



Sunday's Readings, and Rosters for Kerikeri 2023

25 June 2023: 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time This Week's Readings: Jeremiah 20:10-13 Romans 5:12-15 Matthew 10:26-33	2 July 2023: 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time Next Week's Readings: 2 Kings 4:8-11,14-16 Romans 6:3-4,8-11 Matthew 10:37-42
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Welcome: Lorna Laptop: Howard Reader 1: Marie B Reader 2: Aleksandra Prayers of the Faithful: Howard Collections: Pauline K Mins. of Eucharist: Peter B, Filomena & Pauline M Sacristan: Pauline M Hospitality: Nellie & Sigit Church Cleaning: Pauline K	Welcome: Olivier Laptop: Lorna Reader 1: Bob Reader 2: Enid Prayers of the Faithful: Pauline K Collections: Rod Mins. of Eucharist: Filomena, Alison & Wendy Sacristan: Howard Hospitality: Wiga & Olivier Church Cleaning: Nellie & Sigit
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Please pray for the sick: Those who are ill or injured and in need of our prayers, especially Monica Hegarty, Leah McNee, Maurice Macken, Pam Scahill, Carmen Evlampieff, Danielle Harris, Alf Fisher, Pope Francis, Shirley Douglas, Wanda Watola, Ron Alsweller, Emelisa Abadiez, Maureen Clare, John Wigley, Lorna Riley, Leah Goddard, Michael Garrett, Jenny Hope, Bishop Denis Browne, Teddy Jacobs, Paul Dowd, Ann Trenwith, Geoff Davies.
Please keep them in your prayers...

We remember those who have died recently:
 David Barrett, Margaret Austin-Campbell, Moira Tracy. Fr John Tollan, Alison James, Fr Mario Dora-do, OFM CAP, Fr Leo Doyle, Derek Vujcich, Brian Walsh, Cathy Hill, Msgr. Terry Leslie, Bunny Honiss, Mary Hape, Queen Elizabeth II, Peter Westend, Anne Byatt, Simon Barbour, Greta Fisher, Glen Turner, 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 5pm Thursday: kerikericatholic@gmail.com, or phone 401 7429.

Kerikeri and Waitāruke

Catholic Pastoral Area

Parish Newsletter 2023/21

25 June 2023

Twelfth Week of Ordinary Time

- MASS TIMES**
Holy Family
(Kerikeri)
- Sunday: 10:15 am**
Monday 9:15 am
Tuesday 9:15 am
Wednesday 9:15 am
Friday: 12:30 pm
Saturday 9:15 am

1st READING	2nd READING	GOSPEL
<u>JEREMIAH</u> <u>20:10-13</u>	<u>ROMANS</u> <u>5:12-15</u>	<u>MATTHEW</u> <u>10:26-33</u>

From a letter written in prison to his daughter, Margaret, by Saint Thomas More

Although I know well, Margaret, that because of my past wickedness I deserve to be abandoned by God, I cannot but trust in his merciful goodness. His grace has strengthened me until now and made me content to lose goods, land, and life as well, rather than to swear against my conscience. God's grace has given the king a gracious frame of mind towards me, so that as yet he has taken from me nothing but my liberty. In doing this His Majesty has done me such great good with respect to spiritual profit that I trust that among all the great benefits he has heaped so abundantly upon me I count my imprisonment the very greatest. I cannot, therefore, mistrust the grace of God. Either he shall keep the king in that gracious frame of mind to continue to do me no harm, or else, if it be his pleasure that for my other sins I suffer in this case as I shall not deserve, then his grace shall give me the strength to bear it patiently, and perhaps even gladly.

By the merits of his bitter passion joined to mine and far surpassing in merit for me all that I can suffer myself, his bounteous goodness shall release me from the pains of purgatory and shall increase my reward in heaven besides.

I will not mistrust him, Meg, though I shall feel myself weakening and on the verge of being overcome with fear. I shall remember how Saint Peter at a blast of wind began to sink because of his lack of faith, and I shall do as he did: call upon Christ and pray to him for help. And then I trust he shall place his holy hand on me and in the stormy seas hold me up from drowning.

