

## Regular Events @ St Aidan's

<b>Sunday Services</b>	<b>8:00am</b> Holy Communion <b>9:30am</b> Family Communion with Youth and Kids' Church Special Evening Service on last Sunday of each month at 5pm in the GA.
<b>Wednesday Service</b>	<b>11:30am</b> Holy Communion without music
<b>Morning Prayer</b>	<b>9am</b> Monday to Saturday - in the Gathering Area.
<b>Prayer Meeting</b>	<b>7pm</b> Wednesday - in the Gathering Area for ½ hour.

<b>Youth</b>	School aged youth (11 and over), Sun at <b>9:30am</b> service and Fri at <b>7pm</b> .
<b>Kids' Church</b>	All children aged 3-10 during the <b>9.30am service</b> . Contact Sarah Ashworth.
<b>Friendship Group</b>	Wednesdays at <b>10am</b> in the Gathering Area. Join us for fellowship, games and morning tea.
<b>Mainly Music</b>	Wed during term time at <b>9.30am</b> . Music & play for families with pre-school aged children.
<b>Choir Practice</b>	Saturdays at <b>10.30am</b> in the Bethel Room. New members welcome. Contact Chris.
<b>Home Groups</b>	All welcome! Contact Sheryl or Glen for more information.
<b>AAW</b>	A women's fellowship group. Meets monthly on 1st Tuesday at 1.30pm.
<b>W.E.F.</b>	A women's evening fellowship group. Meets monthly on 3rd Tuesday at 7.30pm.
<b>St Aidan's Vestry</b>	Next meet on <b>19 September at 7.30pm</b> in the Gathering Area.
<b>Pins &amp; Needles</b>	A Knitting for charity group. Meets monthly on 2nd Monday at <b>10am</b> in the GA. All Welcome.

## Contacts @ St Aidan's

<b>Office:</b> <i>Mon-Fri 9- 3.30</i>	<b>Emily Paul</b> W 929 4670 ext 1 office@staidans.co.nz	<b>Accounts:</b>	accounts@staidans.co.nz or contact the office
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		<b>Coordinators:</b>	<b>Glen Ashworth</b> 929 4670 ext 2
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		<b>Fellowship :</b>	jannigel@icloud.com
		<b>Library:</b>	<b>Anne Mercer</b> 520 2861
		<b>Mission Shop:</b>	<b>Jenny Haggitt</b> 524 5254
		<i>Thurs, Fri, Sat:10-2pm</i>	
		<b>Friendship Group:</b>	<b>Jenny Haggitt</b> 524 5254
		<b>Mainly Music:</b>	<i>(school term only)</i> See Sarah
		Wed 9:30am	staidansmainlymusic@gmail.com

### Social media contacts:

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[www.staidans.co.nz](http://www.staidans.co.nz)

[www.facebook.com/StAidansRemuera](http://www.facebook.com/StAidansRemuera)

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# St Aidan's Anglican Church



## 26 August 2018

## Difficult Teaching

Today's service begins on page 476 of the red NZ Prayer book

### Reading

Josh 24:1-2a, 14-18  
Eph 6:10-20  
John 6: 56-69

### Sentence

It is the spirit that gives life; the flesh is useless. The words that I have spoken to you are spirit and life.  
*John 6:63*

### Collect

Holy God,  
You have shown us where life is found;  
your Son is the bread of life  
May we hunger for that bread above all else  
And seek to feed others with your life giving love  
In Jesus name we pray  
Amen.

*Welcome to St Aidan's! Please stay for morning tea in the Gathering Area after our services. If you are new, or would like more information, please make sure to introduce yourself and fill in the Newcomer's form.*

- ◆ *Prayer Ministry is available in the side Chapel.*
- ◆ *We serve wine in the common cup and grape juice in individual cups.*

**WORSHIP**

**CARING**

**MISSION**

5 Ascot Avenue, Remuera, Auckland

## What's on at St Aidan's

### Today

**G@5** is taking a break at the moment. Please join us for our **Evening Service at 5pm today** in the Gathering Area. Worship in a different style - singing, discussion, prayer and fellowship and a shared meal. All welcome, bring a plate if you can.

### Prayers



- For those who have died and all the people affected by the floods in Kerala, South India.
- For the family of Bonnie Jones, whose funeral service was held at St. Aidan's on Saturday.
- For Paula Cross and Chris Stark's wedding here at St Aidan's this Saturday.

### Mission Partners

Please pray for our missionary family as they settle into their new neighbourhood and create new rhythms of family life and language learning. Also, for their girls as they start their new school.

The family is looking forward to 'not-moving' and putting down roots!

## This Week

**Men's Breakfast: Thursday 30 August at 7:30am** - our parish men will meet for breakfast at Brown's Café. Contact Glen for further details.

### Coming Up

**St Aidan's Day: On Sunday, 2 September** we will celebrate the ministry here at St Aidan's. Also, it will be Louise Anderson's first Sunday with us as Priest Associate.

Please join us for fun and fellowship over a shared lunch in the main hall after the 9:30am service. If you are able, please bring a plate of finger food to share. Don't forget to save the date!

**AAW meeting: Tuesday 4 September 2018** – AAW monthly meeting at 1.30pm in the church followed by the meeting in the Gathering Area.

Our speaker is Rosalind Rundle, an Orakei Local Board Member. All welcome. Contact Chris Kennedy on 027 488 2472 for more details.

### Sacristans/Servers Meeting

We are having a get-together of the Sacristans and Servers and a brief training refresher with Glen and Louise on **Sunday 9 September 2018** after our 9:30am service for about 30 minutes followed by a light lunch. Please let Annemarie(521 5262) know if you are able to attend.

## St Aidan's Garage Sale



**Save the Date -Save your Stuff  
Garage Sale - 15 Sept, 8am**

**Friday Preview Sale - 14 Sept, 6 - 7.30pm**  
*Saleable Good Quality donations needed!*

We are ready to accept donations of goods from **Sat 25 August**. Bring to the shipping container located in the Remuera Road carpark. For full details see Drop-Off Days schedule in the GA.

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**The Great Bake Off Competition:** *Know how to bake Scones? Get compliments all the time on how tasty they are? Bring your best*

*on Sunday 9 September to go up against Glen's Super Scones in the Delicious Pre-Garage Sale Bake Off Competition.*

*All other categories of baking accepted but entry dependent on like competition. You can buy a bag of the remaining Scones from the Bake off competition.*

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**Calling all bakers and jam & preserve makers.** *Your contributions gratefully accepted. Cake boxes are ready for pick up from the GA and fill with a baked treat for our Cake Stall.*

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**Wanted!** • Plastic bags • Shopping bags • Flag Bunting • Wooden Pellets • Bottles of Tomato Sauce and Mustard (new and unopened) Drop to Office or phone Karina on 021 071 7387.

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**Gift Baskets Raffle:** *Small quality food items required to fill the gift baskets for the raffle. Please bring your donation to Jenny H on Sunday or to Emily in the office.* \*\*\*\*\*

**Needed. Men/women and a Van.** *To help with donated goods pick-up the week prior to Garage Sale. Phone Karina.*

**Pastoral Care/Home Communion:** *If you are unwell or know of someone who is unwell and would like a visit or Communion at home or be added to the confidential Prayer Circle, please contact the office so we can arrange for this to happen.*