



**THE PRIESTLY FRATERNITY OF ST PETER**  
**AUCKLAND LATIN MASS CHAPLAINCY**  
St Anne's Chapel | 3 Cole Place, Te Atatu South

**SEPTUAGESIMA**

5<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY, 2023

Pax Christi,

Much is being made lately about the weather with some justification it seems. We hear about weather 'events' and 'historical' rain and so on. Yes, it has been remarkable (I am remarking on it now), yes it has been (for some) devastating, and yes it has been wet. But, it is still the weather, we can't change it, we can't control it, it is what the wind blows in and no more. We live on an island surrounded by water and sometimes the weather pattern gives us rain, sometimes not enough (12 months ago) and sometimes too much. Throughout history (let's say in Auckland) there has always been a "rainiest" day ever. It has to happen at some stage, it may have been 5000 years ago, or it may have been Friday last. We just happened to be alive when this one came through. The next day was still a Saturday. One thing we can be absolutely sure of is that the next week, or month or year or decade bring us more weather. It is a part of living on a planet that God has furnished with the tools to live by, but which will also bring about extremes of weather, some of which will take life away. As it was throughout human history, so it will be till the end. Nothing "new" here folks, move along.

Thanks to the men who came along to our first meeting about our traditional Lenten fast and penances. Next Saturday we will commence the spiritual talks for the men after the morning Mass. For those men who have committed to join in this endeavour for the complete restoration of the Traditional Roman Rite and for the growth and blessings on our apostolate, may you walk through this Lent with a smile on your face knowing that a good work undertaken in the right spirit is a joy, as Our Lord said, "My yoke is sweet and My burden in light". It is not too late for others to join in.

At the Friday evening Mass at Mt St Mary's just passed, I had to make a general clarification for those who are going to confession. When you enter into the confessional, the priest can be unaware that you have entered. This can be due to outside noise, your silence, his tiredness or some other factor. Since he cannot see you (which is a great benefit to all), the onus is on YOU to let him know that you are in the confessional and are ready. In other words, say something. Don't remain there mute, waiting for the priest to start since he may not know of your presence. Say "Good morning Fr," or start with "In the name of the Father..." etc. Remember, there may be others waiting in line, some may not have been for 50 years and are desperate. Don't deny them the chance because you are waiting for something to happen. God bless you for your understanding in this.

**MASS TIMETABLE**

*St Anne's Chapel, Te Atatu South*

Monday – Wednesday 7am  
Thursday 7pm, Saturday 8am

*Mt St Mary's Chapel, Titirangi*

Friday 7pm

*St Paul's College Chapel, Ponsonby*

Sunday 9am

*Holy Name of Mary, Hikurangi*

4<sup>th</sup> Sunday 5:00pm

**LIVE-STREAM**

LIVEMASS.NET/LOCATIONS/AUCKLAND

**CONFESSION**

**Monday to Wednesday**

30 minutes before Mass

**Thursday to Sunday**

1 hour before Mass

Text or call Fr Sumich to schedule a home visit for the sacraments.

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

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ANNUAL LENTEN PENITENTIAL WALK

Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> February 10am

From St. Therese Church, Mangere East  
to St. Patrick’s Cathedral, CBD

Put your Lenten Fast into overdrive with our  
Annual Lenten Penitential Walk!

A NOTE FROM THE CHOIR

Anyone who donated to the choir between the

1<sup>st</sup> April 2022 to 31<sup>st</sup> March 2023

and would like to receive a tax rebate receipt,

please email their

full name, address and phone number

to [choir@fssp.nz](mailto:choir@fssp.nz)

1. Firmly I believe and truly  
God is Three and God is One;  
and I next acknowledge duly  
manhood taken by the Son.

2. And I trust and hope most fully  
in that manhood crucified;  
and each thought and deed unruly  
do to death, as he has died.

3. Simply to his grace and wholly  
light and life and strength belong,  
and I love supremely, solely,  
him the holy, him the strong.

