



Catholic Parish of  
Christchurch North

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**NORTH PARISH**

*Weekly*

**SUNDAY 15 NOVEMBER // 33 SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME**



## **NEW BEGINNINGS**

*The journey has begun . . .*

**Join us next weekend as we gather together to farewell our old parishes and celebrate the beginning of the Catholic Parish of Christchurch North**

**SATURDAY 21 November - 5 pm Vigil**

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**SUNDAY 22 November - 10.30 am**

**St Bede's College Gymnasium**

**(Entrance to St Bede's via both 210 Main North Rd and Momorangi Crescent)**

*Please note: there will be **NO MASSES** at each of our 3 Mass Centres (St Matthew's, Christ the King, and St Gregory's) next weekend.*

**For those who are not able to attend because of illness or frailty, 10:30am Mass will be live-streamed online next Sunday.**

**Visit [www.christchurchnorth.org.nz](http://www.christchurchnorth.org.nz) for the link.**

**Next Week's Readings: Ezekiel: 34:11-12,15-17 // Corinthians 15:20-26.28// Matthew 25: 31-46**

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# Parish Notices

**COLUMBAN CALENDARS**

Calendars will be on sale after Masses at St Gregory's and Christ the King or from the parish office Bishopdale during office hours. \$12 each.

**BURNSIDE FRIENDSHIP GROUP - ANNUAL CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON**

Tuesday 1 December 12 noon Russley Golf Club - \$30 a head

RSVP before 23 November kaypricenz@gmail.com Phone 3517683 or 0210772057

**CELEBRATE THE JOHN PAUL II CENTRE FOR LIFE 15th ANNIVERSARY**

You are invited to join Bishop Paul Martin, trustees and staff of the John Paul II Centre in a Thanksgiving Mass at St Matthew's Church, Bryndwr,

7.30pm on Wednesday 18 November. For enquiries phone 351 3225

**CATHOLIC BOOK DONATIONS**

Thank you for your book donations. Books can still be left in the foyers of St Gregory's, St Matthew's or Christ the King churches. Thank you Dan Martin, ph 022 1751 789.

**BURNSIDE CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE GARDEN PARTY**

Calling all past and present members join us for our last meeting this year.

Monday 23 November - 2pm - 253 A Ilam Rd (back house)

Pop on your flash hat and bring a party plate.

**FOURVIÈRE FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS**

**5 December 6pm Mass**

You and your family are warmly invited to the annual Festival of Lights, a very special evening with Bishop Paul Martin at the Sanctuary of Fourvière in Leithfield.

Eucharistic Procession and Adoration till late.

Please bring with you a picnic dinner

67 Leithfield Road. More information at fourviere.nz or contact Michael 021 825 955.

**PAPANUI CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE**

A meeting for the Papanui branch of Catholic Women's League

will be held on Thursday 19 November at 1.30 pm in the St Joseph's centre.

The Filipino Choir will sing for us.

Members please bring a plate for afternoon tea.

**ANNUAL SPRING CLEAN OF CHURCH**

Saturday 28 November after 9.15am Mass.

We are looking for groups of people of all ages to help please. Contact Linlee 021 1576252

**PASSIONIST FAMILY GROUP ESTUARY CLEAN UP**

Sunday 22 November, South Brighton Domain.

1pm lunch for 2 pm clean up. All PFG members and parishioners welcome.

Sausage sizzle to start, followed by group clean up of the estuary bank nearby.

BYO - drinks, bucket, tough gloves, gumboots, trowel & chair.

For more information phone Jo on 027-462-9089.

**Christ the King Novena ends 28 November and will start again on 6 February 2021**

**PRAYER VIGIL FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK - ESPECIALLY FOR FR BENITO**

Thursday 19 November, 7:00 - 8:30pm

Christ the King Church, Burnside

All are welcome as we pray as a faith community for all those who are sick.

We especially pray for Fr Benito during this time.

We will pray in front of the Blessed Sacrament (Adoration), recite the rosary, sing hymns and ask for the intercession of Venerable Suzanne Aubert .

**Our vision for the Catholic North Parish is of a missionary parish bringing people to come to know Jesus Christ personally, helping them grow as disciples, and going out to others with the Gospel message.**

## *Sit A While with The Lord This Advent*

We invite you to join with others in different areas across the parish, to form small groups to meet at individual homes for the 4 weeks of Advent starting 30 November 2020.

