

Cathedral & Hill Suburbs Pastoral Area



ST JOSEPH'S CATHEDRAL | ST FRANCIS XAVIER (Mornington)
ST MARY'S (Kaikorai) | ST JOSEPH'S (Brockville)

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3 August 2025 – 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year C

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SUNDAY MASS

SATURDAY:	St Mary's Vigil: 6:00pm
SUNDAY:	St Francis Xavier: 9:00am St Joseph's Cathedral: 10:30am; (9:00am Latin Mass; Chapel)
	St Joseph's, Brockville remains closed to the public.

WEEKDAY MASS

ST MARY'S: Tue & Fri: 9:30am; **ST FRANCIS XAVIER:** Wed & Thurs: 9:30am
ST JOSEPH'S CATHEDRAL: Mon & Sat: 9:30am (Chapel), Wed: 5:30pm (Cathedral)

CONFESSION

Cathedral: Sat 4:30-5:00pm

EXPOSITION

Cathedral: Wed 6-6:40pm
(concluding with Benediction)

THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Friday 15 August 2025 (*Holy Day of Obligation*)

Masses

9:30am - St Mary's Church, Kaikorai

12:00pm (Noon) - St Joseph's Cathedral

2:00pm - St Francis Xavier Church, Mornington

5:30pm - St Joseph's Cathedral



THANK YOU to the e-rescue team at the University of Otago for the donation of recycled laptops for St Mary's Kaikorai & St Francis Xavier Mornington. We are most grateful for the generosity and kindness shown to our small communities :-)

FEAST DAYS, SOLEMNITIES & MEMORIALS

4 August – St John Mary Vianney

5 August – The Dedication of the Basilica of St Mary Major

6 August – THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD

7 August – St Dominic; St Sixtus II, Pope, & Companions; St Cajetan

8 August – ST MARY OF THE CROSS

9 August – St Teresa Benedicta of the Cross (Edith Stein)

BAPTISMAL CONGRATULATIONS to Evie Rose Magbago, daughter of Clint & Hannah, who received the sacrament Saturday 26 July in the Cathedral Chapel with Fr Vaughan.

CATHEDRAL MASS MORNING TEA – 1st Sunday of Month

In the Pastoral Centre following Mass this week – everyone most welcome.

PLEASE REMEMBER THE SOULS OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Recent Deaths:

Dawn Andrews and Robert Newey

Anniversaries:

Requiescant in Pace

THE NANO NAGLE TRUST was formed by the Presentation Sisters www.presentationisters.com and Friends of Nano in 2009 to support children who are unable to attend a Catholic School because of financial hardship. Approximately 1:8 children in New Zealand are living in poverty: that is, they live in households earning less than 60% of the median New Zealand house-hold income. Children attending Catholic Schools are not exempt from this deprivation and many parents are finding that they must choose between buying food and paying for electricity or sending their children to a Catholic School. The costs for a child to attend a Catholic School are significant: Some families are faced with considering having to withdraw their children from a Catholic school for financial reasons. This impacts adversely on the child, the family and schools.

Over the past four years the Nano Nagle Trust has paid approximately \$100,943 dollars to support children to attend Catholic School. www.nanonagletrust.com

THE MONTHLY INTERNATIONAL ROSARY will be celebrated on Tuesday, 5th August at 7:00pm in Mercy Parish Chapel in South Dunedin. As usual we try to pray the Rosary in 10 different languages as each decade is divided into two and we all reply in English. If you are willing to join us in a language of your own country or pray in English for a country of your choice, please see June before the start of the Rosary so she knows how many people are taking part and which country is being prayed for. You are not required to pray in your language every month if you'd rather not, but even sometimes would be a great help, as few volunteer!! If we have a priest available, the Rosary will finish with Benediction.



