



**Trentham
Anglicans**
at St Johns

7 April 2024

2nd Sunday of Easter

Welcome

Today's Service:

**Presiding: Rev Jessica or Rev Simon
Falconer**

9am Eucharist in Church
**10:30am Eucharist in the Hall with
Young persons ministry**

Acts 4:32 - 35
Psalm 133
1 John 1:1 - 2:2
John 20:19 - 31

Next Week:

9am Eucharist in Church
**10:30am Eucharist in Hall with Young
Persons ministry**

Next Sunday's Readings

Acts 3:12 - 19
Psalm 4
1 John 3:1 - 7
Luke 24:36b - 48

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

This Week:

Monday 8 April

7:00am Morning Prayer In the Church Chapel

Tuesday 9 April

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

Wednesday 10 April

7:00 am Morning Prayer In the Church Chapel
10:00am Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion
11:45am Ladies Lunch Quinns Post

Thursday 11 April

7:00am Morning Prayer In the Church Chapel
10:00am - Noon On Top Thursday In the Hall
12:30pm Mens Lunch Quinns Post
7:00pm Bible Study 158 McLeod Street

Friday 12 April

7:00am Morning Prayer In the Church Chapel

Collect for this week:

God you are the first light cutting through the void. You are the final light which we shall enjoy forever. Help us to welcome the light and walk in it always. This we ask 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 8 April - The Annunciation of our Saviour to the Blessed Virgin Mary

Isaiah 7:10 - 14

Psalm 45

Hebrews 10:4 - 10

Luke 1:26 - 38

Diocesan Prayer: Let us pray for the new Assistant Bishop, Rev Ana Fletcher.

Anglican Missions: Today we remember those who have been affected by storms and cyclones, flooding and droughts, earthquakes and tsunami as well as war, famine and conflict.

Parish: We pray for the Parish wardens and the new Vestry.

Tuesday 9 April

Acts 4:32 - end

Psalm 93

John 3:7 - 15

Diocesan Prayer: Let us pray for all of our Diocese over Lent.

Anglican Missions: We pray for the Anglican Church of Papua New Guinea.

Parish: We pray for our Whanau, that they either can come to know Christ's love for them or develop a deeper faith.

Wednesday 10 April

Acts 5:17 - 26

Psalm 34:1 - 8

John 3:16 - 21

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

Anglican Missions: Let us pray for education and educators in Papua New Guinea.

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

Thursday 11 April

Acts 5:27 - 33

Psalm 34:1, 15 - end

John 3:31 - end

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

Anglican Missions: Today we pray for the youth and children of our Province - Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia.

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

Friday 12 April

Acts 5:34 - 42

Psalm 27:1 - 5, 15 - 16

John 6:1 - 15

Diocesan Prayer: Let us pray for r Rev Dr Franco Vaccarino the first city missionary of Palmerston North

Anglican Missions: Today we pray for the staff and Board of Anglican Missions. We give thanks for the ongoing support of parishes and rohe.

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

Saturday 13 April

Acts 6:1 - 7

Psalm 33:1 - 5, 17 - 18

John 6:16 - 21

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

Anglican Missions: We pray for the many people and organisations that make the work of Anglican Missions possible.

Parish: We pray for those mourning the death of a loved one.

Our Parish

The Church's **AGM** was held on 24 March and thanks to everyone that attended.

We have elected a new vestry. Here is our new vestry:

Vicars Warden: Ann Bracefield

Peoples Warden: Judy Harrison

Synod representative: Ann Bracefield

Vestry Members:

- Louise Cleghorn
- David Joplin
- Odette Howard
- Shaun Killerby
- Karen Killerby
- Sakini Mafi
- John Rosevear
- Rachel Simons
- Alison Taylor
- Ailsley Willcox

Please keep everyone in your prayers.

A motion was also passed at the AGM to give the vestry permission to spend up to \$50,000 to paint the exterior walls of the Hall. This is scheduled to occur in the beginning of 2025.

Judy Harrison has prepared all the end of year **tax receipts**. She will have them at church on Sunday for you to collect.

It is time to print a new **Parish Directory**. If your details have changed can you please let Judy know so we can update the directory before printing.

ANZAC Day service is being held at 11am on the 25 April. Please put this in your diary.

A reminder that we have a collection for the **Food Bank**, at the 9am service, so if

you would like to donate some food please leave it in the box at the door.

Last year Alice passed on a request to support Caleb, in Zimbabwe. We have had an a mistake in the back account number it is updated below: Caleb's School Fees Account Number : 38 9009 0270956 - 01 (021 296 1649)

The Bishops of the Anglican Church in Aotearoa New Zealand and Polynesia met together in Auckland this week and recognise that fellow Anglicans are among the millions of people who are caught up in the conflict, in Gaza, the West Bank and Israel. They are urging an immediate cease fire and ask us to pray:

O God of all justice and peace:

We cry out to you in the midst of this pain and trauma of violence and fear which prevails in the Holy Land.

Be with those who need you in these days of suffering.

We pray for people of all faiths - Jews, Muslims and Christians - and for all people of the land.

We pray, O Lord, for an end to violence and the establishment of peace.

We call for you to bring justice and equity to the peoples.

Guide us into your kingdom where all people are treated with dignity and honour as your children - for to all of us you are our Heavenly Father. Amen.

Our Staff and Parish Leaders

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Upcoming Diocesan Events:

- Join in celebrating Rev Ana Fletcher's **installation to Assistant Bishop of Wellington**. 10:30 am, Saturday 13 April, Wellington Cathedral of St Paul
- **Diocesan Training days** are coming up 4th May in Wellington and 11th May in Palmerston North
- **Regen24** where we will take a deep dive into a gospel-counteracted vision for discipleship, leadership and mission. 8—10 May in Auckland. For more details go to <https://anglicanmovement.nz/upcoming-events>.

Prayer for Our Children:

Lord, grow us as disciples of Jesus and help us make disciples of others.

We pray for Your church to grow, - especially for our children.

Bring them back into relationship with You.

In Jesus name we pray. Amen.

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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