



Sunday's Readings and Rosters for Kerikeri 2020

31 May 2020 Pentecost Next Week's Readings: Exodus 34:4-6,8-9 2 Corinthians 13:11-13 John 3:16-18	7 June 2020 The Most Holy Trinity Next Week's Readings: Deuteronomy 8:2-3,14-16 1 Corinthians 10:16-17 John 6:51-58
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Please pray for the sick:

Those recovering from surgery, illness or in need of our prayers, especially **Fr Martin Bugler, A.J., Moss Pepper, Margaret Mary Upperton, Joe Evans, Dulcie Hoffmann, Rosita Ko, Christine Spence, Paul Vujcich, Arlo Cook, Toni Carlstrom, Howard Trenwith, Geoff Davies and Leone Booth.** *Please keep them in your prayers.*

We remember those who have died recently:

Fr. Nick Hoogeveen, Margaret Cahill, Msgr Michael Browne, Brian Tomes, Msgr Des McCarthy, Cherry Gordon, Eileen (Mary) Dunn, Rev. Philip Sallis, Bernadette Gleeson, and our loved ones whose anniversaries occur at this time. *Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord...*

Parish Newsletter:

A reminder to all our parishioners that if you have any items to be included in the Newsletter, please send it to the following email address by Thursday night. kerikericatholic@gmail.com, or phone 401 7429.

Kerikeri and Waitaruke

Holy Family
 Catholic Church
 36 Cobham Road
 Kerikeri

Catholic Pastoral Area
 Parish Newsletter 2020/18
 31 May 2020

Sacred Heart
 Catholic Church
 Waitaruke, 867 SH 10
 Whangaroa 0478

Weekly Mass Times

HOLY FAMILY (Kerikeri)

**Sunday Mass
 10:15 am & 4pm**

**Monday 9:15 am
 Tuesday 9:15 am
 Wednesday 9:15 am
 Friday
 HOLY HOUR 11:30am
 MASS: 12:30 pm
 Saturday 9:15 am**

**Reconciliation
 Wednesday
 5:30-6:15pm
 Friday
 11:30-12:15pm**

SACRED HEART (Waitaruke)

**Saturday Vigil Mass
 5:00 pm**

The Rosary is prayed before Mass from 4pm

NB: Liturgy of the Word every 3rd Saturday

Thursday 9:00 am (School Mass)

Pentecost Sunday

1st READING	2nd READING	GOSPEL
<u>ACTS</u> 2:1-11	<u>1 CORINTHIANS</u> 12:3-7.12-13	<u>JOHN</u> 20:19-23

Welcome home! Pentecost is a fitting day for us to regather for the celebration of Sunday mass since it's regarded as the birthday of the Church. After our prolonged period of separation from the eucharist and from one another, it provides us with an opportunity to recommit ourselves to the mission we've each been called and commissioned to carry out. For some, there may still be a feeling of apprehension and uncertainty regarding the future—be it from concerns about your health and wellbeing, finances or family members. Certainly, this is understandable. The apostles themselves also struggled with their own uncertainties, and fears, but was at Pentecost though, that they were transformed from being fearful and frightened into being bold believers, strengthened by the Holy Spirit for the mission which Christ entrusted to them—a mission which is also ours. So Pentecost calls us to do a certain amount of reflecting on the past in order to prepare us for the future since it is itself a reminder to us of how God makes all things new, recreating us and our world through the power of the Holy Spirit which was given to us at our baptism and confirmation. We see this in our first reading from Acts, "Pentecost day" refers to a Jewish festival celebrated 50 days after Passover. For us Christians, both of these formerly Jewish festivals have been given a new meaning through the death and resurrection of Christ. As St Paul reminds the Corinthians (and indeed us) in our second reading, the Holy Spirit unites us, making us one in Christ and this oneness with each other is what the Church, is all about. In the words of the well-known whakatauki (or proverb): *He aha te mea nui o te ao. What is the most important thing in the world? He tangata, he tangata, he tangata. It is people, it is people, it is people.*

Blessings, Fr Anthony

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Parish Notices:

FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK: 1 June—Mary Mother of the Church; 3 June—St Charles Lwanga & companions; 5 June—St Boniface; 6 June—St Marcellin Champagnat.

