



**Trentham
Anglicans**
at St Johns

3 August 2025
**18th Sunday of
Ordinary Time**

Welcome

Today's Service:

Preaching: Rev Jess or Simon Falconer

Presiding: Rev Jess or Simon Falconer

10am Eucharist in Church with Godly Play

Ecclesiastes 1:2, 12 - 14; 2:18 - 23

Psalms 49:1 - 12

Colossians 3:1 - 11

Luke 12:13 - 21

Next Week:

10am Eucharist in Church

Next Sunday's - Readings

Genesis 15:1 - 6

Psalms 33:12 - 22

Hebrews 11:1 - 3, 8 - 16

Luke 12:32 - 40

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

This Week:

Monday 4 August

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

Tuesday 5 August

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

Wednesday 6 August

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| 7:00 am | Morning Prayer | In the Church Chapel |
| 10:00am | Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion | |

Thursday 7 August

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| 7:00am | Morning Prayer | In the Church Chapel |
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Friday 8 August

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| 7:00am | Morning Prayer | In the Church Chapel |
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Collect for this week:

God of all the earth, you have given us the heritage of this good and fertile land; grant that we may so respect and use it that others may thank us for what we leave to them; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

This week's lectionary readings and prayer suggestions:

Monday - 4 August

Numbers 1:4 - 15

Psalm 81:11 - end

Matthew 14:13 - 21

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

Anglican Missions: 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 our Parish clergy: Jess, Simon, Lance, Dave and Jeff.

Tuesday - 5 August

Numbers 12:1 - 13

Psalm 51:1 - 7

Matthew 14:22 - end

Diocesan Prayer: Let us pray for the new worship and community space at St John's church Featherston.

Anglican Missions: We pray for those swept over by natural disasters, and for those who extend their hands to pick them back up.

Parish: We pray for all those exploring their Faith and the church.

Wednesday - 6 August - Transfiguration of the Beloved Son

Exodus 24:12 - 18

Psalm 97

2 Peter 1:16 - 21

Luke 9:28 - 36

Diocesan Prayer: We pray for everyone who has been de-churched and how to re-engage with them.

Anglican Missions: We pray for the clergy, staff, volunteers and congregations of the Anglican Church in Melanesia

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

Thursday - 7 August

Numbers 20:1 - 13

Psalm 95:1, 8 - end

Matthew 16:13 - 23

Diocesan Prayer: Let us pray for the Anglican Pacifist Fellowship and their calls for peace.

Anglican Missions: We pray for the Anglican Church of Papua New Guinea, as it faces challenges to the many communities it ministers to.

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

Friday - 8 August

Deuteronomy 4:32 - 40

Psalm 77:11 - end

Matthew 16:24 - end

Diocesan Prayer: We pray for the Anglican Youth Movement Intermediate Camp.

Anglican Missions: We pray for the "Partners in Risk and Resilience" tool offered by the Anglican Alliance. This tool is a beacon of hope in fostering partnerships and resilience in the face of disasters.

Parish: We pray for our young people: Amber-Rose, Blayke, Mary, Sulu, Tevita, Lucy, Oliver, Luca, Theo, James, Mila, Grace, Harley, Lincoln, Melody, Olivia, Juliette and Hannah.

Saturday - 9 August

Deuteronomy 6:4 - 13

Psalm 18:1 - 2, 49 - end

Matthew 17:14 - 20

Diocesan Prayer: Let us pray for those Parishes with vacancies.

Anglican Missions: We pray for the trustees of the H&W Williams Memorial Trust.

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

Our Parish

Gospel of Mark Study is starting this Tuesday, 7pm in the Church.

Please note: The bible study that was held on Thursday, at the Boon's house, will now be held fortnightly on a Monday night. If you are interested in joining them please talk to Alison Taylor.

Collection for Refugees: there is a list of required items at the back of the church and will be sent out with the newsletter. If you would like to contribute please put your name on the list. If you would like to purchase an item or if you would like to donate money towards an item, please email Andrea (howeyclan@gmail.com) and she will cross item off the list or arrange money with you and buy the item for you.

Vicarage fundraising:

Please consider making a donation to the Church Vicarage Fund. E.g. donate your tax refund. All such donations are treated as donations for next years' tax refund. Please use your name and "vicarage" as your references. So far we have around \$24,000 in this fund.

Winter and pre-Christmas Garage Sale:

Thank you to Tracy and everyone who helped with the Garage Sale, for those that donated goods.

FoodBank thanks you for your contributions. They still need 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.

Graveyard Shift

Join the Graveyard Shift Volunteers at St John's!

The Graveyard Shift volunteer team warmly invites everyone to join us for our upcoming tidy-up sessions at St John's Graveyard. It's a great way to connect with the community, enjoy the outdoors, and help preserve this historic space.

Here's the schedule for the rest of the year:

Saturday 27th September, Saturday 29th November We'd love to see you there!

Upcoming Diocesan Events:

The Anglican Youth movement is holding an **Intermediate Camp, 8 - 10th August at Foxton Bible Camp**. This camp is for intermediate age rangatahi who are exploring faith. Full of outrageous camp activities, good food, worship plus engaging workshops and speakers. Intermediate Camp is a great way for young people to connect and be inspired about the Jesus story and his radical invitations.

The Diocese of Wellington is deeply committed to **supporting refugee families** as they begin new lives in Aotearoa New Zealand., but the cost of storing donated household goods remains a significant challenge , so if you would like to contribute financially go to anglicanmovement.nz/donate.

A Day with Sam Wells - Being With: Theology, Ministry, Mission. Sam Wells is

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London, UK, and is an influential public
theologian. He writes, speaks, preaches,
and broadcasts on pastoral, political, and
theological issues.

Don't miss the chance to learn from him
- he'll be working with us in Wellington
on Wednesday, 13 August and
Palmerston North on Wednesday, 14
August.

For more details go to [https://anglicanmovement.nz/
upcoming-events](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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