

1 October 2023

26th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Welcome

Readings:

Preaching and Presiding: Rev Dave Smart 9am Eucharist in Church 10:30am Café Church and Baptism in Hall Exodus 17:1 - 7 Psalm 78:1 - 4, 12 - 16 Philippians 2:1 - 13 Matthew 21:23 - 32

Next Week:

9am Eucharist in Church 10:30am Café Church Novt Sunday's Readings

Next Sunday's Readings

Exodus 20:1 - 4, 7 - 9, 12 - 20 Psalm 19 Philippians 3:4b - 14 Matthew 21:33 - 46

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

This Week:

Tuesday 3 October2pmBible Study Group

1/25 Ward Street

Wednesday 4 October

10:00am Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion

Thursday 5 October

Friday 6 October

Collect for this week:

Merciful God, you gave your only Son to be both a sacrifice for sin and an example for godly life; help us gladly to receive all that has been done for us and follow in his footsteps; through Jesus Christ our Saviour. Amen

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This week's lectionary readings and prayer suggestions:

Monday 2 October

Zechariah 8:1 - 8 Psalm 102:11 - 21 Luke 9:46 - 50 *Diocesan Prayer:* Let us pray for all our Diocesan leaders.

Anglican Missions: We pray for those in the community who are especially vulnerable and for all who support them. **Parish:** We also pray for the new initiatives that are happening in the parish - Master it Mondays and On top Thursdays.

Tuesday 3 October

Zechariah 8:20 - end Psalm 87 Luke 9:51 - 56

Diocesan Prayer: Day or Prayer for the Care of Creation - Let us pray for how we can care for creation.

Anglican Missions: We pray for the people of Samoa, Tonga, and American Samoa. Parish: We pray for our Wardens and our Vestry.

Wednesday 4 October

Nehemiah 2:1 - 8 Psalm 137:1 - 6 Luke 9:57 - end

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

Anglican Missions: Let us pray for access to a reliable source of clean and safe water for everyone especially those in the Pacific. Parish: We pray for our Parish clergy: Lance Kevey, Dave Smart and Jeff Roberts

Thursday 5 October

Nehemiah 8:1 - 12 Psalm 19:7 - 11 Luke 10:1 - 12

Diocesan Prayer: Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation - Let us pray all the initiatives that are happening in our Diocese.

Anglican Missions: We pray for all the clergy within the Diocese of Polynesia. **Parish**: We pray for Parish children & young people, and for Whānau Funday. We especially pray for the families that are involved in these ministries.

Friday 6 October

Deuteronomy 31:7 - 13 Psalm 79:1 - 9 Luke 10:13 - 16

Diocesan Prayer: Let us pray the Alpha course that is being run at St Mary's. Anglican Missions: We pray for the Anglican Church in Melanesia. Parish: We pray for those that are in hospital or home recovering from illnesses or accidents and this week.

Saturday 307 October

Joshua 22:1 - 6 Psalm 69:33 - 37 Luke 10:17 - 24

Diocesan Prayer: Let us pray for everyone in Morocco and Libya who have suffered loss from either and earthquake or flooding.

Anglican Missions: We pray for the Sisters and Brothers of the many religious orders in the Anglican Church of Melanesia. s in emergency response in the Pacific. **Parish:** We pray for Ella Kate Burt and her

family as celebrate Ella's baptism.

Our Parish

Upcoming Parish Happenings:

- Today Ella Kate Burt will be **baptised** during the 10:30 service. Please keep her and her family in your prayers.
- Thankyou to everyone who supported the **plant fair yesterday.**

Master It Mondays! is 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 reguirement 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 learning, with the student at the centre of our thinking. If you would like to help in anyway with this outreach please contact Raewyn (021 600 5306). 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.
- The **Cathedral** has introduced a labyrinth at the entrance of the Nave, with the intention of encouraging meditative prayer for all who enter. It will be in place until mid October.
- Learning to Pray with Jesus The Fullness of the Lord's Prayer for the Whole of Life On 13-14 October 2023 Home of Compassion, Island Bay, Wellington
- Leading your Church into Growth conference - 17 - 19 October 2023.
- Sign up Now for Everyday Disciple Workshops Everyone is welcome to attend one of three discipleship workshops with Caesar and Tina Kalinowski in Wellington, Christchurch and Whanganui in early November. These workshops will invest in your community's journey of missional discipleship in everyday life. They will benefit those wondering how to start, those needing a reminder and boost on the journey, and those needing to multiply your missional community to bless others for God's glory.
- For more details go to https:// anglicanmovement.nz/upcomingevents.

Our Staff and Parish Leaders

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	Actual Giving	Budgeted Giving
Last week	\$1.332	\$1,730
Last 4 Weeks	\$6,462	\$6,920
Year to date	\$63,915	\$67,470

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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