There is nothing so great as the Eucharist. If God had something more precious, He would have given it to us.

## St John Vianney

# Hillsborough 1950

#### 317 Hillsborough Road, Auckland 1042

#### 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

6<sup>th</sup> |7<sup>th</sup> July 2024

1st Reading: Ezekiel 2:2-5

Psalm 122 Our eyes are fixed on the Lord, pleading

for his mercy

2nd Reading: 2 Corinthians 8:7,9,13-15

Gospel: Mark 6:1-6

## 'A prophet is only despised in his own country'

Jesus went to his home town and his disciples accompanied him. With the coming of the sabbath he began teaching in the synagogue and most of them were astonished when they heard him. They said, 'Where did the man get all this? What is this wisdom that has been granted him, and these miracles that are worked through him? This is the carpenter, surely, the son of Mary, the brother of James and Joset and Jude and Simon? His sisters, too, are they not here with us?' And they would not accept him. And Jesus said to them, 'A prophet is only despised in his own country, among his own relations and in his own house'; and he could work no miracle there, though he cured a few sick people by laying his hands on them. He was amazed at their lack of



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Does familiarity mean I fail to see the face of God in; members of my family, my colleagues, those about me?

#### THEY WOULD NOT ACCEPT HIM.

The Word of God is often proclaimed by those whom the world considers insignificant. The prophet Ezekiel enjoyed no particular status among the exiles in Babylon. St Paul battles in human weakness throughout his life. Jesus came from lowly Nazareth. But through each of them the word of God was proclaimed with power. May prejudice never close our ears from hearing the truth.

St Pauls Sunday Missal, pg. 682

#### **Mass Time**

Sunday: 9 am & 5:30 pm Monday: No Mass

Monday: No M Tuesday: 7 pm Wednesday: 7 pm

(Reconciliation at 6:30 pm - 6:50 pm)

Thursday: No Mass Friday: 10 am

Saturday: 9 am & 5:30 pm (Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament & Confession: 8:30 am to 8:50 am)

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## Parish Collection last Weekend

29 | 30 June 2024

Parish Collection: \$ 1,526.60

Name: RC Bishop of Auckland-Hillsborough

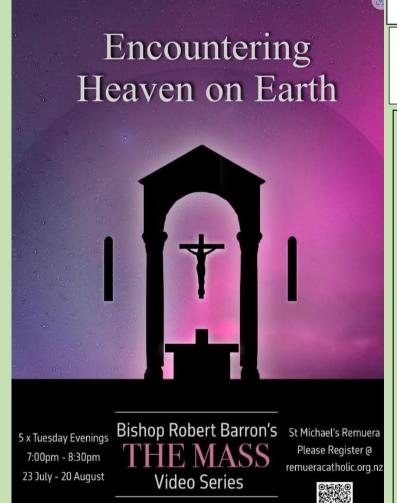
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#### ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH WINTER VIDEO SERIES

We warmly invite you to take a winter walk through 'The Mass' with Bishop Robert Barron. 'The Mass' video series is an invitation to be transformed through insights into the most privileged and intimate encounter with our Lord, Jesus Christ. St Michael's Remuera crypt 5x Tuesdays 23 July – 20 August 2024 7.00pm – 8.30pm. To explore further and to register see our website or click https://www.remueracatholic.org.nz/winter-programme

#### Sunday 9 am Mass Roster June 2024

Date	Hospitality	Readers	<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	
7/7	Asian & European	Jeremy Ruanne, Raphael,	Lilian Fo'Ou, Ralph Lautua,	
	Communities	Gabrielle	Jason, Anil Matthew	
14/7	Samoan Community and	Vanessa Togafiti, Cecilia	a Tusi Smith, Rosita Ekeroma, John	
	Tangata Whenua	Smith, Georgia Cuer	Togafiti	
21/7	Indian & Sri Lankan	Youth Mass	Lucia Saldanha, Maurene Lowe, D	
	Community		Silva	
2/7	Pacific Community	Alise Savile, Angscar Palle,	Seti Sevele, Lilian Fo'Ou, Olivia Palle,	
	(Tongan, Fijian, Niuean,	Sharlene Havea	Lucia Saldanha	
	Vanuatu etc)			

Saturday 5:30 pm Roster June 2024					
Date	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers			
		Jenifa D'Souza, Chantel D'Souza,			
		Sangeeta Sequeira , Hilda Leung			
13/7	Claudia Cachay, Lester d'Souza, Tina Suarez	Marisa De Leon, Lorrain DSouza, Hilda			
		Leung			
20/7	Arca Fernandez, Julih Tan, Janice Cruz	Marisa De Leon, Lorrain DSouza, Chantel			
		D'Souza			
27/7	Tina and Alvita Suarez, Lester D'Souza,	Marisa De Leon, Lorrain DSouza, Hilda			
		Leung			

