



CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF AUCKLAND

OFFICE OF THE PASTORAL WORKER TO THE CATHOLIC DEAF COMMUNITY
TE KAIHAUTU KATORIKA KI NGA TANGATA TURIA ME O RATOU WHANAU



Newsletter: April 2024

**Kia Ora to all our members and friends of the Auckland Catholic
Deaf Community,**

Our next Mass will be:

When: Sunday 14th April 2024

Time: 12pm

Where: Pompallier Diocesan Centre

Celebrate: Monsignor Bernard Kiely

Interpreter: Rangi

Please come and join with us for a shared lunch after Deaf Mass. Everyone is welcome. If you are sick, please stay home.



**Every month, on the 4th Sunday, we gather for
Mass at Good Shepherd Church. The next service
will be on 28th April at 9.30 am.
Please come early to grab a seat.
NZSL Interpreters will be provided.**

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YOU'RE INVITED TO JOIN ZOOM

Deaf Prayer

THURSDAY 11 APRIL 2024

AT 12:30PM

PLEASE CONTACT MICHELLE FOR ZOOM
LINK

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Deaf Prayer

THURSDAY 25 APRIL 2024

AT 12:30PM

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**ZOOM WITH FR
MICHAEL DEPCIK**

**Sunday 7 April 2024
at 12pm (NZ)**

**Interesting to join.
Please contact Michelle or
Tristan for Zoom Link**

Readings from the Gospel of Luke:

Luke 24:35-48

Then, the two followers told what had happened on the road and how they recognised Jesus when he divided the bread.

While the two followers were telling this, Jesus stood in the middle of them and said, "Peace be with you."

They were fearful and terrified and thought they were seeing a ghost. But Jesus said, "Why are you troubled? Why do you doubt what you see? Look at my hands and my feet. It is me! Touch me and see because a ghost does not have a living body as you see I have."



After Jesus said this, he showed them his hands and feet. While they still could not believe it because they were amazed and happy, Jesus said to them, "Do you have any

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food here?" They gave him a piece of broiled fish. While the followers watched, Jesus took the fish and ate it.

He said to them, "Remember when I was with you before? I said that everything written about me must happen—everything in the law of Moses, the books of the prophets, and the Psalms."

Then Jesus opened their minds so they could understand the Scriptures. He told them, "It is written that the Christ would suffer and rise from the dead on the third day and that a change of hearts and lives and forgiveness of sins would be preached in his name to all nations, starting at Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things.

Our News

On Sunday, 11th March 2024, we gathered together for Deaf Mass, The service was beautiful. Thank you, Bernard Kiely, for the lovely service and thank you also to Rosie Elder for interpreting.

To those who have birthdays in March, we wish you a happy birthday.

May God bless you, and we hope you have a good day.





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Please remember in your prayers:

- Many families and our precious Deaf community are struggling with money and making their money buy what they need. Even food is so expensive. We pray the Lord will provide a way for everyone who is suffering. Let's support each other and look out for each other.
- Remember all those sick or have friends or family in the hospital this season. Pray for fast healing and that God will comfort their hearts in his time.
- Also, people grieving or feeling alone are worried, Pray God's peace be with you and guard your heart.
- Let us pray for God's peace and salvation over the darkness and crisis in this world. We pray that in all the situations people find themselves in, the Holy Spirit would bring a change of heart and His presence of Peace.
- Please pray for Elizabeth (Lizzie) Hurley's soul to rest in peace and for her family who are grieving the loss of their loved one, to rest in peace.



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Birthdays in April

Happy Birthday to dear **Terry Mose!**
Happy Birthday to dear **Darlene Russell!**



We give thanks to your parents who loved you; we thank your family who looked after you, and we give thanks to all those whose lives have crossed yours and moulded you into you. We give thanks to God, who dreamed and formed you into you.

And all our other friends and family who have **April** birthday celebrations, may God bless you and keep you always in God's tender, loving care.

Happy Birthday! Happy Birthday! 😊

We pray that the blessing of the Holy Spirit be your support and refresh your dreams for life.

Blessing and love
From

Michelle and Tristan



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