4. And I hold in veneration,  
for the love of him alone,  
Holy Church as his creation,  
and her teachings as his own.

5. Adoration ay be given,  
with and through the angelic host,  
to the God of earth and heaven,  
Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

As we are at the beginning of the year, here are a few  
housekeeping reminders:

- The seating at the back of the church is for families with small children. Please also reserve two back rows for families. If you see the need please move forward.
- The parking outside the church is for the elderly, infirm and people with newborns.
- It’s wonderful to see the apostolate growing with more and more people coming to St. Paul’s! With that in mind please fill the pews from the outside in. If you notice a gap in your pew, please move across so others can find a space easily.

6 <sup>th</sup> February	Monday	St. Titus, <i>Bishop &amp; Confessor</i>
7 <sup>th</sup> February	Tuesday	St. Romuald, <i>Abbot</i>
8 <sup>th</sup> February	Wednesday	St. John of Matha, <i>Confessor</i>
9 <sup>th</sup> February	Thursday	St. Cyril of Alexandria, <i>Bishop, Confessor &amp; Doctor</i>
10 <sup>th</sup> February	Friday	St. Scholastica, <i>Virgin</i>
11 <sup>th</sup> February	Saturday	Our Lady of Lourdes
12 <sup>th</sup> February	Sunday	SEXAGESIMA SUNDAY



## SEPTUAGESIMA

### INTROIT

*Psalm 17: 5-7*

The terrors of death surged round me, the cords of the nether world enmeshed me. In my distress I called upon the Lord; from His holy temple He heard my voice. *Ps.* I love You, O Lord, my strength, O Lord, my rock, my fortress, my deliverer. *℟* Glory be.

### COLLECT

O Lord, we beseech You, graciously hear the prayers of Your people, that we who are justly punished for our sins may be mercifully delivered for the glory of Your name.

### EPISTLE

*1 Cor. 9:24-27; 10:1-5*

Brethren: Do you not know that those who run in a race, all indeed run, but one receives the prize? So run as to obtain it. And everyone in a contest abstains from all things - and they indeed to receive a perishable crown, but we an imperishable. I, therefore, so run as not without a purpose; I so fight as not beating the air; but I chastise my body and bring it into subjection, lest perhaps after preaching to others I myself should be rejected. For I would not have you ignorant, brethren, that our fathers were all under the cloud, and all passed through the sea, all were baptised in Moses, in the cloud and in the sea. And all ate the same spiritual food, and all drank the same spiritual drink for they drank from the spiritual rock which followed them, and the rock was Christ. Yet with most of them God was not well pleased.

### GRADUAL

*Psalm 101:16-17*

A helper in due time in tribulation. Let them trust in thee who know thy name: for thou hast not forsaken them that seek thee, O Lord. *℟* For the poor man shall not be forgotten to the end: the patience of the poor shall not perish for ever. Arise, O Lord, let not man be strengthened.

### TRACT

*Ps 129:1-4*

Out of the depths I cry to You, O Lord; Lord, hear my voice! *℟* Let Your ears be attentive to the prayer of Your servant. *℟* If You, O Lord, mark iniquities, Lord, who can stand it? *℟* But with You is forgiveness, and by reason of Your law I have waited for You, O Lord.

### GOSPEL

*Matthew 20:1-16*

**A**t that time, Jesus spoke to His disciples this parable: The kingdom of heaven is like a householder who went out early in the morning to hire labourers for his

