



# Christ the King Church

90 Greers Road, Burnside, Christchurch



## 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – 9<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup> July 2017

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**Mass Times**

Mon– Fri 7am & 9am  
 Saturday – 9am  
 Saturday – Vigil – 6pm  
 Sunday – 9am & 11am

**Reconciliation**

Saturday 9.30am - 10.30am  
 (or on request)

**Exposition of  
The Blessed Sacrament**

Mon. – Fri. 7.30am  
 Fri. 9.30am – Sat. 8.50am

**Rosary**

Mon-Sat after the 9am  
 Mass and Divine Mercy Chaplet

**Novena**

Saturday – 5pm followed by  
 Rosary

**Christchurch North Pastoral  
Area Sunday Mass Times**

**St Gregory's**

Saturday – Vigil – 6pm  
 Sunday – 8.30am, 10.00am &  
 5pm

**Reconciliation**

Saturday 9.45am (or on request)

**Holy Trinity - Bryndwr**

Saturday – Vigil – 5pm  
 Sunday – 9.00am & 10.30am

**Reconciliation**

Saturday 4.15pm (or on request)

*“Come to me, all you who labour and are overburdened, and I will give you rest” (Mt. 10:37-42)*

Today there is a special invitation from Jesus-to take a rest and find peace in him. Jesus knew very well that life is not easy. He personally experienced it while in Nazareth with his parents, relations and the people whom he works with. He was fully aware of the struggles and frustrations that people had to endure. And He didn't want people to keep doing it without rest. Jesus felt deeply for people and wanted to lighten them. People from different walks of life and from far distant places came to him with their worries, anxieties and problems and Jesus helped them. In fact his mere presence already brings peace to a weary and troubled soul. And it is the love of Jesus that makes heavy loads light.

As Jesus gives us rest, lighten our loads and brings us peace, it is now upon us to return the favor of letting others experienced the same as Pope Francis said: “Once you have received the refreshment and comfort of Christ, we are called in turn to become refreshment and comfort for our brothers and sisters, with a meek and humble attitude, in imitation of the Master”. Pope Francis then wants the church to be a place of rest for the weary, a place where we share and help each other.

Fr Rick will be away on holiday at the beginning of next week and will return for our weekend Masses. He will then take two weeks holiday from 17-31 July. The parish office will be closed next week as Melonie is away on leave. The office will re-open on Tuesday, 18 July. Due to Melonie being away this bulletin covers both the 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> Sunday in ordinary time.

**Oppose Euthanasia Now:** You, your family and friends are strongly encouraged to consider signing a postcard to an MP of your choice after Mass on **15/16<sup>th</sup> July**, opposing Euthanasia and Assisted Suicide. Please take a copy of the press release from The Nathaniel Centre – The Bioethics Research Agency for the New Zealand Catholic Bishops Conference from the back table of the church. It is also available on our website.

God Bless  
**Fr Benito**

**TODAY'S READINGS**

**First Reading:**  
 Zechariah 9:9-10

**Psalm Response:**  
 I will praise your name for  
 ever, my king and my God.

**Second Reading:**  
 Romans 8:11-13



**Gospel Acclamation:**  
**Alleluia, Alleluia!**  
 Blessed are you, Father, Lord of heaven  
 and earth; you have revealed to little ones  
 the mysteries of kingdom.  
**Alleluia!**

**Gospel:**  
 Matthew 11:25-30

**Prayer of the Faithful Response:**  
 Lord hear our prayer.

**CHURCH INFORMATION**

**What's On:**

Sun. 10.00am

Morning Tea (**NB** There will be no morning tea on 16 July due to  
 Passionist Family Group Function)

Mon. 7.00 – 8.30pm

**No High School Youth Group during school holidays**

Tues. 9.00am

**No Pre-school playgroup during school holidays**

4.00pm

Next SVDP Meeting – 18 July

7.30-9.00pm

Choir Practice

Wed. 10.00am

Christian Meditation – Oratory

Thurs. 7.30 – 9.00pm

**No RCIA in the school holidays**

Fri. 3.15 – 5.00pm

**No Primary School Youth Group during school holidays**

Sat. 12.00 – 3pm

Legion of Mary Rosary Making – Parish Centre (15<sup>th</sup>)

