

# Community Notices & Events

## Greeters Needed

At our Saturday 5.30pm and Sunday 9.30am Masses.

Volunteers are needed to greet parishioners and hand out the Parish newsletter before our weekend Masses. Please contact the Parish office if you are able to help: stignatius\_stheliers@xtra.co.nz and let us know which Mass (Saturday or Sunday) you can assist with.

## Playgroup Coordinator Needed to help revive the Parish playgroup.

Held on Tuesday mornings in the Parish centre, this group is a lovely way for Mums to get together over a cup of coffee and keep preschoolers entertained with toys and activities. Email or call Maggy: maggyhamilton@icloud.com, ph 021 562 449 if you can help.

## Parish Contact Details

Ph: 575 5227  
Email: stignatius\_stheliers@xtra.co.nz  
Parish Priest: Fr John Dunn  
Pastoral Assistant: Maggy Hamilton  
Ph: 021 562 449

## The Alpha for Couples Course

Starting in July.

Marriage and Family Life invite you to explore life, faith and meaning through Alpha for Couples. Expressions of interest to: marriageandfamily@cda.org.nz

## Jubilee Bursary

Applications are now open

For the Bishop's Jubilee Bursary Semester 2 2022 for a contribution toward fees for Theology and RE courses at degree and post graduate level. Applications close Thursday 9 June, 2022. Contact Michelle Jarvis michellej@cda.org.nz

## St Paul - The first Missionary

Mondays, 13 - 27 June, 7pm - 8.30pm, via ZOOM.

With Kieran Fenn fms. All sessions are connected but also stand alone. \$25/session or \$50/series. Register online at: <https://www.studyjoy.nz/events/st-paul-meet-the-first-missionary-7/>

## Muffin Talk Radio Programmes

Online at: [www.studyjoy.nz](http://www.studyjoy.nz)

# Next Week's Ministers

Saturday 21 May, 5.15pm

No Mass at St Ignatius

Greeter:  
Mass Counter:  
Altar Servers:  
Commentator:  
Data Projector:  
Readers:  
Bread Minister:  
Cup Ministers: None  
Collectors:

Sunday 22 May, 9am

Greeters: Mandy Ponsonby  
Mass Counter: tbc  
Altar Servers: Anastacia Campos  
Commentator: Tualau Pulotu  
Data Projector: Sherridon Grant  
Readers: Antonio Campos, Ryan Peck  
Bread Ministers: Jan Campbell, John Wilkinson  
Cup Ministers: none  
Collectors: Chris & Tiara Hickey  
Counters: David Regan, Kirstin Topp  
Morning tea: None  
Linen: Solange Regan



# St Ignatius Parish

*"Love one another"*  
John 13:31-35

## Introduction to the Gospel 5th Sunday of Easter

The Gospel of John is often divided into sections known as the Book of Signs, detailing the public ministry of Jesus aimed at bringing people to belief, and the Book of Glory, which outlines the events leading to his death and resurrection. One part of that final section of the gospel describes the events of his final night with his followers. It is too late now for those who have not recognised that Jesus is the Messiah. He closets himself with those who do believe and gives them a long instruction on how they are to continue his mission

after he is gone. Both today's reading and next week's gospel come from this section of the text. Jesus is not simply telling his disciples that they must love each other, but that they must love as he has loved. This is moving beyond the commandment known to the Jews to love one's neighbour as oneself. The love that Jesus showed was the total self-giving and selfless love that led to his death on the cross - his glorification. It is the love that revealed the love of God who is love - the true mark of a Christian in a truly Christian community.

## Today's Readings

**1st reading:**  
Acts 14:21-27  
They assembled the church and gave an account of all that God had done with them.

**Psalms:** 145

**2nd reading:**  
Apocalypse 21:1-5  
He will wipe away all the tears from their eyes.

**Gospel:**  
John 13:31-35  
I give you a new commandment: love one another.

## Next Week's Mass Times:

<b>Saturday 21 May:</b>	No Mass
<b>Sunday 22 May:</b>	9am Mass at St Ignatius
	10.30am Mass at Glendowie
	5pm Youth Mass at St Ignatius

## Covid-19 Reminder

To ensure that we all continue to stay safe, please remember to:

- Wear a mask
- Keep a two metre social distance
- Stay at home if you are sick
- Wash & sanitize your hands regularly and often
- Adopt a non-contact Sign of Peace

## Catholic Women's League

**Wednesday 25 May, 9.30am, leaving from the RSA, 178 Kapa Rd, Orakei.**

Bus Trip to Crystal Mountain - Waitakere Ranges. Return at 2.30pm. Cost: \$35 (bus & lunch). ASB Bank Account: 12-3073-0079278-00 (reference: your surname) or cash on the day. Call Tina 021 940 950, 09 521 2499 or email [tina-raines2703@gmail.com](mailto:tina-raines2703@gmail.com) to book and select one of three lunch options.

