



Diocese
of Dunedin

Alexandra Catholic Pastoral Area

Omakau (1870) Alexandra (1924) Roxburgh (1950)



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Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

11 July 2021

MASS TIMES

Sundays

Omakau 6:00pm Vigil (Sat)
Alexandra 9:00am
Roxburgh 11:00am

Weekdays

(13th July to 17th July)

Alexandra

Tuesday, 13th 5:00pm (side chapel)
Wednesday, 14th 9:00am (side chapel)
Thursday, 15th 9:00am (side chapel)
Friday, 16th midday (side chapel)
Saturday, 17th 9:00am (side chapel)

Roxburgh

Wednesday, 14th 5:15pm (presbytery)

ADORATION & BENEDICTION

Alexandra (side chapel)
Friday 11:00am—Noon
(11:45am Benediction)

RECONCILIATION

Alexandra

Saturday 11:30am-Noon
(or on request)

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Quarterly

Alexandra

Friday Noon
(1st Fri of the months of Mar, Jun, Sep, Dec)

Roxburgh

Wednesday 5:15pm
(1st Wed of the months of Mar, Jun, Sep, Dec)

Readings: Amos 7:12-15; Eph 1:3-14;
Mk 6:7-13

Responsorial Psalm

Lord, show us your mercy and love,
and grant us your salvation.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia! Alleluia!

May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ
enlighten the eyes of our heart that we might see how great
is the hope to which we are called.

Alleluia!

Communion Antiphon

Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me
and I in him, says the Lord.



Died Recently

Warren Whitelock

Anniversaries

Monica Paulin
Miriam McLean
Ester & Kevin
Holland
Isobel Power
Su Meehan
June Graham

Requiescant
in Pace

TITIPOUNAMU STUDY & JOY

Online Sessions (Evening): Psalms - From the Heights of Hymns to the Lows of Laments! with Br Kieran Fenn.

Monday 12, 19 and 26 July, 7-8.30pm. Fee: \$25/session. ZOOM.

<https://www.studyjoy.nz/events/psalms-from-the-heights-of-hymns-to-the-lows-of-laments-c2-a0-3/>

For more information and registration: info@studyjoy.nz

Muffin Talk Radio Programme recordings and video clips on religion, inter-faith and community available at <https://www.studyjoy.nz/category/resources/>

PARISHIONERS IN NEED OF PASTORAL CARE

If you are aware of any family or parishioners who are in hospital, a rest-home or homebound due to illness, please contact Fr Sani so that they can receive pastoral care.

3 DAYS OF FASTING WEBSITE

Clare Dargaville, the founder and organiser of NZ's Coast to Coast Rosary has created 3daysoffasting.com to combat some of the problems in the world today. The 3daysoffasting.com website was originally only going to run for three weeks, but the response has been fantastic, so they intend to keep it going.

There are so many problems in the world today it can seem overwhelming. Fasting and prayer are very powerful. Go to 3daysoffasting.com

RURAL MINISTRY ROAD

The Diocesan Pastoral Council would like to find out how we can best support our rural parish communities and are coming out to meet with parishioners to hear what is going well and what support is needed. See itinerary for a road-show near you!

Friday 9th July - Riverton Church 4.30pm

Saturday 10th July - Mossburn 2pm (Church or RSA)

Saturday 17th July - Gore Church 2pm

Sunday 25th July- Cromwell Church Hall 2pm

Sunday 1st August - Kurow Church after 12pm Mass with light lunch

Sunday 22nd August - Waikouaiti Church 10.30am, 12pm Mass to follow

Any questions feel free to contact Stephanie Swann, DPC member: swannstephann@gmail.com

LIGHT PARTY 2021

We are looking for volunteers to assist with this year's Light Party. Many thanks to Sally Ferreira for her willingness to help. We do need a few more to come forward please. Thanks.

Please let Fr Sani know if you are able to help. Many thanks.

NEW PARISHIONERS—WELCOME

If you are new parishioners to our parish, we would like to inform you that there is a New Parishioner Form on the table in the church foyer, that you are invited to fill and place in the box provided. Many thanks.

NATIONAL OFFICE FOR PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS

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Information can also be found on our website:

www.alexatholic.nz

(Under NOPS in the toolbar)

NEXT WEEK

18th July Readings: Jer 23:1-6; Eph 2:13-18; Mk 6:30-34

17th/18th July Roster:

Greeters: Brown family (Alex); A McElligott (Roxb)

Projector: R Kilkelly (Omak); P Mulvihill (Alex);
A Compton (Roxb)

Altar Servers: David Fonseca, Joshua Brown, Isabella Breen

Intro / POF: P Cooney (Omak); K MacKenzie (Alex);
K Robb (Roxb)

Readers: P Cooney (Omak); M Bennie, J McLean (Alex);
K Robb (Roxb)

Offertory: Volunteer (Omak); Brown family (Alex);
Dave & John (Roxb)

Extraordinary

Ministers: J Paulin (Omak); F Clements, L Fonseca,
B Gibbons (Alex); R Dyson (Roxb)

Sacristan: L Fonseca / J Dunlay (Alex)

Cleaners: R Kilkelly (Omak); D Courtney, M Bruce (Alex);
Liyarachichi Family (Roxb)