



Catholic Parish of Wairarapa

A community living and sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ

Patron: 'Our Lady of Compassion'

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B — 30th June 2024



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Tena koe,

A business executive became depressed. Things were not going well at work, and he was bringing his problems home with him every night. Every evening he would eat his dinner in silence, shutting out his wife and five-year-old daughter. Then he would go into the den and read the paper - using the newspaper to wall his family out of his life.

After several nights of this, one evening his daughter took her little hand and pushed the newspaper down. She then jumped into her father's lap, wrapped her arms around his neck and hugged him tightly. The father said abruptly, "Honey, you are hugging me to death!" "No, Daddy," the little girl said, "I'm hugging you to life!"

This was the greatness of Jesus. He took people where they were and hugged them to life. That is precisely what we see Jesus doing here in today's gospel passage: He is loving needy and hurting people - hugging them to life.

Today's gospel contains two healing stories rolled into one. As we know, healing sick people is one of the things Jesus keeps on doing in the Gospels. It is a proof that God's kingdom has come through Jesus. It is a sign of God's reign among us.

In Matthew 15:30 we are told: "Great crowds came to him, having with them the lame, the blind, the deformed, the mute, and many others. "They placed them at his feet, and he cured them." The people brought the sick and the wounded to Jesus and laid them at his feet, trusting that his presence and touch would bring them a better quality life. These people were given new sights, limbs that worked again. a voice that is heard, a good health of mind and body.

We are invited to bring to God what is wounded in us, and ask for restoration and healing. So let us ask:

- What is there within my life that I need to bring to the feet of Jesus for healing?
- What personal, physical and spiritual healing do I need to ask from God?
- Has any part of my life gone lame because of heavy burdens, or discouragement, or lack of interest in life?
- Have I gone blind emotionally, morally or spiritually due to grief and sadness, or due to doubt and confusion?
- Has any part of my life been deformed, due to selfishness, self-righteousness and sinfulness or due to low self-esteem and self-rejection?
- Have I lost voice in what must be proclaimed or in what ought to be spoken?
- Again, what is there within my life that I need to bring to the feet of Jesus for healing?

I would like to invite you now to pray with me this prayer for healing...

Nā,

Pā Dennis

Lord, you invite all who are burdened to come to you.

Look upon me with eyes of mercy.

May your healing hand rest upon me.

May your life-giving powers

flow into every cell of my body

and into the depths of my soul,

cleansing, purifying, restoring me

to wholeness and strength

for service in your Kingdom.

Touch gently this life which you have created;

touch my soul with your compassion

and may I show it to others;

touch my heart with your courage

and infinite love for all;

touch my mind with your wisdom

and may my mouth

always proclaim your praise.

Most loving Heart of Jesus,

bring me health in body and spirit

that I may serve you with all my strength. Amen.

PARISH NOTICES

On Prayer

EXPOSITION Friday's 8.30am
St. Patrick's Church.

Note: Sunday Adoration is available
in St. Patrick's Church after hospitality.

ROSARY GROUPS

St. Anthony's Hall, Tue's 11.00am
St. Teresa de Avila, Fri's 10:30am
St. Patrick, Sat's 4.30pm

HOUSE TO HOUSE ROSARIES

- St Teresa of Avila: Fely Curtice, 30th
June 2024 at 12:30pm

WORD AT HOME Bible Study Group

Friday's 11.00am call:

Claire: 027 715 6130

Helen: 027 225 6722

COMBINED CHURCHES Monthly Prayer
Meeting, Thursday 27 June, 7:30pm at St
Teresa of Avila. All are welcome for the hour
of prayer and reflection.

On Sacramental Program

**BECOMING A CATHOLIC RCIA PRO-
GRAMME** Please Pray for Carl and Kazu as
they begin RCIA

Contact: Claire: 027 715 6130

PARENTS ON RECONCILIATION

Sunday 23rd June at St. Teresa's Church
from 11:45am.

