



# Christ the King Church

90 Greers Road, Burnside, Christchurch



## The Feast of Christ the King – 25 November 2018

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### Mass Times

Mon– Fri 7am & 9am

Saturday – 9am

Saturday – Vigil – 6pm

Sunday – 9am & 11am

### Reconciliation

Saturday 9.30am - 10.30am

(or on request)

### Exposition of The Blessed Sacrament

Mon. – Fri. 7.30am

Fri. 9.30am – Sat. 8.50am

### Rosary

Mon-Sat after the 9am

Mass and Divine Mercy Chaplet

### Novena

Saturday – 5pm followed by

Rosary

**NB our Novena will finish on**

**24 November and**  
**recommence on 2 February**

To request prayer phone or

text to 021 413 659

### Christchurch North Pastoral Area Sunday Mass Times

#### St Gregory's

Saturday – Vigil – 6pm

Sunday – 8.30am, 10.00am &  
5pm

### Reconciliation

Saturday 9.45am (or on request)

### Holy Trinity - Bryndwr

Saturday – Vigil – 5pm

Sunday – 9.00am & 10.30am

### Reconciliation

Saturday 4.15pm (or on request)

*The Lord is king, with majesty enrobed. Psalm 92:1*

Happy Feast Day to all our Parishioners. As we place ourselves under the patronage of Christ the King let us celebrate all the ways we as members of our parish and school communities live out our faith in our families and in our parish.

We would love as many of you as possible to join us from 10.00am – 10.30am for our procession with the Blessed Sacrament. When we return to the church we will have a short period of Adoration followed by Benediction before the 11am Mass. This is a wonderful opportunity for us to witness to our faith on our Feast Day and to pray for the people within our parish boundaries. Our **Thank You Function**, for all those who have helped in the parish during the year is being held today at 5pm in the parish centre. On the reverse you will find our Feast Day Prayer, there are also copies of this on the table at the back of the church for you to take away with you.

God Bless

**Fr Rick & Fr Benito**

Dear Parishioners of Holy Trinity Parish -Bryndwr and Christ the King Parish –Burnside,

You will have heard that the Bishop has appointed Fr Rick Loughnan as Parish Priest of Holy Trinity Parish as well as remaining Parish Priest of Christ the King Parish. The Bishop has asked Fr Kevin Wei and Fr Alister Castillo to be Assistant Priest's in these two parishes.

This is an exciting move by the Bishop who would like the three priests to work as a team across both of these parishes to further the mission of the church.

We three priests are looking forward to working with Parish Secretaries, Pastoral Councils, Finance Committees and the different ministries in each parish. One of Bishop Paul's ideas is priests working as a team. This has influenced his decision to ask we three priest's to work across our two parishes, as a team.

We look forward to working with you and count on your support in this new venture.

God Bless

**Fr Rick, Fr Kevin and Fr Alister**

**Responding to Laudato Si - GLOBAL HEALING - how our faith helps us to care for our common home** Join us as we view a new film produced by café. Two sequential sessions, Wednesdays 28 November and 5 December. Parish Centre, 7.30 pm.

### TODAY'S READINGS

#### First Reading:

Daniel 7:13-14

#### Psalm Response:

The Lord is king; he is robed  
in majesty.

#### Second Reading:

Apocalypse 1:5-8



#### Gospel Acclamation:

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

Blessed is he who inherits the kingdom  
of David our Father; Blessed is he who  
comes in the name of the Lord!

**Alleluia!**

#### Gospel:

John 18:33-37

#### Prayer of the Faithful Response:

Lord hear our prayer.

### What's On:

Sun.	10.00am	Morning tea
Mon.	10.00am	SVDP Meeting – Next Meeting – 10 December
	7.00 – 8.30pm	High School Youth Group
Tues.	7.30-9.00pm	Choir Practice
Wed.	10.00am	Christian Meditation
	7.00-9.00pm	OCIA – Oratory
Fri.	3.15 – 5.00pm	Primary School Youth Group
Sat.	11.00am	Junior Legion of Mary
	3.00pm	Legion of Mary – Oratory

### Next Week's Readings: Year C

First Reading:	Jeremiah 33:14-16
Second Reading:	1 Thessalonians 3:12 - 4:2
Gospel:	Luke 21:25-28, 34-36

Psalter Week 1

**Frs. Rick and Benito would like to say thank you to all of you who contribute in some way to the activity of the parish. You and your spouse are invited to join them for**

**Drinks and Nibbles**  
Christ the King Parish Centre  
Today from 5.00-7.00pm

**Let us make this a Feast Day of great Celebration and Thanks**

**Parish to Parish for Bed and Breakfast**

Since the first book was printed 15 years ago, many hosts have suffered health problems, downsized their homes etc.as we urgently require more hosts in places all over the country, I would encourage anyone with a spare bedroom or two in their home, to come and join us. The accommodation does not have to be 5 star, just clean, comfortable and welcoming, also providing a light breakfast. The purpose of this book is aimed at providing catholic hospitality and making new friends. The hosts charge a small fee of \$35 for one only person, or \$30 per person for 2 or more per night. For further information please contact Marie Anderson on 03 359 5541 or email [marie.ian@xtra.co.nz](mailto:marie.ian@xtra.co.nz)

**Columban Calendars – SVDP Christmas Cards**

Calendars and Christmas cards are now available for purchase from the parish office. Calendars \$12 and Cards \$2.50 (packet of 5) Gift Cards \$2.50 (Packet of 10) – cash only.

