



Welcome

Today's Service:

Preaching: Rev Jess or Simon Falconer

Presiding: Rev Jess or Simon Falconer

10am Eucharist in Church with Godly Play

12pm Parish AGM in Hall

Isaiah 43:16 - 21

Psalm 126

Philippians 3:4b - 14

John 12:1 - 8

Next Week:

10am

Eucharist in Church

Next Sunday's - Readings

Isaiah 50:4 - 9a

Psalm 118:1 -2, 19 - 29

Philippians 2:5 - 11

Luke 19:28 - 40

There will be morning tea after the service . Everyone is welcome.

This Week:

Monday 7 April

7:00am

Morning Prayer

In the Church Chapel

7:00pm

Lenten Study

Islington Street

Tuesday 8 April

7:00am

Morning Prayer

In the Church Chapel

2:00pm

Lenten Study

1/25 Ward Street

7:00pm

Lenten Study

49 Henry Street

7:00pm

Scratch life Group

in the Church Chapel

Wednesday 9 April

7:00 am

Morning Prayer

In the Church Chapel

10:00am

Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion

Thursday 10 April

7:00am

Morning Prayer

In the Church Chapel

12:30pm

Men's lunch

Quinns Post

7:00pm

Lenten Study

158 McLeod Street

Friday 11 April

7:00am

Morning Prayer

In the Church Chapel

Collect for this week:

Jesus, receive our love and worship. Show us how to give you what we have, for nothing is too big or too small for us to offer, or for you to use; for you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God for ever. Amen

This week's lectionary readings and prayer suggestions:

Monday 7 April

Joshua 2:1 - 14

Psalm 23

John 8:1 - 11

Diocesan Prayer: Let us pray for Bishop Justin Duckworth and Bishop Ana Fletcher.

Anglican Missions: Today we pray for the love of the Father to inspire our care for the communities in which we live so that they experience God's heart for them

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

Tuesday 8 April

Numbers 21:4 - 9

Psalm 102:1 - 3, 16 - 23

John 8:21 - 30

Diocesan Prayer: We pray for those joining in the diocesan evening prayer.

Anglican Missions: Today we pray for Fiji and in particular the ongoing social issues of poverty, violence and abuse faced by many.

Parish: We pray for our community and that our interactions with them can be loving.

Wednesday 9 April

Daniel 3:14 - 20, 24 - 25, 28

Psalm 31:10 - 27; 70

John 8:31 - 42

Diocesan Prayer: We pray for those preparing for the AYM Easter Retreat.

Anglican Missions: Today we pray for the emerging youth of Samoa and American Samoa as they find their identities in times of challenge and hardship.

Parish: We pray for our Parish clergy: Jess, Simon, Lance, Dave and Jeff.

Thursday 10 April

Genesis 17:3 - 9

Psalm 105:4 - 9

John 8:51 - end

Diocesan Prayer: We pray the Rev Caleb Rowe who has been appointed National leader of New Wine New Zealand.

Anglican Missions: Today we pray for Tonga and those who have lingering trauma from the volcanic eruption and tsunami in January 2022.

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

Friday 11 April

Jeremiah 20:10 - 13

Psalm 18:1 - 6

John 10:31 - end

Diocesan Prayer: We pray for all those at Wellington City Mission's Whakamaru.

Anglican Missions: Today we pray for The Moana Community of St Clare in Fiji, and all those who are in similar communities that care for the vulnerable and marginalised.

Parish: We pray for everyone who is sick at present and those with underlining medical issues.

Saturday 12 April

Ezekiel 37:21 - 28

Psalm 121

John 11:45 - end

Diocesan Prayer: We pray for all the vacancies in the diocese especially for those who have vacancies for a longtime.

Anglican Missions: Today we pray for the expansion of prepositioned containers and disaster preparedness in Samoa.

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

Our Parish

Notice of St John's AGM

The St John's Trentham Annual General Meeting is to be held in the church hall Sunday 6 April 2025 at 12noon.

Agenda

- Introduction, prayer and welcome
- Tabling of Parish Electoral Roll
- Apologies
- Approval of Minutes of the 2024 Annual General Meeting
- Reports
- Motions
- General Business
- Closing

There is **one motion** to date:

That the St John's Trentham parish approves the building of a new vicarage on our church land:

- using the EasyBuild Glenochy design option plus a double garage
- funded by the Vicarage Fund (currently \$427,000) plus a mortgage of no more than \$260,000
- with building commencing in 2025
- subject to satisfactory site engineering tests (estimated to cost up to \$6,500).

This will be followed by a shared lunch so please bring a plate.

Palm Crosses - we would love for you to join in making of crosses for Palm Sunday. We will be meeting at **2pm on the 11 April, in the Hall kitchen.**

The **annual tax receipts** are available for collection in the Church foyer.

After the **Stations of the Cross service on Good Friday** service we are having **Hot Cross Buns** and a cup of tea in the Hall. If you are able to donate Hot Cross Buns can you drop them into the Hall before the service begins.

As we develop our new service there will be many opportunities for people to get involved. If you would like to join the **music team** - either singing or playing an instrument, please talk to Simon.

FoodBank current requests are: Jams, Raro, Peanut Butter, marmite, Vegemite, Soap Powder, Oil and Pet Food., so if you would like to donate some food please leave it in the box at the door.

Easter Services:

Palm Sunday	10:00am 13 April, in Church
Maundy Thursday	7:00pm 17 April, Foot Washing Service and Eucharist, in Church
Good Friday	12:00pm 18 April, Stations of the Cross service followed by Hot cross Buns 2:00pm - 4:00pm Church will be open for a time of quiet reflection and prayer
Easter Sunday	10:am 20 April, in Church

Who are you inviting to Easter?

Our Staff and Parish Leaders

Vicars: Reverend Jessica Falconer
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Ministry Leadership Team:

Judy Harrison
Shaun Killerby
Kate Horton

Upcoming Diocesan Events:

Chrim Services will be held at the following Churches:

- St Peter's on Willis, 14 April at 7pm
- St Mark's Anglican Church, Carterton - 15 April at 7pm
- St Peter's Gonville - 16 April at 7pm

Pray the Streets with the Holy Ground

App. From Easter to Pentecost parishes are invited to join a season of intentional intercession to invite God's transformation of our communities, through prayer-walking and the Holy Ground App.

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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