



This quarterly e-news is a resource to better connect with those exercising leadership in the Archdiocese.

Browse to discover **links to resources** that may be useful in the many and varied ministries throughout the diocese.

Stay updated on **Cardinal John Dew's priorities and Synod 2017 follow-up opportunities.**

Check out **workshops** that are on offer so you may factor them into your planning.

**All feedback from parishes and individuals is welcome.** Let us know what would be helpful and we will do our best.

Contact details on page four



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## Something for everyone at Mission Expo 2020



[Click here for South Island workshops 12 - 1.30pm](#)

[Click here for North Island workshops 11- 12.30](#)

[Click here for North Island workshops 1.30 - 3pm](#)

### How to register for the workshops

Spaces are limited because of classroom sizes so workshop spaces will be allocated on a **'first come basis'**.

- ♦ Choose your workshop/s and notice that each workshop has been numbered
- ♦ Email Ann Williams [a.williams@wn.catholic.org.nz](mailto:a.williams@wn.catholic.org.nz) or ph: 04 496 1706 and tell her the number and title and your name (or leave a message with contact details)
- ♦ Ann will confirm your place
- ♦ Take a chance and turn up on the day



Many of the workshops will be offered again during the year. Mission Expo 2020 is a taster of what is on offer in the Archdiocese

## WelCom

Click on the **WelCom** banner for more information about Mission Expo 2020 and to find out about the free **Last Will and Testament** opportunity, and the **Human Library**.

More information about Mission Expo 2020 by clicking



**Te Huinga o nga Pihopa  
Katorika o Aotearoa**  
New Zealand Catholic Bishops Conference

**Bishop Viard College 14 March 10.00 - 4.00**

**Garin College 21 March 11.00 - 2.30**



Click on image to find us on Face Book

### Getting there

**Bishop Viard College** - lots of parking onsite. Bus and train across the road

**Garin College** - lots of parking onsite and next door and on bus route

## Dates for your diary



The **Nation wide weekend** will be of particular interest to those engaged in **pastoral ministry in parishes**. Here is a golden opportunity to participate in bigger picture but practically oriented conversations. An **Archdiocesan focus** will be taken with the final session incorporating diocesan gatherings to aid local momentum, planning and application.

## Creatively Experiencing the Sacred - a workshop

**When:** Thursday 26 March 7- 8.30pm

**Where:** St Theresa's, Plimmerton

**Who:** Sr Anne Sklenars and Lynette Roberts-King

Try it  
here



Discover a library of over 350 videos by spiritual writers including Daniel O'Leary, Edwina Gateley, Margaret Silf, Richard Leonard SJ, Monica Brown and many others.

Please register with Ann Williams [a.williams@wn.catholic.org.nz](mailto:a.williams@wn.catholic.org.nz) or 04 496 1706

**Special offers** will be available on resources at the workshop

## Hear the Cry of the Earth

**Whakarongo ki te tangi a Papatūānuku**  
**We can make a difference**

A series of three evenings to inform and inspire people in the Wellington West area to consider realistic ways to respond to the challenges of climate change. This initiative will be based on *Laudato Si'*, include guest speakers, time for discussion, reflection and practical action. There's no better time than in Lent to commit to making a change and caring better for our common home.

It will run on **3, 12, 26 March from 7.30-9pm in St Thomas More Church, Wilton**. For more information phone the parish office 04-476 6131 or email Estelle Henrys [ev.henrys@gmail.com](mailto:ev.henrys@gmail.com)

There will be a similar series of workshops offered later in the year in the Nelson area. If your parish would like to host a series please contact Lisa Beech [l.beech@wn.catholic.org.nz](mailto:l.beech@wn.catholic.org.nz) or 04 496 17??

## Water for Life - Lenten series

**life cycle, water cycle, re-cycle, living waters**

**St Joseph's parish in Upper Hutt** social justice group are seeking ways for locals to commit to new ways of caring for their local area. They have chosen water as a focus, learning about the water cycle, restoring and recycling water and gaining spiritual nourishment from the gospel story of Jesus - our Living Water. The organizers, keen to make this *Laudato Si'* formation series accessible to everyone, have organized **two morning sessions at the church from 10am-12noon on Mon 16 and Tues 17 March**. Guest speakers will provide local contexts concerning issues around waste and recycling. At **three evening sessions 7.30-9pm on March 17, 18, 19** speakers will discuss issues connected with the **Hutt river**, the **Mangaroa peat-land**, as well as **housing infrastructure** to conserve water. All sessions will include reflections from Pope Francis' encyclical.

For **more information** contact the parish office 04 528 2028

## Extra-ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion and taking communion to the sick



Fr Patrick Bridgman, Liturgy Advisor, will be coming to **Holy Family Parish, Nelson** 1-3 March and leading a session on **Sun 1 March** 1.30 - 3.30pm at **St Francis of Assisi** and a session on **Tues 3 March** St Mary's meeting room 7 - 9pm. He will reflect on the role of the Minister of the Eucharist, and taking communion to those in their homes, a practical time in the church and a time for questions. Please indicate your attendance by emailing with Christina Brady [christina.b@xtra.co.nz](mailto:christina.b@xtra.co.nz) or Peter Gillin [gillojunior@yahoo.com.sg](mailto:gillojunior@yahoo.com.sg) (5488195) by Wed 26 February.