The **Parish Office** will be closed on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> and Friday 29<sup>th</sup> November as I will be away on leave. Please have your notices to me before Wednesday. Thank you, Melonie

**Remember in your prayers:** The sick in the parish, also: Mons. Bill Middleton, Joyce McIhone, Gabrielle Fergus, Maurice Gilmore, Joan Preddy, Bridget Martin, Dean Rhodes, Tom Patterson, Alistair Henderson, Ngaire Mahoney, Ngaire Odgers, Sr Mary Cosgrove, Dan & Bernice Kelleher, Philip Baird, Doreen Ford, Alejandro Amaris, Sheila Johnson, Denis O'Malley, Doug Keenan, Paul Campbell, Hilary Edmonds (past parishioner).

**Masses Requested:** Margaret Collins (R.I.P), Jim Worthington (Ann.), David Wanden (Recently dec'd)

**Book of Memories:** 25<sup>th</sup> John Slattery, Mary Kerr, James Lysaght, Betty Kirkpatrick, Carmel Otto, James (Jim) Worthington; 26<sup>th</sup> John O'Keefe, Mary Cosgrove, Geoffrey Ross; 27<sup>th</sup> Peggy Kennedy, Patrick Kenny, Joseph McDonald, Daisy Hodnett, Lee Silcock; 28<sup>th</sup> Fr. Bernard Goulding; 29<sup>th</sup> Joyce Williams, Simon Callanan, Kathleen O'Regan; 30<sup>th</sup> Margaret McCartin, Jane Bell, Leo Peebles; 1<sup>st</sup> Patrick McGrail, Ivy McNeill, Raymond Horgan, Agnes Bourk, John Sincock.

**Preparation for Advent Prayer Service**

We warmly invite you to join us at our prayer service as we prepare for the season of Advent. Our Prayer Service is being held next Friday, 30 November at 7pm. All ages are welcome.



**Christ the King Feast Day Prayer**

Lord Jesus Christ, King of Glory, Saviour of the World, we open our hearts to you on the Feast Day of our Parish and School. We ask your blessing on each one of us and our families, especially those most in need, the sick, those troubled and afraid.

As we look forward to a time of renewal amongst us as a Parish and School, give us the joy and strength of the Holy Spirit, the courage to spread your love to those we meet and work with. May we witness the power of your saving love to the people of our Parish area. We ask your blessing too on our Sister Parish of Holy Trinity Bryndwr.

We ask this of you who lives and reigns with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever.  
**Amen.**



**Catholic Women's League and Friendship & Dining Group Combined Christmas Lunch** will be held on Monday, 3 December at The Commodore Hotel, 449 Memorial Avenue starting at 12.30pm. Cost \$30. Everyone is welcome. Please RSVP to Antoinette Smith ph: 351-4552 by

Monday, 26 November.

**Thank you from St. Vincent de Paul**

Thank you to those of you who supported our recent SVDP promotion weekend here at Christ the King. Those who came forward to volunteer, the food and financial support is always gratefully received.

**John Burns**  
**President – SVDP at Christ the King**

**NZ Rosary Crusade – National March for Life**

A Pro-Life Rosary Crusade to defend life, from conception to natural death is to be held on the Feast of the Immaculate Conception, 8<sup>th</sup> December. This also coincides with the National March for Life in Wellington from the Civic Centre, 101 Wakefield Street to Parliament Grounds commencing at 2pm. [www.rosarycrusade.co.nz](http://www.rosarycrusade.co.nz)  
Further details on both events can be found on the notice board in the foyer.

1 / 2 December 6pm		9am	11 am
Cantor/Organist	Christ the King Choir	M Levings	B Reddington, J McNeill
Music Groups			
Readers	D Brosnahan, N McCormick	C Roscoe, M-A Holgate	A Masara, S Giles
Ex. Ord. Min.	M Keen, C & P Fraher, M William,	J Joseph, B Dilger, P McQuinn,	F Chieng, A Lau, G Wei, S Matunog,
Of Holy Com.	C Kuok, V Tay, O Son	G Davidson, M & R de Roo, G Scott	M Ford, D Fronda, L Chieng
Offertory	J & M Dominic	Hennessy Family	Sissons Family
Greeters	M Anderson, J Anderson	J & P Casey	M & P Reynolds
Servers	M Dominic, B Fraher, N Fraher	B Richards, J Joseph, S Curnow	T Cochrane, W Cochrane, C Moore
Collectors	H Lim, F Sim	M Raisin, S Jang	H Moore, R Moore
Church Cleaning	Thursday 29 November – Christ the King School Students		
Morning Tea	A Wong – Legion of Mary		
Children's Liturgy – A Wong	9am Mass		
Counters	M Collins		
Collection	Sunday 18/11/18 - \$ 3,423.00 + Automatic Payments \$ 1,728.00 = \$ 5,151.00		
	1/3 is remitted to The Clergy Trust Fund and 2/3 remains in the parish – 1/3 Clergy Trust = \$ 1,717.00		

The weekly notices from the Catholic Diocese of Christchurch are displayed on our notice board in the foyer. Due to the volume of notices we are unable to publish them all in our own bulletin. Please take time to view these. They will also be made available on our website.