RECONCILIATION SACRAMENT

- St. Teresa School children: 2nd July
(Tuesday) after the 9:30am Mass

On Socials

COFFEE MORNINGS

Thursdays From 10.30am in Kainga Eatery,
Carterton

SUNDAY HOSPITALITY

All welcome following the Masses:

St. Patrick: Sun 8.30am

St. Teresa de Avila: Sun 10.30am

SHARED LUNCH 11.30am

Last Sun of the month at St Teresa's Church
Hall, Fstn. Please bring a plate.

PRAY FOR THE ETERNAL REPOSE OF THE SOULS

Helen McGann Hanorah Lett Ikoke Fagasoia
Pat Tyrrell John Jenkins

*Our sincere prayerful condolences to the families of the
recently departed.*

PRAYER (Please keep in your prayers)

Bob Knowles Philippa Fagg Terrence Nelson
Anita Ciffroy Nelson Potts (Terry)

On Ministry Formation

- June 29th — Prayer Chain Ministry Formation, Sat-
urday, 10 am at St. Patrick's Church
- June 30th — Sacristan, Communion, and Altar
servers Formation at St. Teresa of Avila Church,
right after the Sunday Mass
- June 30th — Welcome Ministry Formation, Sunday,
3 pm at St. Patrick's Church
- July 6th — Music Ministry Discussion, Saturday,
10am at St. Patrick's Church
- July 7th — Welcome Ministry Formation, Sunday, at
St. Teresa of Avila Church right after Mass
- July 7th—Reach-out Ministry, Sunday, 3pm, at St.
Patrick's Church
- July 13th — Ministry of Lector Training, Saturday at
1 pm at St Patrick's Church.
- July 14th— Parish Care and Maintenance Discus-
sion, Sunday, 3 pm, at St. Patrick's Church

ARCHDIOCESAN NOTICES

Vacancy: Clergy Healthcare Coordinator , Archdiocese of
Wellington (30 hours per week)

*We are seeking a compassionate and organised Healthcare Co-
ordinator to join our Catholic Social Services team, supporting
the health and wellbeing of our clergy. Reporting directly to the
Vicar General, this role is crucial in ensuring the holistic care of
both active and retired clergy members of the Archdiocese of
Wellington. Applications close Monday 8 July. For more infor-
mation and to apply: [https://mclaren.co.nz/vacancies/?ja-
job=4250106](https://mclaren.co.nz/vacancies/?ja-job=4250106)*

WelCom Readership Survey

*The Archdiocese of Wellington is conducting a survey over the
next few weeks among WelCom readers within the Archdiocese
of Wellington. The survey is intended to gauge readers' views
about how they may prefer to receive news and information from
the Archdiocese and how the Archdiocese can generally improve
its communications with parishioners. The SurveyMonkey web-
site link is <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/PK66XNR>. This
link will also be placed on the Archdiocese of Wellington website.*

Justice, Peace, and Ecology Commission

*The Ecology, Justice and Peace Commission (EJP) is made up
of 12 members who meet bi-monthly for these responsibilities:*

- *Supporting communities to hear and actively respond to
the cry of the earth and the cry of the poor;*
- *Scrutinising all issues and institutions in society and in the
Archdiocese in the light of Catholic social teaching;*
- *Encouraging and enabling the people to collectively deep-
en their understanding of the "peripheries" in order to re-
spond and take action for change.*

*If you are interested, please get in touch: [d.meskill@wn-
catholicsocialservices.org.nz](mailto:d.meskill@wn-catholicsocialservices.org.nz)*

Ethnic Gathering at the Cathedral of the Sacred Heart

*A special Eucharistic Celebration by Archbishop Paul Martin,
sm for all ethnic communities will be held in the newly re-
opened Metropolitan Cathedral of the Sacred Heart at 9:30am
on Saturday 13th July. This will be followed by fellowship,
workshops and a shared lunch at Connolly Hall. Everyone is
warmly invited. We are supplying a simple lunch, you are wel-
come to bring a dish from your culture. Any questions, please
contact reception@wn-catholicsocialservices.org.nz*

CATECHISM ON THE DIFFERENT PARTS OF THE MASS

From the General Instruction of the Roman Missal

The General Instruction of the Roman Missal (GIRM) is a document that provides detailed guidelines for the celebration of the Mass in the Roman Catholic Church. It outlines the proper manner in which Mass is to be celebrated, including the role of the clergy, the participation of the faithful, the structure of the Mass, the use of liturgical objects, and other liturgical norms. The GIRM helps ensure that the celebration of the Mass is conducted reverently and in accordance with the traditions of the Church.

