

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

# St John Vianney

## 317 Hillsborough Road, Auckland 1042



**33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time 2023 Year B**  
16th | 17th November 2024

**1st Reading:** Daniel 12:1-3  
**Psalm 145** Keep me safe, O God; you are my hope.  
**2nd Reading:** Hebrews 10:11-14,18  
**Gospel:** Mark 13:24-32

### The stars will fall from heaven and the powers in the heavens will be shaken.

Jesus said to his disciples: 'In those days, after the time of distress, the sun will be darkened, the moon will lose its brightness, the stars will come falling from heaven and the powers in the heavens will be shaken. And then they will see the Son of Man coming in the clouds with great power and glory; then too he will send the angels to gather his chosen from the four winds, from the ends of the world to the ends of heaven.

'Take the fig tree as a parable: as soon as its twigs grow supple and its leaves come out, you know that summer is near. So with you when you see these things happening: know that he is near, at the very gates. I tell you solemnly, before this generation has passed away all these things will have taken place. Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away. 'But as for that day or hour, nobody knows it, neither the angels of heaven, nor the Son; no one but the Father.'

Am I open to God entering my life when my personal world seems to be falling apart?

Mark 13: 24-32



**MY WORDS WILL NOT PASS AWAY.**  
We live in a world of rapid change. Many of the places of our childhood have gone or been altered significantly. Customs, attitudes and pastime are different now. All of this reminds us of the transitory nature of life. The heavens and the earth as well known them are passing away. Only the words of God stands forever. May we place our trust in the kingdom of God and not in the passing kingdom we create.

St Pauls Sunday Missal, pg. 758

### Mass Time

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

**Fr. Samuel Pulanco**  
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### Parish Collection last Weekend

9 | 10 November 2024  
Parish Collection: \$ 1,366.90

Name: RC Bishop of Auckland-Hillsborough  
Account #: 02-0108-0707833-001  
Code: **Your Name (complete name)**  
Reference: **Offering**  
Particulars: **Donation**  
*"No one has ever become poor from giving."*  
Anne Frank

### Saturday 5:30 pm Roster October 2024

Date	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
2 11	Lester D'Souza, Palmira Fonseca, Gavin Mehrotha,	Jenifa D'Souza, Chantel D'Souza, Sangeeta Sequeira , Hilda Leung
09 11	Tina Soares, Beverley Mehrotha and Claudia Cachay	Jenifa D'Souza, Chantel D'Souza, Marissa De Leon , Lorraine DSouza
16 11	Clementine Rodrigues, Clair Barry, Hector DeSouza	Jenifa D'Souza, Chantel D'Souza, Sangeeta Sequeira , Hilda Leung
23 11	Arca Fernandes, Janice Cruz and Julih Tan	Jenifa D'Souza, Chantel D'Souza, Sangeeta Sequeira , Hilda Leung
30 11	Volunteer	Volunteer

### Sunday 9 am Mass Roster October 2024

Date	Hospitality	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
3 11	Cultural Mass	Cultural Mass	Jason, Lilian Fo'ou, Ralph Lautua, Anil Mathew
10 11	Samoan Community and Tangata Whenua	Vanessa Togafiti, Cecilia Smith Georgia Cuer	William Naufahu, Tusi Smith, John Togafiti, Rosita Ekeroma
17 11	Indian & Sri Lankan Community	Youth Mass	Maureen Lowe, Lukanne Lowe, Anil Mathew, Lucia Saldanha,
24 11	Pacific Community (Tongan, Fijian, Niuean, Vanuatu etc)	Patrick Tausie, Alise Sevele Bertha Wolfgramm	Lilian Fo'ou, Ralph Lautua, Olivia Pale, Sete Sevele

### Sunday 5:30 pm Mass Roster February

Date	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
03 11	Holy Angels	Ken D'Souza, Melissa D'Souza, Zach Pinto, Sarah McAlpine
10 11	Family Mass	Ken D'Souza, Melissa D'Souza, Zach Pinto. Ivan D'souza
17 11	Abe Villanueva, Binath Perera, Neil Rondez	Ken D'Souza, Melissa D'Souza, Zach Pinto. Sarah McAlpine
24 11	Diana Gomes, Leonora Fisk, Jesty Chettair	Ken D'Souza, Melissa D'Souza, Zach Pinto. Ivan D'souza



