



Holy Family Parish

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time –Year A–
Sunday 25th October 2020

FIRST READING : Exodus 22:20-26

The Lord said to Moses, ‘Tell the sons of Israel this: ‘‘You must not molest the stranger or oppress him, for you lived as strangers in the land of Egypt. You must not be harsh with the widow, or with the orphan; if you are harsh with them, they will surely cry out to me, and be sure I shall hear their cry; my anger will flare and I shall kill you with the sword, your own wives will be widows, your own children orphans. ‘‘If you lend money to any of my people, to any poor man among you, you must not play the usurer with him: you must not demand interest from him. ‘‘If you take another’s cloak as a pledge, you must give it back to him before sunset. It is all the covering he has; it is the cloak he wraps his body in; what else would he sleep in? If he cries to me, I will listen, for I am full of pity.’’

RESPONSORIAL PSALM : Psalm 17;

℟. *I love you Lord my strength.*

I love you, Lord my strength, my rock, my fortress, my saviour. My God is the rock where I take refuge; my shield, my mighty help, my stronghold. The Lord is worthy of all praise: when I call, I am saved from my foes. ℟.

Long life to the Lord, my rock! Praised be the God who saves me. He has given great victories to this king and shown his love for his anointed. ℟.

SECOND READING : 1 Thessalonians 1:5-10

You observed the sort of life we lived when we were with you, which was for your instruction, and you were led to become imitators of us, and of the Lord; and it was with the joy of the Holy Spirit that you took to the gospel, in spite of the great opposition all round you. This has made you the great example to all believers in Macedonia and Achaia since it was from you that the word of the Lord started to spread – and not only throughout Macedonia and Achaia, for the news of your faith in God has spread everywhere. We do not need to tell other people about it: other people tell us how we started the work among you, how you broke with idolatry when you were converted to God and became servants of the real, living God; and how you are now waiting for Jesus, his Son, whom he raised from the dead, to come from heaven to save us from the retribution which is coming.

GOSPEL : Matthew 22:34-40

When the Pharisees heard that Jesus had silenced the Sadducees they got together and, to disconcert him, one of them put a question, ‘Master, which is the greatest commandment of the Law?’ Jesus said, ‘You must love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the greatest and the first commandment. The second resembles it: You must love your neighbour as yourself. On these two commandments hang the whole Law, and the Prophets also.’

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PROCESSIONAL HYMN:

Gather, Lord, Your people,
called to be Your Bride,
formed by Blood and Water
flowing from Your side,
joined with You in baptism,
washed to give rebirth,
she filled with Your Spirit,
shall renew the earth.

You the one true Shepherd,
searching for the lost,
You the Lamb of offering,
counting not the cost,
You have called each one by name,
each Your precious choice,
May we enter by Your gate,
listening to your voice.

At Your mother's pleading,
You gave finest wine,
Now Your Church implores You,
Jesus fruitful vine.
Heed the thirsting of her heart,
and bring forth a flood,
Open wide the fountain
of Your Precious Blood.

Send Your Holy Spirit,
by that Blood outpoured,
making us one Body,
Temple of the Lord.
With Your sev'n fold gifts descend,
font of Charity, that we may cry
"Abba", and true children be.

OFFERTORY HYMN:

All highest glorious God,
Cast Your light into
the darkness of my heart,
Give me right faith, firm hope,
perfect charity, and profound humility,
with wisdom and perception,
O Lord, that I may do
what is truly Your will.

Lord, make me to know thy ways,
O Lord.
O Lord, teach me thy paths, O Lord.
O lead me in thy truth, and teach me,
for thou art the God of my salvation.

COMMUNION HYMN:

If ye love me, keep my commandments.
And I will pray the Father,
and he shall give you another comforter,
that he may 'bide with you forever;
Ev'n the spirit of truth;

Jesus, my Lord, my God, my all,
How can I love thee as I ought?
And how revere this wondrous gift,
So far surpassing hope or thought?

*Sweet Sacrament, we Thee adore,
O make us love Thee more and more!
O make us love Thee more and more!*

Had I but Mary's sinless heart,
To love Thee with, my dearest King;
O! with what bursts of fervent praise,
Thy goodness Jesus would I sing.

