

CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF CHRISTCHURCH
WEEKLY NOTICES
22 December 2019

CATHOLIC SHOP MANAGER - Part Time. The role of the Catholic Shop – Manager is to provide the effective management and promotion of the Catholic Shop as a profitable business and ensuring the availability of required Catholic Literature and material. Please contact Andy Doherty adoherty@chch.catholic.org.nz for more details.

CATHOLIC SHOP ASSISTANT

To provide assistance and support to the Catholic Shop Manager, support and relief cover for the frontline and provide other administrative support as required. Please contact Andy Doherty for more details on adoherty@chch.catholic.org.nz

CHRISTMAS MASS TIMES

Looking for Christmas Mass times for parishes across the diocese? View these now on the diocesan website www.chchcatholic.nz

ST JOHN THE BAPTIST SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship is offered by the Bishop to assist laity to study a paper/s at Good Shepherd College (Auckland) by distance learning. The scholarship has been offered for 10 years and helped many people to study theology. The scholarship provides a subsidy of approximately 50% of the cost of a paper. Successful applicants will be a regular participant in parish life.

For more information contact Mike Stopforth 027 5398 542 or email mstopforth@chch.catholic.org.nz

SACRED HEART SCHOOL, DUNEDIN - 125th CELEBRATIONS, 2020 All Ex-pupils and former Teachers are advised that at **Labour Weekend 2020**, the School will celebrate the 125th anniversary of its opening in North East Valley, Dunedin. Everyone interested in attending these celebrations should email: reunion125@sacredheartdn.school.nz

POSITIONS AVAILABLE – MISSION TEAM SUPERVISOR

The Catholic Youth Team (CYT) for the Diocese of Christchurch invites applications for the position of CYT Mission Team Supervisor (15 hours pw). Please email us at cyt@chch.catholic.org.nz or go to cyt.org.nz for more details about the roles and required skills and experience. Applications close 6th January 2019.

OUR FAITH – OUR FUTURE

Bishop Paul's video and pastoral letter from last weekend's announcement about the future of parishes in the Diocese can be found online at www.ourfaith.chchcatholic.nz

SUBS REQUIRED OVER CHRISTMAS / New Year for the Adoration Chapel

Over the past five years the Diocesan Perpetual Adoration Chapel has remained open throughout the Christmas period. We have a large number of people going away and require extra people to help out. If you are going to be at home this Christmas and would be happy to cover an hour or two please contact Matt on 366-9869 or chchadoration@gmail.com

SVDP VOLUNTEERS URGENTLY NEEDED! The three St Vincent de Paul shops in Richmond, Hornby and Papanui are in urgent need of volunteers. On-the-job training is given and no previous experience needed. For more information please refer to the diocesan website www.chchcatholic.nz or contact Polly on 021 339289 or polly@svdpchch.co.nz

REQUEST FOR DONATIONS: Donations of jigsaw puzzles, board games and coloured pencils would be greatly appreciated for the men and women in our prisons. For more information please contact Diana Emms our Catholic Prison Chaplain on 027 318 6551.

CHRISTIAN FAMILY LIFE PROGRAMME: Couples for Christ and its Family Ministry invite you to come and join our Christian Life Program. Formation, fellowship and personal testimonies. Starting **1st February**, 7.00pm, Sacred Heart Hall, 70 Spencer Street, Addington, Christchurch. For more info contact either: Raymond and Mina Pagsanjan 027 2236430.

Catholic Diocese Of Christchurch FACEBOOK Page

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THINKING DIOCESAN PRIESTHOOD? Speak to any priest or contact Vocations Director Fr. John O'Connor vocations.chch@gmail.com

PROMOTING VOCATIONS: The New Zealand Catholic Bishops Conference has endorsed the promotion of vocations and asks that you regularly promote vocations with the following (with or without the logo as space is always at a premium).



Holy Cross Seminary

www.holycross.org.nz