

## of Dunedin Alexandra Catholic Pastoral Area

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

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## 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time. Pear B

19th September 2021

### **MASS TIMES**

Sundays

Omakau 6:00pm Vigil (Sat)

Alexandra 9:00am Roxburgh 11:00am

> Weekdays (14th - 18th September)

Alexandra

Tuesday, 21st 5:00pm (Church)
Wednesday, 22nd 9:00am (Church)
Thursday, 23rd 9:00am (Church)
Friday, 24th midday (Church)
Saturday, 25th 9:00am (church)

Roxburgh

Wednesday, 22nd 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)

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Please note that there will be no Sunday Masses celebrated until further notice.

Week day Mass has resumed as usual.

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Died Recently
Mary McCarthy
Wyn Dryden

Anniversaries
Sr Eleanor Pelvin
Brian McElligott
Jim Breen
Requiescant
in Bace

Readings: Wisdom 2:12, 17-20; James 3:16-4:3

THIS WEEK'S GOSPEL: MARK 9:30-37

After leaving the mountain Jesus and his disciples made their way through Galilee; and he did not want anyone to know, because he was instructing his disciples; he was telling them, 'The son of Man will be delivered into the hands of men; they will put him to death; and three days after he has been put to death he will rise again.' But they did not understand what he said and were afraid to ask him.

They came to Capernaum, and when he was in the house he asked them, 'What were you arguing about on the road?' They said nothing because they had been arguing which of them was the greatest. So he sat down, called the Twelve to him and said, 'If anyone wants to be first, he must make himself last of all and servant of all.'

He then took a little child, set him in front of them, put his arms round him, and said to them, 'Anyone who welcomes one of these little children in my name, welcomes me; and anyone who welcomes me welcomes not me but the one who sent me.'

#### **ONLINE MASS OPTIONS:**

Sacred Heart Parish, Invercargill Facebook Livestream Mass at 10:00am

Hills Suburb Pastoral Area, Dunedin

Facebook Livestream Mass at 11am

Holy Name, Dunedin North Pastoral Area\ Facebook Livestream Mass at 10am

Gore Parish Facebook Livestream Mass at 10am

Shine TV Sunday Mass recorded from Auckland. Watch on Shine TV at 2pm



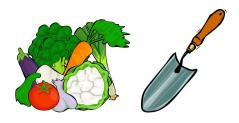
# ST GERARD'S SCHOOL STUDENT VEGETABLE GARDEN

St Gerard's are looking for volunteers to work alongside teachers and students in their vegetable garden, on Wednesday afternoons through Term 4.

The sessions would run from 1:30pm - 2:50pm. Volunteers would work alongside students, teachers and other volunteers in maintaining the garden through sowing seeds, planting, weeding, composting and other general maintenance.

Please contact Ollie Yeoman if you'd be available either on a regular or casual basis -

ollieyeoman@stgerards.school.nz



#### NATIONAL OFFICE FOR PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS

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Information can also be found on our website:
<a href="https://www.alexcatholic.nz">www.alexcatholic.nz</a>
(Under NOPS in the toolbar)

#### **ALEXANDRA LIGHT PARTY**

A massive thank you to those who have come forward to offer their time as volunteers. Your efforts are greatly appreciated.

The Light Party needs donations of lollies, balloons and other bits and piece, please contact Sally on 0211058112 for more info. A collection box is in the church foyer for those wishing to donate.



#### **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.