Queenstown Area Catholic Church

St Joseph's Queenstown / St Patrick's Arrowtown / Community Church Glenorchy

ALL SAINT'S DAY | YEAR A | 1 NOVEMBER 2026

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LITURGY OF THE WORD

1ST READING: APOCALYPSE 7:2-4.9-14 The apostle John sees a vision of the life in heaven.

2ND READING: 1 JOHN 3:1-3 As children of God, we are promised that one day we will see God face to face.

GOSPEL READING: MATTHEW 5:1-12 The Beatitudes show the way to become holy.

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS: 32ND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME (8 NOVEMBER)

1st Wisdom 6:12-16 / 2nd 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18 / Gospel: 25:1-13

All Soul's Day Masses – 2 November, Monday

St Joseph's Church, 9:30 AM and 7:00 PM

St Patrick's Church, 4:30 PM



THE SOULS OF THE RIGHTEOUS ARE IN THE HAND OF GOD.
(Wisdom 3:1)

Today we celebrate the Solemnity of All Saints, giving thanks for the saints who faithfully followed Christ and lived the Beatitudes. May their example inspire us to seek true happiness in God and to grow in holiness each day.

MASS TIMES

Queenstown
Saturday Vigil 6:30 PM
Sunday 9:00 AM
Monday, Wednesday and Friday 9:30 AM

Exposition, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Rosary every Friday 5:30 PM

Tagalog Mass
2nd Sunday of the month at 7:00 PM

Portuguese Mass
4th Sunday of the month at 6:00 PM

Arrowtown
1st, 3rd, 4th and 5th Sunday at 11:00 AM
2nd Sunday - Liturgy with Holy Communion at 11:00 AM
Tuesday weekly at 4:30PM

Glenorchy
2nd Sunday of the month at 11.30 AM

Reconciliation
Queenstown 10:00 AM to 10:30 AM - Friday after mass otherwise when requested.

Sacrament of Reconciliation and First Holy Communion for Children

Parents who would want their children to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation and First Communion are invited to contact Fr. Cipriano on 021 211 4032 for information and registration.

Dates to note:

Sacrament of Reconciliation – Friday 13 November, 2:00 PM

First Holy Communion- Sunday 15 November, 9:00 AM

Celebrating 250 Years of the Presentation Sisters

A Joyful Jubilee Celebration

With grateful hearts and great joy, we warmly invite all Friends of Nano, past and present pupils, families, Religious, priests, parishioners, and all who have shared in our Presentation story to join us as we celebrate the **250th Anniversary of the Founding of the Presentation Sisters' Congregation.**

Jubilee Mass

Celebrant: Bishop Michael Dooley

Friday, 20 November, 6:00 pm

St Mary's Church, Mosgiel

Following Mass, please join us for a **Potluck Finger Food Supper** and an opportunity to reconnect,
reminisce, and celebrate this significant milestone in the life of the Presentation Congregation.

"Not Words, But Deeds"

Together we give thanks for 250 years of faith, service, education, and the enduring vision of Nano
Nagle, whose legacy continues to inspire and enrich lives today.

All are warmly welcome.

For Further information phone: Sr Noreen 0274882744 Sr Veronica 0275233983

St Joseph's Choir Practice

We are looking for people to assist with the playing of music at Mass. This could be as an organist, guitarist or to play the recorded music on the organ. If you would like to help, please contact Vicki on 021 918 853 or Jeanette on 027 414 8288.

Food Donations

Non-perishable food items and household items such as dishwashing liquid, washing machine powder and personal items such as toothbrushes, toothpaste, baby foods and hair shampoo are gratefully received at the back of the church.

St Patrick's food donation is the first Sunday of the month delivered to Basket of Blessings and St Joseph's is the third Sunday of the month to Happiness House.

WE PRAY FOR ALL WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY AND FOR THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR ABOUT NOW.

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE. **Mary O'Connell, Dick O'Kane, Jo Copper-Shervey, Maureen Lockhart, Raul Mayo, Carolina Costas, Alan Wyn-Williams and Kevin Burdon**

PARISH ROSTERS	NOTE: If you are unable to fulfil your rostered commitment as listed below, please organize your own replacement.			
ST JOSEPH'S CHURCH	**31 Oct, Saturday 6:30 PM**	**1 Nov, Sunday 9:00 AM**	**7 Nov, Saturday 6:30 PM**	**8 Nov, Sunday 9:00 AM**
Welcome	Marivic Mapalad	Penny Walker	Angie Wijetunga	Eammon Conaghan
Reader	Angie Wijetunga	Simon Hayes	Fae Robertson	Peter Bennison
Communion	Patricia Burdon	Phil Wilson	Sharon Wild	Banjo Balila
Altar Server	Felix	Arie Nambiar	Felix	Lucas and Arie
Projector	Frances Rivera	Amy Balila	Shino Kusanagi	Amy Balila
ST PATRICK'S CHURCH	**1 November, Sunday 11:00 AM**		**8 November, Sunday 11:00 AM**	
Leader	Fr Cipriano		Anne-Marie McCrostie	
Reader	Ruth de la Mare		Jane-Louise Cook	
Prayers	Susan Stevens		Tim Cook	
Communion	Trisch Ramsay		Ruth de la Mare	
Organist	Angela McRae		Susan Rowley	
Projector	Sue O'Connor		Trish Inder	

Our Grateful Thanks to All Who Generously Donate

There are Tap and Go EFTPOS terminals at the rear of the Church for your donations. We do not charge any bank fees. Automatic Payments can be made to:

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