



THE PRIESTLY FRATERNITY OF ST PETER AUCKLAND LATIN MASS CHAPLAINCY

St Anne's Chapel | 3 Cole Place, Te Atatu South

PENTECOST SUNDAY

24TH MAY, 2026

Please note, Fr Sumich is away this week.

Pax Christi,

Today we celebrate Pentecost Sunday, the 50th day of Easter. This great feast still has an octave, and so each day this week will be a continuation of Pentecost Sunday. This week however is also an ember week, and so the Church merges together the joy of the coming of the Holy Ghost with the penance of the ember days.

This is an interesting combination, which will be especially striking on Pentecost Saturday, where there will be 5 readings, *then* the Gloria, then the Epistle, the Pentecost sequence, and the Gospel and Creed. The joy of Pentecost is penetrating the ember days. Traditionally the ember days were days of fasting and abstinence as well, this is no longer obligatory, but still a good custom to consider. But how are we to understand this dual aspect of penance and the joy of the feast? How do they work together?

Penance does not have to be, and should not be sorrowful. Our Lord said not to be sad like the hypocrites when we fast. When we undertake a penance, the penance should not take away our joy, and especially on feast days. The penance that we do should be an extension of celebrating the feast. We first celebrate the feast without any penance, but then when the ember days arrive, we make a sacrifice to God during the celebration as an added means to worship Him and prepare ourselves for the continual coming the Holy Spirit.

But we continue to celebrate the coming of the Holy Spirit. If you do voluntarily take up the ember day fasts, perhaps a happy medium will be to only eat between meals, but to have a nice meal in honour of the Holy Spirit. Perhaps an added *penance* could be extra prayers asking for the counted outpouring of grace from the Holy Ghost, such as praying the *Veni Creator Spiritus*. The recitation of this today has the privilege of a plenary indulgence under the usual conditions, of Holy Communion, confessions (a few weeks before or after suffices), praying for the intentions of the Holy Father and detachment from sin.

Finally, we ask for your prayers for 12 men who are being ordained for the FSSP at our seminary in the USA this coming Thursday. Please pray for the ordinandi [those to be ordained] that they will be good and holy Priests and that they serve well the communities and souls entrusted to their care. The ember days are also traditional days for Holy Orders to be conferred, and you pray for Priests. So, please say an extra prayer for the ordinandi this ember week and for all Priests and seminarians in general.

MASS TIMETABLE

St Anne's Chapel, Te Atatu South

Monday – Wednesday 7am

Thursday 7pm | Saturday 8am

Mt St Mary's Chapel, Titirangi

Friday - Benediction 6:40pm - Mass 7pm

St Paul's College Chapel, Ponsonby

Sunday - 8am (Low) & 10am (Sung)

Holy Name of Mary, Hikurangi

4th Sunday - 2:30pm

CONFESSION

Monday to Wednesday

30 minutes before Mass

Thursday to Sunday

1 hour before Mass

VESPERS & BENEDICTION

1st Sunday - 5:30pm - St. Paul's

ROSARY OF REPARATION

Saturdays - 7am - St. Anne's

Text or call either priest to schedule a home visit for the sacraments.

If someone is in danger of death, call Fr Sumich or Fr Pospischil immediately for Last Rites.

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PENTECOST SUNDAY

INTROIT

Wis 1:7, Ps. 67:2

The Spirit of the Lord fills the world, alleluia, is all-embracing, and knows man's utterance, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia. *Ps.* God arises; His enemies are scattered, and those who hate Him flee before Him.

COLLECT

O God, You Who on this day have taught the hearts of the faithful by the light of the Holy Spirit, grant us by that Holy Spirit Himself, to know what is right and ever to rejoice in His help.

