

ROSTER FOR NEXT WEEKEND (4th Sat/ 4th Sun of month)

NEXT WEEK: SATURDAY 24 April 2021 8.00 OPM & SUNDAY 25 April 2021

	SATURDAY VIGIL 5.30pm	SUNDAY 8.00AM	SUNDAY 10.00AM	SUNDAY 5.30PM
LEADER	RESHMA JOSE	TIA RAMSAY	SAMOAN COMMUNITY	LISA AMOA
READERS	TBC ROHIT PAUL	AGNES SIONE IVONA UTULEI	SAMOAN COMMUNITY	LIMA PAILATE KATERINA LEAU
MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION	M ANCLA R MONTECILLO L AHVOO	S MATAIA L MATAIA S LABAN	J TUPI HUFANGA J PADORA V WAIRASI M WAIRASI	L FAATUI M OSE C ABADINGO
SACRED VESSELS		S LABAN		
ALTAR SERVERS	COLLINS FAMILY MULIPOLA FAMILY	FALANIKO FAMILY JARROD SEKO	M UALESI J FILOPO JEREH MEALAMU SMITH FAMILY	TUPI FAMILY IELENIMO FAMILY
MUSICIANS	SR GEMMA	KALANI MOSE	SAMOAN COMMUNITY	TAWAG AWIT
FIRST AID	ANY AVAILABLE PLEASE	ANY AVAILABLE PLEASE	ANY AVAILABLE PLEASE	ANY AVAILABLE PLEASE
WARDENS	ANY AVAILABLE PLEASE	ANY AVAILABLE PLEASE	ANY AVAILABLE PLEASE	ANY AVAILABLE PLEASE
COLLECTION COUNTERS	18 APRIL 2021 IMELDA QUERO, EVELYN AFRICA & LEONILA SALAC		25 APRIL 2021 LILI FA'OA & SUI VILI	
FLORISTS	17 APRIL 2021 –		24 APRIL 2021 – LEGION OF MARY	
OUTSIDE GROUNDS	APRIL		TONGAN COMMUNITY	
Collection 10 & 11 April : Loose Cash: \$2065.30 Envelopes: \$2498.10 TOTAL: \$4563.40 Thank you for your faithful generosity!				

From 31 March 2021 we are unable to bank cheques. Payments can be made in cash, or by direct credit to the Parish Account. (Bank account details available from the Parish Office)

Pledge envelopes can be collected this weekend from the church porch.

Tax receipts will be available towards the end of April.

**HAVE
YOU
SCANNED
IN?**



Holy Cross Parish
21 Carruth Rd Papatoetoe Auckland

This is the Holy Cross Parish **QR Code**.

It is really important we all keep track of where we have been, to protect ourselves, our families and our community.

HOLY CROSS PARISH 21 CARRUTH ROAD PAPATOETOE

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ASSISTANT PRIEST: Father Soane Lomu SM

United in Faith to Bring the Love of God into Action

3rd SUNDAY OF EASTER – 18 APRIL 2021 - YEAR B

1st Reading: Acts 3:13-15, 17-19

Psalm 4:1, 3, 6, 8

Answer me when I call, O God of my right!

You gave me room when I was in distress.

Be gracious to me, and hear my prayer.

But know that the Lord has set apart the faithful for himself;

The Lord hears when I call to him.

There are many who say, "O that we might see some good!

Let the light of your face shine on us, O Lord!"

I will both lie down and sleep in peace;

For you alone, O Lord, make me lie down in safety.

2nd Reading: 1 John 2:1-5

Gospel: Luke 24:35 - 48



Mass Timetable

Sunday Mass Times:

Saturday Vigil 5.30pm Sunday 8.00am, 10.00am and 5.30pm

Weekday Masses: Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri, Sat 9.00am, Wed 12 noon.

EXPOSITION & ADORATION – FRI AFTER 9AM MASS – BENEDICTION -10.20AM

Please pray for those who are sick, recovering from surgery, or in need of our prayers:

Kalala Parsons, Mere Turner, Aloma Turner, Telesia Falefata, Vili Soti, Lagi Vaike, Anastasia Laban, Rosetta Johansson, Joseph Ngan Woo, Dawn Mulligan, Joy Crosswell, Bev Ryan, Talo Pesamino, Lafaele Silafai, Sera Chan Cheuk-Moss, Jose Thomas, and Mary Prabhakar

Anniversaries or Recently Deceased: Sister Iulia Pua SM, Joan Glen, Jacob Abraham, Elena Damay, Sr Gino Fernando, Guillerermo Calimbahin, Nicolasa Calimbahin, Buensuselita San Sebastian, John Crosswell

Mass intentions:

5.30pm Saturday: John Crosswell (A) **5.30pm Sunday:** Jacob Abraham (R)

RECONCILIATION TIMES:

WEDNESDAYS: 11.15am – 11.45am

FRIDAYS: 9.45 am – 10.15am

SATURDAYS: 9.30 am – 10.00am (or by appointment with either of the priests.)

BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASSES: Last Thursday of the month. The next course will be on Thursday 29 April 2021 at 7pm in the Church. BAPTISMS are held on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of the month at 11.00am

Tongan Community Mass: Every 3rd Saturday at 7.00pm. All Welcome.

Filipino Community Mass: Every 3rd Sunday at 2.30pm. All Welcome.

Children's sacramental programme

1st Reconciliation 6pm Wednesday 5th May – note change of date

Confirmation 6pm Thursday 13th May

1st Holy Communion 10am Mass Sunday 6 JUNE 2021

THE FEAST OF THE BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

ALL THE CHILDREN TOGETHER – PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGE OF DATE AND ARRANGEMENTS.

The First Holy Communion Mass will be followed by an outside procession of the Blessed Sacrament ending with Benediction in the Church

Parish Liturgy Committee meets on the last Sunday of the month after 10.00am Mass in the meeting room of the Hall. The next scheduled meeting is Sunday 25 April.

- **ALTAR SERVERS FORMATION AND TRAINING: SATURDAY 8 MAY 2021 – 10.00AM** This is for existing altar servers and young people who have received First Holy Communion and who would like to become an altar server. We would love to see as many of you as possible join this very special ministry in our parish.
- **IMPORTANT MESSAGE FOR ALL Lectors and Ministers of Holy Communion.** You are asked to attend one of 2 seminars to be held in the Church on **Thursday 20th May at 7.00pm OR Saturday 22 May at 2.30pm.** This seminar is for new ministers and for existing ministers who would like to continue their ministry. Following these seminars, ministers will be commissioned for the next 2 years. For more information, or if it is impossible for you to attend either of these sessions, please contact :
JOCELYN UASIKE PH 2788592 OR 0272368765

Pax Christi Aotearoa New Zealand invites you to join us in an **online study reflection looking at Climate Change.** This online study is over two weeks beginning **Tuesday 27th of April 2021**, starting at 7.30pm and ending at 9pm. This study will explore how climate change and degradation of the Earth impacts all our lives (as seen through the works of Mercy) and looks at choices and actions that can help us in this new reality. **Please enrol by 20th April 2021** by emailing paxchristiaotearoa@gmail.com. On enrolment, you will be sent the zoom link and reading for the first meeting."

Sisters of Mercy Centenary Celebration Epsom As part of this year's centennial celebrations of the Parish and School, the Sisters of Mercy invite parishioners, students and parents to join with them after 10am Mass on Sunday 2 May 2021, on the anniversary of the Sisters of Mercy moving into the house at 104 The Drive, Epsom to start the school. This is an opportunity to come and see Cecilia Maher House and facilities, wander through the grounds, view displays and enjoy light refreshments. Come and celebrate a century of Mercy women and their helpers who have served in the parish. For the purposes of catering please register your interest to attend. Registrations are open on the Our Lady of the Sacred Heart parish website

The Catholic Diocese of Auckland Commission for Ecumenism is hosting a **public lecture on Ecumenism**, celebrating 25th Anniversary of Pope John Paul II letter on "Ut Unum Sint (That They May All Be One)" by Dr Sarah Hart, theologian and lecturer at Te Kupenga Catholic Theological College | Topic: Revisiting Ut Unum Sint after 25 years – a biblical perspective | **Tuesday 27th April 2021 @7:00 PM | St Therese Catholic Church, 10 Wickman Way, Mangere** | Light refreshments provided.

Bishops' Forums Bishops Pat and Michael invite you to join them at one of the 2021 Bishop Forums 5 May, 7.30-9.30 pm St Joseph Takapuna, Church Hall | 8 May, 11.00 am St Therese, Morewa | 9 May, 11.30am St Francis Xavier Whangarei, Church Hall | 11 May, 7.30-9.30 pm Christ the King Owairaka, Church 27 May, **7.30-9.30 pm St Anne's Manurewa, Church Hall**

NZ Catholic has been named as Publication of the Year at the Australasian Religious Press Association 2020 Awards. The April 18 – May 1 issue of NZ Catholic is out now. Some headlines are: Plea for more prayers for vocations. Theological college to move to new Auckland campus. 500 years of Catholic faith in Philippines celebrated in Auckland and Wellington. Pope condolences on death of Prince Philip. **Copies available in the Church Porch \$4.00**

- **CHILDREN'S LITURGY** is a really effective support for passing on our Catholic Faith to our children. We are planning to restart children's liturgy during the 10.00am Mass on Sundays –**BUT WE NEED LEADERS!!** It is not difficult and full training and easy to follow resources are provided. There are sign up forms in the Church Porch. **PLEASE VOLUNTEER TODAY.** Our children need you!! – Parents, grandparents, aunts, uncles, senior students, young adults or any people who love children and are young at heart – all welcome!!