

20 August 2023

20th Sunday of **Ordinary Time**

Welcome

Readings:

10:30am

Next Week:

Preaching and Presiding: Rev Kay Webster 9am **Eucharist in Church Eucharist in Hall**

Romans 11:1 - 2a, 29 - 32

Genesis 45:1 - 15 Psalm 133

Matthew 15:21 - 28

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

Next Sunday's Readings

Exodus 1:8 - 2:10 Psalm 124 Romans 12:1 - 8 Matthew 16:13 - 20

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

This Week:

Tuesday 22 August

9:30am-Noon	Ezee Meals	Ezee Meals Room
2pm	Bible Study Group	1/25 Ward Street
3pm	Master it Mondays	In the Hall
7:30pm	Vestry Meeting	In the Hall

Wednesday 23 August

10:00am	Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion
1:3000pm	Summerset Rest Home Service

Thursday 24 August

9:00am - Noon	On Top Thursday	In the Hall
7:00pm	Bible Study	58 McLeod Street

Friday 25 August

9:30am-Noon Ezee Meals Ezee Meals Room

Collect for this week:

Come Holy Spirit with new fire; when our prayers seem to fall, when we hear no voice nor any answer, rouse us and light our way. This we ask through Jesus Christ our Redeemer. Amen

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This week's lectionary readings	Thursday 24 August - St Bartholomew	
and prayer suggestions:	Deuteronomy 18:15 - 18	
Lord we know that some of struggle with	Psalm 145:10 - 18	
change, please help those that are leading	Revelations 21:9b - 14	
change in our lives to have wisdom and	John 1:45 - 51	
compassion and those of us that are adapting		
to change open our hearts and minds to what	the new initiatives that are happening	
is being done.	around the diocese.	
Monday 21 August	Anglican Missions: We pray for the	
Judges 2:11 - 19	Province of South East Asia.	
Psalm 106:35 - 40	Parish: We pray for Parish children &	
Matthew 19:16 - 22 Diocesan Prayer: Let us pray for all our	young people, and for Whānau Funday.	
Diocesan leaders.	We also pray for the new initiatives that	
Anglican Missions: We pray for the	are happening in the parish - Master it Mondays and On top Thursdays.	
Anglican Church of Australia's Indigenous		
Programmes.	Friday 25 August	
Parish: We pray for everyone that mourns	Ruth 1:1, 3 - 6, 14 - 16, 22	
for a loved one.	Psalm 146	
	Matthew 22:34 - 40	
Tuesday 22 August Judges 6:11 - 24	Diocesan Prayer: Let us pray for an new	
Psalm 85:8 - end	wave of persecution in schools in Central China.	
Matthew 19:23 - end		
Diocesan Prayer : Let us pray for how we	Anglican Missions: We pray for Pakistan and for the Christians there who face	
can safeguard creation.	discrimination and religious persecution.	
Anglican Missions: We pray for the	<i>Parish:</i> We pray for those that are in	
Province of Alexandria and everyone who	hospital or home recovering from illnesses	
worships there.	or accidents and this week.	
Parish: We pray for our Wardens and our		
Vestry.	Saturday 26 August	
Wednesday 23 August	Ruth 2:1 - 3, 8 - 11, 4:13 - 17	
Judges 9:6 - 15	Psalm 128	
Psalm 21:1 - 6	Matthew 23:1 - 12	
Matthew 20:1 - 16	Diocesan Prayer: Let us pray for all those	
Diocesan Prayer: Let us pray for the many	Christians around the world that are being	
people who volunteer each week.	persecuted - especially those in Iran.	
Anglican Missions: We pray for the	Anglican Missions: We pray for Central	
Province of Jerusalem and the Middle East.		
Parish: We pray for our Parish clergy:	Parish: We pray for Andy Eldred as heals	
Lance Kevey, Dave Smart and Jeff Roberts	and recuperates from his shoulder	
	surgery.	

Our Parish

Upcoming Parish Happenings:.

- Spring Festival 9 September. We have a stall at the Upper Hutt spring festival and will be selling home baking and fudge again. So for those of you wonderful bakers out there if you would like to donate some baking please talk to Kate Horton.
- Church Interior. The new carpet has been laid and looks wonderful. There is just a few more things to finish off in the church and thins project will be complete.

Master It Mondays! is planned to start on Monday at 3:00pm. This is An All-Age homework group on Mondays after school with a vision to provide a safe space where students can be themselves, feel comfortable and feel supported in their learning and life skills education. Initially it will have a focus on students at secondary level to help those struggling with NCEA requirements and skills for literacy and numeracy that are a prerequisite requirement to achieve NCEA. Younger children will be able to attend, especially if they are siblings that need to be cared for by their older brother or sister. There will be a focus on fun, kinaesthetic and tactile learning eg cooking and measuring, skipping things that need to be memorised, fun guizzes and competitions, whatever seems appropriate, with the student at the centre of our thinking. If you would like to help in anyway with this outreach please contact Raewyn. You do not need to be a

teacher! There are many other useful roles.

Ark After School Programme - Is back after the holidays. Fun and learning around Bible stories, Games, snacks crafts and reading help. There are still places for children for Tuesdays after school this term. 3—5:30pm Entry \$2 Children will need to have parental permission and fill out an enrolment form. Any queries text 02108407146 or email: info@theark.kids www.theark.kids

Upcoming Diocesan Events:

- New World Stickers can you please donate stickers from the current promotion to the Refugee Resettlement programme. We can collect them at church and get them to the organiser.
- New Wine 2024 18 22 January. Save the date.
- A **Quiet Day with Joy Cowley** The spirituality of ageing - the wisdom years. To be held at St James Anglican Church on Saturday 16 September, 10am to 3:30pm, \$40. If interested please register with Maureen Lamb by 13 September on either 0211763669 or Maureen@lamb.org.nz (Please email if internet banking is required)
- Flourishing futures: Conversations on important issues. A series of panel discussions, to take place at Wellington Cathedral of St Paul, in the lead-up to this year's general

Our Staff and Parish Leaders

Vicar: This position is vacant, please contact either of the wardens. Bishop's Warden: Ann Bracefield 027 6971870 abracefield@tuiglen.school.nz People's Warden: Kate Horton 970 8026 or 021 625664 horty nz@hotmail.com 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

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election. To be held on 22 and 29 August,12 September at Wellington Cathedral of Saint Paul.

 Leading your Church into Growth conference - 17 - 19 October 2023.

For more details go to https:// anglicanmovement.nz/upcomingevents. If you can't go or it is not for you please keep those attending in your prayers. on 26 August 2023 at 22 Lane Street Upper Hutt, 10am to 10pm. See the poster on the notice board in the Hall.

On Friday 1st September at 7pm, Heretaunga Christian Centre is hosting Creation Ministries International who are coming to talk about "The World's Big Issues & The Creation Connection".

The Lost by Design Record Foundation presents **Winter Vibes** Music Festival

	Actual Giving	Budgeted Giving
Last week	\$1,379	\$1,730
Last 4 Weeks	\$6,318	\$6,920
Year to date	\$54,041	\$57,090

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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