that the project will be completed by Labour Weekend.

At this stage we have raised \$201,851 for the project. We need to raise another \$60,000 to cover the tender price. As we have already spent close to \$20,000, the real total needed about \$80,000.

A busily-creative group of parishioners are working to beautify the interior of our Church in Waihi, St. Joseph's: The area around Our Lady's statue currently looks rather bare but there are still things to be done.

This Sunday (June 19th) we will be hosting 'Musical Meanderings' at 1.30pm. During the octave of Pentecost the Church asks us to pray for Christian Unity. This is a great initiative fostering good will and love between the Christian churches here in Waihi.

Friday (June 24th) marks 30 years since the beginning of the apparitions of Mary, Queen of Peace, at Medjugorje. At St. Joseph's, Waihi, we will be reciting the Rosary at 6.30pm (pausing for 5 minutes quiet prayer at 6.40pm). Mass of Our Lady Queen of Peace will be celebrated at 7.00pm.

On Saturday evening (June 25th) a pot luck dinner will be held to farewell Inge Forster after the 5.30pm Mass at Whangamata. Don and Margaret Waylen will host the occasion. All parishioners are invited.

Kind Wishes,
 Msgr. Frank.



St. Joseph's Catholic School—your parish school

For any enquiries please ring 863 8653 or call at the school office.
Principal: Shaun O'Leary .
Board of Trustees Chair: Mark Kennett
Newsletters a can be viewed on the school website: stjswaihi.school.nz

St Patrick's Fund-raising.

Donations to St Patrick's Building Fund can be placed in an envelope marked St Pat's, put in collection and it will be receipted for tax purposes.
You will notice a target barometer at the back of the church. Total so far **\$201851.00**

Scripture Group News:

We are building the church of God. Want to learn more? Come to the Scripture Group and study with us the Acts of the Apostles. We meet every Thursday at 7pm at Bob and Janice's home, 6 Rata St, Waihi ph 863 8406.



Prayer Groups

Where: Anne Guzzo's, 3 Princes Street, Waihi
When: Every Wednesday 6.00pm—Soup & Buns
Time: 6.45pm Scripture followed by Rosary
All welcome Phone 863 8134

Christian Meditation Group meets on Tuesdays at 4.30pm St Joseph's, Waihi. All Welcome Ph Raewyn 07 549 4005

Divine Mercy Prayer, Fridays 3pm, St Joseph's Church, Waihi. All Welcome

Please pray for our parishioners who are sick and those in need of our prayers: Jim Hall, Billie Heath, Craig Hughes, Margie Douest, Bill Bain, Joan Baxter, Carmel Minards, Peter Richards, Pat Parker, Judith McBrearty, Olga Berry, Lorna Wardrop, Roly Ferguson and Barbara Hossack

Please pray for our Hamilton Diocese Seminarian: Danny Fraser-Jones

Prayer of the Church Weekdays Year 1
Mon, Tues, Wed & Fri. 8.30am & 4.30pm Waihi
Saturday 9.30am (after Mass)

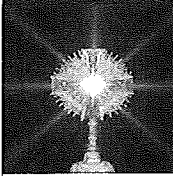
Readings for the Twelfth Week in Ordinary Time

Monday: Genesis 12:1-9; Matthew 7:1-5
Tuesday: Genesis 13:2, 5-18; Matthew 7:6,12-14
Wednesday: Genesis 15:1-12, 17-18; Matthew 7:15-20
Thursday: Genesis 16:1-12, 15-16; Matthew 7:21-29
Friday: Isaiah 49:1-6; Acts 13:22-26; Luke 1:57-66, 80 Birth of St John the Baptist
Saturday: Genesis 18:1-15; Matthew 8:5-17

Readings for The Body And Blood Of Christ (Year A)

First: Deut. 8:2-3,14-16
Second: 1 Cor 10:16-17
Gospel: John 6:51-58

Sunday Mass: Whangamata **VIGIL 5.30pm** Waihi Beach: **8am** Waihi **10am**
Weekdays: Monday: 9.00am Waihi. Tuesday 9.00am, Waihi
Wednesday 9.00am Whangamata, Thursday 9am, Waihi Beach
Friday 11.00am Waihi; Saturday 9.00am Waihi.
Parish Priest: Msgr. Frank Eggleton frfrank@xtra.co.nz
Parish Office: ccwaihi@xtra.co.nz
Youth Co-ordinator: Therese van Loon Phone 863 4059



Exposition

Whangamata: Wednesday: 9.30-10.00am
Waihi: Tuesday: 9.30—10.00am
Friday: 10.30-11.00am

Creative Group Creative Group There will be no meeting this Monday. See you all on Monday 27th in the Parish Meeting Room, St Joseph's, Waihi after 9am Mass.
Music, drama, fabric, sewing, woodwork, painting
All skill levels and ideas most welcome. Come along and stay on for soup for lunch.
Contact Lynn 863 3019 or Phillipa 863 7271.

Musical Meander

1:30pm June 19th. This will begin at St Joseph's Catholic Church continuing to the Baptist Church, Gilmour St, concluding with afternoon tea at the Seventh Day Adventist Church Cannon St. There will be an offering for the work of Bible Societies.

SVDP

We would all like to congratulate Des Mulhern for the award he received on Monday night. The Rotary Paul Harris Award for Services to the Community. This is the highest Rotary International Award given.
Keep up the good work Des, we are all there to help you.
Your SVDP Team Members

Singing Practice

There will be a singing practice Tuesday 21st June from 7pm—8pm.

Newsletter items and rosters to Vanessa at the Parish Office by **Wednesday** please. Email ccwaihi@xtra.co.nz Ph 863 8998, Fax 863 8988 or leave in Waihi Church porch in newsletter box provided.

Passionist Family Group Movement

If you are interested in joining a Family Group please phone Parish Co-ordinators Paul & Jill Davenport 8638477 or 0275 212347



Aspects Of Love Family Group: We have a very active Family Group supporting each other and celebrating together. Last month we celebrated two 70th birthdays, this month we are supporting our lovely Margaret who has had a knee replacement. We are also gathering for a Pot Luck Dinner. Anyone is welcome to join us.