

## June 2016 - ACCR Sign of the Times

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### ACCR APOSTOLATE VISION

To see the restoration of all the Gifts of the Holy Spirit as a normal part of Catholic Church life, and lead people into a personal relationship with Jesus Christ as Lord and Saviour, and develop the fullness of the Holy Spirit in the lives of all believers.

### ACCR APOSTOLATE MISSION STATEMENT

ACCR seeks to serve the Catholic Church by being one of the agents and instruments of the Holy Spirit working for the ongoing renewal and growth of the Church today.

We seek to participate with the Holy Spirit in the renewal of the Church by:

- Working to lead all people to a close, personal and lasting relationship with Jesus Christ as Lord of all aspects of their lives.
- Fostering the Baptism ( or Release) of the Holy Spirit, received in the sacraments of Baptism and Confirmation, as a means of deepening the work of the Holy Spirit in the Catholic Church and in the lives of individuals.
- Encouraging the use of the charismatic gifts as an accepted and regular part of life in the Catholic Church.
- Encouraging people to participate fully in the life of their parish.

## Scroll down to see coming events and other information

### A Message from Anil, ACCR Chairperson

#### Rom 1:7 “To all God’s beloved in Rome, who are called to be saints”

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Jesus Christ,

Grace, mercy and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord.

As the old saying goes, “All roads lead to Rome.” As I write this article we enter into our 50<sup>th</sup> year of existence. Next year we will celebrate our 50<sup>th</sup> year with a big celebration at St. Peters square in Rome with a Mass celebrated by our Holy Father Pope Francis. We hope that some of us may be able to make it there and represent New Zealand. Australia are organising a pilgrimage from there and if anyone is interested please get in touch with me.

We had a blessed time with Fr. Joseph Victor from India who has an order called Jesus the Divine Healer. His teachings on the gifts were enriching and so were his Masses which he held in various parishes. He is proclaiming a very important message for Catholics on how to receive healing and deliverance through the Eucharist. We hope to get him again next year to give us more insights into the Mass.

When you receive this newsletter Brother Aneel Aranha will be with us in Auckland, continuing on the mission he began last year. This years theme is “Come be the light of the world.” We hope to see many of you there in Pakuranga. We also hope to have more schools of discipleship begin in Auckland. We have 3 running and more in the pipeline. People are reporting a new found enthusiasm for their faith and we can hopefully train them to be good evangelisers.

In July we will be hosting our first prayer group leaders meeting for 2016. It will be on July 9<sup>th</sup> due to the fact that some ladies would like to attend the Dove retreat on the 30<sup>th</sup>. We hope to see all the leaders there.

Please continue to keep the Renewal and the programmes in your prayers.

God bless,  
**Anil.**

**Calendar these CCR dates** (for more information see below or attached posters)

**June 1- 5 Return Visit from Aneel Aranha.**

**Jun 4 11 – 4pm St Marks Catholic Church, 334 Pakuranga Highway, Pakuranga (Parish mass at 9am)**

**June 5 1pm - 5pm St Marks, Pakuranga**

**Aneel will also visit the HSI Schools of Discipleship**

**Jun 1 7pm St Johns, Orewa**

**Jun 2 7.30pm St Marks, Pakuranga**

**Jun 3 7.30pm St John Vianney, Hillsborough**

**9<sup>th</sup> July Combined meeting for all Prayer groups and Service group. Approx 9am – 12pm Sacred Heart Hall, Ponsonby.**

**27th August Breakthrough Concert 2016 Bruce Mason Theatre, Takapuna**

**Aneel Aranha is coming back to Auckland**

**Come Be the Light of the World (see the attached Poster)**

Aneel is an international speaker and preacher. He is the founder of the HSI schools of Discipleship. We hope to see you all at the following sessions.

**Saturday – 4<sup>th</sup> June - 1<sup>st</sup> Day**

**11 am - 4pm** (Note: 9am there is a Parish Mass if you want to attend)

**Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> June – 2<sup>nd</sup> Day**

**1pm– 5pm** ( Note: starts after lunch. )

**Bring your own lunch, Coffee and Tea will be provided.**

**Please spread the word and let's get many people along to hear the Good News. Last time Aneel was here someone testified that while the general prayer was happening they got healed of Cancer.**

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**Please contact Mike Lobo for info re Aneel or Schools of Discipleship.**

**mlobo@titan.co.nz or 3900048 (free call)**

## Breakthrough Concert 2016: Saturday, 27th August, 7pm

The BreakThrough concert is set to return. This time the theme is 'Victory to the Lamb'. Please book the date – Saturday, 27<sup>th</sup> August from 7 p.m. at Bruce Mason Centre, Takapuna

### **IMPORTANT REQUEST- An opportunity to use your God given talents.**

As part of the Breakthrough concert there will be small skits and dances performed on stage. **JTGS prayer group is calling for the assistance of all CCR members or friends who can act or dance and are willing to take part in the concert. We also welcome any singers who wish to join the music team.** This will entail coming for about 8 to 10 practices over the next three months. Practices will be for about 2 hours and held at a venue on the North Shore. Email [admin@jesusthegoodshepherd.co.nz](mailto:admin@jesusthegoodshepherd.co.nz) for details or call Goretti on 021 025 63164 OR Engelbert on 021 023 46853. Please reply latest by Thursday, 10<sup>th</sup> June. We really look forward to your participation.