We will begin with Prayer and Gospel Sharing then finish with a cuppa and chat. These informal groups will be the start of what is going to be a fabulous network of 'Gospel Sharing in Small Christian Communities' and getting to know each other going forward into 2021.



Pre-prepared booklets with a simple 7 step process of Gospel Sharing will be provided to each small group. There will be sign up forms in all our church foyers this weekend and at our big Masses next weekend. May the still voice of the Lord call you, and inspire you to join us, for Jesus said: *"For where two or three gather in my name, there am I with them."* Matthew 18:20

Once we have your names and contact details - we will assign you to a Small Group and advise you where and when your group in your area will meet.

For any queries- please contact Irene Maguire 027 6229415 or email [discipleship@christchurchnorth.org.nz](mailto:discipleship@christchurchnorth.org.nz)



Thank you Dominique for your 12 years of service as an Altar Server at Christ the King Church, you have done an amazing job, may God Bless you abundantly.

### **PREFERENCE SIGNING**

Next signing will be 20 November at St Joseph's, Papanui 3-4pm  
Please bring preference form and copy of Baptism certificate.



### **ST VINCENT de PAUL CHRISTMAS CARDS ON SALE AT THE FOLLOWING VENUES CHRIST THE KING**

Christmas cards will be sold after the 9am and 11am Masses over the next 2 Sundays  
\$2.50 a pack of 5

### **ST GREGORY'S**

Christmas cards will be sold after all Masses 2 packs for \$5 Cash only.

## **PRAYER MINISTRY THIS WEEKEND AT ALL MASSES - St Gregory's**

### **RECENT BAPTISMS**

Isiah de Silva, Olive Daly, Eloise Thom, Angus Bradley, Isabella Paul, Alexander Paul, Iris Murphy, Liam Murphy, Daniella Jackson, Joely Llanes, Sophie McAllister, Thaddeus Lejarde, Nathaniel Delmaro, Molly Thornton, Violet Vaile, Rose Bryce, Jesse Dela Vega, Presley Bates, Kova Bates, McKenna Bates, Lucas Rubin, James Brand, Poppie ODonohue, Dani Falconer de Vere, Blake Falconer de Vere, Neo Igot, Lennox Thompson, Henry Smith, James Scrivener, Lucy Malcolm, Evelyn Baker, Mason Baker, Amber Zhang, Nina Sissons, Harry Sissons, Giovanni Wijaya, Nicholas Wijaya, Aria Thompson, Gus McPherson, Greta Elley, Alfie Elley, Amelia Downes, Olivia Downes, Asher Harris, Ashley Wong, Zoe Liu, Vanessa McKay, Lachlan McKay, Justine De Vos, Kaiah Gulon, Finn Roughan, Sienna -Rose Rayen, Oscar Urquart, Jace Zamudio, Louis Chappell, Layla Chappell, Benjamin King, Madison King, Charlie Munro, Elsie Munro.

**Bulletin & Noticeboard Deadline 9am Thursday Morning.**  
**Content is at the discretion of the Priests and Administration**  
**PLEASE NOTE NEW EMAIL ADDRESS FOR BULLETIN NOTICES ONLY**  
**[bulletine@christchurchnorth.org.nz](mailto:bulletine@christchurchnorth.org.nz)**

**CATHOLIC PARISH of  
CHRISTCHURCH NORTH  
MASS TIMES:**

**Vigil Masses (Saturday)**

5 pm – St Matthew's Church  
6 pm – Christ the King Church  
6 pm – St Gregory's Church

**Sunday Masses**

8:30 am – St Gregory's  
9 am – Christ the King  
9:30 am – St Matthew's  
10 am – St Gregory's  
11 am – Christ the King  
5 pm – St Bede's Chapel

**WEEKDAY MASSES**

**Monday**

7 am & 9 am – Christ the King

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7 am & 9 am – Christ the King  
9:15 am – St Gregory's

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7 am & 9 am – Christ the King  
9:15 am – St Gregory's

**Thursday**

7 am & 9 am – Christ the King  
Noon – St Gregory's

**Friday**

7 am & 9 am – Christ the King  
9 am – St Alban's Catholic  
School (during school terms)  
9:15 am – St Joseph's Centre

**Saturday**

9 am – Christ the King  
9:15 am – St. Gregory's

**RECONCILIATION TIMES**

**Saturdays**

Christ the King  
9:30 – 10:30 am

St Gregory's  
9:45 – 10:45 am

St Matthew's  
4:15 – 4:45 pm

St Gregory's  
5:15 – 5:45 pm

[ or by appointment ]

