St. Peter Chanel Catholic Church

Clover Park, Auckland, New Zealand

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Parish Staff
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Luseane Lakai (Parish Secretary)

Mass Times:
Sunday: 10:00AM
Tuesday – Thursday 5.30PM
Friday-Saturday 8.30AM (except for 1st Sat of the Month)
1st Saturday of the Month- 9.00AM (Anointing Mass)
Tongan Mass: 2nd Sunday @ 4.00PM
Samoan Mass: 5th Sunday @ 8.00AM

Parish Office Hours:
Mon (Off)Tue- Thur-9am-1.00pm, & Fri-:12-3.00pm

27th Sept 2026, 26th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR A

'Parable of the two sons'

Matthew 21:28-32

Jesus' parables are always designed to challenge us to examine our own responses to God. The chief priests to whom this parable was directed were failing to recognise the reality of the situation. Have there been times when you too have been in this position? Times when you have said you were going to do something and not done it? How did you feel in breaking your promise? Have you had experiences of being pressured into agreeing to something when you would rather have said 'no'? Or failing to do something when you knew that you should act? As you consider your response to the demands that being a follower of Jesus calls you to in your day to day experiences, can you identify what were the 'no' moments of the last few days? What were the 'yes' moments? How could you consider changing your negative responses in the coming week?

Have a blessed Sunday

LITURGY NOTICES

RECORDING FOR SHINE TV MASS - SUNDAY 4TH OCTOBER

Next Sunday, our mass will be recorded for broadcast on Shine TV on Sunday, October 11th. Please continue to actively participate especially in the singing led by the Tongan Community and in our mass responses. If you prefer not to be filmed, we will assign you a seating area.

MASS INTENTIONS

If you or someone in your family is celebrating a birthday or wedding anniversary, or if you would like Father to pray for loved ones who are sick or have passed away, the mass intentions page can be found at the back of the church. See a member of the Liturgy committee if you have any questions.

RCIA 2027: Invitation to Faith

We are warmly inviting anyone interested in joining the Catholic Church or learning more about our faith to register for the 2027 RCIA/RCIC program. Enrolment is now officially open. We encourage our parishioners to support the RCIA/RCIC committee by reaching out to those seeking spiritual guidance and directing them to Akenese Faalogo or the Parish Office. Thank you, St Peter Chanel RCIA/RCIC Committee.

The RCIA sessions starts today Sunday 27th September here at SPC at 5.00PM. All enquiries please see Akenese Faalogo. God Bless.

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM - NEXT INTAKE FOR 2027 COURSE

Enrolments Now are open for 8years+ if you would like your child to take part, please take a form from the church and come along to 1 of the Meet n Greet evenings 2/10/26 @ 2pm, 9/10/26 @6pm, or 16/10/26 @ 6pm. Please bring your child's baptism certificate with the completed registration form. We can connect you with the baptism team if your child hasn't been baptized. It is very important that you attend to meet the team and ask any questions. Please contact Laie on 02102319009 for more queries.

Thank you, Sacramental team

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Next baptism sessions for the month of October will start on Saturday 3rd October at 10am, this will be held at St John the Evangelist Church.

SUNDAY NOTICES – PROJECTOR Notices

To help everything run smoothly on Sundays, please follow these guidelines:

1. **Newsletter Notices:** Please send all notices to Luseane by **Thursday** to be included in the parish newsletter.
2. **Late Notices:** If you miss the Thursday deadline, please send your notice to the **SUNDAY NOTICES SPC** Messenger chat or message one of the operators directly by **Saturday at 7pm**.
3. **Choir Hymns:** Please make sure all hymns are entered **before Sunday**.
4. **Sunday Morning Requests:** Please do not ask the projector operator to add notices on **Sunday morning**.

Thank you everyone for your cooperation.

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SPC YOUTH

Youth Bake Sale – After Sunday mass 27th September

All proceeds go directly towards supportiig our youth ministry and upcoming events. We'd love your support.

World Youth Day 2027 Seoul – South Korea

WYD 2027 - Auckland & Hamilton Pilgrimage for ages 18 to 35 years old on the 1st April 2027 applications are due to close **Wednesday 30th September, 11:59pm** there is a $250 registration fee. Don't miss out. See one of the youth leaders for further information, Walter, Caleb or Raymond or follow the link to apply https://wyd27.org.nz/apply/

WORKING BEE

SEPT-DEC 2026: PARISH YOUTH

CRYING ROOM:

The crying room is only for Parents and babies, NOT for late comers. Please ensure you keep this room clean and tidy and take any rubbish with you. Thank you.

CHURCH & HALL BOOKINGS – REMINDERS

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- **Rubbish & Cleaning:** If the rubbish is **not Parish rubbish**, please take it home with you. Leave the Church and Hall **clean and tidy** for the next group.
- **Funerals:** The family or community organising the funeral is responsible for cleaning the Church and Hall afterwards.
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