

# **22nd 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

Proverbs 25:6 - 7 Psalm 112

Hebrews 13:1 - 8, 15 - 16

Luke 14:1, 7 - 14

**Next Week:** 

10am Eucharist in Church

Next Sunday's - Readings

Deuteronomy 30:15 - 20

Psalm 1

Philemon 1 - 21 Luke 14:25 - 33

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

#### This Week:

Monday 1 September

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

**Tuesday 2 September** 

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 3 September

7:00 am Morning Prayer In the Church Chapel

10:00am Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion

Thursday 4 September

7:00am Morning Prayer In the Church Chapel

Friday 5 September

7:00am Morning Prayer In the Church Chapel

#### Collect for this week:

Lord, help us to see: to see what is eternally good and true, and having seen, to go on searching until we come to the joys of heaven; for the glory of your holy name. Amen

## This week's lectionary readings and prayer suggestions:

#### Monday - 1 September

1 Thessalonians 4:13 - 18 Psalm 126 Luke 4:16 - 30

- Lune 4.10 50

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

**Anglican Missions:** We pray for the people, staff and clergy of Fiji.

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

#### **Tuesday - 2 September**

1 Thessalonians 5:1 - 6, 9 - 11 Psalm 27:1 - 8 Luke 4:31 - 37

**Diocesan Prayer:** We pray for the referenda about whether to keep Māori wards, in local body elections.

**Anglican Missions**: We pray for the people of Samoa and American Samoa and in particular the staff and clergy in the Archdeaconries.

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

### Wednesday - 3 September

Colossians 1:1 - 8 Psalm 34:11 - 18 Luke 4:38 - end

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

Anglican Missions: We pray for the people of Tonga and in particular the staff and clergy of the Tonga Episcopal Unit Parish: We pray for discernment of where as a parish we go next, what direction we want to take.

#### Thursday - 4 September

Colossians 1:9 - 14 Psalm 98:1 - 5 Luke 5:1 - 11

**Diocesan Prayer:** Let us pray for Peace with Creation.

**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 the Parish wardens and the Vestry.

#### Friday - 5 September

Colossians 1:15 - 20 Psalm 89:19b - 28 Luke 5:33 - end

**Diocesan Prayer**: We pray for the situation in Palestine/

**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 our young people: Amber-Rose, Blayke, Mary, Selu, Tevita, Lucy, Oliver, Luca, Theo, James, Mila, Grace, Harley, Lincoln, Melody, Olivia, Juliette and Hannah.

#### Saturday - 6 September

Colossians 1:21 - 23

Psalm 117 Luke 6:1 - 5

**Diocesan Prayer**: Let us pray for those

Parishes with vacancies.

**Anglican Missions**: We pray for the Anglican Church in Melanesia, which includes Vanuatu, Solomon Islands and New Caledonia.

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

### **Our Parish**

Our next fundraising activity is a stall at **Upper Hutt Spring Festival, Saturday 13 September.** We sell home baking especially fudge and slices. We will be meeting at Kate's house to bag up the baking, on Friday 5 September at 7pm, you are all welcome to join us. If you are baking can you drop it off to Kate's place on Friday 5 Sept, or give her a call and she can arrange for it to be collected.

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.

## Prayer Walk for Te Awa Kairangi/Hutt Valley: Sunday 7 September

Please join other prayer pilgrims for the annual River Prayer Walk for Te Awa Kairangi, an ecumenical Season of Creation event giving thanks for the river of abundance that flows through our valley, praying for healing of the land and people. The walk has nine stages, each starting with a prayer station. Join us for any stage of the journey. The first stage begins at Harcourt Park, Upper Hutt, after an 8am Mass. The morning tea stop is at Moonshine Park around 10am. The lunch stop is at Mawaihokana Stream near County Lane around 12noon. The afternoon tea stop is at St James Angli-

can church, Lower Hutt around 3.45pm. The walk concludes around 5.30pm on Pito One Foreshore (opposite Jessie Street). Visit https://www.facebook.com/groups/riverprayerwalk or more details and prayer resources. Email riverprayerwalk@gmail.com or phone Martin on 021 909 688.

## Trentham Tributary Prayer Walk: Sunday 7 September

A small 'tributary' prayer walk is being planned from St John's Anglican Trentham. Youth and family are invited. The walk will start from St John's Trentham after Godly Play prayer at 10am (weather permitting). We'll have short prayer stops at the Moehau Stream beside Smallfield Lane, at the entrance to Moonshine Park, at the picnic area by end of Moehau Stream, and at the entrance to Barton's Bush. The aim is to get back to the Moonshine Park entrance by 11.30am for pick-up or a picnic lunch there. An opportunity to learn, pray, worship and fellowship outdoors this Father's Day. For more information contact Shaun: skillerby@xtra.co.nz.

## 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.

**FoodBank** thanks you for your contributions. They still need Jams, Peanut Butter, Marmite, Vegemite, Corn/Beetroot, Tinned Salmon/Tuna, Tinned

#### **Our Staff and Parish Leaders**

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#### **Ministry Leadership Team:**

Judy Harrison Shaun Killerby Kate Horton

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:**

NZCMS has launched a fresh suite of resources to inspire and connect churches across Aotearoa with the global mission of God. NZCMS is inviting churches across Aotearoa to take part in Four Weeks on Mission 2025—a new resource series designed to deepen engagement with global mission through prayer, scripture, and storytelling. For more information or to sign up visit:https://www.nzcms.org.nz/resources/four-weeks-on-mission

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**

Sharon Masters and Gemma O'Donnell At Church on a Sunday