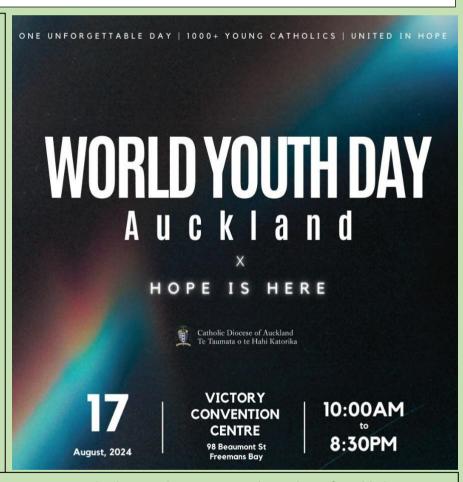
Sunday 5:30 pm Mass Roster June 2024				
Date	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers		
7/7	Diana Gomez, Neil and Myrell Rondez	Denish Pereira, Dena D'Souza, Ivan D'Cruz		
14/7	Beverly and Gavin Mehrotha, Palmira Fonseca	Denish Pereira, Dena D'Souza, Ivan D'Cruz		
21/7	Ave Villanueva, Jesty Chettair, Clemintine Rodrigues	Denish Pereira, Dena D'Souza, Ivan D'Cruz		
28/7	Diana Gomes, Leonora Fisk, Diana D'Cruz	Denish Pereira, Dena D'Souza, Ivan D'Cruz		

#### Flower Roster:

1<sup>st</sup> Week: Asian Community | 2<sup>nd</sup> Week: Tusi and John Smith | 3td Week: Rosita Ekeroma: 4<sup>th</sup> Week: Site Savele

World Youth Day Auckland | Saturday 17th August 10am – 8:30pm at Victory Convention Centre 98 Beaumont St Freemans Bay

**Beaumont St Freemans Bay** Save the date for this incredible experience! Young people aged 13-30yrs old (and their youth leaders!) are invited to join us for an unforgettable celebration of our Catholic faith. Get ready for praise & worship, a special guest speaker, Mass with Bishop Steve Lowe, free kai, time to connect with other young Catholics, and so much more! Registrations opening soon! Go to facebook.com/AKCYM for updates or email felicitym@cda.org.nz for more info.



HEARTS AFLAME CATHOLIC SUMMER SCHOOL is back again this summer with ten days of world-class lectures, uplifting prayer and authentic community! Hearts Aflame is a life-changing experience for young adults aged 18 to 35 who want to know more about their faith, have an authentic encounter with Christ and meet other Catholic young adults from all over New Zealand. Join us this year at Nga Tawa Diocesan School, Marton, from January 3rd-12th 2025! Registrations open July 14th at 2pm: we sell out fast so be in quick! Visit heartsaflame.org.nz to register or find out more.



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#### CARITAS VACANCIES: Come work for us – Advocacy Lead at Caritas Aotearoa New Zealand

Caritas Aotearoa New Zealand is the Catholic bishops' agency for justice, peace and development, part of a global federation. We're on the hunt for an Advocacy Lead to join our team and bring about positive social justice through education, advocacy, and Māori engagement. The ideal candidate will have strong writing and research skills, experience in an advocacy and/or policy position, and a relevant tertiary qualification. Reporting to the Chief Executive of Caritas NZ and the Regional Coordinator of Caritas Oceania, they will be responsible for contributing towards the establishment of the advocacy function and framework for Caritas Oceania and Caritas NZ and coordinating programmes aligned to the Caritas mission. This role offers an exciting opportunity within a close-knit Wellington-based team. Visit https://mclaren.co.nz/vacancies/?ja-job=4240637



WONDERLAND

YOUNG ADULTS BALL

14 SEPTEMBER 2024

GO TO FACEBOOK.COM/AKCYM FOR TICKETS
OR EMAIL FELICITYM@CDA.ORG.NZ FOR DETAILS

THE UPPER ROOM / THURSDAY 18TH JULY 6:30pm at Good George Mission Bay Young adults, you don't want to miss the next Upper Room! This event is a fantastic opportunity to grab a drink and dive into some relevant topics that don't usually feature in your Sunday mass homily! We're excited to announce that our guest speaker for The Upper Room is James van Schie, who will be covering the topic of Defeating Discouragement: How to Overcome Discouragement and Be a Person of Hope. This awesome evening of great fellowship and formation will be held at Good George Mission Bay, 71 Tamaki Drive, Mission Bay, Auckland 1071. Free on-street parking is available nearby. \*Event is 18 years and over Tickets: https://The-Upper-Room-July.eventbrite.co

**SEEKING**: Faith Formation Coordinator, Ponsonby Herne Bay Parish is in need of someone to coordinate their adult and children's faith formation programmes. Remuneration will be on an hourly basis. If you're interested in this position, please contact either Fr Rory (priest@phbcatholic.org.nz) or the parish office (office@phbcatholic.org.nz) so we can tell you more!