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Holy Hour
 First Friday: 11:30am

RECONCILIATION

Wednesday
 5:30-6:00pm

First Friday
 11:30-12:15pm

SACRED HEART
(Waitāruke)

Saturday Vigil Mass
 5:00 pm

Thursday 9:00 am
(School Term Only)

Parish Priest: Fr. Tony King-Archer.
 Presbytery: 6 Cobham Court, Kerikeri;
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Parish Notices:

FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK: 28th June, St Irenaeus, B M; 29 June, Sts Peter and Paul, Apostles.

WEEK-DAY MASS: No changes to the Masses this week.

CHURCH LIFE SURVEY 2023 ONLINE COMPLETION LINKS:

Waitaruke

<https://clsnz.org/dataentry/paper/questionnaires/01H3JCQ2E3TYR63N7YR1YJ466G>

Kerikeri

<https://clsnz.org/dataentry/paper/questionnaires/01H3JC5FJ2BQY1ZJ7NAR2FHCEY>

175 CAMPAIGN: Reflecting on our past by supporting those in need! As we reflect on the Diocese's 175th Anniversary, please join Bishop Steve's 175 campaign through the Caring Foundation. By donating \$175 as a parish, a family, a group of friends, or individually, you will support people in need throughout our diocese. Please pick up a donation card from your parish foyer or visit www.caringfoundation.org.nz to donate online or learn other ways to donate.

ROSTERS: Holy Family still needs volunteers for all Ministries for the Mass, i.e. Prayers of the Faithful, Collectors, Musicians, Laptop Operators, Church Cleaners, Hospitality Hosts and Flower Arrangers. Please talk with Fr Tony or Pauline McKinley if you can help in any of these Ministries.

RE FIREWOOD NEEDED: Fr Tony is extremely grateful to those who so very kindly donated firewood.

FEED MY SHEEP: Thank you for your continuing and generous help. Your contribution makes real difference to the Food Bank's recipients during this time.

NZ CATHOLIC: price \$4 in both churches. 18 June-2 July issue is available.

FAITH in 55 Words or Fewer:

"Dear friends, may no adversity paralyse you. Be afraid neither of the world, nor of the future, nor of your weakness. The Lord has allowed you to live in this moment of history so that, by your faith, His name will continue to resound throughout the world."

-Pope Benedict XVI.

Collections 18 June 2023

Kerikeri: \$198.70

Waitaruke: \$20.00

Thank you for your kind generosity. God bless.

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And if he permits me to play Saint Peter further and to fall to the ground and to swear and forswear, may God our Lord in his tender mercy keep me from this, and let me lose if it so happen, and never win thereby! Still, if this should happen, afterwards I trust that in his goodness he will look on me with pity as he did upon Saint Peter, and make me stand up again and confess the truth of my conscience afresh and endure here the shame and harm of my own fault.

And finally, Margaret, I know this well: that without my fault he will not let me be lost. I shall, therefore, with good hope commit myself wholly to him. And if he permits me to perish for my faults, then I shall serve as praise for his justice. But in good faith, Meg, I trust that his tender pity shall keep my poor soul safe and make me commend his mercy.

And, therefore, my own good daughter, do not let your mind be troubled over anything that shall happen to me in this world. Nothing can come but what God wills. And I am very sure that whatever that be, however bad it may seem, it shall indeed be the best.

Blessings, Fr Tony

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Parish Pastoral Council

Currently in hiatus for restructuring: to return in 2023.

Finance Committee

Fr Tony King-Archer, Bob McKinley,
Sigit Widodo, Lisa Anderson,
Marie Byrne.

Sacred Heart Parish
867 State Highway 10, Kaeo 0274

Katekita: Pastoral Care

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

Finance Committee

Leon Rossbotham, Debbie McLean,
Ihaka Lenden, Hannah Da Via

Your continued financial support at this difficult time is much appreciated. Donations and regular giving contributions can be paid directly into the parish account:

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

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