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GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest,
and on Earth peace to people of good will.
We praise you, we bless you,
we adore you, we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father.
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer;
you are seated
at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.
For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

APOSTLES CREED

I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
Creator of Heaven and Earth;
and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our
Lord: who was conceived by the Holy
Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary;
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried.
He descended into Hell;
on the third day
He rose again from the dead;
He ascended into Heaven,
and is seated at the right hand
of God the Father Almighty;
from there He will come to judge
the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and life everlasting. Amen.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

My soul, give thanks to the Lord,
all my being, bless his holy name.
My soul, give thanks to the Lord
and never forget all his blessings.

It is he who forgives all your guilt,
who heals every one of your ills,
who redeems your life from the grave,
who crowns you with love and compas-
sion.

The Lord is compassion and love,
slow to anger and rich in mercy.
He does not treat us according to our sins
nor repay us according to our faults.

As far as the east is from the west
so far does he remove our sins.
As a father has compassion on his sons,
The Lord has pity on those who fear him.

CONFITEOR

I confess to almighty God
and to you, my brothers and sisters,
that I have **greatly sinned**
in my thoughts and in my words,
in what I have done and
in what I have failed to do,
through my fault,
through my fault,
through my most grievous fault;
therefore I ask blessed Mary
ever-Virgin,
all the Angels and Saints,
and you, my brothers and sisters, to
pray for me to
the Lord our God

Small Fundraising Craft Table. The grand total raised is a wonderful \$36,520.00. Thank you to the whole Parish. The stall has a variety of cards, books, freshly made plum jam, jewellery and gifts for sale. The current raffle is for 8 tickets to the Waiheke Community Cinema and will be drawn on 1 March. Jo and the team.

Pope Francis has announced that **Fr Michael Gielen will be ordained** Auxiliary Bishop of the Auckland Diocese. The venue for this ordination is the Vodafone Events Centre, South Auckland. With a seating capacity of almost 3000 we hope that as many people as possible will take the opportunity to join this celebration at 11am on Saturday 7 March. **Bishop Pat invites all the people of the diocese** to join him to fill the Vodafone Event Centre as we gather as one Diocesan family in this celebration of faith.

Wednesday 26 February, **Ash Wednesday Mass** will be celebrated at St Peter's at 5.30pm. This will replace our usual Liturgy of the Word held on Wednesday. (Readers: Mary and Pat Sullivan, Communion: Pauline Dunkley.)



Ash Wednesday Masses at St Patrick Cathedral on 26 February are 7 am, 12.15 pm & 1.15 pm. At 7.30pm will be a Combined Services of the Ashes with the Anglican Bishop, Ross Bay and Bishop Pat Dunn at the Cathedral of St Patrick & St Joseph. Ashes will be distributed at all of the services.

Evening Talk on Governance and Abuse in the Church. A canon law expert and international speaker, Dr Myriam Wijlens will speak on "Co-Workers in the Vineyard of the Lord", Wednesday 11 March at 7:00pm, St Columba Centre, 40 Vermont St, Ponsonby.

The **Saint Francis Retreat Centre** in Hillsborough, Auckland is hosting a series of retreats during the course of 2020. As well as Lenten and Advent Retreats, the Centre is hosting 'Time Out Days' from 9.30am to 2.30pm on the following Wednesdays: Ash Wednesday 26 February, 11 March, 8 April, 13 May, 10 June. For further details contact betty@stfrancisretreatcentre.org.nz or phone (09) 625 6651.

One-day **pastoral leadership conference** for all Catholic faith community leaders. Theme: Seeking Holiness in a Secular World; Saturday 14 March, 9:30am – 2pm at Our Lady of Assumption Parish Hall, 97 Galway St, Onehunga. Registration essential. Please email us at pastoraloffice@ccda.org.nz. Morning tea provided. Please bring own lunch. For topics and speakers, visit our website www.ccda.org.nz

LITURGY OF THE WORD:

23 Feb: 7th Sun Ord Time: Leviticus 19:1-2,17-18; 1Corinthians 3:16-23; Matthew 5:38-48
1 Mar: 1st week of Lent: Genesis 2:7-9, 3:1-7; Romans 5:12-19; Matthew 4:1-11