# We have taken great inspiration from Our Holy Father Pope Francis’ encyclical: “Laudato Si’ – On Care for Our Common Home” (2015)

**We are therefore happy that we will be Celebrating “Laudato Si’ Week” - 16th to 25th May 2021. We are looking forward to the release of the “Laudato Si’ Action Platform” for a 7-year sustainability journey. It will be released at the end of the week (24th/25th May 2021).**

What a difference this encyclical has made! It has put the care for God’s creation as a very important aspect of Catholic Social teachings. Yet it does of course not take away the need to care for the poor and most vulnerable people. Pope Francis encourages us to **“hear the cry of the earth and the cry of the poor”** (49, LS).

**The May 2021 Newsletter “Whaia te Tika – Seek Justice” is relevant for Laudato Si Week ….…**[**Click here to view**](https://www.aucklandcatholic.org.nz/wp-content/uploads/2021/05/Newsletter-Final-May-15-1.pdf)

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