NGA  
TAPUWAE  
JUBILEE HIKOI  
2025



Online Information  
Evening Wednesday 20th  
November 7pm - 8pm

Registrations are open for Ngā  
Tapuwae 10th to 12th January  
2025

Please register at link above or contact Dcn Steve on [stephenf@cda.org.nz](mailto:stephenf@cda.org.nz)






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**CONTACT US FOR MORE INFO, BROCHURES & TO BOOK**

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FRI & SAT 22 & 23 NOV  
2024 NEW PLYMOUTH  
Friday 3 PM to Saturday 4 PM

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# OPEN HOUSE

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## Advent Retreat

Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> November  
9:00am to 5:30pm

Begin the Christmas season reflecting on the  
themes of 'Friendship & Virtue' with  
Dr Robert Loretz

Let's prepare ourselves for the Incarnation of our  
Lord this Advent



Light lunch & refreshments provided  
Koha on entry

Information & registration @ St Michael's website

**CANS FOR CHRISTMAS:** is a Charity that has run for 10 years now - We coordinate Catholic Primary Schools and Colleges to collect canned food items for St Vincent de Paul. During the last 9 years we have collected 160,000 cans and \$10,000 for St Vincent de Paul Society to help those in need. Please join us by donating to our page - This money goes directly to St Vincent de Paul.

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**THE SOCIETY OF ST VINCENT DE PAUL** thanks parishioners for your continued support which helps to make a difference in our local community. Join our team at the Vinnies Op Shop! We need more volunteers - especially on Saturdays. If you're recently retired, new to NZ, or want work experience, we'd love to have you on board. No experience needed - just a heart for service. Donations welcome! Drop off household items at the shop or call us to arrange a collection for larger items. Open: Mon-Sat, 9:00am - 4:30pm. Location: 345 Onehunga Mall, Onehunga. Contact: Wanda at 634-2697 or 021-248-0629.



# Wings. Ngā Parirau

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**"Come!  
Follow me!" says Jesus!**

**Get 'Wings' started in your parish today!**

Contact Dianna Fouhy [diannaf@cda.org.nz](mailto:diannaf@cda.org.nz)  
Auckland Catholic Diocese Faith Formation Team

Accept  
this invitation  
to deepen  
your friendship  
with Jesus

Explore,  
Integrate and  
share your  
faith



This Advent  
let's pray with  
Pope Francis' latest  
encyclical on the Sacred  
Heart of Jesus:

Dilexit Nos "He Loved Us",  
issued on Oct. 24, 2024

Wednesday Evenings  
4th, 11th, 18th December

7 - 7.30 pm on Zoom

contact: Dianna Fouhy:  
[diannaf@cda.org.nz](mailto:diannaf@cda.org.nz)  
Faith Formation Team, Catholic Diocese Auckland

## Safeguarding:

- Our Chaplaincy/Parish and The Catholic Diocese of Auckland accept some responsibility for what takes place within our premises and are committed to keeping our people safe, especially children, youth, and vulnerable adults.
- It is therefore important that users of our premises behave appropriately and in turn are not subject to exploitation, harassment, or abuse of any kind.
- Any incidents that may occur should be reported to .....



## PLEASE HELP BRING CHRISTMAS CHEER TO FAMILIES IN NEED

This Christmas, Monte Cecilia Housing Trust is working to provide Christmas packs for the families we support, and we need your help. We are seeking donations of children's Christmas presents (we prefer if you don't wrap them as it makes it easier for us to work out who best to give them to) and non-perishable food items to create special packs that will bring joy to families living in our housing this holiday season. If you are able to contribute, your donation will go directly to making Christmas a brighter time for families in need. Donations can be dropped off at our main office (30 Windrush Close, Māngere) during office hours (Monday to Thursday, 9am to 5pm, and on Fridays from 9am to 4pm). We welcome your support in any way you can give. If you wish to support us, please deliver your donation by Thursday 5 December.

**UPCOMING RETREATS & EVENTS AT ST FRANCIS RETREAT CENTRE:** For more info/dates and to book visit [www.stfrancisretreatcentre.org.nz](http://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 26 Nov | Thu 5 Dec | 24Hr Quietude- For those who seek a short retreat- Fri 7pm – Sat 7pm (\$120pp incl accommodation + food) | Nov 22nd/23rd

# Parish Roll & Planned Giving

**W**elcome 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:

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

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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