

## Catholic Parish of Christchurch South

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Wednesday, 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2021

Dear Parishioners

As I mentioned in my letter of last week, our amended weekday timetable will continue for this week. **You do not have to register for these Masses.** Mass times for Thursday will be 9am at Halswell and 5:30pm at Sacred Heart. Mass on Friday will be at 9am at Sacred Heart. Please note there will be no 9am Mass at Sacred Heart this Saturday.

The announcement last Monday by the PM to increase the number of people who can gather at Alert Level 2 to 100 is a step forward for us in being able to celebrate Saturday Vigil/Sunday Mass again at Addington/Halswell. **There will be no Sunday Mass at the Carmelite Monastery until further notice.**

In a letter the NZ Bishops sent to us last year they stated: ***“Not all parishioners will be able to attend Mass because of the restrictions of numbers. Others will not attend due to health reasons, concerns or fears. For these reasons, the dispensation of attendance at Sunday Mass continues.”***

During Level 2 we will be celebrating Masses weekend/weekday at Sacred Heart, Addington and Sts Peter & Paul, Halswell. There will be weekday Mass only at the Carmelite Monastery.

St Peter's, Beckenham and Our Lady of the Assumption, Hoon Hay will remain closed and I will review this decision after the Government makes its next decision on what Level we will remain in/go to.

The Mass times for the weekend (beginning this weekend) and for weekdays (beginning on Monday) are listed below. Exposition will begin again next week on Friday and Saturday at Sacred Heart.

- **With regard to the weekend Masses, you will need to register by using the online booking system.** Registrations will open at 5pm today (Wednesday).
- Please register by going to:

<https://www.cognitofrms.com/CatholicDioceseOfChristchurch/SundayMassRegistration2>

- **Select which church you would like to go to** (Sacred Heart or Sts Peter & Paul)
- **The time of the Mass** you would like to attend (see Mass times below)
- **The number of people that will be attending**  
Then **click the 'Attendee Details' button** and **add your contact details**. When you have done this **click 'Submit'**.
- **If you know someone who does not have internet access, you can register for them using this same method, or get them to phone the parish office on 03 3388395 to register.**
- **If there is no reply at the parish office, please leave a message stating that you would like to register/or register for someone else for Mass this weekend with name, phone number, the church they/you would like to go to, the time of the Mass they/you would like to go to, and how many in their/your group.**
- **There will be 10 spaces kept for those who are unable to register online**

**Arriving at either of the two churches:**

- ◆ **Entrance to the church will only be through the front doors**
- ◆ **Please scan in using the [NZ Covid Tracer app](#) or [record your contact details](#) on the paper slip provided and place it in the marked box.**
- ◆ **You are [encouraged to wear a mask](#) or a face covering.**
- ◆ **You are able to [sanitize your hands](#) in the foyer before entering the main body of the church.**
- ◆ **Everyone attending Mass will need to be seated and [no one will be permitted to be in the foyer during Mass](#).**
- ◆ **There will be no collection during Mass but [a retiring collection](#) will be held as you leave the church**

**I would ask you please to make contact with other parishioners who may not have a computer or who do not receive this letter and to share with them the contents of this letter and timetable; thank you.**

**Please remember that [DAYLIGHT SAVING](#) begins [this Sunday](#) morning so the clocks go forward an hour!**

**The [parish newsletter](#) will begin again this weekend. If you have notices then please send them into Janice before Friday morning; thank you.**

**With kind regards and blessings**



**Father Peter Head sm  
Parish Priest**

# CATHOLIC PARISH OF CHRISTCHURCH SOUTH

## *Mass & Reconciliation Timetable during Alert Level 2*

The weekend timetable will begin Saturday, 25<sup>th</sup> September

### WEEKEND TIMETABLE

<b>Saturday Vigil</b>	<b>Sacred Heart</b>	<b>5:00pm</b>
	<b>Sts Peter &amp; Paul</b>	<b>6:00pm</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Sacred Heart</b>	<b>9:00am</b>
	<b>Sts Peter &amp; Paul</b>	<b>9:00am</b>
	<b>Sacred Heart</b>	<b>10:30am</b>
	<b>Sts Peter &amp; Paul</b>	<b>10:30am</b>
	<b>Sacred Heart</b>	<b>5:00pm</b>

There will be no Sunday Mass at 8:30am at the Carmelite Monastery until further notice

The weekday timetable will begin Monday, 27<sup>th</sup> September

### WEEKDAY TIMETABLE

<b>Monday:</b>	<b>Carmelite M</b>	<b>8:30am</b>
	<b>Sacred Heart</b>	<b>5:30pm</b>
<b>Tuesday:</b>	<b>Carmelite M</b>	<b>8:30am</b>
	<b>Sts Peter &amp; Paul</b>	<b>9:00am</b>
<b>Wednesday:</b>	<b>Carmelite M</b>	<b>8:30am</b>
	<b>Sacred Heart</b>	<b>9:00am</b>
<b>Thursday:</b>	<b>Carmelite M</b>	<b>8:30am</b>
	<b>Sts Peter &amp; Paul</b>	<b>9:00am</b>
<b>Friday:</b>	<b>Carmelite M</b>	<b>8:30am</b>
	<b>Sacred Heart</b>	<b>9:00am</b>
<b>Saturday:</b>	<b>Carmelite M</b>	<b>8:30am</b>
	<b>Sacred Heart</b>	<b>9:00am</b>
	<b>Sacrament of Reconciliation</b>	
	<b>Sacred Heart</b>	<b>10:30am – 11:30am</b>

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament** will be at Sacred Heart after  
Friday Mass until 10:30am  
Saturday Mass until 11:30am