

## 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>21 November 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>	<b>Anne Godman</b> W 929 4670 ext 1 office@staidans.co.nz	<b>Accounts:</b>	accounts@staidans.co.nz or contact the office
<i>Mon-Fri 9- 3.30</i>		<b>Prayer Circle:</b>	<b>Anna Brown</b> 021 766 075
<b>Vicar:</b>	<b>The Rev'd Glen Ashworth</b>	<b>Pastoral Care</b>	<b>Marie Taylor</b> 524 8642
Sun-Thurs	W 929 4670 ext 2 M 027 457 4105 vicar@staidans.co.nz	<b>Co-ordinators:</b>	<b>Desre Simpson</b> 522 9445
<b>Priest Associate:</b>	<b>The Rev'd Louise Anderson</b>	<b>Pins &amp; Needles:</b>	<b>Marie Taylor</b> 524 8642 mariertaylor@xtra.co.nz
Sun	W 929 4670 ext 4	<b>AAW:</b>	<b>Christine K</b> 027 488 2472 <b>kennedy.nzl@gmail.com</b>
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<b>People's Warden:</b>	<b>Pete Macaulay</b> 021 488 485	<b>Women's Evening</b>	<b>Jan Evans</b> 578 1505
	peter@no1.co.nz	<b>Fellowship :</b>	jannigel@icloud.com
<b>Kids' Church:</b>	<b>Sarah Ashworth</b>	<b>Library:</b>	<b>Anne Mercer</b> 520 2861
	W 929 4670 ext 3	<b>Mission Shop:</b>	<b>Jenny Haggitt</b> 524 5254
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	children@staidans.co.nz	<b>Friendship Group:</b>	<b>Jenny Haggitt</b> 524 5254
<b>Youth</b>	<b>Conor McGrath</b>	<b>Mainly Music:</b>	<i>(school term only)</i> See Sarah
<b>&amp; Young Adults:</b>	M 021 081 90306 youth@staidans.co.nz	Wed 9:30am	staidansmainlymusic@gmail.com
<b>Music:</b>	<b>Chris Graham</b> 027 444 7615 cjgmusic@hotmail.com		

Social media contacts:

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

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# St Aidan's Anglican Church



## 7 October 2018

## The Vulnerable

Today's service begins on page 456 of the red NZ Prayer Book

### Reading

Gen 2:18-24  
Heb 1:1-4; 2:5-12  
Mark 10:2-16

### Sentence

What are human beings that you are mindful of them, or mortals, that you care for them?  
Hebrews 2:6

### Collect

Inclusive God,  
your love is offered to the vulnerable and the powerful and knows no limits;  
open our eyes to recognise where our words and actions exclude others,  
and by your Spirit turn us to new action, embracing all with unity and care,  
that your kingdom may be revealed,  
through Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God now and for ever. 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

### Farewell for Chris

Chris will soon be leaving us to start a full-time position teaching music in a private school in Shenzhen, China. We will have a farewell brunch for Chris after Sunday services later this month.

If you would like to make a contribution toward a farewell gift for Chris, please pass on to Louise, leave in the suggestions box in the GA or leave an envelope at the office.

### This Week

**Pins and Needles Knitting Group, Monday 8<sup>th</sup> October, 10am** in the Gathering Area. Join us for conversation, coffee and cake as we continue to make beautiful knitted garments for needy children in our community.

### Prayer Circle

Remember to make your prayer requests known to Anna Brown 021 766 075, or pop requests into the box in the GA.

### Our Regular Prayer Meetings

**Morning Prayer:** 9am Monday to Saturday in the Gathering Area

**Evening Prayer:** 7pm Wednesday in the Gathering Area

## Prayers

- Glen, Sarah and their family as they take a well earned break during these school holidays.
- The Anglican parishes in our diocese, particularly those who are in a time of transition, those who are coping with conflict and those who are launching new ministries. We pray that they may be guided by the Holy Spirit and fully aware of God's steadfast love.
- Communities cleaning up after the recent earthquakes and tsunami. Pray that emergency services would be able to get through to remote areas and for the safety of all as they restore and rebuild.



### Prayer for our Mission Partners

We pray for our mission partners as they settle into their new house.

We give thanks that their children are very happy there.

We also give thanks that they have found a wonderful, patient language teacher who comes to their home to teach them each morning.

We pray for them as they continue with their language studies and build a friendship with their tutor.



## New Direction

Has your group responded to the New Directions document yet? It is available for groups to take away and engage with, and we hope that by spending 10 mins brainstorming ideas together we will benefit from the thoughts of many. Return the document to staff, office or vestry as you can.

### St Francis Day Appeal for SPCA

Please drop off old sheets, towels, and blankets; also food for cats, kittens, dogs and rabbits by 10<sup>th</sup> October in the GA or Office. Yvonne Kennedy will take the donations to SPCA on the 11<sup>th</sup> October.

### Hatched Matched & Dispatched

An exhibition of Christening, Wedding & Mourning Memorabilia, coordinated by our own Robyn Bridgman, now on at the Selwyn Library, 8 St Stephens Ave, Parnell. Open daily from 10am to 4pm until Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> October. Admission \$10 per person.



**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.

## Name Tags

Louise, Anne and our Newcomers are valuing the use of nametags which help to get to know people. If you don't have one or have lost yours please add your name to the list and a new one will be printed.

### Women's Evening Fellowship

**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> October, 7.30pm** in the GA. We have retired Hon. Justice Lyn Stevens speaking to us about the redevelopment project at the City Mission. Bring a friend, all welcome.

### Situations Vacant

**AV Desk** - The AV team have an exciting opportunity to join their Sunday morning team. If you have a willingness to learn some new skills in this area please see Glen.

### Mainly Music

Liz Fraser, our loyal and wonderful volunteer is finishing up at our Wednesday morning sessions. The **Mainly Music** team is looking for a new volunteer to assist with the welcome desk and to chat with our families. Wednesday mornings at 9:30am. Please contact Sarah if you can help.



mainly music