

## SPECIAL COMMEMORATIONS 2025

12 January	Anniversary of first Mass in NZ by Bishop Pompallier
26 January	Word of God Sunday
6 February	Waitangi Day
7 March	Day of Prayer and Penance for Victims of Abuse and Violence (1 <sup>st</sup> Fri of Lent)
25 March.	Day of Prayer for Family Life (Linked to Annunciation)
28 April	St Peter Chanel Patron Saint of Oceania
11-17 May	National Vocations Awareness Week (Good Shepherd Sunday 11 <sup>th</sup> May)
25 May	World Children's Day.
1 June	World Communications Day (Ascension 29 May)
1-8 June	Week of Prayer for Christian Unity (Pentecost is 8 June)
22 June	Day of Prayer for Refugees and Migrants Sunday closest to 20 June (World Refugee Day)
13 July	Day of Prayer for Seafarers
7-13 September	Social Justice Week
5 October	Day of Celebration for Venerable Suzanne Aubert
12 October	Day of Prayer to Support Life
19 October	World Mission Sunday