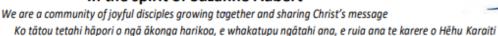


# **Catholic Parish of Wellington South**

In the spirit of Suzanne Aubert





# Sunday September 10 23rd Sunday Ordinary Time

Jesus asks us to be present to those in need of help, regardless of whether or not they belong to our social group... the Good Samaritan became a neighbour to the wounded Judean. Jesus says: "Go and do likewise"

Pope Francis, Fratelli Tutti, 84.

## Now

### **Holy Communion Programme**

2nd Children's session September 10

#### **Season of Creation**

Ecumenical Prayer Service 10 September Baptist Church

# Coming up

## **Clergy Jubilee Mass**

Wednesday September 13th St Anne's at 10.30am

#### **Church Life Survey**

Sunday 24 September

#### **Suzanne Aubert Day**

**10am Mass** Sunday October 1st at St Francis de Sales Church

#### Weekend Mass

#### Vigil Mass

6pm St Francis de Sales

#### **Sunday Mass:**

9am St Anne's

10.30am St Francis de Sales

5pm St Anne's

**Samoan Mass** 11am every 3rd Sunday **St Bernard's Mass** 10.30am every 1st Sunday at the school Hall

#### **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

# **Gospel Reflection**

#### **Getting to a resolution**

In the Gospel, Jesus teaches the disciples how to deal with sin-related conflict. First, individually, then privately, and finally publicly. Why this process?

Dealing with sin the way Jesus tells us to, helps individuals, while protecting the health and wellbeing of our church whānau and communities. First, we must confront the sin and help those who have sinned. The one who has been hurt must go and speak individually with the one who has sinned to try and work things out and restore the relationship.

Jesus is telling us that it's important to deal with sin otherwise it may grow. He is also telling us to make our relationships with one another right. How we do that is important too. When we meet with the person who has sinned individually, we help provide a space where they can talk more freely, we help preserve their mana and minimise gossip.

If they repent, great! We have helped one of our church whānau or community.

If the person refuses to repent, then the one who was hurt, should return with one or two others as witnesses. When two or three gather in Jesus' name there is great power, and Jesus is amongst them. In this way, we show love to the person who caused the hurt and can pray for them together. Again, if they refuse to repent, then the issue is to be taken to the church or assembly for consideration.

So, when we have disagreements or arguments, deal with the matter individually, then privately, and finally publicly. Know always that God loves and forgive us all - when we agree and disagree.

Christine and Laurance



**Responsorial Psalm**: If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts. **Gospel acclamation**: God was reconciling the world to himself in Christ and entrusting to us the message of reconciliation.

#### **Remembering the Holy Souls**

RIP: Eden Lesona, Agripina Valeriano Sim, Tina Henderson-Aho

**Anniversary:** Edward (Ted) Richards, Margaret (Peg) Holden Camillo Amitrano, Salvatore Volpicelli, Raffaele Volpicelli, Luigi Mollo, Rosy Coutinho,Raffaele Greco, Giuseppe Muollo, Francesca Muollo, Hilda Greco, Br Hubert Clifford FMS





#### **Celebrate Suzanne Aubert Day**

with Wellington South Parish and the Home of Compassion

Sunday October 1st at 10am

at St Francis de Sales Church.

A whole of Parish Mass at 10am followed by a shared morning tea. Please bring a can of food for the Soup Kitchen. On that weekend there will be no 9am Mass or 6pm Vigil.

**The Clergy Jubilee Mass** will be at St Anne's Church on Wednesday 13 September starting at 10.30am

25th Fr. Kevin Purcell and Fr. Frank Maguire 60th Fr. Owen Sinclair And Fr. Jim Dooley SM

40th Fr. Michael McCabe, Fr. Michael Young SM,

and Fr. John Murphy SM

Everyone is welcome at the Wednesday Mass.

#### **Holy Communion programme**

The first children's session was held last Sunday at St Anne's and St Francis de Sales. They are learning about the Last Supper when Jesus first offered the bread and wine as his body and blood. Please keep these children in your prayers.



#### Readings for this week

**Sun 10 Sept:** Ez 33:7-9; Romans 13:8-10;Mt 18:15-20

Mon 11 Sept: Col 1:24-2:3; Lk 6:6-11 Tue 12 Sept: Col 2:6-15; Lk 6:12-19 Wed 13 Sept: Col 3:1-11; Lk 6:20-26

Thurs 14 Sept: Num 21:4-9; Phil 2:6-11; Jn 3:13-17

**Fri 15 Sept:** Hebrews 5:7-9; JN 19:25-27 **Sat 16 Sept:** Tim 1:15-17; Lk 6:43-49

From St Anne's liturgy Committee:

#### Celebrating the 2023 Season of Creation: Let Justice and Peace Flow (1 Sept-4 Oct)

Sunday Eucharist throughout the Season will include creation focused hymns and prayers,

taking into account **Social Justice Week and Te Wiki o Te Reo Māori.** 

There will be a 'put and take' table in the foyer. Bring an item(s) that you no longer need or want. It may be useful for someone else. Take something from the table if you wish. This will encourage us to keep items in circulation rather than going into the rubbish tip.

On Sunday 10 September at 3pm there will be an **Ecumenical Prayer Service** hosted by the Wellington South Baptist Church 284 The Parade, Island Bay.

#### **COME and SEE Priesthood Vocations Morning**

Could God be calling you? Are you searching for your purpose? Come and be inspired! Meet priests and seminarians, find out their vocation stories... Ask those burning questions... Talk with other guys on the same journey...

Join us for a morning of prayer, sharing and fellowship. Starting at 9am at **St Francis de Sales Presbytery**, 173 Clyde Street, Island Bay. To register, text 021 164 5800 or email l.hensel@wn.catholic.org.nz

Visit our Facebook page (Wellington Priests) or follow this link: www.wellingtonpriests.org

**Joshua Wellington** invites men to join us on Thursday 21st September at 7:30pm at the 'Loaves and Fishes' next to Anglican Cathedral of St Paul, corner Hill and Molesworth Streets followed by supper. Speaker: Fr Peter Ewart SM on "Make Unity Our Target" Want to know more? Ring David Monastra 027-447-7280 or email: joshua.wgtn@gmail.com

Everybody is welcome at the **Current of Grace** Wellington event "I am moving over the nations will you follow me?" on Saturday 7th October 2023 at **St Joseph's Church** Mt Victoria between 10:00am and 3:30pm. Speaker; Josie Olsen. Healing service led by Fr John Rea SM. Bring your own lunch. Refer to poster on

Want to know more? Ring Steve Ready 027-356-9555 or email: currentofgracewellington@gmail.com

the noticeboard.

#### **PROGRAMME**

FEAST OF ROSARY PRAYERS
PRAISE & WORSHIP

TALK INCLUDES FEEDBACK FROM INTERCESSORS' CONFERENCE IN AFRICA

**SMALL GROUPS** 

LUNCH [BRING YOUR OWN]

SMALL GROUPS -FEEBACK/DISCERNMENT HEALING MINISTRY

**Divine Mercy** at St Francis de Sales starts 9.10am before the 10.30 Mass every Sunday. All welcome

**Divine Mercy** at St Anne's starts at 6pm after the 5pm Mass every Sunday. All welcome

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