vineyard. And having agreed with the labourers for a denarius a day, he sent them into his vineyard. And about the third hour, he went out and saw others standing in the market place idle; and he said to them, 'Go you also into the vineyard, and I will give you whatever is just.' So they went. And again he went out about the sixth, and about the ninth hour, and did as before. But about the eleventh hour he went out and found others standing about and he said to them, 'Why do you stand here all day idle?' They said to him, 'Because no man has hired us.' He said to them, 'Go you also into the vineyard.' But when evening had come, the owner of the vineyard said to his steward, 'Call the labourers, and pay them their wages, beginning from the last even to the first.' Now when they of the eleventh hour came, they received each a denarius. And when the first in their term came, they thought that they would receive more; but they also received each his denarius. And on receiving it, they began to murmur against the householder, saying, 'These last have worked a single hour, and you have put them on a level with us, who have borne the burden of the day's heat.' But answering one of them, he said, 'Friend, I do you no injustice; did you not agree with me for a denarius? Take what is yours and go; I choose to give to this last even as to you. Have I not a right to do what I choose? Or are you envious because I am generous?' Even so the last shall be first, and the first last; for many are called, but few are chosen.

### OFFERTORY

*Psalm 91: 2*

It is good to give thanks to the Lord, and to sing praise to Your name, Most High.

### SECRET

Since You have accepted our gifts and our prayers, we beseech You, O Lord, to cleanse us by this heavenly sacrament and mercifully to hear us.

### COMMUNION

*Psalm 30:17-18*

Let Your face shine upon Your servant; save me in Your kindness. O Lord, let me not be put to shame, for I call upon You.

### POST COMMUNION

May Your faithful people, O God, be strengthened by Your gifts; that by receiving them, they may still desire them, and by desiring them, may evermore receive them.

## FAITH FORMATION CLASSES

Monday 7pm

**APOLOGETICS**

Tuesday 7pm

**ADULT CATECHISM**

[fssp.nz/formation-classes](http://fssp.nz/formation-classes)



## PERPETUAL ADORATION AT MT ST MARY'S CHAPEL

24/7 Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration at Mt St Mary's Chapel

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

### ST ANNE'S MUMS' GROUP

Join us for friendship and support in motherhood and faith over a cuppa and snacks. Faith filled activities and friendship for the under 5s.

Next meet in **10th Feb 10am**

Contact Sarah 021 165 2433 for more details.



### ST. MAXIMILIAN KOLBE GUILD

Weekly Lenten Reflections after Saturday Mass 8:45am

Next Meeting 11th Feb @ 5pm

### ST JOACHIM & ST ANNE'S SENIORS' GROUP

We are members of the Latin Mass Chaplaincy, who are gold-carders, retirees or grandparents, under the patronage of St Anne and St Joachim. For more information please contact Terry & Margaret Bowden on 021 277 1214.



### JUVENTUTEM

Pre Lent Masquerade Potluck  
**18th February 6pm**  
St. Anne's Hall

Bring your Carnival mask to have your last party before the Great Lenten Fast.



### CATHOLIC OPINION

with Fr. Sumich

Planet FM 104.6 FM

Friday 2:10pm or online at

[www.planetaudio.org.nz/catholic-opinion](http://www.planetaudio.org.nz/catholic-opinion)

### CHAPLAINCY CHOIR IS RECRUITING

We are recruiting singers and an organist to help us continue to develop our Sacred Music Programme in the Chaplaincy.

If you are interested, please contact Peter at [choir@fssp.nz](mailto:choir@fssp.nz)

### THE LITTLE FLOWERS OF ST. THERESE

The Little Flowers of St Therese is a safe and fun community for young girls under 18. We meet once a month for

PRAYER, FOOD, FUN ACTIVITIES  
AND FRIENDSHIP.

Our Next Event

### BACK TO SCHOOL – AESTHETIC STATIONERY

We will enjoy a shared lunch, followed by a day of decorating our school stationery and crafting bookmarks, journaling, etc.

Sunday 12 Feb, 12:00pm to 3:00pm

St. Anne's Hall

Bring Food, BYO School Stationery, Craft materials (card, paper, pencils etc)

Bring any stationery you would like to decorate! Bring colouring pencils and decorative materials to style your work!

For more info contact

May / Tirzah at [thelittleflowers.akl@gmail.com](mailto:thelittleflowers.akl@gmail.com)



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