



**Trentham
Anglicans
at St Johns**

18 May 2025

5th Sunday of Easter

Welcome

Today's Service:

Preaching: Rev Jess or Simon Falconer

Presiding: Rev Jess or Simon Falconer

10am Eucharist in Church with Godly Play

Acts 11:1 - 18

Psalm 148

Revelation 21:1 - 6

John 13:31 - 35

Next Week:

10am

Eucharist in Church

Next Sunday's - Readings

Acts 16:9 - 15

Psalm 67

Revelation 21:10, 22 - 22:5

John 14:23 - 29

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

This Week:

Monday 19 May

7:00am

Morning Prayer

In the Church Chapel

Tuesday 20 May

7:00am

Morning Prayer

In the Church Chapel

2:00pm

Bible Study

1/25 Ward Street

7:00pm

Study

In Church

Wednesday 21 May

7:00 am

Morning Prayer

In the Church Chapel

10:00am

Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion

Thursday 22 May

7:00am

Morning Prayer

In the Church Chapel

7:00pm

Bible Study

158 McLeod Street

Friday 23 May

7:00am

Morning Prayer

In the Church Chapel

Collect for this week:

Make us glad we pray you, gentle God, to give each other your loving care; make us happy to receive it. May there daily grow within us a generous, trusting spirit. This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

This week's lectionary readings and prayer suggestions:

Monday - 19 May

Acts 14:5 - 18

Psalm 118:1 - 3, 14 - 15

John 14:21 - 26

Diocesan Prayer: We pray for all those that are praying for every house in the diocese.

Anglican Missions: Today we pray for the work of the Anglican Indigenous Network Steering group members from around the world

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

Tuesday - 20 May

Acts 14:19 - end

Psalm 145:10 - end

John 14:27 - end

Diocesan Prayer: Let us pray for everyone considering joining the Diocesan Leadership Course.

Anglican Missions: We pray for the Mission to Seafarers and its support and care for the 1.6 million people who crew the world's merchant fleet of ships, providing emergency assistance, advocacy and practical welfare support .

Parish: We pray for all those exploring their Faith and the church through the study group this evening.

Wednesday - 21 May

Acts 15:1 - 6

Psalm 122:1 - 5

John 15:1 - 8

Diocesan Prayer: We pray for the Anglican Missions appeal for victims of the Myanmar Earthquake.

Anglican Missions: Today we pray for the Anglican Church in Australia.

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

Thursday - 22 May

Acts 15:7 - 21

Psalm 96:1 - 3, 7 - 10

John 15:9 - 11

Diocesan Prayer: Let us pray for those wrestling with injustice and how we can be a Christian witness.

Anglican Missions: Today we pray for those who must migrate, rebuild or change their way of life in the face of an ever-changing climate.

Parish: We pray for discernment of where as a parish we go next, what direction we want to take.

Friday - 23 May

Acts 15:22 - 31

Psalm 57:8 - end

John 15:12 - 17

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

Anglican Missions: Today we continue to pray for the Province of Jerusalem and the Middle East .

Parish: We pray for our young people as they join the youth group at St Mary's: Amber-Rose, Blayke, Mary, Salu and Tevita.

Saturday - 24 May

Acts 16:1 - 10

Psalm 100

John 15:18 - 21

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

Anglican Missions: Today we pray for Provinces of Southeast Asia and South Asia, Mission Partners working for NZCMS in Central and South Asia, and church communities in Pakistan.

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

Our Parish

Anyone interested in being baptised, confirmed or want to understand Anglican Beliefs meet at **7pm on Tuesdays** in the Church.

Last chance to get tickets: We are having another **Quiz Night at the Tote on Wednesday 21 May at 7pm**. Start getting your teams organised. Cost is \$10 a person.

From next Sunday (25 May), after our 10am service and morning tea, we will be meeting in Church to **pray for our Parish**. It is intended that we will continue to do this until God tells us to stop.

Parish Directory - can you give any alterations to your details to Judy please. Also those that are not yet in the directory, and wish to be, please fill in an application form, they are on the table in the foyer.

Vicarage fundraising

Donate your tax refund to the vicarage fund. All such donations are treated as donations for next years' tax refund.

Anti Idol - no judges, no losers, no worries. On **Saturday 21 June, 6:30pm St Mary's Church Silverstream** are holding Anti idol. It is free just bring a supper plate to share. Contact Karla to register youth.silverstream@gmail.com ph 02102493745.

FoodBank current requests are: Jams, Peanut Butter, Marmite, Vegemite, Corn/Beetroot, Tinned Salmon/Tuna, Tinned Fruit and Cereals, so if you would like to donate some food please leave it in the box at the door of the Church.

Upcoming Diocesan Events:

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.

Parents, are you keen to disciple children at home but unsure where to begin? Join Kara Dodds on **Wednesday, 21 May, 7:30-9:00 pm for an online workshop, Building Spiritual Habits in the Home**. Please RSVP to ka-ra@anglicanmovement.nz

On Sunday, 25 May at 5 pm, the invitation is to gather—on hilltops, mountain summits, high ground, or significant places of whenua—to **worship and pray for our tamariki (children) and rangatahi** (young people). This event, simply called **"A Call to Pray"**.

Faith Grounded in the Whenua is a 4-session course. The source material comes from interviews with Jay Ruka and his book *Huia Come Home*. Using individual study at home, group discussion, and theological reflection, the course looks at how our faith in Aotearoa has changed, or needs to change, from the Eurocentric model the settler churches brought from England. Each session lasts 2 hours. Preparation will require about 3 hours of reading or listening to podcasts each week. The cost will be \$40. Participants will also need a copy of *Huia Come Home*. A Zoom group meeting on Thurs-

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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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