**ADORATION**

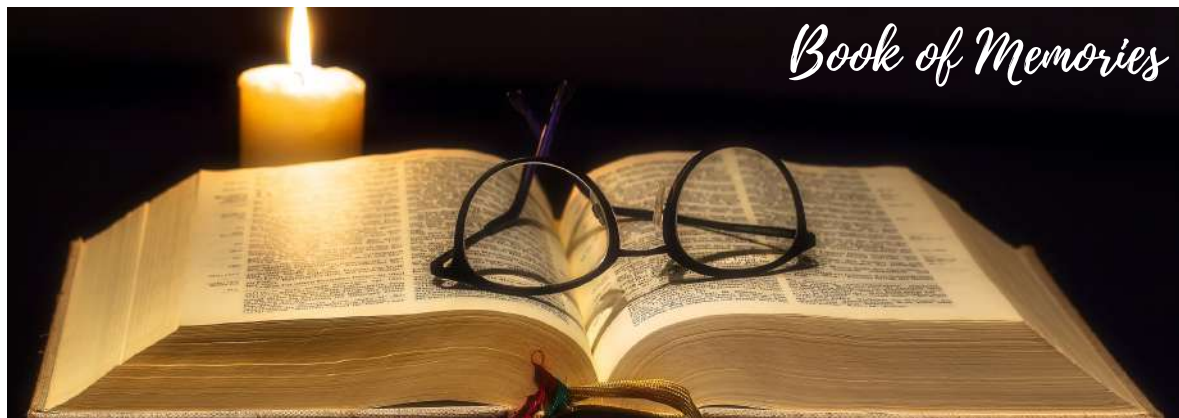
Christ the King, Mon – Fri  
7:30 – 8:45 am

St Gregory's Perpetual  
Adoration Chapel

**TO REQUEST A PRAYER**

**TEXT**

**021 413 659**



**15 November:** Robert McNeice, Lyn Ford, Fr Denis Louden.

**16 November:** Sydney Burdon, Martha Kenny, Eileen Eccleton, Desmond Boyle, Jason Hesp, William Henderson, Helena Sheen, James Mercer, Ada Paton.

**17 November:** Isobel Costelloe, Patricia Egan, Manuela Gordan.

**18 November:** Margaret Griggs, Francis Quinn, Patrick Collings, Gwendoline Horgan, Margaret Currey, Thelma McMenamin, Arthur Mills, Valerie Nicolson, Albert Smith, Doreen Hight, Sidwell Watson, Bernard Baker, Roberta O'Donnell.

**19 November:** Jeanne Doody, Hugh Arnold, Geoffrey White, Gaynor Brown, Emily Ramsey, Graeme Eden, Monica Williams, Joyce Lousen.

**20 November:** Henry Duckworth, Annie McSorley, Derek(Michael) Bridgman, Eileen Murray, Anthony Hayde, Annie Batten, Bridget Simpson, Hannah McManus, Alexander Cowan, Doreen Keenan, Michael Perkins.

**21 November:** Eileen Knight, Greg Healey, Vivienne Lockwood, Marie Slattery, Kevin McCormick, Joseph Tudor, John Laffey, Paul Fitzgerald.



**Those who have died:**

Gerry McMahon, Anne Attwood, Cecil Michael (Toby) Brown, Anne Sheehan, Russel Steel, Betty Coward, Ferila Taunoa, Peter Bradley, Mark Daly.

**Special Intentions:**

Margaret Collins RIP (Ann), Maurice Gilmore RIP (Ann), Robert Ang RIP (Ann), Ang Boon Kwee RIP (Ann), John Callaghan (Ann).

**Those who are sick:**

Susan Steele, Barbara Rowe, Monsignor Bill Middleton, Colleen McCammon, Myra Barry, Mary Fitzgerald, Noel Mullis, Fr Frank Kelly, Margaret Shannon, Johanna Van Zuylen, Fr Benito Velasco, Mike Crean, Margaret Aynsley, Ron & Betty Burt, John Frame, Trevor Roswell.

**MASS INTENTIONS REQUESTS AND ENVELOPES**

Mass intentions envelopes are available in all of our church foyers. Mass intention envelopes can be left at the Parish Office. If no one is in the office, please drop your envelope in the mail drop box located at St. Gregory's Church.



**The priests are available for emergencies by phoning the presbytery directly on (03) 359 0444**