

ST ANTHONY'S PARISH

BULLETIN

2nd – 8th June 2019



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THIS WEEK

- ▶ **REPARATION PRAYERS:** Tuesday: 10:45 – 11:15
- ▶ **HOLY HOUR FOR PRIESTS, FAMILIES AND VOCATIONS:** 11:30am–12:30pm, Thursday.
- ▶ **FIRST FRIDAY**

MEETINGS

- ▶ Inquiry class: Sunday, 6:30pm. Boys school
- ▶ Adult Catechism: Tuesday @ 7:00pm Primary School
- ▶ Legion of Mary: Sunday - 4pm: Wednesday - 7pm Library

PLEASE PRAY FOR:-

▶ **The Repose of the souls of:** Mary Brett, Antonio Demafeliz, Augustina Kuypers, and all departed friends and benefactors.

▶ **Please pray for the Sick** especially Mr. Harry Kemara, Mr. Peter McKenna, Catherine Birch, Shirley & Anthony Wallace, Heather Leet, Monica Lippold, Doug Piper, Michael Petersen (Ashhurst), Philip Cotching, Mary Dawson, Alivia Magnole, Fr Clancy, Andrew Gill, David Lockwood, Denise Bruning, Elisabeth Hawkins, Adele Olsen, James Garner Sr, Anoushka Saunders, Suzanne Bochkoltz, Paul Bochkoltz, John Thompson, Barbara Burgstaller, Moira Wallis, Laurie Gannaway, Thomas Battersby, Francis D'Souza, Dr Daniel Aras, Esther O'Shea, Lani Hirini, Monica Beckenham.

▶ **For the protection of the unborn:** Those visited by the Legion of Mary

CHURCH CLEANING ROSTER 8/6/19 –Orlowski Family

TOILET ROSTER: Mon: L. Cusack, Tues: I. Major, Wed: L. Tuinman, Thurs: Kuhn, Fri: Olsen

WOOD RAFFLE.—So that we can draw the wood raffle. Please pay for your raffle tickets after the Masses today or down at the office.

OLPS DEVOTION- resumes a new set of nine weeks of prayers from 25th May – 20th July 2019. Anyone who have some petitions could write them in a form provided at the back of the Church.

VISIT OF THE DISTRICT SUPERIOR: Our District Superior, Fr. Fullerton, will come to St. Anthony's on the 13th June late in the evening. He will offer the Solemn High Mass on Trinity Sunday and lead the Procession of St. Anthony on the 16th June. He leaves on Monday morning. Any parishioners who would like to have a meeting with Father Fullerton can book a time with Mrs Tangira.

CONFIRMATIONS- 18TH AUGUST- If you wish to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation this year please put your name forward at the office. Also please bring a copy of your baptism certificate.

PROMOTIONS OF THE EUCHARISTIC CRUSADE- Next meeting will take place on the 20th of June for Corpus Christi. 4:30pm Promotion ceremony. 5:15pm Procession of the Blessed Sacrament. 6pm Holy Mass. Pages and crusaders who have the desire to be promoted have to write a letter to Fr. de Clausonne before next Wednesday.

PROMOTIONS OF THE SAINT STEPHENS ARCHCONFRATERNITY- Will take place on the feast of Saint Peter and Saint Paul on the Saturday 29th of June. Torch bearers to become Low Mass Acolytes will be tested on the previous Saturday 22nd June 9am.

DONATION FOR BAND ON ST ANTHONY'S FEAST DAY-Any generous souls who wishes to donate to help pay for the Pipe Band on St Anthony's Day can be made by placing in an envelope clearly marked in the collection plate or you can approach Fr Laisney for more details.

ACCESS TO TOILETS- For the safety of our children, the toilets will now be locked during school hours. They will only be unlocked for Masses and All Day Adoration on Thursday.

SSPX.WEBSITE- The SSPX website has now been re-designed by Fr Palko and can be found at www.ssp.org.nz.. There is an online calendar with upcoming events, sermons, photos etc. Also.. for those who get sponsorship for bikeathon from overseas, there is a link to download **Bikeathon** forms as well. Take a look!!

SCHOOL PLAYGROUND- Some mothers are preparing a calendar as fundraising for the playground. Plan to support this good effort.

THE GREATNESS OF MARY'S POWER: St. Alphonsus Liguori

THE GREATNESS OF MARY'S POWER TO OBTAIN FOR US FROM GOD ALL
THE GRACES OF WHICH WE STAND IN NEED.

And the wine failing, the mother of Jesus saith to him: They have no wine (Gospel of Sunday. Jo. ii. 1-11).

So great is Mary's merit in the eyes of God, that, according to St. Bonaventure, her prayers are infallibly heard. "The merit of Mary is so great before God, that her petition cannot be rejected." But why are the prayers of Mary so powerful in the sight of God? It is, says St. Antoninus, because "the petition of the Mother of God partakes of the nature of a command, and therefore it is impossible that she should not be heard." The prayers of the Saints are the prayers of servants; but the prayers of Mary are the prayers of a mother, and therefore, according to the holy Doctor, they are, in a certain sense, regarded as commands by her Son Who loves her so tenderly. It is, then, impossible that the prayers of Mary should be rejected.

