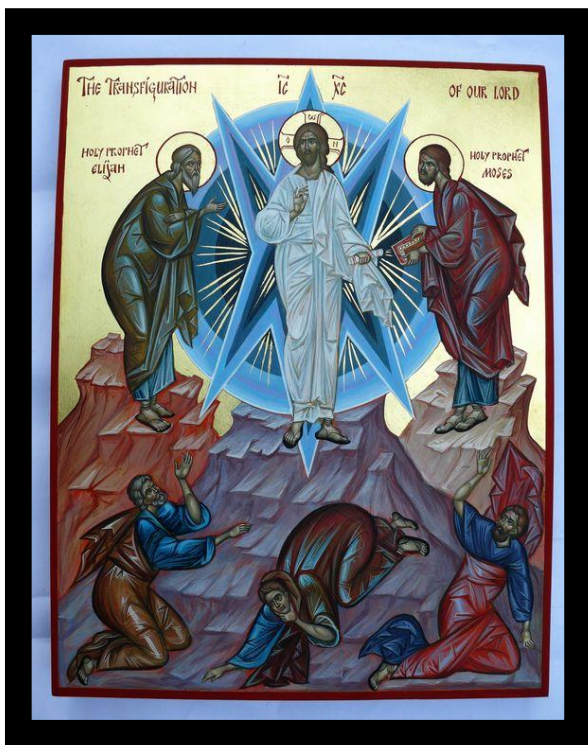


ST ANTHONY'S PARISH

BULLETIN

4th – 10th August 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.

MEETINGS

- ▶ **Inquiry class:** Sunday, @6:30pm. Boys' school
- ▶ **Adult Catechism:** Tuesday @7:00pm Primary School
- ▶ **Legion of Mary:** Sunday - @4pm: Library
- ▶ **Franciscan Third Order** @ 7:15- Prayers, 7:30- Meeting in boys school
- ▶ Children of Mary: Thursday 7pm

PLEASE PRAY FOR:-

- ▶ **The Repose of the souls of:** Robert Burke, John O'Neil, Phyllis Ryan, Peter Orbell, Joseph Hall and all departed friends and benefactors.
- ▶ **Please pray for the Sick** especially Mr Johannes Hos, Vic Grubbi, Mr. Harry Kemara, Mrs. Melanie Bain, 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, Elisabeth Hawkins, James Garner Sr, Anoushka Saunders, Suzanne Bochkoltz, Paul Bochkoltz, John Thompson, Barbara Burgstaller, Moira Wallis, Laurie Gannaway, Thomas Battersby, Francis D'Souza, Esther O'Shea, Lani Hirini, Monica Beckenham.
- ▶ **For the protection of the unborn;** Those visited by the Legion of Mary

CHURCH CLEANING ROSTER 10/8/19- Magnoli/Petersen

TOILET ROSTER- Mon: I. Major, Tues: McKenna, Wed: L. Tuinman, Thurs: Kuhn Sat: A. Olsen

BIKE-A-THON FUNDRAISING: Please make a big effort to support this important annual fundraising for the school.

OLPS DEVOTION- The OLPS Devotion resumes a new set of nine weeks of prayers from 27th July – 21st September 2019. Please use the form provided and place in the box at front right of Church.

ALTAR BOYS : Please may the parents whose children are serving at the Altar take home one cassock and surplice for washing. This will give great help to the parish and to the dignity of the service rendered to Our Lord Jesus-Christ at the Altar.

SSPX PERPETUAL ADORATION FOR WANGANUI- is on Thursday the 15th of August.

ARCHCONFRATERNITY OF THE HOLY FACE- Those wishing to enrol in the Holy Face Archconfraternity of Tours, France may write their names on the sheet provided in the Church Foyer. Thank you! The cut off date is September 3rd the feast of Pope Pius X. His Holiness Pope Leo XIII in 1885 invited the Whole World to enroll in the Archconfraternity.

FLOWERS FOR ST PHILOMENA – Red and white flowers for the feast of St Philomena on Sunday, August 11th may be left in the church porch by Friday 5pm. Thank you for your kindness in encouraging devotion to her.

THE SORROWS OF OUR LADY

The Sorrows of the Mother of God surpassed the power of human endurance. It is the unanimous opinion of spiritual writers that beneath the pressure of her inconvenience sufferings, the Blessed Virgin's life was miraculously preserved. From the moment of Simeon's prophecy she saw her sorrows in vivid reality. Without the special aid of God's omnipotence, her soul would have been separated from her body.

True, Mary was marvellously tranquil, because she was wholly submissive to the will of God; but this did not lessen her sorrows. Her nature, never disturbed by sin, possessed an extraordinary tenderness and was susceptible to suffering to an inexpressibly high degree.

Circumstances Which Increased The Blessed Virgin Mary's Sufferings:

We can gain some idea of the immensity of the dolours of our Blessed Mother by considering the conditions that imparted special bitterness to her sufferings.

Placed in similar circumstances with The Blessed Virgin Mary, what mother would not have longed to die with her son? But Mary could not die with Jesus, although union with him had become so much a part of her nature that it actually constituted her life. Jesus her son, was the bliss of her heart, the sun of her existence.