INTRODUCTORY RITES

The rites that precede the Liturgy of the Word, namely, the **Entrance, the Greeting, the Penitential Act, the Kyrie, the Gloria in excelsis (*Glory to God in the highest*) and Collect**, have the character of a beginning, an introduction, and a preparation.

Their purpose is to ensure that the faithful, who come together as one, establish communion and dispose themselves properly to listen to the Word of God and to celebrate the Eucharist worthily. In certain celebrations that are combined with Mass according to the norms of the liturgical books, the Introductory Rites are omitted or take place in a particular way.

The Entrance

When the people are gathered, and as the Priest enters with the Deacon and ministers, the Entrance Chant begins. Its purpose is to open the celebration, foster the unity of those who have been gathered, introduce their thoughts to the mystery of the liturgical time or festivity, and accompany the procession of the Priest and ministers.

This chant is sung alternately by the choir and the people or similarly by a cantor and the people, or entirely by the people, or by the choir alone. the Entrance Chant may be chosen from among the following:

1. the antiphon with its Psalm from the *Graduale Romanum* or the *Graduale Simplex*,
2. Another chant or hymn that is suited to the sacred action, the day, or the time of year,
3. Hymn that has been approved by the Conference of Bishops or the Local Ordinary.

If there is no singing at the Entrance, the antiphon given in the Missal is recited either by the faithful, or by some of them, or by a reader; otherwise, it is recited by the Priest himself, who may even adapt it as an introductory explanation.

Today's Lectionary Readings

12TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME B

First Reading: Wisdom 1:13-15, 2:23-24

Responsorial Psalm: *I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me* Ps 29 (30):2, 4-6, 11-13

Second Readings: 2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15

Gospel: Mark 5:21-43

Next Sunday's Lectionary Readings

13TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME B

First Reading: Ezekiel 2:2-5

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 122 (123)

Second Readings: 2 Cor 12:7-10

Gospel: Mark 6:1-6

BISHOPS NATIONAL CONFERENCE NOTICES

Lifeteen Leadership Convention

30th Aug- 1st Sept 2024 Sacred Heart College Lower Hutt.. \$120 Per Person, Year 13 +

This August Life Teen Aotearoa is partnering with the Wellington Archdiocese to run the Life Teen Leadership Convention for those serving in youth ministry with young people. You will receive dynamic talks and youth ministry training from Life Teen International staff and local youth ministry experts; the opportunity to discuss youth ministry and network with others involved in youth ministry from around Aotearoa. You will have faith input, prayer and worship, and the chance to receive, be filled and be renewed in your own faith. This Convention is an opportunity not to be missed. **REGISTRATIONS ARE OPEN NOW: HEAD TO: <https://lifeteen.nz/convention> TO REGISTER.** Please don't hesitate to get in touch with us if you have any questions, registrations@lifeteen.nz.

Towards October 2024 Synod Consultation

A new consultation document prepared by the bishops as part of the Holy Father's Synod 2021-24 process has been sent to Rome.

This document, titled *Towards October 2024*, follows the NZ Catholic Bishops Conference being asked to establish a consultation process to discern responses to specific questions related to the Vatican's *Synodal Church in Mission* report. That report was published after the First Session of the 16th Ordinary General Assembly of the Synod of Bishops, held in Rome last October. Copies of *Towards October 2024* can now be downloaded from our website: <https://www.wairarapacatholicparish.com/resources.html>

The Royal Commission on Abuse in Care has now advised that its final report could be made public in the week beginning 22 July.

