



SELWYN CATHOLIC PARISH

27th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Sunday 2nd October 2022

Readings: Habakkuk 1:2&3; 2:2-42, Timothy 1:6-14, Luke 17:5-10

NO Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament this Friday
(7 October)

From Fr Brian

Wanted: a 'computer whiz-person' to correct the data project in the Lincoln Church Centre. There is an 'overprint' that I can't get rid of. Any skill base will be better than me.



The Feast of St Francis of Assisi.

To mark his Feast Day - I will show a DVD on his life, produced by Bishop Robert Barron, in the Lincoln Church Centre, this Wednesday, 5 October, beginning at 1.30pm.

If there is an interest - I can show a few other DVDs on various saints.

RIP

Recently Deceased: Megan Penrose (Rolleston).

Anniversary: Bert de Gouw 28/9; William Barit 29/9.

Leeston the rosary is being said before 10.00 mass in Leeston at 9.30 each Sunday for the 5 Sundays in October (any queries ring Robyn)

Quiz Night,

The Social Activities team would like to thank all the parishioners from Selwyn Parish who supported the night and we were able to raise \$669.00 which will go directly into the building fund. So, a big thank you to all especially the SAT team who worked to make the evening a success

Lincoln Sacristans – please prayerfully consider taking on this Ministry. You can volunteer for this role as an individual or a couple. Urgently required for both Vigil & Sunday Mass.

Lincoln Projector Operators – urgently required again for both our Masses – especially Saturday Vigil Mass.

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Weekend Masses

Lincoln Saturday Vigil: 5.30pm
Sunday: 8.30am
Darfield Sunday: 8.30am
Leeston Sunday: 10.00am

Weekday Masses:

Lincoln: Tuesday- Friday 9.00am
Leeston: Wednesday 5.30pm
Darfield: Thursday 10.00 am

Reconciliation: Saturday 10.00 am at Lincoln

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Friday after Mass till Midday

A **Funeral mass** will replace the advertised mass in the same church.



At Craft and Friendship Lincoln we are doing some things a little different.

On the 4th of October and 11th October at 1.30pm. Joan will show how to make Collage Book. It will be hands on, and we ask for a small donation to cover materials. Please note change of Date. On the 18th of October at 1.30pm. Yvonne will show how to make a folded book Christmas tree. You will need to bring a hard covered book. If you haven't got one, I suggest you make a visit to an op shop. etc. Just make sure you don't want to read it later.

Remember you can do whatever you like at our afternoons or nothing at all and come just for some company and to get to know people.

Carmelite Retreat: "Mystical Love with our Carmelite Saints".

Fr Carl Telford SM will lead the upcoming silent retreat at Rochester Hall on Friday 18 -Sunday 20 November. Costs: \$240 live-in, or day only \$120.

RSVP: Megan Emery ph. 027 410 6940; email benedictus@windowslive.com

The Missions Sisters are having their annual Appeal to support their Missions in India & Senegal. There are flyers in the church porch. Please take one.

Former parishioners of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, St Albans – 'a catch-up'. Welcome to a Potluck Lunch at St Matthews Hall, Jeffreys Rd, Bryndwr, Sunday 30 October, midday- 3pm, - tea and coffee provided. Contact: Marie Kelly 355 6580.

Diocesan Young Adults Ball between the ages 18- 35 are invited to the Gonzaga Ball, 28 October, at the Canterbury Club. The evening consists of fine dining and amazing music in a stunning venue while connecting with young adults across the diocese. Early bird tickets close at midnight on Sunday 2 October. Tickets are available at: <https://cyt.org.nz/ball/>

Ablaze Parish Renewal Conference – registrations open.

Registrations are now open for **Ablaze**. The Conference being held on Friday 4 November (evening) and Saturday 5 November – it is the Conference to look at parish renewal.

Ablaze will include great keynote speakers, workshops, worship, and time to connect with others from across the whole diocese.

Registrations: Ablaze website, www.chchcatholic.nz/ablaze.

If you would like to attend - then please contact either Fr Brian or Tricia Smith.

For more information contact the Bishop's Pastoral Office, 669869; email pastoral@chch.catholic.org.nz

God Love's You Tour: the 'Billy Graham Evangelistic Association' is holding an event with Franklin Graham (son of Billy Graham) on Saturday 12 November at the Christchurch Arena.

The Diocese is working towards having a Catholic presence at this event. A Christian Life and Witness training session is being held on Wednesday 19 October, 6.45pm at St Joseph Pastoral Centre, Papanui. If you would like to register for this training - please contact Mike Stopforth 0275398542 or email mstopforth@cdoc.nz or Brendan Woodnutt 359-1438 email evangelisation@christchurchnorth.org.nz

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