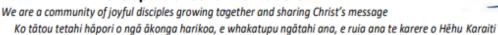




Catholic Parish of Wellington South

In the spirit of Suzanne Aubert





Sunday June 12 Trinity Sunday

In the message of the Gospel and in every form of Christian mission, one cannot overlook this unity among us to which Jesus calls, following the unity of the Father, of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. The beauty of the Gospel asks to be lived — unity — and witnessed in the harmony among us, who are so diverse! *Pope Francis, Trinity Sunday 2021*

Now

Trinity Sunday 12 June

Coming Up

Prayer trek for peace in Ukraine

Saturday 18 June

Day of prayer for Migrants and Refugees

Sunday 19 June

Suzanne Aubert's birthday Sunday 19 June

Matariki

Friday 24 June

Peters Pence Collection

Sunday 26 June

Weekend Mass

Vigil Mass

6pm St Francis de Sales

Sunday Mass:

9am Št Anne's 10.30am St Francis de Sales 5pm St Anne's

Weekday Mass

Mon: 9am Mass St Francis de Sales. Tues: 10am Liturgy at St Anne's Thurs: 10am St Anne's Mass

Fri: 9.15am St Francis De Sales Mass

Sat: 10am St Anne's Mass

From Fr Cirilo

Dear Parishioners - Te rangimarie!

We have returned to ordinary time and in doing so with the celebration of the Holy Trinity - the solemnity of the God of love, a personal God that unites, creates and recreates. And we know this by the loving action of God.

In the first reading we have this image of the wisdom of God (Jesus and H.S. in the New Testament), who knows how to create and recreate. We see this in the act of creation described as an act of love and joy. In the very act of creation the wisdom of God is depicted as someone playfully roaming around the earth in joy, dancing with amusement at the creation. "I found delight in the children of human beings" a special mention of God's love for the human beings.

In the second reading from the letter of Paul to the Romans we again see the recreative action of God clearly seen in the Trinity. We have been created by faith through Jesus Christ who is called the wisdom of God - the word of God, the Son of God. We are justified before God, finding peace with God through the wisdom called Jesus Christ.

In the Gospel, the Holy Trinity is our God, a personal God of creative love - act of the triune God. The creating and recreating power of love deeply rooted in the loving communion of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, cannot be helped but to overflow into the world the recreating love for the human being. Jesus said, as his farewell, the Holy Spirit will lead you to all truth which in the gospel of John means the "truth of God." No one can know God except by the gift of the Holy Spirit. It is in the Holy Spirit that we are all led to the very heart of the mystery of who God is. And this Holy Spirit will remind the disciples of the words of Jesus Christ. Nothing else. There is no competition. No individuality. No power play. Only intentional love of the wisdom of God that creates and recreates and never destroys.

We live in diversity, family diversity, in the community we belong to and in the society we live in. We might differ in skin colour, in historical narrative, in our approach to disposition in the culture we belong to. We are called to love in

unity in the Trinity. The loving power of the Trinity might inspire us to recreate and renew the face of the earth - which is one, true, and good.

Arohanui Cirilo



Parish Financial Report

The 2021/2022 Finance Report is available this weekend from the Foyer

Responsorial Psalm: O Lord, our God, how wonderful your name in all the

Gospel acclamation: Glory to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit; to God who is, who was, and who is to come.

Remembering the Holy Souls

RIP: Anne Marie Mezgec (Funeral St Anne's Tuesday 14 at 11am)

Anniversary: Luigi & Tina Dellabarca



PRAYER TREK for peace in Ukraine

Step out with the combined churches on a winter's walk from Owhiro Bay - a time for shared and individual prayer for Ukraine. Meet at 9.30am, **Sat 18th June**, at Red Rocks info centre. We'll return by 11.30am. This is a flat but wild



sandy coastline offering an easy walk as far as you wish. Dress warmly. Please be in touch in the event of untoward weather. Contact Liz for info, on 022 185 5357.

Suzanne Aubert's 187th Birthday Celebration

Following the invitation to have "a heart as big as an artichoke, and so big that everyone can have a leaf of it", we will celebrate on **Sunday, 19th June**, the 187th birthday of Meri Hōhepa Suzanne Aubert.

The celebration will take place with a Commemorative Mass at Our Lady's Home of Compassion at 11:00 am, which will feature music by St Mary College. Afterward, attendees will enjoy refreshments in the Heritage Centre.

The invitation is open to all who wish to attend one of the most significant events in the Compassion calendar and a time to reflect on the life and legacy of our founder Meri Hōhepa Suzanne Aubert.

Joshua Wellington extends an open invitation to whoever would like to come to a MASS followed by a light supper on Thursday 16th June 2022 at 7:30pm at 'Loaves and Fishes' next to Anglican Cathedral of St Paul, corner Hill and Molesworth Streets.

Celebrant: Fr Peter Ewart sm, Joshua chaplain Want to know more? Ring Steve Ready 027-356-9555 or email: joshua.wgtn@gmail.com

Engaged Encounter is a weekend experience for couples intending to be married.

There are 2 more weekends in 2022. (16 -17th July and 12-13th November). The weekends are held at the Catholic Presbytery, 301 Karori Road. It is a two day, live out weekend. We have had excellent feedback from couples who have participated over the years.

For more details go to our website http://www.cee-wellington.co.nz/ Phone Kate and Simon Olson. 027 486 0700 or email simonolsen@gmail.com

St Francis de Sales Rosary Statue is with St Francis de Sales school. Contact the Parish Office for info.

Readings for this week

Sun 12 June: Prv 8:22-31; 1 Rom 5:3-1-5; Jn 16:12-15

Mon 13 June: 1 Kings 21:1-16: Mt 5;38-42 **Tues 14 June:** 1 Kings 21:17-29 Mt 5: 43-48 **Wed 15 June:** 2 Kings 2:1,6-14; Mt 6:1-6,16-18

Thurs 16 June: Ecc 48:1-14 Mt 6:7-15 **Fri 17 June:** 2 Kings 11:1-4,9-18; Mt 6:19-23

Sat 18 June: 2 Chronicles 24:17-25; Mt 6:24-34

Pentecost Art



Last week the St Bernard's school children in Room One learnt all about Pentecost. They learned about the symbols of the Holy Spirit and created some stained-glass window art using tissue paper and cellophane. It looks great on our school windows.



St Francis de Sales school will be holding their annual **Mission Fair** on Wednesday 15 June at 1pm, let's pray for good weather! The money raised this year will be going to the Caritas Fund He Oranga Taurikura - A Thriving Life. This programme works with

local communities in the Pacific and South East Asia where we will continue to reduce the impact of poverty with a focus on girls and women, refugees and migrants, and indigenous peoples.

St Patricks College Open Days

The Open Day tours for those interested in enrolling their son at St Patrick's College for 2023 will be held on Tuesday **14 June** 2022 between 10.00 to 11.30am and from 12.30pm to 2.00pm and again on Thursday 16 June 2022 between 10.00 to 11.30am and from 12.30pm to 2.00pm.

Sts Peter and Paul's Church, Johnsonville 100 Year celebration 1922-2022

When: Sunday 26th June 2.00pm

Where: Sts Peter and Pauls Dr Taylor Tce Johnsonville Mass with Cardinal John Dew presiding. Followed by afternoon tea in the church hall. Memorial Books available \$20. We look forward to seeing you there.

Community News

Island Bay Community Centre newsletter <u>can be found here</u> Island Bay Residents Association newsletter <u>can be found here</u> Newtown Community and Cultural Centre

Newsletter can be found here

Reconciliation available Saturdays 10.30 @ St Anne's



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