



Christ the King Church

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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)

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time – 23 October 2016

World Mission Day

Today the Catholic Church celebrates Mission Sunday 2016. Pope Francis in his Mission Sunday message on this Extraordinary Jubilee year of Mercy "invites us to consider the *missio ad gentes* as a great, immense work of mercy, both spiritual and material". He further said that "on this World Mission Sunday, all of us are invited to **"go out"** as missionary disciples, each generously offering their talents, creativity, wisdom and experience in order to bring the message of God's tenderness and compassion to the entire human family. By virtue of the missionary mandate, the Church cares for those who do not know the Gospel, because she wants everyone to be saved and to experience the Lord's love. She "is commissioned to announce the mercy of God, the beating heart of the Gospel" (*Misericordiae Vultus*, 12) and to proclaim mercy in every corner of the world, reaching every person, young or old." By doing Pope Francis message, we are able to live the theme of this year's Mission Sunday **"That all may have life"**. A prayer for those who are in need, a visit to the sick and in prison, a time spent to those in need of counselling, an amount of money given to the Mission Sunday Collection and many others can help the Church in giving everyone to have their life and have it to the full. So please let us all support today's Sunday Mission Collection. Any amount given is greatly appreciated.

I would like also to thank you for your prayers and for welcoming me home. Special thanks to Fr Rick for allowing me to have 5 weeks holiday and to Fr Mike for assisting the parish while I am away.

God bless you all
 Fr Benito

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading:

Sirach 35:12-14, 16-19

Psalm Response:

The Lord hears the cry of the poor.

Second Reading:

2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18



Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia!

God was in Christ, to reconcile the world to himself; and the Good News of reconciliation he has entrusted to us.
 Alleluia!

Gospel:

Luke 18:9-14

Prayer of the Faithful Response:

Lord hear our prayer.

CHURCH INFORMATION

What's On:

Sun.	10.00am	Morning Tea
Mon.	7.00 – 8.30pm	Youth Group Worship Night
Tues.	4.00pm	Next SVDP Meetings – 25 Oct, 8 Nov
	7.30-9.00pm	Choir Practice
Wed.	10.00am	Christian Meditation – Oratory
	7.00 – 8.00pm	Reconciliation
Fri.	3.15 – 5.00pm	NO Primary School Youth Group due to Dads and Kids Weekend
Sat.	11.00am-12.00pm	Junior Legion of Mary - Oratory
	3.00pm	Legion of Mary – Oratory

Next Week's Readings: Year C

First Reading:	Wisdom 11:22 – 12:2
Second Reading:	2 Thessalonians 1:11 – 2:2
Gospel:	Luke 19:1-10 Psalter Week 3

Welcome to all newcomers to Christ the King, if you would like to be visited by a member of our welcoming committee please write your name in the green book at the back of the church. Please ensure you also include your contact telephone number.



Christ the King Pilgrimage to the Holy Door Sunday 30 October

Next Sunday, the 30th Oct the Parishes of Christ the King and St Teresa's Riccarton will join together to walk through the Door of Mercy at St Mary's Pro Cathedral at 2pm. This will be followed by Exposition and Adoration, the Sacrament of Reconciliation, the Chaplet of Mercy, Benediction and Mass at 3.30pm.

Please note the 11am Mass Sunday the 30th will be transferred to this 3.30pm Mass at St. Mary's Pro Cathedral.

In preparation for our visit to St Mary's Pro-Cathedral we are offering Reconciliation at Christ the King on Wednesday, 26 October from 7-8pm.

Divine Mercy in the Second Greatest Story Ever Told

Is a dramatic 10-session journey featuring best-selling author
Fr Michael Gaitley, MIC.

This five week programme runs from Thursday, 13 October – Thursday 10 November at 7.30pm in the Parish Centre. There will be two 30 minute sessions each night, with a 15 minute break between for discussion and reflection. Some resources will be supplied; others will be for sale on the night. Please register by calling Pat on 359-2087 or signing the form in the parish foyer.

The Magnificat – Advent Companion is now available from the parish office for purchase \$6, Cash Only.

Columban Calendars are now available from the parish office and are \$12 each, Cash Only.

Remember in your prayers: The sick in the parish, also:

Mons. Bill Middleton, Colleen Anderson, Margaret Sheehan, John Manning, Debbie Gilbert, Margaret Punnett, Maurice Gilmore, Joyce McIlhone, Lyn Baker, Justine (Hye Jung) Han, Maria Hopman, Pat Cowie, Gabrielle Fergus, Billy Dravitzki.