3.00pm

Legion of Mary – Oratory

**Next Week's Readings: 15<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

First Reading: Isaiah 55:10-11

Psalm Response: The seed that falls on good ground will yield a fruitful harvest

Second Reading: Romans 8:18-23

Gospel: Matthew 13:1-23

### Apostleship of the Sea – Open day 22<sup>nd</sup> July Lyttelton

Seafarers generally work long hours for little pay, for months at a time away from their families. The Apostleship of the Sea is the Catholic ministry which serves the needs of seafarers. We provide a safe centre in Lyttelton to assist with the basic and spiritual needs of all seafarers. We need more volunteers for the centre. Full training is provided. Come find out more at our Community Open Day Saturday 22<sup>th</sup> July 10am to 1pm, 18 Norwich Quay, Lyttelton.

For more info please contact Jess Armstrong, 021 222 0340, [lyttelton.seafarers.centre@gmail.com](mailto:lyttelton.seafarers.centre@gmail.com), [www.aos.org.nz](http://www.aos.org.nz)



Passionist Family Group Birthday Mass and shared midday shared lunch in the Parish Centre commencing at 11.00am Sunday 16 July to which all are invited to celebrate our 25<sup>th</sup> Christ the King Passionist Family Group Birthday.

**Legion of Mary** – Come and learn how to make the rosary. All invited. Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> July, 12-3pm in the parish centre. Materials provided.

**Remember in your prayers:** The sick in the parish, also: Mons. Bill Middleton, Joyce Mclhone, Gabrielle Fergus, Maurice Gilmore, Joan Preddy, Bridget Martin, Dean Rhodes, Kevin Quinn, Peter Connell, Gerry Graham, Vera Brosnahan, Theresa Campbell.

**Recently Deceased:** Roger Farrant (wife of Betty and father of Janet Archer), Bryan Slattery.

**Masses Requested:** Margaret Collins (R.I.P), Alice Morais (R.I.P), Carol Morais (R.I.P), Bill Wilson (Recently dec'd), Mary Graham (Recently dec'd).

**Book of Memories:** 9<sup>th</sup> Archie Wylie, Moira Harris; 10<sup>th</sup> Duncan Ross, Mary Prendergast; 11<sup>th</sup> Ernest Davis, Betty Reynolds; 12<sup>th</sup> Frank Collins, Unamerle Whitelaw, Rosaleen Pavletich, Edward (Eddie) Pratt; 13<sup>th</sup> Patricia Macfarlane, Patricia Chesmar; 14<sup>th</sup> Robert Marshall, Sr Mary Teresita RSM, Patricia McDonald; 15<sup>th</sup> Patrick Foley, Leone Stone; 16<sup>th</sup> Beatrice Sullivan, Kathleen Sepie, John McCabe, Brian Odgers, John Connelly; 17<sup>th</sup> Kevin Power, Audrey Cusack, Barbara Wilkinson, Vincent Pfeifer, Janet Stewart; 18<sup>th</sup> June Steel, Joseph Corrigan, Patricia Bennett; 19<sup>th</sup> Augustine Kirby, Elizabeth Wills, In Jin (Steven) Sim, Mary (Molly) Vaughan, Thomas Thomson; 20<sup>th</sup> Mary Egan, Sheelah Danks, Marjorie Sutton, Michael McGlinchey; 21<sup>st</sup> Elespeth Phillips, Bernadette Simmons, Helena Nakielska, Hannah Freeman, Paul (Bede) Cosgriff; 22<sup>nd</sup> Patricia Gibson, Ian Hilston, Bryan Allison.

## Christ the King Hour of Prayer

Friday, 21 July from 36  
6-7pm

Please join us for an hour of prayer, adoration and benediction.

Praying for the parish, for healing and your own personal intentions.