CONFIRMATION & FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Congratulations to the children of the Cathedral Parish who received the Sacraments with Bishop Dooley last Sunday: Agnes Bijish, William Currie, Zoebelle Dizon, Isla Fahey, Kate Fahey, Ethan Garlando, Matthew Gray, Juvena Johnson, Seth Milne, Ronan Power, Lyka Señora, Taylor Sheat, Marco Uy, Marcus Uy, Nikolau Vaeau, Darren Wijeratne, Jennifer Witchall



In partnership with the Tindall Foundation, the Diocese of Dunedin invites applications for grants that will support families and social services within the Diocese.

Applications relating to the following are particularly welcome:

- Young children
- Youth development
- Literacy, numeracy and budgeting skills
- Māori
- Migrant and refugees
- Rural communities

Grants are available up to a maximum of \$7,000. Applications close on 15 August 2025.

The application form is available on-line at www.cdd.nz/grants or by contacting Pauline Lee on (03) 4745750 or paulinel@cdd.org.nz

Parish Directory

- **Passionist Family Group:** Meeting once a month. Contact: Deborah Kelly debkelly@kinect.co.nz
- **Xavier Notes Music, Mornington:** Contact: Parish office will forward enquiry
- **St Joseph's Cathedral Choir and Choristers:** Contact: David Burchell d.c.burchell@outlook.com or ph. 021 135 2535
- **St Vincent de Paul Society:** 03 477 0555; www.stvincentdepauldunedin.nz/
- **Rosary:** St Mary's Kaikorai following Tue & Fri Mass; Cathedral Wed 6:10pm
- **Tongan Community:** Mass 1st Sunday of the month, St Mary's Kaikorai
Contact: Hulita Makasini, ph. 021 162 1610
- **Filipino Community:** Mass 3rd Sunday of the month, St Mary's Kaikorai
- **Cathedral Sunday Coffee:** Meeting after Mass at Mitre 10. Contact: Raymond & Monica clarkraymond07@gmail.com
- **Friendship Club** Little Sisters of the Poor, for the elderly and homebound, Tuesdays 10-3pm. Contact: 03 476 2028 or email: dt@lspdun.co.nz to attend – free transport.
- **Young Peoples Prayer Group:** Meeting at Holy Name Church Friday evenings

All Parish Groups are welcome to be included in this directory by contacting the parish office: stjosephcathdn@gmail.com or hillsuburbspa@gmail.com

PARISH PILGRIM WALK To celebrate the Jubilee Year (Pilgrims of Hope) we are planning a parish pilgrimage to the summit of Mt Cargill on **Saturday 4 October**. More info soon. ☺

PARISH ROSTERS - 10 August 2025, 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

ST MARY'S Saturday, 6:00pm	ST FRANCIS XAVIER Sunday, 9:00am	ST JOSEPH'S CATHEDRAL Sunday, 10:30am
<p>Greeter: S Kubala Welcome/Prayers: R Deerness Reader: L Finnerty Collections: E & D Barton Gifts: R Kubala, P Campbell Altar Servers: A & C Kubala Overhead: A Kubala Counter: L Finnerty Cleaning: B McCaig, P Campbell</p>	<p>Greeters: M & M Morgan Welcome/Prayers: D Kennedy Readers: S Joseph, J Antonette Collection/Gifts: Trompetter Family Extraordinary Minister: S Kennedy Overhead: M Garnett Morning Tea: D Kennedy, G O'Connell Counter: M Rogan Cleaning: S Forde</p>	<p>Greeters: J Dawkins, J Steele Readers: M Alahakoon, J White Collection: Caragay Family Gifts: Richard Family Extraordinary Ministers: G & B Magnuson Altars Servers: M Haggart R & R Richard Overhead: J Henderson Counters: P & P O'Neill, J Dawkins Cleaning: J Chung</p>

Rosters for all Parishes are now available on the Cathedral website here: <https://www.stjosephscathedraldunedin.com/rosters.html>. Hard copies are also posted at the churches. Please save the dates for your assigned Sunday.