

14 September 2025

24th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Welcome

Today's Service: Next Week:

Preaching: Rev Jess or Simon Falconer 10am Eucharist in Church

Presiding: Rev Jess or Simon Falconer

10am Eucharist in Church with Godly Play

Exodus 32:7 - 14 Psalm 51:1 - 10 1 Timothy 1:12 - 17 Luke 15:1 - 10 Next Sunday's - Readings

Amos 8:4 - 7 Psalm 113 1 Timothy 2:1 - 7 Luke 16:1 - 13

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

This Week:

Monday 15 September

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

Tuesday 16 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 17 September

7:00 am Morning Prayer In the Church Chapel

10:00am Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion

Thursday 18 September

7:00am Morning Prayer In the Church Chapel

11:00am Fergusson Rest home Service In the Chapel

Friday 19 September

7:00am Morning Prayer In the Church Chapel

Collect for this week:

Loving God, in Jesus you gather us into your family; confidently we call you Father; may your Spirit bring us to share the glorious liberty of your children. Hear this prayer for your love's sake. Amen

This week's lectionary readings and prayer suggestions:

Let us pray for the Season of Creation reflecting on our relationship with creation and what we can do to protect it.

Monday - 15 September

1 Timothy 2:1 - 8

Psalm 28

Luke 7:1 - 10

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

Anglican Missions: We pray for the

Association of Anglican Women, who have been working and praying since 1969.

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

Tuesday - 16 September

1 Timothy 3:1 - 13

Psalm 101

Luke 7:11 - 17

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

Anglican Missions: We pray for the New Zealand Church Missionary Society who have been sending missionaries since 1892.

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

Wednesday - 17 September

1 Timothy 3:14 - end

Psalm 111:1 - 5

Luke 7:31 - 35

want to take.

Diocesan Prayer: We pray for the friends and family of Right Reverend Brian Carrell. **Anglican Missions**: We pray for r mission in Aotearoa New Zealand and for those who lead the Anglican Church in our Province. **Parish:** We pray for discernment of where as a parish we go next, what direction we

Thursday - 18 September

1 Timothy 4:12 - end Psalm 111:6 - end

Luke 7:36 - end

Diocesan Prayer: Let us pray for Peace with Creation.

Anglican Missions: We pray for the Bible Society, and the publication of The Māori/English Bilingual Bible

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

Friday - 19 September

1 Timothy 6:2b - 12

Psalm 49:1 - 8

Luke 8:1 - 3

Diocesan Prayer: We pray for the situation in Gaza, that the people can experience peace.

Anglican Missions: We pray the Anglican Indigenous Network and its work in development, training and resource sharing of its international members.

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 - 20 September

1 Timothy 6:13 - 16

Psalm 100

Luke 8:4 - 15

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

Anglican Missions: We pray Refugees as they settle into life in New Zealand and for

more houses to become available.

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

Our Parish

It is with sadness that we let you know that Glenys Clark died on Thursday morning. Bob and Glenys were parishioners at St Johns before they moved to Opunake some years ago.

Thank you to every one who baked and helped with our stall at the Upper Hutt Spring Festival yesterday.

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

Love deeply, live lightly

with you and buy the item for you.

Reflections from a Franciscan Pilgrimage:

Sunday 21 September, 2pm St John's Anglican Trentham church hall, Smallfield Lane off Moonshine Road. Shaun and Karen Killerby recently went on a month's Franciscan pilgrimage to Italy, Croatia and Herzegovina. On Sunday 21 September 2pm they'll be sharing some photos and learnings from their journey. You are warmly invited. This event will be in our church hall, with light refreshments provided (contributions appreciated). St John's Trentham is currently fundraising for the building of a new vicarage; proceeds from a **koha** (maybe \$10) and **raf**fle will go towards this project. If planning to

attend, please contact Karen

(email karen.killerby@gmail.com, or phone 0272 464110). Thanks.

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 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!

From time to time, people ask how they can support the mission and ministry of St John's beyond their lifetime. One way is by making a **bequest in their will**. Such gifts, whether large or small, are a lasting

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expression of faith and generosity, helping to ensure that our parish continues to serve our community for generations to come. We have a document with suggested wording that can be used in your will. A copy of this will be sent out with the newsletter and is available from the wardens on request.

Upcoming Diocesan Events:

Young Adults service - 5:30pm, 14 September, Lady Chapel, Wellington Cathedral.

Prayers for Peace - Johnsonville Anglicans, 19 September.

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