- *By Wednesday 26 June, Commissioners deliver their final report including their final recommendations to the Governor-General. The report is not public at this point.*
- *After that, the Governor-General gives it to the Minister of Internal Affairs*
- *By law, the Government is responsible for making the report public by presenting it to Parliament.*
- *The Minister of Internal Affairs intends to table the report in Parliament during the following sitting week, **which begins July 22**, and will confirm the date and time early next week.*

See: <https://www.abuseincare.org.nz/our-progress/news/panui-21-june-2024>

Weekly Mass Timetable

Mstn: St Patrick's Church, 375 Queen Street

Fstn: St Teresa de Avila Church, 50 Bell Street

* Liturgy of the Word & Communion (W & C)

2nd July	Tues	10.00am	Mass - Kiwi Hall, St. Teresa's whole school Mass	Sts Precensus and
		5.00pm	W & C - St Patrick Church	Martynians
3rd July	Wed	11.00am	St. Anthony of Padua Hall	St. Thomas, Apostle
4th July	Thurs	9:30am	St. Patrick's School Hall	St. Elizabeth of Portugal
5th July	Fri	9.30am	Mass—St. Patrick's Church	St. Antonuy Zaccaria
6th July	Sat	5.00pm	Mass—St. Patrick's Church	St. Maria Goretti
7th July	Sun	8.30am	Mass - St Patrick's Church	14th Sunday, OT Year B
		10.30am	Mass - St Teresa of Avila Church	14th Sunday, OT Year B

Other Venues

Mboro:

St Anthony of Padua Hall, 36 Kitchener St.

Gtn:

St Luke's Anglican Church, 135 Main St.

Ctn:

* Richmond Funeral Home Chapel, 10 Richmond Rd.

* St Mary's School, 4 King St.

Fstn:

* St Teresa's School, 63 Bell St.

* St Teresa's School, Kiwi Hall, 62 Bell St.

Mstn:

* Chanel College 26 Herbert St.

* St Pat's School, 132 Chapel St.

ADMIN SECTION

PARISH ROLL UPDATE: If you would like to update your details or add your name to our parish roll as a new parishioner. Please use link on our parish website: <https://cpw.infoodle.com/f/ContactDetails>.

PLAN GIFTING DONATIONS (PG)

Acc Name: **ADW CPW**

BNZ 02-0688-0049100-00

To enrol in PG program please contact the Parish Office.

This continues to help support the day to day running of expenses for our Parish. Your support is greatly appreciated.

DONATIONS FOR WAIRARAPA

Church Building Projects Only

Account No: **02-0688-0049100-25**

ADW SAFEGUARDING ADVISER

Contact: 04 496 1768

Parish Safeguarding Reps:

Sth Wai: Joanne - 022 088 6044

Nth Wai: Lisa - 021 076 1604

PARK YOUR CARS away from the front area of the St Patrick's Church for safety reasons.

FRIDAY MASSES

Chanel College Masses will resume next term. All masses will be held in St Patrick's Church until the 3rd term.

SUGGESTION BOX

A suggestion box is available in the foyers, of St Teresa of Avila and St Patrick Churches. Please send us your feedback.

RECONCILIATION:

Sat's: 4.00pm St Patrick's Church, Mstn.

Sun's: 11:30am St Teresa de Avila Church, Fstn.

All other Sacraments: Baptism and Marriages, please call Parish Office.

SCHOOL UPDATES

PREFERENCE CERTIFICATE SIGNING

The office is open on Wednesdays and Thursdays from 3-4pm for preference signing. The significant familial adult will have to be a registered member of the parish. On how to be a member of the parish, please click this link: <https://cpw.infoodle.com/f/ContactDetails> or visit the website <https://www.wairarapacatholicparish.com/parish-roll-update.html>

ONLINE ROCKY ROAD FUNDRAISER

St Mary's School families are selling delicious rocky road to help support our school and our students.

How do I sign up to fundraise online? Each fund-raiser can sign up for their very own web page to send out to friends and family to collect sales.

Go to this website page: <https://stmaryscartertoncookies.raiseit.co.nz/>



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED to assist reading at St. Pat's School. Please get in touch with Steve Wheeler.

CONGRATULATIONS to Otis, Frankie, Leo and Rouco for having done First Reconciliation at St. Mary's School

St. Vincent De Paul Wairarapa Conference, contact Patrick 0274249365 .

New volunteers for the Vinnies Shop in Carterton are needed, even a few hours a week would be appreciated.

- We need people to reach out into the community and visit the sick and elderly.
- We need people to tell us who and where we can be of assistance.
- We need people who want to bless others, making a difference.

