

MASS TIMES FOR THE MONTH OF MAY

As our two Parishes navigate the current changes the following Mass times listed below will be celebrated during the month of May.

The Parish Council's for both Parishes are working on revised Mass times from June onwards. Any changes to Mass times will be communicated to everyone as early as possible and with as much forward notice as possible.

We encourage you to register as a parishioner to ensure you receive updates early.

Weekday Morning Masses

St Ignatius at 8:30am

Exposition - Every Thursday

Following Mass at St Ignatius,
Adoration will be at MPH Parish

Saturday Vigil Mass

St Ignatius at 5:15pm

Sunday Masses

St Ignatius at 9:00am
Mother of Perpetual Help 10:30am

Confirmation Mass

A Confirmation Mass and Ceremony will be held at **Mother of Perpetual Help on Saturday 27th May at 5:15pm**. Bishop Steve will celebrate Mass and confirm our children in this Ceremony. We invite all parishioners to join our children and their families and this Mass and Ceremony. *Fr John will celebrate Saturday Vigil Mass as usual at St Ignatius at the same time.*

New Parishioner - Registration Form

We require all parishioners from **Mother of Perpetual help and St Ignatius** to go www.easternbayscatholic.org.nz and complete the registration form even if you have previously completed a registration form before. Please fill out the form as completely as possible as this will help us to communicate with you better on matters affecting our Parishes, help coordinate events and programmes, more effectively, dramatically reduce our administrative burden and help us to come together as a community more often.

REGISTRATION CLARIFICATION

Many parishioners have registered and re-registered onto our new database. For those parishioners that are part of the "Planned Giving Programme" you may have received an email that implied that you now have a new donor number matching your new Parishioner Registration Number. **This is incorrect. Your existing donor number will remain unchanged.** Please continue to use your existing donor number as usual on your Planned Giving payments. For parishioners that are joining the Planned Giving Programme your New Parishioner number will be your **Donor Number**. Please contact Matthew ,our Operations Manger, if you wish to discuss this matter further.



MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP PARISH



Parish Priest: Fr Austin Fernandes

(Temporary Administrator)

New Email Address: office@easternbayscatholic.org.nz

Operations Manager: Matthew Prasad

MPH Parish

510 Riddell Rd, Glendowie

Phone: 09 - 575 9296

Dcn Mark Rivalland: 021 482 555

Website: www.glendowiecatholic.org.nz

Pastoral Assistant: Maureen Keenan

Parish Administrator: Karla Nobre Milosevic



ST IGNATIUS PARISH

St Heliers

Parish Priest: Fr John Dunn

St Ignatius Parish

12 Kotiri Street, St Heliers

Phone: 09 - 575 5227

Pastoral Assistant: Maggy Hamilton,

021 562 449

Website: www.sthelierscatholic.org.nz

The Ascension of the Lord



"Christ has no body now,
but yours.
No hands, no feet on earth,
but yours.
Yours are the eyes through
which Christ looks
compassion into the world.
Yours are the feet
with which Christ walks
to do good.
Yours are the hands
with which Christ
blesses the world."

Saint Teresa of Ávila



St Ignatius & Mother of Perpetual Help



RCIA/RCIC Enquiry Session Sunday

28th May at 8:15am at St Ignatius Parish Centre

Thinking about becoming Catholic or been baptized but never received Sacrament of Confirmation or Eucharist?

Come along to our enquiry session on Sunday 28th May

Please email Gina at sacraments@easternbaycatholic.org.nz for more information or to register your interest.

BAPTISM COURSE IN JUNE

If you would like your baby to be Baptised, please email Gina:

sacraments@easternbaycatholic.org.nz to register for our next Baptism Course in June.

**St Ignatius
Teen Scene Gathering
(Years 9-13)
Sunday 21 May
From: 4pm - 5pm
Location: 26 Kildare Ave**

MPH PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Mon 1.30pm - 5pm
Wed 1pm - 5pm
Thurs & Friday
9am -12pm

St Ig PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Mon, Tues
9am - 2pm
Wed to Friday
9am - 11pm

If you would like to have your notice included in the Parish Newsletter, please send it via email by Thursday.



The St Ignatius Parish Playgroup

Join us for playgroup at the Parish Centre, on Monday mornings during the school term. Please join us with your pre-school age kids (0-5) from 9am to 11am. For more info contact Philippa Ewer on 027 717 2513

Next Week: 28 May - Pentecost Sunday - Year A

Acts 2:1-11 - 1Corinthians 12:3-7,12-13 - Gospel John 20:19-23

Community Notices & Events Next Week's Roster MPH Parish

Sunday 28 May, 10.30am

Greeter: Richard Pain

Readers: Peter Palu & Sam Wimsett

Euch. Minister: Willie Lavaka

PowerPoint: Tongan Community

Musician: Tongan Community

POTF: Br Frank Blewman

Grace Joel: Gerard Murphy

Church Cleaners: Susan Perry &
Carl Doherty

Altar Linen: Karen Rassie



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! The Onehunga Vinnies Op shop, run by the Society of St Vincent de Paul, raised \$25,000 for flood relief in the lower North Island. We also help fund many food parcels for people in need. We need help with customer service, sorting, merchandising, pricing and picking up furniture donations. Please come and see us in our newly refurbished shop at 345 Onehunga Mall (9 to 4:30pm Mon-Sat), or contact Liz on 634-2697 or 022-467-5443 if you would like to be involved in a great cause.

Catholic Women's League Orakei- Eastern Suburbs invites ladies, men to join us on **Wednesday, 24th May at St. Joseph's Church Orakei**, 16 Brenton Place, Orakei for **Mass at 10.30am** and **Morning Tea** in the Church Hall, cost \$5. Socialise, catch up and make new friends and find out what is new to be announced! Hear about Mother Theresa. Bring a friend along. To confirm your attendance please call Tina on 09-5212499/021 940 950. Email: tinaraines@orcon.net.nz Pay cash at the door.

Fulfilled: The Promise of the Christian Life

is a beautiful series that delves into the first pillar of the Catechism of the Catholic Church. We start by looking deeply at the 'ache' of human longing and finish by delving into the Apostles Creed. This series opens the eyes of our hearts to the hope of infinite bliss and fulfilment in Christ.

Dates: **Sat 27 & Sun 28 May** From: **8am - 6pm at Mission Bay**

For more information and to register please visit: theologyofthebody.nz