## 30 April 2023



## 4th Sunday of Easter

### Welcome

Readings:

Preaching and Presiding: Rev Lance Kevey
9am Eucharist in Church (pg 404)

10:30am Eucharist in Hall (Reserve

Sacrement)

Acts 2:42 - 47 Psalm 23

1 Peter 2:19 - 25

John 10:1 - 10

**Next Week:** 

9am Eucharist in Church 10:30am Eucharist in Hall

**Next Sunday's Readings** 

Acts 7:55 - 60

Psalm 31:1 - 5, 15 - 16 1 Peter 2:2 - 10

John 14:1 - 14

There will be morning tea after the 9am service and lunch after the 10:30am service this Sunday. Everyone is welcome.

#### This Week:

Tuesday 2 May

9:30am-Noon Ezee Meals Ezee Meals Room 2pm Bible Study Group 1/25 Ward Street

Wednesday 3 May

10:00am Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion

Thursday 4 May

7:00pm Bible Study 158 McLeod Street

Friday 5 May

9:30am-Noon Ezee Meals Ezee Meals Room

#### Collect for this week:

Good shepherd of the sheep, by whom the lost are sought and guided into the fold; feed us and we shall be satisfied, heal us and we shall be whole, and lead us that we may be with you, with the Father and the Holy Spirit, where you reign one God for ever. Amen

# This week's lectionary readings and prayer suggestions:

**Every Day** Please pray for **everyone** that has been affected by the **cyclone and previous storms**. Also please pray for the **people of Turkey and Syria** after the earthquake.

## Monday 1 May - St Philip and St James

Isaiah 30:18 - 21

Psalm 119:9 - 16

1 Corinthians 15:1 - 8

John 14:6 - 14

**Diocesan Prayer**: Let us pray for the everyone who has suffered from weather

events.

**Anglican Missions:** We pray for the staff and clergy of the Diocese of Polynesia.

**Parish:** We pray for everyone that mourns for a loved one.

#### **Tuesday 2 May**

Acts 11:19 - 26

Psalm 87

John 10:22 - 30

**Diocesan Prayer**: Let us pray for how we can safeguard creation.

**Anglican Missions**: We pray for the vulnerable in the community and those that support them.

**Parish:** We pray for our Wardens and our Vestry.

## Wednesday 3 May

Acts 12:24 - 13:5

Psalm 67

John 12:44 - end

**Diocesan Prayer**: Let us pray for the many people who volunteer each week.

**Anglican Missions:** We pray for the people of Samoa, Tonga, and American Samoa.

**Parish:** We pray for our Parish clergy:

Lance Kevey, Dave Smart and Jeff Roberts.

We also pray for Andy Eldred.

#### Thursday 4 May

Acts 13:13 - 25

Psalm 89:1 - 2, 20 - 26

John 13:16 - 20

**Diocesan Prayer:** Let us pray for the all the new initiatives that are happening around the diocese.

**Anglican Missions**: We pray for the provision of safe continuous water supplies in all communities.

**Parish**: We pray for Parish children & young people, and for Whānau Funday.

#### Friday 5 May

Acts 13:26 - 33

Psalm 2

John 14:1 - 6

**Diocesan Prayer**: Let us pray for all those that are going to the Diocesan training days.

**Anglican Missions:** We pray for all the clergy in Polynesia who are called to share the gospel.

**Parish:** We pray for those that are in hospital or home recovering from illnesses or accidents.

#### Saturday 6 May - St John the Evangelist

Exodus 33:17 - 23

Psalm 97

1 John 1:1 - 5

John 21:20 - 25

**Diocesan Prayer**: Let us pray for Bishop

Justin who is on Sabbatical.

Anglican Missions: We pray for the

Anglican Church in Melanesia.

**Parish:** We pray for all the workers who are going to be working on the Church interior.

#### **Our Parish**

#### **Upcoming Parish Happenings:**

- AGM will be held this afternoon, 30
   April, at 4pm, in the Hall, followed by a shared dinner. We would love to see you there.
- New Outreach—Thursday 4 May, 10am—noon, On Top Thursdays will be starting. It is intended for everyone to have fun, expand our horizons, build relationships and networks. If you want to know more talk to Raewyn or Louise.
- Whanau Funday Celebration of Carers to be held from 4 - 6pm on Sunday 7 May. Activities to celebrate whanau: Pizza making, Celebration banner, Family Photos, Loom-band bracelets, crazy family game, dinner, Godspot.
- 28 May After the 9am service we will be holding a combined morning tea., with a 10:45am service to follow.
- Garage Sale is planned for the 17
   June. Please start collecting goods to donate.
- Church Interior. We are have received our building consent from the council which has meant that the building can continue but now is dependant on Dave's availability.

  Thanks you for your prayers. It is inevitable that some disorder and mess will occur during this time. The teams will make every effort to keep this to a minimum and we will assess and specific hazards or concerns as it comes to using the spaces in the church during worship. At this stage we expect services to continue.

**ANZAC Day Service** was held at the Lychgate on Tuesday. Didn't everyone do well, from those who cheerfully volunteered their

baking/sandwich making skills and produce to those who helped shift furniture, those who did the kitchen mahi, and those who cleared up afterwards. What a great team we were! Well done all! Louise.

**Colin Gibbs memorial service** will be held on **19 May at 3:30pm** in St John's Church.

Ark After School Programme - 3—5:30pm on Tuesday afternoons (when school in open) starting 2 May. Following on from a successful holiday programme an after school programme is starting in the Hall, for years 1—6, entry \$2.

#### **Upcoming Diocesan Events:**

- Training Day Tawa 6 May
- Training Day Masterton 7 May
- Training Day Kapiti 13 May
- Training Day Whanganui 13 May

For more details go to https:// anglicanmovement.nz/upcoming-events. If you can't go or it is not for you please keep those attending in your prayers.

New Prayer and Lectionary Resources. The Diocese has put together some ne resources - a cut down version of the Lectionary can be found at Lectionary.co.nz and Tuia is a new prayer app, it is available on the App Store and Google Play.

There is a range of **Christian Studies / Courses** available in 2023 including EfM Education for Ministry.

Check out the courses on our website or contact Heidi anglicanstudies@anglicanmovement.nz

Christian World Services has an appeal for donations to help people in Turkey and Syria after the devastating earthquakes. Please go to the following website to find out more and/or donate to the Turkey Syria Earth-

#### **Our Staff and Parish Leaders**

**Vicar:** This position is vacant, please contact either of the wardens.

**Bishop's Warden:** Ann Bracefield 027 6971870

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People's Warden: Kate Horton 970 8026 or 021 625664

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Parish Office: In the Hall 561 Fergusson Dr 528 5588 - with answer phone

**Ezee Meals:** 528 9223 with answer phone

Postal Address: PO Box 40 326, Upper Hutt, 5140

**Newsletter:** Kate Horton 970 8026 or horty nz@hotmail.com before

Thursday 3pm

Website: http://www.stjohnstrentham.org.nz

quake Appeal - Christian World Service (cws.org.nz).

Unichem Pharmacy in Upper Hutt (6 Sinclair St) has minor ailment treatments for all tamariki under 14 and anyone with a community services card. It is free, no appointments needed, all medication used is free, as well.

	Actual Giving	Budgeted Giving
Last week		\$1,730
Last 4 Weeks		\$6,920
Year to date		\$29,410

## Giving details

#### **Parish of Trentham Bank Account**

ANZ 06 0773 0009875 00. Put name and 'Giving' as reference.

#### **Envelopes for Giving**

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