

1st Sunday in Lent

Welcome

Today's Service: Next Week:

Eucharist in the Hall with

Preaching and Presiding: Reverend Jessica 9am Eucharist in Church

and Reverend Simon Falconer 10:30am Eucharist in Hall with Young

9am Eucharist in Church Persons ministry

Young persons ministry

Next Sunday's Readings

Genesis 9:8 - 17 Genesis 17:1 - 7, 15 - 16
Psalm 25:1 - 9 Psalm 22:23 - 31
1Romans 4:13 - 25

1 Peter 3:18 - 22 Romans 4:13 - Mark 1:9 - 15 Mark 8:31 - 38

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

This Week:

10:30am

Monday 19 February

7:00am Morning Prayer In the Church Chapel

Tuesday 20 February

7:00am Morning Prayer In the Church Chapel 2:00pm Bible Study 1/25 Ward Street

Wednesday 21 February

7:00 am Morning Prayer In the Church Chapel

10:00am Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion 7:00pm Installation Service In the Church

Thursday 22 February

7:00am Morning Prayer In the Church Chapel

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

Thursday 23 February

7:00am Morning Prayer In the Church Chapel 7:00pm Bible Study 158 McLeod Street

Collect for this week:

Almighty God, your Son Jesus Christ fasted forty days in the wilderness; give us the grace to direct our lives in obedience to your Spirit; and as you know our weakness so may we know the power to save; through Jesus Christ our Redeemer. Amen

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This week's lectionary readings and prayer suggestions:

Let us pray for peace for the people of the Middle East.

Monday 19 February

Leviticus 19:1 - 2, 11 - 18 Psalm 19:7 - end

Matthew 25:31 - end

Diocesan Prayer: Let us pray for the new

Assistant Bishop.

Anglican Missions: We pray for American Indians, Indigenous Alaskans, Canadians, Hawaiians, Māori, Australian Aboriginals

and Torres Strait Islanders

Parish: We pray for Reverend Simon and Reverend Jessica Falconer as they prepare for their installation on Wednesday.

Tuesday 20 February

Isaiah 55:10 - 11 Psalm 34:4 - 6, 21 - 22

Matthew 6:7 - 15

Diocesan Prayer: Let us pray for all of our

Diocese as we enter Lent.

Anglican Missions: We pray and give thanks for the Mission to Seafarers.

Parish: We pray for Reverend Simon and Reverend Jessica Falconer as they prepare for their installation on Wednesday.

Wednesday 21 February

Jonah 3

Psalm 51:1 - 4, 16 - 17

Luke 11:29 - 32

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

Anglican Missions: Let us pray our partners in Australia and for the work of the Anglican Board of Mission (ABM) and of

Anglican Overseas Aid (AOA).

Parish: We pray for Reverend Simon and Reverend Jessica Falconer as they prepare for their installation on tonight.

Thursday 22 February

Ester 14:1 - 5, 12 - 14

Psalm 138

Matthew 7:7 - 12

Diocesan Prayer: Let us pray all the initiatives that are happening in our Diocese.

Anglican Missions: Today we pray for those who are affected by climate change, for those who need to migrate, rebuild or change their way of life in the face of nature.

Parish: We pray for Parish children & young people and their families.

Friday 23 February

Ezekial 18:21 - 28

Psalm 130

Matthew 25:20 - 26

Diocesan Prayer: Let us pray for those that are thinking of joining the Ministry Leaders family camp.

Anglican Missions: We pray for the Province of Jerusalem and the Middle East.

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

Saturday 24 February

Deuteronomy 26:16 - end

Psalm 119:1 - 8

Matthew 5:43 - end

Diocesan Prayer: Let us pray for everyone that is suffering from natural disasters.

Anglican Missions: Today we pray for the Provinces of South East Asia and South Asia, our Mission Partners in Central and South Asia, and the Christian community in Pakistan.

Parish: We pray for our vestry as we start the year.

Our Parish

Rev Simon and Rev Jessica Falconer installation service will be held, in the Church, on Wednesday 21 February at 7pm. This will be followed by a supper in the Hall. If you can help with the supper can you please talk to Alison Taylor.

World Day of Prayer service is being hosted at St Mary's Silverstream this year. It will be held on Friday 1 March at 11am. If you would like to know more about this service please contact Kate and she can send you some more information.

On the **10 March**, we are having a **shared morning tea** between the services, to **farewell Rev Andy Eldred**. Please bring a plate to share.

The Church's **AGM** is to be held at **4pm on 24 March**. David Joplin is collating the AGM reports so if you normally write a report can you please get them to David. Also this year is election year for a anew Vestry so can you please pray fully consider either standing for Vestry or nominating someone for Vestry.

Ark After School Programme - will resume on the 13 February. 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:

- The Ministry Leaders Family Camp is being held at El Rancho from the 8th to the 10th March. All people in the parish in leadership positions are invited.
- Anglican Missions, in partnership with international Anglican agencies and the global Anglican Alliance, has officially launched an emergency appeal to support the Al Ahli Anglican Hospital in Gaza. To donate visit anglicanmissions.org.nz/hospital.
- Christian World Service has launched an emergency appeal to assist people who have been affected by the current conflict in the Middle East, particularly Gaza. Donations can be made:
 - Online (https://cws.org.nz/whatwe-do/emergencies/gazapalestine-emergency-appeal/ and by direct deposit to the Gaza Palestine Emergency Appeal
 - By Phone with a credit card: 0800 74 73 72
 - By Post to: CWS, PO Box 22652, Christchurch 8140
- For more details go to https:// anglicanmovement.nz/upcomingevents.

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Giving details

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