EPISTLE

Acts 2:1-11

When the days of Pentecost were drawing to a close, they were all together in one place. And suddenly there came a sound from heaven, as of a violent wind blowing, and it filled the whole house where they were sitting. And there appeared to them parted tongues as of fire, which settled upon each of them. And they were all filled with the Holy spirit and began to speak in foreign tongues, even as the Holy Spirit prompted them to speak. Now there were staying at Jerusalem, devout Jews, from every nation under heaven. And when this sound was heard, the multitude gathered and were bewildered in mind, because each heard them speaking in his own language. But they were all amazed and marvelled saying, Behold, are not all these that are speaking Galileans? And how have we heard each his own language in which he was born? Parthians and Medes and Elamites, and inhabitants of Mesopotamia, Judea, and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphilia, Egypt and the parts of Libya about Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, Jews also and proselytes, Cretens and Arabians, we have heard them speaking in our own languages of the wonderful works of God.

ALLELUIA

Ps 103:30

Alleluia, alleluia. *V* Send forth Your Spirit, and they shall be created: and You shall renew the face of the earth. Alleluia.

V (Kneel) Come, O Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of Your faithful: and kindle in them the fire of Your love. *(Sit)*

SEQUENCE

1. Holy Spirit! Lord of light!
From Thy clear celestial height,
Thy pure, beaming radiance give:
2. Come, Thou, Father of the poor!
Come, with treasures which endure!
Come, Thou light of all that live!
3. Thou of all consolers best,
Visiting the troubled breast,
Dost refreshing peace bestow:
4. Thou in toil art comfort sweet;
Pleasant coolness in the heat;
Solace in the midst of woe.
5. Light immortal! Light divine!
Visit Thou these hearts of Thine,
And our inmost being fill.
6. If Thou take Thy grace away,
Nothing pure in man will stay;
All his good is turn'd to ill.

7. Heal our wounds, our strength renew;
On our dryness pour Thy dew;
Wash the stains of guilt away:
8. Bend the stubborn heart and will;
Melt the frozen, warm the chill;
Guide the steps that go astray.
9. Thou, on those who evermore
Thee confess and Thee adore,
In Thy sevenfold gifts descend.
10. Give them comfort when they die;
Give them life with Thee on high;
Give them joys which never end.
Amen. Alleluia.

GOSPEL

John 14:23-31



At that time, Jesus said to His disciples: If anyone love Me, he will keep My word, and My Father will love him, and We will come to him and make Our abode with him. He who does not love Me, does not keep My words. And the word that you have heard is not Mine, but the Father's Who sent Me. These things I have spoken to you while yet dwelling with you. But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, Whom the Father will send in My Name, He will teach you all things, and bring to your mind whatever I have said to you. Peace I leave with you, My peace I give to you; not as the world gives do I give to you. Do not let your heart be troubled, or be afraid. You have heard Me say to you, 'I go away and I am coming to you.' If you loved Me, you would indeed rejoice that I am going to the Father, for the Father is greater than I. And now I have told you before it comes to pass, that when it has come to pass you may believe. I will no longer speak much with you, for the prince of the world is coming and in Me he has nothing. But he comes that the world may know that I love the Father, and that I do as the Father has commanded Me.

OFFERTORY

Ps 67:29-30

Confirm, O God, what You have wrought in us; from Your temple, which is in Jerusalem, kings shall offer gifts to You. Alleluia.

SECRET

Sanctify these offerings, we beseech You, O Lord, and cleanse our hearts by the light of the Holy Spirit.

PREFACE OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

It is truly meet and just, right and for our salvation, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto Thee, O holy Lord, Father almighty, everlasting God: through Christ our Lord. Who ascending above all in the heavens and sitting at Thy Right Hand, poured out the Holy Spirit upon the children of adoption. Wherefore the whole world doth rejoice with overflowing joy; and the heavenly Hosts also and the angelic Powers sing together the hymn of Thy glory, evermore saying:

COMMUNION

Acts 2:2, 4

Suddenly there came a sound from heaven, as of a violent wind blowing, where they were sitting, alleluia: and they were all filled with the Holy Spirit, speaking of the wonderful works of God, alleluia, alleluia.

POST COMMUNION

May the inpouring of the Holy Spirit cleanse our hearts, O Lord, and make them fertile through the dew He sprinkles upon them.

