



CHAPLAIN TO THE CATHOLIC DEAF PEOPLE AND THEIR FAMILIES  
TE KAIHAUTU KATORIKA KI NGA TANGATA TURIA ME O RATOU WHANAU

4<sup>th</sup> March 2010

To the members and friends of the Auckland Deaf Catholic Community

Tena koutu katoa (Hello everyone),

Sorry everyone, there's been a change of date for the Mass....

**Our next monthly Mass will be held on Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> March 2010 at 12.00pm** at  
Pompallier Diocesan Centre, 30 New Street, Ponsonby - please use the staff  
entrance at the back.

**Gospel of John 8:1-11 (Fifth Week of Lent)**

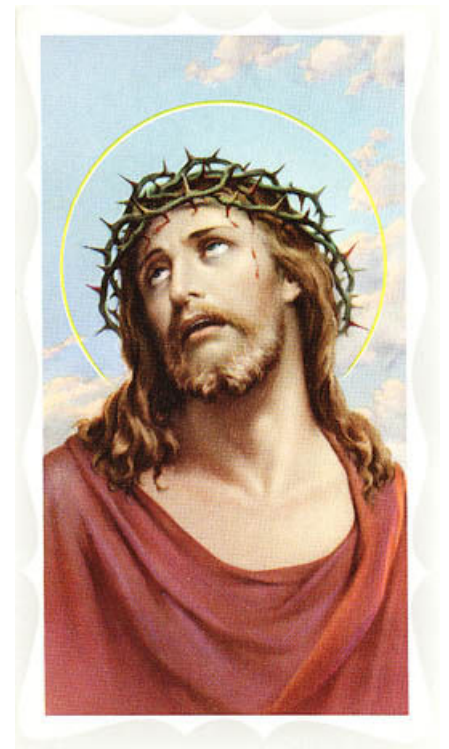
**Celebrant:** Father Michael Endemann

**Interpreter:** Debbie Lynch

**Raffle:** Lena Smith

**Programme for March 21st 2010**

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| 11.45am | Arrival/Gathering                               |
| 12.00pm | Mass  |
| 1.00pm  | Lunch (please bring something for shared lunch) |
| 1.25pm  | Raffles (Lena)/Tidy Up                          |
| 1.30pm  | Meeting   |
| 2.00pm  | Clean Up/Home                                   |





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## February Newsletter

The week I came back to work, here at Pompallier Diocesan Centre, we celebrated Bishop Pat Dunn's 60<sup>th</sup> birthday. We had a lovely liturgy and shared lunch.

One of the former staff member Pamela Wood (her husband and some of her children are deaf), painted a beautiful portrait of Bishop Pat. It now hangs on the wall by the staircase, near the staff room. At our next Deaf Mass, please remind me to show it to all of you.

Carol & Trevor house-sitted her brother Patrick's home at Papamoa, Tauranga. They had a wonderful time there and did a bit of shopping at the malls, visiting and sight-seeing. Carol's niece Sheryl recently had treatments for her cancer and in the process, lost her hair. She is now recovering at home and hope she is feeling much better by now.

Carol also mentioned Ron & Helen (I'm not sure how she's related to them), however after an illness Ron died and now his wife Helen is not well too. Mary's cousin also passed away late January - this cousin was one of many who sent their congratulations to Mary after hearing the good news. Please Lord, we pray that their souls will find peace in your loving arms.

Unfortunately, Fr Bruce Bolland is no longer available to do Deaf Masses for us anymore and I am deeply saddened by this. However, we are fortunate that Fr Michael Endemann (previously from Christ the King church) is happy to replace Fr Bruce.

**As Fr Michael is only free on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays of the month at 12.00pm, I** have had to rescheduled all my dates for the year again and fortunately, my interpreters have been very understanding & patience. Please pray for more interpreters for Deaf Masses, so that Felicity and Debbie are able to have a break now and again.

**Don't forget to bring your gold coin/s for the Raffle - \$1.00 for 1 Ticket and \$2.00 for 3 Tickets.**



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DEAF MASSES FOR 2010

April 18th - Deaf Mass at 12.00pm, by Fr Michael Endemann. Mary will be in charge and no raffles.

May 2<sup>nd</sup>? - May possibly have a Combined Services with Christian Deaf Fellowship? Will confirm soon.

May 16th - Reconciliation & Deaf Mass by Fr Robert Steele at 2.00pm.

June 20<sup>th</sup> - Deaf Mass at 12.00pm by Fr Michael.

July 18<sup>th</sup> - Deaf Mass at 12.00pm by Fr Michael. Mary will be in charge and no raffles.

August 15<sup>th</sup> - Deaf Mass at 12.00pm by Fr Michael.

September 5<sup>th</sup>? - Mass at St Mary, Northcote? Will confirm soon.

September 19<sup>th</sup> - Deaf Mass at 12.00pm by Fr Michael.

October 17<sup>th</sup> - Deaf Mass at 12.00pm by Fr Michael.

November 7<sup>th</sup> - Mass 10.00am at Christ the King church, Mt Roskill.

December 12<sup>th</sup> - Deaf Mass at 2.00pm by Fr Robert.

Arohanui and Blessings

*Lena*

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