## Love with gumboots on



Rediscover the richness of family caregiving  
**Sat 22 February 10 - 2.30 at St Mary's Centre,  
 Manuka St, Nelson**

Please bring lunch and a koha offering.

For **more information** contact **Karen Moynagh**

027 245 7800 or [karen@moynagh.co.nz](mailto:karen@moynagh.co.nz)

A valuable day for anyone who  
 has cared for a loved one,  
 is caring now or  
 is simply interested in love and life

Facilitator is **Mary James** who  
 has worked in palliative care  
 and holds a Masters in Health  
 Science (Palliative Care)



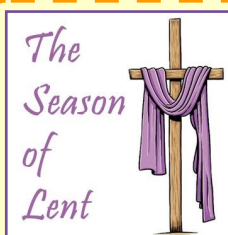
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 information

For all who have an interest in liturgy  
 or involved in any way



Copious resources for Lent  
 In English, Samoan and  
 Te reo Māori

The people who are crazy enough to think they can  
 change the world are the ones who do (Steve Jobs)



Looking for another **Lenten  
 reflection** to pray on your own  
 or in a small group?  
 Thank you to the Archdiocese  
 of Dublin for sharing  
 their resource.

## The way of the Cross through the life of Suzanne Aubert



**A resource for parishes and schools.** The Stations  
 of the Cross have a special significance for the  
 Sisters of Compassion as they remind us of the life  
 and example of Mary who stood at the foot of the  
 cross.



Adults

Children



The **Parish Offertory Giving Programme** is a programme offered through the Office of  
 Stewardship and Philanthropy to help renew, rebuild and rejuvenate offertory giving in  
 parishes. We are here to support the parish committees who are already asked to do so  
 much. There is no cost to parishes. Please drop a line to Blair Sasada (Annual Giving  
 Coordinator) to find out more. Ph:04 496 1778 [b.sasada@wn.catholic.org.nz](mailto:b.sasada@wn.catholic.org.nz)



Archdiocesan **Marriage Enrichment Evening for all couples.** Newly and 'Oldly' weds! are  
 invited to attend. 'Imago' relationship specialists Yvonne and Brian Pauling will present  
 an enjoyable couples workshop with tips and tools to enrich and grow your relationship.  
 Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> February 7-9pm, Connolly Hall, Thorndon, Wellington. A glass of bubbles  
 will be served on arrival. Entry by Koha. To RSVP and for more information contact: ADW  
 Marriage Ministries, Felicity Giltrap, [marriage@wn.catholic.org.nz](mailto:marriage@wn.catholic.org.nz) or (04) 496 1719



Would you like your parish to grow in compassion and outreach? How  
 about running an Alpha programme? Alpha is an opportunity to explore  
 life, faith and God in a friendly, open and informal environment. We have a  
 workshop coming up in March. Contact Chris Walkerdine for more details,  
 at [c.walkerdine@wn.catholic.org.nz](mailto:c.walkerdine@wn.catholic.org.nz) or telephone 04-496-1706

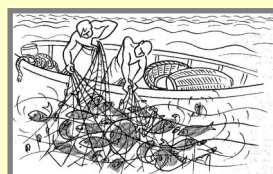




From time to time you may want to contact someone in the Archdiocese. **Who do you call for information? Who does what?** Click on the picture to take you to the Cardinal, Vicar General, and all the ADW directors.



**February 2020 Newsletter** of special interest to Samoans in their own language.  
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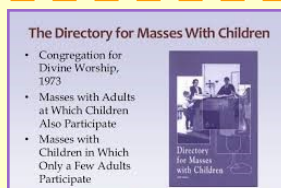


Launch Out forms Lay Pastoral leaders and others. Find out more by reading their Newsletter



### Matthew's Passion

Cardinal Thomas Williams shares one way to proclaim Matthew's gospel of the Passion of Jesus, which can be read by multiple voices during the reading of the Gospel. **Click image**

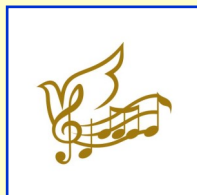


**Directory for Masses with children**  
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**Need some inspiration preparing for liturgies? Try these sites**



**National Liturgy Office**



**Song suggestions, a music planner, and some sound files**



**Weekly prayer of the faithful suggestions**



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From the Synod: Make re-igniting and nurturing the energy for MISSION a strategic goal for the Archdiocese

### What the Parish Leadership Ministry Team can offer you

We collaborate with parish leadership teams, parish councils, Archdiocesan Pastoral Council, liturgy advisor and others in leadership roles including other archdiocesan vicariates, and ethnic chaplaincies, to facilitate delivery of;

- ✓ resources
- ✓ formation
- ✓ services
- ✓ other forms of support to meet the changing needs of parishes and those in leadership roles.

Offer workshops/formation which can enhance the effectiveness of your Parish Pastoral Council.

Facilitate or help you to facilitate in creating or moving forward your pastoral plan.

Take you through a process that will help you evaluate how well your parish is going.

Promote and support gift discernment and succession planning in essential ministries in parishes.

Provide liturgical resources and formation.

Assist you to prioritize and action Synod outcomes that best meet your parish's needs.

Consultancy on leadership, management, research, and running seminars to upskill.