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
<i>Pentecost Monday</i>	<i>Pentecost Tuesday</i>	<i>Ember Wednesday in Pentecost</i>	<i>Pentecost Thursday</i>	<i>Ember Friday in Pentecost</i>	<i>Ember Saturday in Pentecost</i>	<i>Trinity Sunday</i>
7am St Anne's	7am St. Anne's	7am St Anne's	7pm St Anne's	7pm Mt St Mary's	8am St Anne's	8am St. Paul's 10am St Paul's

JOIN THE 10AM CHOIR

The chaplaincy choir practices every Thursday 8pm to 9pm (after 7pm Mass)

St. Anne's Hall, Te Atatū
New members welcome.



ST PETER'S SCHOLA

We are looking for more men to join us.
5:30pm Vespers every Sunday at St. Anne's*
*1st Sunday at St. Paul's

MUSIC FOR SUNG MASS KYRIALE

Mass for Four Voices - *Byrd* | *Credo III*

DURING OFFERTORY

Regina Caeli - *Aichinger*

DURING COMMUNION

Veni Creator Spiritus - *Rossini*

CHORAL POSTLUDE

If ye love me - *Tallis*

*If ye love me, keep my commandments,
and I will pray the Father,
and He shall give you another Comforter,
That He may abide with you forever,
e'en the Spirit of truth.*

Please show your support for the Choir Outreach

In late August, the chaplaincy choir will travel to the Diocese of Palmerston North and to visit their Latin Mass Community (as well as sing in their Sung Mass on Sunday).

We would appreciate any financial support towards the transport and accomodation cost (approximately \$2000).

COME HOLY GHOST CREATOR COME

1. Come, Holy Ghost, Creator, come

From Thy bright heav'nly throne;

Come, take possession of our souls,

And make them all Thine own.

2. Thou who art called the Paraclete,

Best gift of God above,

The living spring, the living fire,

Sweet unction and true love.

3. Thou who art sevenfold in Thy grace,

Finger of God's right hand;

His promise, teaching little ones

To speak and understand.

4. O guide our minds with Thy blest light,

With love our hearts inflame;

And with Thy strength, which ne'er decays,

Confirm our mortal frame.

5. Far from us drive our deadly foe;

True peace unto us bring;

And through all perils lead us safe

Beneath Thy sacred wing.

6. Through Thee may we the Father know,

Through Thee th' eternal Son,

And Thee the Spirit of them both,

Thrice-blessèd Three in One.

7. All glory to the Father be,

With His co-equal Son:

The same to Thee, great Paraclete,

While endless ages run.

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Next Practice 1pm 31st May

We are looking for more flautists and blockflöjists!

Contact Peter choir@fssp.nz

CHAPLAINCY REGISTRATION

Please register for our new Chaplaincy Database, it will be helpful if you get your family's sacrament dates handy. You can also register as an individual. parishhub.net/register



13 Tuesday's Novena to St. Anthony



THE CHAPLAINCY BAND IS BACK!

Magnificat will be playing in the upcoming anniversary celebrations. If you play an instrument and would like to join the band please contact Ryan Johnson 027 970 8382 or join the WhatsApp group.

Auckland Latin Mass Chaplaincy 10th Year Anniversary Dinner

Saturday 15th August

(note the new date)

The Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary the Patroness of New Zealand

8am Low Mass

10am Sung Mass at St. Paul's

with First Holy Communion

Celebration Dinner

Blockhouse Bay Community Centre

524 Blockhouse Bay Road

5:30pm Pre-dinner drinks and social

7:00pm Dinner and music night

To RSVP, please visit www.fssp.nz

Any enquiry email eventplanning@fssp.nz

Adults (18+): \$30

Ages 10-17: \$20

Kids under 10: Free

We will advertise payment details in a few weeks!

How do we know the Apostles drove a Honda?

"When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one accord."