Recently Deceased: George (Gerry) Hayward.

Masses Requested: Margaret Collins (R.I.P), Alice Morais (R.I.P), Carol Morais (R.I.P), Nancy Byrne (Recently dec'd – Ireland), Cynthia Swinney (90th Birthday), Alister Moore (Sick – Taupo)

Book of Memories: 23rd Mary Molloy, Tony Thurlow, Glen Watson, Norman May, Czeslaw Nakielski, Mary (Molly) Winder; 24th Norah Sugrue, Patricia Gibson, Catherine White, Ivanka Ivos, Noni Anstey (Sugrue), George Morris; 25th Robert Watson, Fredrick Arscott, Quita Webster, Barbara Selby, Maureen Burns, Eileen Sutherland; Verna Hortop, Sylvia Parker, Margaret East; 27th Gerald Anderson; 28th James McDonnell, Olga Gaffaney; 29th Margaret (Cathie) Kelleher, George (Don) Anderson, Joy McAloon.

Thank You Message

I will be leaving at the end of October to reside with Fr Dan over at Woolston. I would like to say a big thank you to you all for your support over the year.

God Bless
Fr Mike

Christ the King School Fair - 6 November

Please join Christ the King School on 6 November when we will hold our biennial School Fair. There will be a parishioner's raffle draw, please watch out for a ticket printed in the bulletin over the next two weeks and drop it in to the entry box at the Raffles Table to be in to win a gift hamper. Then have lunch, or afternoon tea, find some perfect Christmas presents in our stalls and auctions, and be entertained by the talented children of CTK.

School Fair – Donations Needed

Our Café is looking for donations of cups, saucers and side plate sets, and small or medium white tablecloths. If you can help, please let the school know.

Volunteers needed for one night only

Saturday, 26th November from 5pm – 10pm to support people with disabilities at their annual Christmas Ball being held at The Templeton Community Centre, Kirk Road. If you can help please email Jos de Leijer:

SpecialEventsCanterburyTrust@xtra.co.nz or phone Anne McCormack: 388-5144 (please leave message)

Christ the King Dining Group (previously called Friendship/Activities Group)

Our monthly activity will not be a bus trip, but we will meet at the Parish Centre on Thursday 27th October at 11.45 am and share cars to dine out at a different dining place. This will be on our side of the city. Last month we went to Monteith's Merrin cafe. Please RSVP to Michele Ward 358-4304 by 26th October so that she can confirm the booking. Pick up transport can be arranged. Everyone welcome.



Catholic Cathedral College has a project running that requires students to get in

behind and help an organisation. Rose Crean has decided to help NZ blood and promote NZ Blood with the following message to the Christchurch Catholic community.

As representatives of New Zealand Blood we would like to give you the opportunity to save lives. New Zealand is lacking blood donations and as Catholics ourselves we want to raise awareness of this in our community. Please take the time to check out our posters and see if you're eligible to donate online. Every donation saves up to three lives and as Catholics it is our mission to help others.

Next Week's Roster 29-30 Oct 6 pm		9am	11 am
Cantor/Organist Music Groups	Z Ioane, J Gill		Pilgrimage to Holy Door
Readers	P Wong, F Pucilowski	J & P Casey	Pilgrimage to Holy Door
Ex. Ord. Min. Of Holy Com.	M & J Dominic, V & C Chia, P Nevin, M Bennett, C Riffel	G Holgate, A Devonport, R Dey, T Campbell, R de Roo, D Pitcaithly, N Sheehan	Pilgrimage to Holy Door
Offertory	M Anderson, N Fahy		Pilgrimage to Holy Door
Greeters	T & M Johnston		Pilgrimage to Holy Door
Servers	A Kuek, A Chong, A Tan	B Barrett, J Meuldijk, S Curnow	Pilgrimage to Holy Door
Collectors	D O'Brien, R Price	P Gorman, B Eccleton	Pilgrimage to Holy Door
Church Cleaning	C & P Barrett (C) – Saturday 29 October		
Morning Tea		O Frahm – Youth Groups	
Counters		M Thompson, B Carroll	
Collection for Sunday 16 October \$ 3,804.00 + Auto Payments for the week \$ 1,365.00 = \$ 5,169.00			