Our prayer teams will be available during the service for anyone who would like individual prayer.



### The Sacrament of Confirmation Programme 2017 - Information Meetings

Christ the King Parish Centre, Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> July  
1.30-2.30pm OR 7.30-8.30pm.

This formation and preparation programme is aimed at students Year's 8-13. Those interested, **the parent and child** must attend either meeting to enrol in the programme. For more details contact Olivia, [ctkyouthnz@gmail.com](mailto:ctkyouthnz@gmail.com)

**S.V.D.P Housie Evening** will take place this **Tuesday, 11<sup>th</sup> July, 7.00pm** at Laura Fergusson Home, Ilam Road. Please bring a plate of supper. All welcome.

**Divine Mercy** – An hour of our 24 Hour Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament this coming **Friday, 21<sup>st</sup> July**, 3.00-4.00pm will be for the Divine Mercy intentions, praying for the dying and souls in purgatory.

**Catholic Women's League - At Home Appeal Fundraiser**  
Verna McFelin, Founder and CEO of Pillars will speak at Catholic Cathedral College, 62 Ferry Road on Tuesday, 18th July at 7.00pm. The cost is \$5. All welcome. Tickets available from Frances ph: 0211371772 or 351-9499. Also The Mother Teresa Lunch will be held on Monday 24th July at 12 noon at Hoofbeats Restaurant Racecourse Hotel Racecourse Rd Riccarton. This is instead of a monthly meeting of CWL Burnside. Please RSVP to Frances by Friday 21st July.

**Annual Dominican Ex-Pupils Luncheon** will be held on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> August 12pm. Price \$35.00. Commodore Hotel Memorial Ave. Please ring Kay on 3517683 or e-mail [kaypricenz@gmail.com](mailto:kaypricenz@gmail.com) before 30<sup>th</sup> July

15-16 July 6 pm		9am	11 am
Cantor/Organist Music Groups	N McCormick/J William, E Sia	Z Ioane, J Gill	Guitar Group, J Quek
Readers	N McCormick, P Paris	L Carroll, J Callaghan	B Cowan, S Roughan
Ex. Ord. Min. Of Holy Com.	B Boeyen, A Pringle, F McNaughton, N Walker	J Bryant, J Guwandi, M & N Hudson, H Muir, T & M Koko	T Roughan, M Tugia, E Chan, G Chan, L Sissons, S Davey, V Fraher
Offertory	Morahan Family	Martin Family	A Le
Greeters			
Servers	H Flanagan, J Karathra, R Hunter	W Thwaites, L Bryant, G Thwaites	N Chan, M Chan, E Chan
Collectors	K Price, R Price	K Lewis, P McQuinn	S & P Pagulayan
Church Cleaning	Saturday, 15 July – V Reddington (C)		
Morning Tea	No morning tea due to Passionist Family Group luncheon		
Counters	B Carroll		
Collection	Sunday 2/7/17 - \$ 3,571.00 + Automatic Payments \$ 3,196.00 = \$ 6,767.00		
22-23 July 6 pm		9am	11 am
Cantor/Organist Music Groups	Z Ioane, E Sia	M Levings, M Redding	Choir
Readers	F Pucilowski, P Wong	J Curnow, P Curnow	J Schmetzer, J McNeill
Ex. Ord. Min. Of Holy Com.	M & J Dominic, V & C Chia, P Nevin, M Bennett.	G Holgate, A Devonport, T Schmetzer, R Dey, M Thompson, N Sheehan, N Duggan	D Wilkes, M & P Reynolds, M Fraher, C Sissons
Offertory	M Anderson	T Campbell, L Duncan	Sissons Family
Greeters			
Servers	A Tan, A Chong, M Chong	S Curnow, J Meuldijk, B Barrett	J Cuison, E Lau, L Masara
Collectors	M Browne, P Nevin	P Gorman, B Eccleton	W Craddock, B Ford
Church Cleaning	Thursday, 20 July – J Walker (C)		
Morning Tea	M Browne - SVDP		
Counters	K & S Henry		