

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



### The Most Holy Trinity

25<sup>th</sup> | 26<sup>th</sup> May 2024

**1st Reading:** Deuteronomy 4:32-34,39-40  
**Psalm 32** Happy the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.

**2nd Reading:** Romans 8: 14-17  
**Gospel:** Matthew 28: 16 – 20

**Go and make disciples of all nations**

The eleven disciples set out for Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus had arranged to meet them. When they saw him they fell down before him, though some hesitated. Jesus came up and spoke to them. He said, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go, therefore, make disciples of all the nations; baptise them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teach them to observe all the commands I gave you. And know that I am with you always; yes, to the end of time.'



The Trinity (or sometimes called "The Hospitality of Abraham"), Painted by Andrei Rublev (circa 1360-circa 1430), Painted 1411 or 1425–27,



### CHOSEN TO BE GOD'S OWN.

On this feast of the Holy Trinity, we pause to reflect on the great mystery of God, by whose word the heavens were made, by the breath of whose mouth all the stars (Ps, 32). What is perhaps most marvellous is the way this God of majesty and power has drawn so close to us. In Jesus, God assumed our human condition. In the Spirit, we have become God's children able to address God by the intimate title, ABBA, FATHER!

St Pauls Sunday Missal, pg. 621

#### 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)*

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(Parish Priest)

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#### Parish Collection

#### last Weekend


18<sup>th</sup> | 19<sup>th</sup> May 2024

Parish Collection: \$ 1,496. 40


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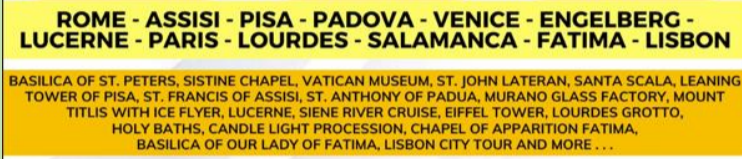
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**Sunday 9 am Mass Roster May 2024**

Date	Hospitality	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
5/5	Asian & European Communities	Our Lady of Solitude	Jason, Lilian Fo'ou, Ralph Lautua, Anil Mathew
12/5	Samoan Community and Tangata Whenua	Vanessa Togafiti, Cecilia Smith, Georgia Cuer	William Naufahu, Tusi Smith, John Togafiti, Rosita Ekeroma
19/5	Indian & Sri Lankan Community	Youth Mass	Maureen Lowe, Lukanne Lowe, Anil Mathew, Lucia Saldanha,
26/5	Pacific Community (Tongan, Fijian, Niuean, Vanuatu etc)	Jeremy Ruane, Alise Sevele Angscar Palle	Lilian Fo'ou, Ralph Lautua, Olivia Pale, Sete Sevele

**Saturday 5:30 pm Roster May 2024**

Date	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
6/5	Tina Soares, Lester D'Souza, Claudia Cachay	Jenifa D'Souza, Chantel D'Souza, Sangeeta Sequeira, Hilda Leung
13/5	Beverley and Gavin Mehrotha, Palmira Fonseca,	Jenifa D'Souza, Chantel D'Souza, Sangeeta Sequeira, Hilda Leung
20/5	Clementine Rodrigues, Clair Barry, Hector DeSouza	Jenifa D'Souza, Chantel D'Souza, Sangeeta Sequeira, Hilda Leung
25/5	Arca Fernandes, Janice Cruz and Julih Tan	Jenifa D'Souza, Chantel D'Souza, Sangeeta Sequeira, Hilda Leung

**Sunday 5:30 pm Mass Roster May 2024**

Date	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
5/5	Holy Angels	Ken D'Souza, Melissa D'Souza Zach Pinto, Sarah McAlpine
12/5	Family Mass	Ken D'Souza, Melissa D'Souza Zach Pinto. Sarah McAlpine
19/5	Abe Villanueva, Neil Rondez	Ken D'Souza, Melissa D'Souza Zach Pinto. Sarah McAlpine
26/5	Diana Gomes, Leonora Fisk, Jesty Chettair	Ken D'Souza, Melissa D'Souza Zach Pinto. Sarah McAlpine



