

7th Sunday of Easter

Welcome

Readings:

Preaching and Presiding: Rev Andy Eldred 9am Eucharist in Church (pg 404) 10:30am Eucharist in Hall

> Acts 1:6 - 14 Psalm 68:1 - 10, 32 - 35 1 Peter 4:12 - 14; 5:6 - 11 John 17:1 - 11

Next Week:

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

Next Sunday's Readings

Numbers 11:24 - 30 Psalm 104:24 - 34, 35b

Acts 2:1 - 21 John 7:37 - 39

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

This Week:

Tuesday 23 May

9:30am-NoonEzee MealsEzee Meals Room2pmBible Study Group1/25 Ward Street

7:30pm Vestry

Wednesday 24 May

10:00am Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion

2pm Summerset Rest Home Service Care Centre Lounge

Thursday 25 May

10:00am - Noon On Top Thursday In the HAll

7:00pm Bible Study 158 McLeod Street

Friday 26 May

9:30am-Noon Ezee Meals Ezee Meals Room

Collect for this week:

Christ our great high priest, you understand our weakness; you pray for us while we are sinners. Help us, through you, to find a new and living way to God; for the glory of your name. 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 22 May

Acts 19:1 - 8 Psalm 68:1 - 6

John 16:29 - end

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

Anglican Missions: We pray for the

Province of Alexandria

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

Tuesday 23 May

Acts 20:17 - 27

Psalm 68:9 - 10, 19 - 20

John 17:11 - 19

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

Anglican Missions: We pray for the

Province of Jerusalem and the Middle East. **Parish:** We pray for our Wardens and our

Vestry.

Wednesday 24 May

Acts 20:28 - end

Psalm 68:28 - 29, 33 - end

John 17:11 - 19

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

Anglican Missions: We pray for the

Province of South East Asia, which is made up of the Diocese of Singapore, West

Malaysia, Sabah and Kuching..

We also pray for Andy Eldred.

Parish: We pray for our Parish clergy: Lance Kevey, Dave Smart and Jeff Roberts.

Thursday 25 May

Acts 22:30; 23:6 - 11

Psalm 16:1, 8 - end

John 17:20 - end

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

Anglican Missions: We pray for Pakistan and the church's commitment to reach out to others, including to marginalised communities such as rural Sindh.

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

Friday 26 May

Acts 25:13 - 21

Psalm 103:1 - 2, 11 - 12, 19 - 20

John 21:15 - 19

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

Anglican Missions: We pray for Central and South Asia and NZCMS three mission partners working there.

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

Saturday 27 May

Acts 28:16 - 20, 30 - end

Psalm 11:4 - end

John 21:20 - end

Diocesan Prayer: Let us pray for Bishop Justin who is on Sabbatical.

Anglican Missions: We pray for Tanzania and give thanks for the continued growth in the Anglican Church there.

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

Our Parish

Upcoming Parish Happenings:

- The next Whanau Friday is on Sunday
 4 June 4 6pm. The theme is Royal ruckus/ Matariki celebration.
- New Outreach—Thursday, 10am—
 noon, On Top Thursdays has started.
 Everyone attending is having fun and
 thoroughly enjoying the chance to be
 creative and make friends. If you want
 to know more talk to Raewyn or
 Louise.
- 28 May After the 9am service we will be holding a combined morning tea., with a 10:45am service to follow.
- Quiz night 7 June at 7pm. Join us for a fun night at the Tote. \$10 per head. Either make up a team or join in with another when you arrive.
- Garage Sale is planned for the 17
 June. Please start collecting goods to
 donate.
- Church Interior. Sorry for the disruptions so far the end is in sight.
 We have to order another couple of plaques for the chairs, if you would like to sponsor a chair please let David Joplin know and we can order a plaque to go on it.

Food Bank— Just a gentle reminder that we are still collecting food items for the food bank. Please bring anything that you feel that you can donate on Sunday mornings.

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:

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.

The Diocese is calling for **volunteers for refugee resettlement in Wellington**. There is a need for quality small appliances, towels, and bedding (duvets, sheets, blankets, protectors). In addition, donations are much appreciated, and can be deposited into the Diocese account with a reference, or through our website: www.anglicanmovement.nz/donate.

Anyone wanting to be involved on an ongoing basis can volunteer through their parish. Volunteers gather donations or fundraise to pull together a collection of household items, which can either be new or second hand. Another parish, then sets up these items in the house that they family will be moving to. Anyone interested in donating items or volunteering through their parish can speak to Refugee Support Coordinator Phil McCarthy

Another option for people wanting to be involved with the settlement process is to volunteer directly with the Red Cross. With full training is provided, Contact Aileen Davison aileen.davison@redcross.org.nz if you would like to volunteer with the Red Cross.

on 021481204.

Thy Kingdom Come is a global movement across the Anglican Communion of 10 days leading up to Pentecost. This period is especially put aside as one to really dig in to praying for God's will to be done in our lives and in our communities, and in particular, a call for each of us to pray for 5 people to come to know Jesus. **Who are your five?**

The **Week of Prayer for Christian Unity** is celebrated in the Southern Hemisphere between Ascension Sunday and Pentecost Sun-

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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Thursday 3pm

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day, so from **21 May to 28** May in Aotearoa New Zealand for 2023.

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 Earthquake 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	\$2,941	\$1,730
Last 4 Weeks	\$6,283	\$6,920
Year to date	\$34,156	\$34,600

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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