## Sponsorship for Breakthrough Concert

This is a great opportunity for you to reach out to up to 1,000 people at the Bruce Mason Centre. The concert has been planned as a simple not-for-profit evangelistic event. In order to keep the price of tickets low we need sponsorship to help with costs.

For sponsorship forms or more information contact Teresa on 021 242 7400 or email [admin@jesusthegoodshepherd.co.nz](mailto:admin@jesusthegoodshepherd.co.nz)

## News from the prayer groups:

### **Pentecost weekend Life in the Spirit Seminar - focused on 18-35 age group:**

*This weekend was organised by Jesus the Good Shepherd prayer group. It was an blessed weekend, with round 100 people involved. Many young people committed their lives to Jesus and received the Baptism of the Holy Spirit for the first time. It was good to have youth from the Divine Mercy Youth group with us again. The Youth Band from Jesus the Good Shepherd prayer group led some of the praise and worship.*

*The prayer group would like to thank all those who helped over the weekend: the many priests who came for Reconciliation and Fr Joe who celebrated the Sunday Eucharist, the speakers from Jesus the Good Shepherd prayer group and guest speakers Betsy Rego, Deacon Henk Gielen (and his wife) and Fr Michael Gielen, and the wonderful cooks and helpers in the kitchen, who were amazing. Please pray for all the participants that they will continue to grow in their personal relationship with Jesus and live in the power of the Holy Spirit.*

## **More for Young adults**

### **ICCRS Youth: Praise and Worship at World Youth Day in Poland**

The event is officially recognised by the WYD organisers and will have a place in the official program of the WYD. We have been very blessed in securing a place in the heart of the city of Krakow. **This will be on Wednesday, July 27th, 20:00-23:00 h. in Plaz Wolnica, Kraków, Poland.** This year's event will have a totally International dimension as ICCRS YOUTH is the main organiser. This event will be considered as a launching pad .... Or better said: a special "Advent" towards the Jubilee Celebrations of 2017. We are really excited about this and we are praying and planning a great PRAISE & WORSHIP Festival that will glorify God and be a strong witness of the Power of the HOLY SPIRIT. For more information go to <http://www.iccrs.org/en/iccrs-youth-at-wyd-international-praise-worship-festival/>

### **CCR 50<sup>th</sup> Jubilee in Rome**

Golden Jubilee Celebrations at the global level are being organised in Rome jointly by ICCRS and the Fraternity from Wednesday, 31 May to Sunday, 4th June, 2017. The event will be non-residential and not limited to one specific location. There will be a number of events in a number of places in Rome which will culminate in the Pentecost Vigil and Pentecost Mass with the Holy Father in St. Peter's Square. More details would be available at: [www.ccrgoldenjubilee2017.org](http://www.ccrgoldenjubilee2017.org)

**Remember to tell Anil or Diana if you are keen to attend the jubilee celebrations in Rome.**

**History of CCR video:** As we come towards the 50<sup>th</sup> birthday of CCR in 2017 you might like to look at this.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=J-QDOcDGDWA>

**Rosary for a worldwide new Pentecost.** Go to this site and download the special prayers in your language.

<http://www.iccrs.org/en/pray-the-rosary-for-a-worldwide-new-pentecost/>

### **Australian events you might be interested in:**

**Attached is the quarterly Newsletter of NSW CCR, Voice of the Spirit.** It has some good articles, eg p1. Aneel Aranha' s talk on Discipleship, and p4. The power of the precious Blood of Jesus. On p6 and p7 there is information about various conferences and pilgrimages, including travel ideas for the 50<sup>th</sup> CCR jubilee in Rome.

The following pilgrimages and conferences may be of interest to you.

**1 Conference on "Down to Earth Prophecy" on 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> August 2016 with Tony Saxon. Suggested age bracket for this event is for those between 18 – 35.**

Venue: Servants of Jesus, **15 Park Road, Seven Hills, NSW**. The Bread of Life Catholic Fellowship is hosting this event on behalf of the Catholic Fraternity in Oceania, Disciples of Jesus, Servants of Jesus and Emmanuel. **Cost \$60 (\$50 if registered before 30 June).**

## **2. 'DISCIPLES IN JERUSALEM' – A Spirit-filled Pilgrimage for the Year of Mercy (14 days with optional extensions.)**

**Departing Sydney Sunday 18 September 2016.** A unique opportunity is on offer to join legendary Charismatic Australian Costandi Bastoli as your guide as he shows you through the Holy Land of his upbringing in the footsteps of Jesus. Join him and Fr Baiju Thomas MGL on a Spirit-filled itinerary from Jordan to Bethlehem before enjoying a three night stay on the Sea of Galilee and finally Jerusalem for a deeply moving exploration. Priced at \$5790AUS flying Emirates.