NO MASS THIS WEDNESDAY apologies for any inconvenience,

UNDERSTANDING THE MASS—over the course of the coming weeks, we'll be providing all members of our parish with an opportunity to understand the mass better through a series of short video from Bishop Robert Barron's *Word on Fire*. This will be interactive allowing you to share your thoughts and questions with each other. Many of you will already be receiving e-mails from the parish but if not (or to see more content from *Word on Fire*) go to: www.keirkeri.flocknote.com.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION has resumed on Wednesday evenings (5:30-6:15pm) and Friday during Holy Hour before the 12:30pm mass. It is also available *at any other time on request*—just text/e-mail/ask Fr Anthony.

COLLECTION FOR KIRIBATI: The staff and students of St Louis High School in Tarawa and the Marist Brothers' mission of Kiribati wish to express their heartfelt gratitude for the generous support provided by our parishes from the Lenten collections. Over \$1600 was raised from your generous donations.

TAX RECEIPTS are now available for collection from the parish office.

WEEKDAY SACRISTANS WANTED — to help on a rostered/job-share basis (for as many or as few days as you are able to commit to). Training and encouragement provided. Please see Fr Anthony if you are able to help.

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RAYER WARRIORS WANTED in conjunction with Radio Rhema, members are being sought for a Northland Based Prayer Warrior team. Any person who says 'yes' will receive a monthly A4 sheet (via post or email) with the prayers to be prayed for each day. It includes praying for staff, programmes and financial etc. It is also hoped that groups will meet together on a monthly basis to help the prayer warriors to support each other and pray together. If you would like to be a part of this important ministry, please contact Kevin O'Brien on 021 408306 or e-mail: chris@obrienlife.com.

WE STILL NEED MUSICIANS FOR HOLY FAMILY CHURCH! Please talk to Fr Anthony or Marrieta after Mass, or phone Marrieta on 027 322 8635.

ALTAR SERVERS: an invitation is extended to any of our younger parishioners who would like to become altar servers. Please contact Fr Anthony if you are interested.

FEED MY SHEEP: Thank you for your continuing response to the Food Bank's request for help. Your gift of food makes a real difference to the recipients.

PLEASE CHECK THE NOTICE BOARD FOR OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST

CORONAVIRUS UPDATE

Please note these restrictions for the health of all of our parishioners:

- At the Sign of Peace, avoid shaking hands or other physical contact .
- Holy Communion will not be distributed from the chalice.
- Holy water is to be removed from stoups and containers at the church door.
- Please keep 1 metre apart from anyone not in your bubble
- A maximum of 100 people present in churches at any time

If you have any concerns about these restrictions please feel free to talk to Fr Anthony. Holy water continues to be available for parishioners to take home.

Holy Family Parish Finance Committee

Administrator: Fr Anthony Trenwith
Judy Poole, Marrieta Alexander,
Filomena Davies, Bob McKinley,
Sigit Widodo.

Meeting time: Second Tuesday of the
Month at 4.30pm.

Sacred Heart Catholic Church Katekita: Parish Pastoral Care

Tana Manuel, Maata Job Rakena,
Mary Smith, Moana Wood, Aroha Henare

Finance Committee

Toa Faneva, Debbie McLean
Margaret Pepper; Ihaka Lenden

Many thank to all those who were able to maintain their contributions during the lockdown period. Your continued financial support at the difficult time is much appreciated.

A reminder for both that donations and regular giving contributions can be still paid directly into the parish account the details of which are:

**R C Bishop of Auckland Kerikeri Parish Account
02 0100 0120958 26**

Please e-mail the parish office if you would like a tax receipt.

For those who wish to continue to subscribe to our Parish Pledge Envelope Scheme, envelopes are located by the Notice Board at the back of the Church.

If you are new to the system, please contact the parish office so that we can allocate a planned giving number to record your donation.