## Readings

### Monday

Acts 14:5-18  
John 14:21-26

### Tuesday

Acts 14:19-28  
Gospel: John 14:27-31

### Wednesday

Acts 15:1-6  
Gospel: John 15:1-8

### Thursday

Acts 15:7-21  
Gospel: John 15:9-11

### Friday

Acts 15:22-31  
Gospel: John 15:12-17

### Saturday

Acts 16:1-10  
Gospel: John 15:12-17

## Prayers

**Let us pray for all of the sick & elderly in the Parish**

If you would like anyone remembered in the Mass, or know of anyone who is unwell, please contact our Pastoral Assistant Maggy Hamilton on ph 021 562 449.

## Anniversaries

### May

Barbara Harris  
Jean McHugh  
Elizabeth Burke  
Florence Taylor  
Mary Skelton  
Barry Stansfield

## Ecumenical Prayer Service

**Sunday 12 June, 6.30pm, St Peter's Syrian Orthodox Church, 15 Culperry Rd, Glendene.**

The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity for 2022 runs from 30 May - 5 June. Join with other Christians to celebrate together at this year's Ecumenical Prayer Service, followed by refreshments. Email [pastoraloffice@cda.org.nz](mailto:pastoraloffice@cda.org.nz) for further details.

## Catholic Social Teaching

**Tuesday 7 June, 9am - 4pm & Mondays 13, 20 & 27 June, 1pm - 4pm, St Mary's School, Ellerslie.**

Deepen your understanding of faith and God with these courses on Catholic Social Teaching, presented by the Catholic Theological College. Enquire by email: [office@ctc.ac.nz](mailto:office@ctc.ac.nz) or call ph 04 819 8380. More info online at: [www.ctc.ac.nz](http://www.ctc.ac.nz)

## Glenbrae School Breakfast Club

**Volunteers needed to help serve breakfast.**

Glenbrae School operates a breakfast Club from 8am - 8.30am daily in the School hall. A filling breakfast of toast, Wheatbix and milk is provided in a warm and inviting environment. If you can help, please email the Principal: [robbiep@glenbrae.school.nz](mailto:robbiep@glenbrae.school.nz)

## St Ignatius Primary Enrolment Parish

### Years 0 - 6 enrolments

Enrolment applications for New Entrant places in 2023 at St Ignatius Catholic Primary School close on 31 August and will be processed in accordance with the Enrolment Scheme. Parents will be notified soon after 31 August. Please complete an enrolment application form together with the preference certificate and other supporting information and deliver or email it to the school office not later than 31 August 2022. The school currently has limited spaces for all year levels. If you would like to make an enrolment application you are welcome to do so at any time. If you have a baby or preschooler it is helpful if applications for places beyond 2023 are in the system. It's never too early to apply.

## Sacramental Programme

**Information Evening: MOPH & St Ignatius. New Date Tuesday 14 June, 7.30pm, St Ignatius Parish Centre.**

If your child is in Year 4 at school this year, come along to our Information Session to enrol to your child into our 2 year Sacramental Programme on Tuesday 14th June, 7:30pm, St Ignatius Parish Centre. Please email Gina to confirm your attendance: [stignatius.sacraments@gmail.com](mailto:stignatius.sacraments@gmail.com) Remember your Mask.

## Planned Giving Envelopes

**If you contribute to the Parish via the envelope system:**

Your new set of envelopes is available to collect from the foyer of the Church.

## Week Day Mass Times

Monday:	8.30am, St Ignatius
Tuesday:	8.30am, St Ignatius
Wednesday:	9am, Mother of Perpetual Help
Thursday:	9am, Mother of Perpetual Help
Friday:	9am, Mother of Perpetual Help

**Reconciliation by appointment**

## Groups

### Prayer Chain

If you would like prayer support for any reason at all **Email Glennis on [glen.bob01@gmail.com](mailto:glen.bob01@gmail.com)** to be added to the prayer chain.

### Glenbrae School

#### Reading & Conversation

**New volunteers welcome.**

One on one with pupils in Years 1-4. Contact Cynthia Morris, ph 021 203 1824, [morriscm.nz@gmail.com](mailto:morriscm.nz@gmail.com)

### TweenScene

**Meeting regularly for fun get-togethers.**

Email [tweenscene.parish@gmail.com](mailto:tweenscene.parish@gmail.com) to join the mailing list.

### TeenScene

**Meeting regularly for fun get-togethers.**

For more information email: [kim.ballinger@icloud.com](mailto:kim.ballinger@icloud.com)

### Card Group

**Wednesdays, 1pm, in the Hall foyer.**

All welcome to come along for a fun and friendly afternoon of cards, a cup of tea and a chat. For more info call Bob ph 575 7622.