FORMATION CLASSES



Explaining the Mass Class

Monday
7pm @ St. Anne's

Adult Catechism

Tuesday
7pm @ St. Anne's

St. Joseph's

Kids Catechism

Wednesday 4:15pm
St. Anne's
3 Cole Pl, Te Atatu 5th



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Young Adults (18-35)

Pentecost Potluck

TODAY 24th May 5:30pm Vespers
6:00pm Shared cultural themed dinner
Bring a dish from your (or another) culture

PERPETUAL ADORATION AT MT ST ADARY'S CHAPEL

If you're interested in a slot (permanent/ad-hoc), please contact Grace on 022 653 4062.

CATHOLIC OPINION with Fr. Sumich

Planet FM 104.6 FM
Friday 2:10pm or online at

www.planetaudio.org.nz/catholic-opinion

Join our WhatsApp Community



Due to Safeguarding, only those 18+ can join



St Anne & St Joachim Seniors' Group

New members most welcome.
Contact Terry and Margaret Bowden 021 277 1214

Why does the priest always serve a bowl of penne al arrabbiata on Pentecost?

Because it's his special Pentecost Pasta — guaranteed to give everyone "tongues of fire!"

St Monica's Mums & Minis

Friday 12th June
Join our WhatsApp Group for updates



ALTAR SERVERS

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8am Choir

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The FSSP and the Auckland Latin Mass Chaplaincy has a zero-tolerance approach to abuse in any form, and is committed to ensuring that children and vulnerable adults are protected.

If you have a concern or complaint of harm concerning someone in the Catholic Church, contact: **0800 114 622**.

If you have any other questions, concerns, complaints or would like to participate in a Safeguarding Workshop, contact

Claire Bulatiko
safeguarding@fssp.nz



MEN'S GROUP

Next meeting 6th June



WOMEN'S GROUP

Next meeting 13th June



Community Photos & Videos

Please note, we have photos and videos of our community on our website and social media pages. If you do not want photos and video of you and/or your child(ren) in a parish setting posted, please email

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E-ni Cre-á-tor Spí-ri-tus, Men-tes tu-ó-rum ví-si-ta: Im-ple su- pér-na grá-ti-a

Quæ tu cre-ás-ti pécto-ra. 2. Qui dí-ce-ris Pa-rá-cli-tus, Al-tís-si-mi donum De-i, Fons

vi-vus, i-gnis, cá-ri-tas, Et spi-ri-tá-lis úncti-o. 3. Tu sep-ti-fórmis múne-re, Df-gi-tus

patérnæ déxte-ræ, Tu ri-te promís-sum Pa-tris, Sermó-ne ditans gúttu-ra. 4. Accénde lu-

men sén-si-bus, Infúnde a-mórem córdi-bus, In-fírma nos-tri córpo-ris Virtú-te firmans pér-

pe-ti. 5. Hostem re-péllas lóngi-us, Pacém-que do-nes pró-ti-nus: Ductó-re sic te prá-vi-o,

Vi-témus omne nó-xi-um. 6. Per te sci-á-mus da Patrem, Noscámus at-que Fí-li-um, Teque

u-tri-ús-que Spí-ri-tum Credámus omni témpo-re. 7. De-o Pa-tri sit gló-ri-a, Et Fí-li-

o, qui a mórtu-is Surré-xit, ac Pa-rá-cli-to, In sæ-cu-ló-rum sæ-cu-la. A-men.

☩ Emitte Spiritum tuum, et creabuntur.

℞ Et renovabis faciem terrae.

Oremus

Deus, qui corda fidelium Sancti Spiritus illustratione docuisti: da nobis in eodem Spiritu recta sapere, et de eius semper consolatione gaudere. Per Christum Dominum nostrum.

℞ Amen

☩ Send forth Thy Spirit, and they shall be created.

℞ And Thou shalt renew the face of the earth

Oremus

O God, who didst instruct the hearts of the faithful by the light of the Holy Spirit, grant us in the same Spirit to be truly wise, and ever to rejoice in His consolation. Through Christ our Lord.

℞ Amen