**Jubilee Bursaries**  
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**APPLICATIONS INVITED**  
for Semester 2, 2024

*Applications close Thursday, 6 June 2024*

Applicants must be Catholic and making a contribution to the mission of the Catholic Church in the Auckland Diocese  
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For information and an application pack please contact:  
[michellej@cda.org.nz](mailto:michellej@cda.org.nz)  
Auckland Catholic Diocese

**VINNIES NEEDS VOLUNTEERS**

Got some skills to share, feeling creative or just needing to keep busy? Come and join our wonderful team to whip up some retail magic. If you can spare a few hours a week, we would love to talk to you about how you can help us to help others. Pop in and see us at the Vinnies Op Shop, 345 Onehunga Mall, or call Wanda on 634-2697 or 021-248-0629.



**St John Vianney Samoan Community would like to invite you to join our parish for the Triduum Prayer and Mass of the Sacred of Jesus.**

**Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June Novena Prayer at 6:30 pm followed by Mass. Anointing of the Sick Mass.**

**Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> June, Novena Prayer at 5:00 pm followed by Vigil Mass**

**Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June, Novena Prayer at 8:30 am followed by 9 am Mass.**

**PROLIFE FACTS:** The annual March for Life in Wellington is scheduled this year for Saturday, December 7th. The March proceeds along Lambton Quay and concludes in Parliament grounds. March for Life is a joint venture between pro-life groups including Voice for Life, Right to Life, Family Life International, Family First, and Focus on the Family. It has the support of the NZ Christian Network and the NZ Catholic Bishops, as well as Assembly of God churches. The March for Life is an opportunity for all pro-life New Zealanders to show our opposition to abortion, and people arrive in buses, vans, cars and fly in from all over the country to participate. If you feel called to take part in this powerful pro-life witness, please mark the date in your calendar and start planning on how you can get to Wellington. Consider inviting friends and bringing your family. March for Life marchers are a visible reminder that there are many Kiwis who care for unborn babies, pregnant mothers, and families. For more pro-life information, visit [www.voiceforlife.org.nz](http://www.voiceforlife.org.nz)

**THE ARCHIVES OF THE AUCKLAND CATHOLIC DIOCESE** will be providing a presentation, exhibition of items related to Bishop Pompallier and a tour of Bishops House for parish groups. The presentation and tour will take approximately an hour on a Saturday morning. Bookings will be essential. The times will be 9.30 am and 11.00 am and the dates are;

27 April 2024, 25 May 2024  
22 June 2024, 27 July 2024

We invite you to organise a group to visit and connect with our rich heritage. Once you have a group of up to 12 contact us to set a date. You can either email [archives@cda.org.nz](mailto:archives@cda.org.nz) or phone (09) 360 3064





Please pray for our Auckland Seminarians

**ENVELOPES ARE AVAILABLE AT THE FOYER**





## Bishop's Appeal

Supporting Auckland Seminarians

*"The priesthood is the love of the heart of Jesus.  
When you see a priest,  
think of our Lord Jesus Christ."*

- St John Vianney (patron saint of parish priests)

Consider donating online ▶ [aucklandcatholic.org.nz/donate](http://aucklandcatholic.org.nz/donate)



**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/events/diverse-faiths-in-new-zealand-challenges-opportunities/>

### LEGION OF MARY EVENTS

**Enthronement of the Sacred Heart of Jesus.** Fr Sam at the next first Friday of the month will be blessing a picture of the Sacred heart and 2 members from the Legion of Mary can come to pray the prayers of entronement with you and your family. A registration form with your details will be kept before the first Fri Mass

For more information and events please contact Savio at 021 830693 for more details or email at [heyzavio@gmail.com](mailto:heyzavio@gmail.com)

**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](mailto:gerrys@cda.org.nz)




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

**THANK YOU,** Tusi and John's Family, for making our Sacred Altar **Beautiful.** Through your dedication and service help us to come closer to God in our prayers.