Contact Harvest now on 1800 819 156 or Email: [info@harvestjourneys.com](mailto:info@harvestjourneys.com) for a full itinerary... Option to extend to Europe etc. Places filling quickly!

## **3. A PILGRIMAGE TO MEXICO, AMERICA AND CANADA COMBINING SERVICE AND SPIRITUALITY** Led by Jim and Sue Murphy **26 September - 10 October 2016**

**There will be 5 days of service in Mexico working with Jim in an outreach to the poor living on the rubbish dump at Neza and to the orphanage for abandoned children.** Then visits to Guadalupe, the Cathedral of Mexico, and the Pyramids of Teotihuacan. Moving then to San Antonio in Texas, St. Louis in Missouri... then to Montreal and Quebec City visiting with Renewal Groups and Catholic Shrines. Coming back there will be an option for a stop off at Molokai to visit the shrine to St. Damien. Call Miriam... CCR, Melbourne... (03)9486 6544 where you will receive more information.

## **4. THE NSW CCR RETREAT FOR 2017 Fri 27 January - Sun. 29 January, 2017** at St. Joseph's Spirituality Centre, 64 Mackillop Drive, Baulkham Hills, NSW . More details later.

**CCR News from Europe** (Eucril **#295**) [www.iccrs.eu](http://www.iccrs.eu).

### ***Around 1200 people attended a CCR weekend IN BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA***

The first gathering of this kind was last year, during Divine Mercy weekend when more than 1.100 people came from 60 communities/prayer groups from both countries. The aim was to develop formation of members by sharing and joining together in prayer.

This year, on Divine Mercy weekend, there were more than 1.200 participants from 62 communities/prayer groups from Croatia and Bosnia and Herzegovina. It was also held in Medjugorje. The theme was: 'By Your mercy – transform us Lord!' It was inspired by the Jubilee Year of Mercy.

### **[Spare time??](#)**

**I just watched this video, it's 47min long but very interesting. The journey from Pentecostal Pastor to Catholic Deacon.** <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mxDumU0TSrY>

### **Prayer intentions**

Service group  
All CCR Leaders and plans for 2017 50<sup>th</sup> Jubilee events  
New members for Service Group

Prayer group leaders and prayer group initiatives  
Youth, particularly those involved in CCR and those who attended recent LiSS.  
Aneel Aranha and all aspects of his visit  
Conversion of ISIS leaders and members  
For persecuted Christians

## Regular events

**Prayer groups:** See website for meeting places and times.  
<http://www.catholiccharismatic.org.nz>

### **School of Discipleship:**

**Fridays 7.30pm. Venue: St John Vianney, Hillsborough.**

**Thursdays 7.30pm. Venue: St Marks, Pakuranga.**

**Wednesdays 7pm. Venue: St Johns, Orewa.**

**Please contact Mike Lobo [mlobo@titan.co.nz](mailto:mlobo@titan.co.nz) or 3900048 (free call) for info re Schools of Discipleship.**

### **Bible Study myPRAYERGROUP (myPG)**

**Reynaldo and his prayer group invite you all to attend a bible study with them.**

**The Parables of Jesus Christ.** Led by Deacon Dave at St Vincent de Paul Church, Milford.

3rd Saturdays, 8:00PM starting 16 APRIL, 21 MAY, 16 JULY, 20 AUG, 15 OCT. 2016

**Healing Ministry:** Available after the 7.30pm Mass every 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday at St Thomas More Catholic Church, Glenfield.

Note: Lilian Iskander and her Good Shepherd Group volunteer for NZ prayerline every Monday 7:30pm-9:00pm praying for callers from all around NZ. The number to call for prayers is 0800 50 80 80.

### **Dove Monthly meetings (include prayer ministry and fellowship)**

**West Auckland Dove:** 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesdays at **St Michael and all Angels Anglican Church** - 425 Great North Road, Henderson. Contact Jane 0211178977 or Teresa 838 9969

**North Shore Dove:** June meeting Wed 15<sup>th</sup>. (usually 2nd to last Wednesdays) 7.30pm. **Venue: St. Thomas More Church, 366 Wairau Road, Glenfield, Auckland 0629.** All warmly invited. For more information call Nanci Heah (09) 419 0348

**South Auckland Dove:** last Tuesdays, **7. 30pm at St Anne's Parish Hall**, 126 Russell Rd, Manurewa. Contact Grace Rowland 09 577 3479 or 027 624 3842

**Joshua Fellowship:** a Catholic men's fellowship. 7.30pm – 9.30pm every last Wednesday. St Josephs Centre, Fred Thomas Drive, Takapuna. Contact: Basil ph 4435755 or 0272612585 or [www.joshua.org.nz](http://www.joshua.org.nz)