Marriage and Family Life Ministry at the Diocese is seeking married couples of 5 years or more who would like to train as Marriage Educators to prepare engaged couples for marriage in the church. This is a very rewarding and significant role in the church. Enquiries Gerry on 021 02247442 or gerrys@cda.org.nz

#### YOUNG ADULTS BALL | SATURDAY 14TH SEPTEMBER 7PM -

**11PM** at McHugh of Cheltenham 46 Cheltenham Road Auckland. Back by popular demand, we are excited to bring you The Young Adults Ball 2024! The theme for this year is 'Wonderland'. Early bird tickets on sale now: Go to facebook.com/AKCYM to get your ticket or email felicitym@cda.org.nz for more info.

The Diocese is seeking a methodical, cheerful, dedicated, and highly efficient person for the role of

#### ADMINISTRATION ASSISTANT TO THE LEADER OF PASTORAL SERVICES

to provide administration and operational support to the Leader Pastoral Services Group and providing communications support for the Diocese. This is a part-time role of 20 hours per week, Monday to Friday, with flexibility of hours between 9.30am and 3.30pm. Excellent interpersonal, verbal and written communication skills, along with proficient IT competency in Word, Excel, Free Source Design e.g. Canva and knowledge of websites (WordPress), social media, Facebook. Can work under own initiative be creative and have a can-do approach to work and is efficient, accurate and organised. For more details, and a full position description, please visit the Diocesan website

https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/staff-vacancies/ Applications close on 23 July 2024.



Parish Zumba every Saturday at 7:30 am. Join Us!

AUCKLAND INTERFAITH COUNCIL invites you to "Dialogue & Learning" Saturday, 13 July 2024, 11am - 3pm Browns Bay, Bahi Centre. Guest speaker Professor Emeritus Peter Lineham on "Diverse Faiths in New Zealand - Challenges & Opportunities". For more information, please check out our website at

http://www.aucklandinterfaithcouncil.org.nz/event s/diverse-faiths-in-new-zealand-challengesopportunities/



#### **UPCOMING RETREATS & EVENTS AT ST FRANCIS RETREAT CENTRE:**

For more info/dates and to book visit www.stfrancisretreatcentre.org.nz or call 09 625 6651

**TIME OUT DAYS** – For those who seek a day retreat - 9:30am – 2:30pm (\$30 includes lunch) | Tue 9 Jul | Wed 21 Aug, 24Hr Quietude- For those who seek a short retreat- Fri 7pm - Sat 7pm (\$120pp incl accommodation + food) | July 12th/13<sup>th</sup>

**WOMEN'S PRAYER RETREAT**- A reflective prayer retreat in the Catholic tradition for Women | 3 nights, 4 days starting Thu 1 Aug 7pm - Sun 4 Aug 3pm | Earlybird (before 2/7) \$350 | Standard \$400. Living as the Beloved- Silent Retreat based on the book 'Life of the Beloved' by Henri Nouwen | \$599 all meals and accommodation | Fri 25 Oct 5:30pm - Mon 28 Oct 5pm | Email jmartin.blaker@gmail.com to register

PARISH SECRETARY VACANCY AT ST DOMINIC'S PARISH: Role involves administrative tasks, financial reporting processes and managing invoices. Must be able to handle website and MYOB. Part-time role of 20 hours per week. Please submit your CV and covering letter outlining your interest in this role to Fr Ephrem Tigg OFM Cap on 027 714 9660 or fretigga@gmail.com or the parish office at stdominicsparish@xtra.co.nz The last date for submitting the application is COB 14 July 2024.

### Parish Roll & Planned Giving Programme

Welcome to our visitors and new parishioners. If you would like to be part of the Planned Giving Programme, please feel free to complete this form and place it in the collection basket or leave it at the parish office.

Any questions or comments please contact the office.

#### Please indicate:

- O I wish to be listed on the parish roll.
- O I wish to contribute to the parish on a one-off donation (please contact the office for the parish account.
- O I wish to make a bequest to St John Vianney Parish, Hillsborough
- O I wish to use the automatic payment system.
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