If you wish to help or donate towards the cost of flowers, please, give it to the office (Rey – Office Admin). Thank you.



**World Youth Day Auckland | Saturday 17th August 10am – 8:30pm at Victory Convention Centre 98 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](https://facebook.com/AKCYM) for updates or email [felicitym@cda.org.nz](mailto:felicitym@cda.org.nz) for more info.



**MASTERCLASS**

22.06.2024

3pm-8:30pm at Te Kupenga 40 Vermont Street Ponsonby

If you're a youth ministry leader or young adult ministry leader, you're invited to our quarterly event dedicated to equipping, empowering and energising you for ministry.

To register go to [facebook.com/akcym](https://facebook.com/akcym)  
 or for more info email: [felicitym@cda.org.nz](mailto:felicitym@cda.org.nz)

**MASTERCLASS | Saturday 22nd June 3pm – 8:30pm at Te Kupenga 40 Vermont St Auckland.** If you're a youth ministry leader or young adult ministry leader, you're invited to our quarterly event dedicated to equipping, empowering and energising you for ministry.

### Dialogue & Learning series

Information | Discussions | Workshops  
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## Diverse Faiths in New Zealand: Challenges & Opportunities



Guest Speaker  
 Professor emeritus  
**Peter Lineham**

**Saturday, 13 July 2024**  
**11AM - 3PM**

**Baha'i Centre**  
**712 Beach Road**  
**Browns Bay**

Light lunch provided

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[www.aucklandinterfaithcouncil.org.nz](http://www.aucklandinterfaithcouncil.org.nz)





**On Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> June our Children will receive their First Holy Communion at 9 am Mass**

- Hoi Kit Robin Ah Yeung
- Grace Jennifer Blake
- Angel Regina D'Silva
- Pedro Henrique Evangelista Da Silva
- Emmeline Tiresa Fasi
- Dinara Sethumdee
- Ganihiachchi Kankanamalage
- Hope Grey
- Peter Harsimar Khyriem Singh
- Ziander Laurenciana
- Ivy Matthews
- Oliver Fujimoto McPhail
- Neil Sean Rodrigues
- Amy Sean Rodrigues
- Lenber John William Sio-Go
- Euhana Issey Soriano
- Ferdz Xavier Suarin
- Blake Karen Taifinofu
- Luanaliah Wulf – Togafiti
- Frederick Savele

## BIBLE STORIES: WHAT DO THEY MEAN?

with Kieran Fenn fms

*"The believer does not turn to the Holy Scriptures to support his or her own philosophical and moral view, but because he or she hopes for an encounter."*  
(Pope Francis)



Why are there two Genesis Stories? Who was Adam really?  
Was John at the foot of the Cross? ... and why do we have four Gospels in the first place?  
Have you ever asked yourself these and other questions about our Holy Scriptures?

Join us in unravelling Bible stories and looking for answers within a group, and with Bible Scholar Kieran Fenn fms when we ask questions about Bible Stories: "What do they mean?"

### NOTICES FROM TITIPOUNAMU STUDY & JOY

Bible Stories - What do they mean? Join us in unravelling Bible stories and looking for answers within a group, and with Bible Scholar Kieran Fenn fms. Sunday, 02 June 2024, 5-6pm (Zoom). Koha  
<https://www.studyjoy.nz/2024/05/07/bible-stories-what-do-they-mean/> Videos & Podcasts on the Bible, Liturgy, Religions and more. Free and available anytime online.  
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**Bible Stories — what do they mean?** with Kieran Fenn fms  
First Sundays of the month, 5-6pm (ZOOM)  
Fee: Koha. Donations are appreciated.  
For more information and registration: [www.studyjoy.nz](http://www.studyjoy.nz)

# Parish Roll & Planned Giving Programme

**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.
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