O, see within a creature's hand,
The vast creator deigns to be,
Reposing infant like as though
On Joseph's arm, on Mary's knee.

Thy body, soul, and Godhead, all
O mystery of love divine!
I cannot compass all I have,
For all thou hast and art are mine.

Sound, sound His praises higher still,
And come ye Angels to our aid;
'Tis God, 'tis God, the very God,
whose power both man and angels
made.

RECESSIONAL HYMN:

Let us sing to you, O Mary,
disciple first and best,
Join our voices sing with every age
that loves to call you blest.
Blessed you among all women,
first in faith, in hope, in love,
Blessed you who believed in the
promise from above, Chosen Woman,
through obedience untied the knot of
Eve, Holy Virgin, fruitful Mother of all
who believe.

Hail His Palace! Hail His Tabernacle!
Hail His Ark! His Shrine!
Hail His Home! His Throne!
His Servant! His Mother and mine!
Consecrated by the Father,
before time had e'er begun,
And prepared by the Spirit to mother
the Son, Spotless Ark, conceived
immaculate and spared
from every sin,
Full of grace, you won God's favour,
enfleshed the Word within.

At the cross, a sword of sorrow
would pierce your loving soul,
As your Son is opened with a lance
and Blood and Water flow.
Hail Model of the Church
newly created from His side,
Called to mother Christ's children
and be His holy Bride,
And His words: "Behold your mother,"
And "Woman see your son," Are his gift
to His disciples while endless ages run.

To the Father, faithful daughter,
We join with you our praise,
To your Son, O Blessed Mother,
Our worship we raise.
To the Spirit by Whose power
you conceived The living Word,
our profound adoration will always be
heard, Turn your eyes,
O Holy Mary,
Look lovingly and bless,
Take our prayer, in love transform it,
Unite it with your "Yes!"

NEXT SUNDAY:**1st November 2020****All Saints (Yr A)***Apoc 7:2-4,9-14; 1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12;***LITURGY ROSTER****Readers:** C. Tagilima, M. Tagilima**Prayers of the Faithful:** R. Lopez**Offertory:** Tagilima Family**Special Ministers:** S. Molloy**CHURCH CLEANING ROSTER**

Corcuera Family

SUNDAY CUP OF TEA ROSTER

Ann Leifi

ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK**25 Oct:** *Isobel Petters, Joanna Matthew***27 Oct:** *Michael Whitford***28 Oct:** *George Viskovich,
Ljubislava Sinkovich***29 Oct:** *Catherine Mead, Agnes Selwyn***30 Oct:** *Rose Walsh, Mary Campbell,
Annie Strong***PARISH FINANCES**

Parish	\$2,151.13
Priests	\$1,075.57
Total Cash and AP's	\$3,226.70

HOLY FAMILY PARISH NOTICES**Live streaming from Holy Family**<https://www.facebook.com/HolyFamilyTeAtatu/>

Mon, Weds, Thurs, Fri & Sat at 9am
Tues at 7pm
Sun at 8am, 9:30am and 11:00am

Don't forget Mass
is also on SHINE TV at 2pm.

All Saints' and All Souls' Day Masses**All Saints' Day - Next Sunday**

8:00am (Latin) and 9:30am (English)

All Souls' Day - Monday 2nd November

9:00am and 7:00pm

The Purgatory box will be available from
Monday 2nd November.

Catholic Movie Night

Saturday October 31st
7pm in the Bugler Centre.

'Fatima'

Released in NZ last month. All welcome.

Pro Life Rosary

Sunday at 3pm

Cup of tea in the Hall

after the 9:30am Mass

Candlelight Vigil for the Unborn

All are invited to participate in a candlelight
vigil for the unborn on **Sunday 1 November at
7:30pm**. Bishop Michael Gielen will lead the
prayer hour. Come be Christ's light outside
AMAC, 283 Dominion Road, Mt Eden. Visit
fli.org.nz/prolifeevents for more details or
contact Michelle 027 526 1199 or
michelle@fli.org.nz