Hence, according to Cosmas of Jerusalem, the intercession of Mary is all-powerful – Omnipotens auxilium tuum, O Maria! It is right, as Richard of St. Laurence teaches, that the Son should impart His power to the Mother. Jesus Christ, Who is All-powerful, has made Mary omnipotent, as far as a creature is capable of omnipotence; that is, omnipotent in obtaining from Him, her divine Son, whatever she asks. Hence St. Bernardine of Sienna was able to say that all are subject to the power of Mary, and God Himself obeys her.

St. Bridget heard our Saviour one day addressing the Blessed Virgin in the following words: "Ask from Me whatever you wish, for your petition cannot be fruitless." My Mother, ask of Me what you please; I cannot reject any prayer which you present to Me; "because since you refused Me nothing on earth, I will refuse you nothing in Heaven."

St. George, Archbishop of Nicomedia, says that Jesus Christ hears all the prayers of His Mother, as if He wished thereby to discharge the obligation which He owes to her for having given to Him His human nature, by consenting to accept Him for her Son. Hence, St. Methodius, Martyr, used to say to Mary: "Rejoice, rejoice, O holy Virgin; for thou hast for thy debtor that Son to Whom we are all debtors; to thee He owes the human nature which He received from thee."

St. Gregory of Nicomedia encourages sinners by the assurance that, if they have recourse to the Virgin Mary with a determination to amend their lives, she will save them by her intercession. Hence, turning to Mary, he exclaimed: "Thou hast insuperable strength, lest the multitude of our sins should overcome thy clemency." O Mother of God, the sins of a Christian, however great they may be, cannot overcome thy mercy. "Nothing," adds the same Saint, "resists thy power, for the Creator regards thy glory as His own." Nothing is impossible to thee, says St. Peter Damian, thou canst raise even those who are in despair to hopes of salvation.

MASS SERVER'S SCHEDULE 2nd - 8th June- 2019

SUNDAY 2ND JUNE, SUNDAY AFTER ASCENSION, (II CLASS) WHITE

7:30am Mass	Ac1	Z. Tangira	Ac2	M. Kuhn
	Mc	Matt. McKenna	Th	F. Field
9:00am Mass	Ac1	M. Nyssen	Ac2	F. Gregory
	Tbs	G. Hickman, A. Pawson, J. Ioakimi, A. Pawson		
11:00am Mass	Ac1	L. Palmer-Grey	Ac2	O. Devine
5:30pm Rosary/Benediction	Mc	A. Magnoli	Th	D. Magnoli

MONDAY 3RD JUNE. FERIA,(IV CLASS) WHITE.

7:00am Mass	Ac1	R. McKenna	Ac2	G. McKenna
11.25 Mass	Ac1	Mr. A. Magnoli		
5:30pm Rosary				

TUESDAY 4TH JUNE. ST FRANCIS CARACIOLLO, CONFESSOR (III CLASS) WHITE.

6:00am Mass	Ac1	P. McKenna		
7:00am Mass	Ac1	M. Nyssen	Ac2	A. Burberry
11:25am Mass	Ac1	Burgstallers		
5:30pm Rosary				

WEDNESDAY 5TH JUNE. ST BONIFACE, BISHOP, MARTYR, (III CLASS) RED

7:00am Mass	Ac1	Joe Oakman	Ac2	F. Field Conv: P. Field
11:25am Mass	Ac1	O. Devine	Ac2	T. Gregory
5:30pm Rosary				

THURSDAY 6TH JUNE. ST NORBERT, BISHOP, CONFESSOR, (III CLASS) WHITE.

7:00am Mass	Ac1	M. Smith	Ac2	C. Smith Conv: X. Gregory
***** A L L DAY A D O R A T I O N *****				
5:30pm Rosary/Benediction	Mc	F. Gregory	Th	A. Gregory
6:00pm Mass	Ac1	F. Gregory	Ac2	A. Gregory

FRIDAY 7TH JUNE. FERIA (IV CLASS) WHITE.

FIRST FRIDAY

7:00am Mass	Ac1	A. Piper	Ac2	A. Piper
11:05am Mass	Mc	Joe Oakman	Th	J. Ferguson
	Ac1	C. Petersen	Ac2	B. Nyssen
5:30pm Rosary				
6:00pm Mass+ Exposition	Ac1	T. Winchcombe	Ac2	L. Palmer-Grey
***** A L L N I G H T A D O R A T I O N *****				

SATURDAY 8TH JUNE. VIGIL OF PENTECOST (I CLASS) WHITE IN OFF, RED IN MASS

7:40am Reposition	Mc	A. Magnoli	Th	D. Magnoli
8:00am Mass	Ac1	A. Magnoli	Ac2	D. Magnoli
5:30pm OLPS/Rosary				

SUNDAY 9TH JUNE, PENTECOST (I CLASS WITH OCTAVE OF I CLASS) WHITE

7:30am Mass	Ac1	B. Smith	Ac2	M. Smith
	Mc	R. McKenna	Th	B. Ferguson
9:00am Mass	Ac1	J. Chacko	Ac2	D. Ferguson
	Tbs	H. Field, C. Burberry, J. Petersen, A. Chacko		
11:00am Mass	Ac1	T. Winchcombe	Ac2	L. Palmer-Grey
5:30pm Rosary/Benediction	Mc	B.V. M.	Th	F. Field