How could Mary live without Jesus! Still she must see him die, without being able to die with him! What inexpressible grief!

Another circumstance that increased the anguish of the Mother of God was the realization that her sufferings increased those of her Divine son; that these were in fact, some of the bitterest pangs He had to endure. It was his will that his Blessed Mother should form a part of His sufferings.

When we consider the boundless love with which He loved his Mother, we will understand that to meet her on His way to Calvary, to behold her beneath the Cross, was truly one of His most acute tortures. Mary knew this.

What pain for her maternal heart to know that she must be one of the causes of His sufferings!

Mary was an eye-witness to the sufferings of her Divine Son. She saw him bound to the pillar; she heard the lashing of the scourges, she saw His delicate virginal flesh writhe and quiver under the lacerating blows.

She was present at the Ecce Homo scene, and on the way to Calvary, and at the Crucifixion. And her anguish was further increased by the fact that she could offer no relief to her dear Son in his excruciating pains. As she stood beneath the cross, she saw the Blood trickling from His thorn-crowned Head into His eyes, but could not reach His sacred Face to wipe the drops away! She saw His lips parched with thirst, pale and bloodless, but was unable to give Him a refreshing drink! His head had no pillow to rest upon, yet she was prevented from supporting it or letting it repose upon her bosom.

Who can comprehend the anguish endured by her Motherly heart during those three endless hours of dreadful helplessness!

MASS SERVER'S SCHEDULE 4TH – 10TH AUGUST 2019

SUNDAY 4TH AUGUST. EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST, (II CLASS) GREEN.

7:00am Mass	Ac1	M. Kuhn	Ac2	B. Smith
8:30am Mass	Ac1	T. Winchcombe	Ac2	L. Palmer-Grey
10:00am Solemn High Mass	Mc	Nick Kawana	Th	Gregory McKenna
	Ac1	Joe Oakman	Ac2	Francisco Field
	Tbs	A. Gregory, C. Smith, M. Nyssen, C. Ioakimi, F. Gregory, X. Raju		
5:30pm Rosary/Benediction	Mc	O. Devine	Th	T. Gregory

MONDAY 5TH AUGUST. DEDICATION OF THE BASILICA OF OUR LADY OF THE SNOWS, (III CLASS) WHITE

6:00am Mass	Ac1	Chris Piper		
7:00am Mass	Ac1	G. McKenna	Ac2	R. McKenna Conv: P. Field
11:25am Mass	Ac1	Mr. A. Magnoli		
5:30pm Rosary				

TUESDAY 6TH JULY. TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD, (II CLASS) WHITE

6:00am Mass	Ac1	P. McKenna		
7:00am Mass	Ac1	A. Burberry	Ac2	C. Burberry
11:25am Mass	Ac1	Burgstallers		
5:30pm Rosary/Benediction	Mc	Joe Oakman	Th	F. Field

WEDNESDAY 7TH AUGUST. ST CAJETAN CONFESSOR, (III CLASS) WHITE

7:00am Mass	Ac1	F. Gregory	Ac2	X. Gregory Conv: A. Gregory
11:25am Mass	Ac1	Joey Ioakimi	Ac2	O. Devine
5:30pm Rosary				

THURSDAY 8TH AUGUST. ST JOHN MARY VIANNEY, CONFESSOR (III CLASS) WHITE

7:00am Mass	Ac1	M. Smith	Ac2	C. Smith Conv: F. Field
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5:30pm Rosary/Benediction	Mc	T. Winchcombe	Th	C. Ioakimi
6:00pm Mass	Ac1	T. Winchcombe	Ac2	C. Ioakimi

FRIDAY 9TH AUGUST. VIGIL OF ST LAWRENCE, MARTYR (III CLASS) VIOLET-ST ROMANUS, MARTYR (COMM)

6:00am Mass	Ac1	M. Ioakimi		
7:00am Low Mass	Ac1	A. Piper	Ac2	A. Piper
11:05am School Mass	Mc	J. Ferguson	Th	B. Ferguson
	Ac1	Marcel McKenna	Ac2	B. Nyssen
5:30pm Stations of the Cross				

SATURDAY 10TH AUGUST. ST LAWRENCE, MARTYR (II CLASS), RED

8:00am Mass	Ac1	Joe Oakman	Ac2	F. Field
5:30pm OLPS/Rosary & Benediction	Mc	A. Magnoli	Th	D. Magnoli

SUNDAY 11TH AUGUST. NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST, (II CLASS) GREEN.

7:00am Mass	Ac1	C. Stephens	Ac2	G. Stephens
9:00am High Mass	Mc	J. McKenna	Th	C. Ioakimi
	Ac1	T. Gregory	Ac2	Luke Palmer-Grey
	Tbs	Hemi Field, Joseph Cranshaw, Joey Ioakimi, Joseph Anthony		
11.00am Mass	Ac1	S. Devine	Ac2	William Saunders
5:30pm Rosary/Benediction	Mc	Br. Vincent	Th	M. Nyssen