

Regular Events @ St Aidan's

Sunday Services	8:00am Holy Communion 9:30am Family Communion with Youth and Kids' Church Special Evening Service on last Sunday of each month at 5:00pm in the GA. Next: 22nd March
Wednesday Service	11:30am Holy Communion without music - weekly from 12th February
Morning Prayer	9:00am Monday to Saturday - in the Gathering Area.
Prayer Meeting	7:00pm Wednesday - in the Gathering Area for ½ hour.

Youth	School aged youth (11 and over), Sun at 9:30am service and Fri at 7:00pm .
Kids' Church	All children aged 3-10 during the 9.30am service . Contact Sarah Ashworth.
Friendship Group	Wednesdays at 10:00am in the Gathering Area. Join us for fellowship, games and morning tea.
Mainly Music	Wed during term time at 9.30am . Music & play for families with pre-school aged children.
Choir Practice	Saturdays at 10.30am in the Bethel Room. New members welcome. Contact Chris.
Home Groups	All welcome! Contact Sheryl or Glen for more information.
AAW	A women's fellowship group. Meets monthly on 1 st Tuesday at 1.30pm .
WEF	A women's evening fellowship group. Meets monthly on 3 rd Tuesday at 7.30pm .
St Aidan's Vestry	Next formal meeting on Wednesday 19 th February at 7.30pm in the Gathering Area.
Pins & Needles	A Knitting for charity group. Meets monthly on 2 nd Monday at 10:00am in the GA. All Welcome

Contacts @ St Aidan's

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		Friendship Group:	Jenny Haggitt 524 5254 (school term only) See Sarah
		Mainly Music:	Wed 9:30am staidansmainlymusic@gmail.com

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Anglican Church

9 February 2020

Demonstration of the Spirit

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

Readings

Isaiah 58: 1-9a
1 Corinthians 2: 1-16
Matthew 5: 13-20

Sentence

My speech and my proclamation were not with plausible words of wisdom, but with a demonstration of the Spirit and of power, so that your faith might rest not on human wisdom but on the power of God.

1 Cor 2:4-5

Prayer

Great and loving God,
you call your people to be salt of the earth and light to the world.
Empower us to live in such a way
that people may see our good works and give glory to you.
Through Jesus Christ our Liberator,
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

8am - Communion.

9:30am - Family Communion.

**Kids' Church resumes.*

This Week

Pins & Needles - Monday 10th February, 10am in the GA. Come and join us to see all the wonderful knitting completed over summer.

Friendship Group - Each Wednesday 10am in the GA.

Friday Youth - restarting Friday 14th February at 7pm. Contact Conor.

Next Week

8am - Communion.

9:30am - Family Communion.

**Youth on Sundays resumes.*

Purificator Roster volunteers meeting - after the 9:30am service. Speak to Yvonne for more info.

Social Activities Committee Meeting - 11am first meeting to brainstorm ideas. All volunteers welcome.

Ash Wednesday 26th February

It would be very much appreciated if you are able to **return your Palm Crosses** from last year so we can prepare the ashes.

Prayers

- Continue to pray for wisdom and patience for those working to contain the Coronavirus as well as those caring for people involved
- Pray for our Mainly Music program which has started up, that kids and families will experience something of God's love
- Pray for the growth of peace, justice and unity for Aotearoa, New Zealand



Coming Up

Women's Evening Fellowship - Tuesday 18th February, 7:30pm in the GA. The speaker at our first meeting for the year is a Tai Chi instructor. We will listen and learn of the history and benefits of this exercise from the comfort of our seat. All welcome.

Vestry Meeting - Wednesday 19th February at 7.30pm in the GA.

St Aidan's Church Family Picnic - Sunday 23rd February after morning services in Cornwall Park.

Ash Wednesday - Wednesday 26th February. Two Imposition of Ashes services will be held, 11.30am and 7.30pm.

Men's Breakfast - Thursday 27th February, 7:30am at Brown's Café. Speak to Glen for more info.

Social Activities Committee

Do you enjoy coming up with ideas and/or planning exciting events? Do you have a great idea for something you would like to see us do but don't know how to bring it up? How about helping on the new social activities committee for St Aidan's? The **first meeting** will be next Sunday **16th February at 11am**. All you need to bring along are your ideas and enthusiasm!



Church Picnic - 23rd February

St Aidan's Church family picnic - **Sunday 24th February 11:30 to 1pm at Cornwall Park**. Please join the church family for our first intergenerational church event of the year. There will be something for everyone to join in with so make sure you don't miss out!

To bring: Picnic blanket or chair, finger food to share, hat and sunscreen, sports equipment.

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Noticeboard Info

There is much more happening than we are able to share in the newsletter each week, so be sure to check the noticeboard regularly for things happening in the Parish and around our local community.

Coronavirus Guidelines

Given the recent media attention around coronavirus, the HSWG advises that parishes follow Ministry of Health guidelines to prevent the spread of infection. These include:

- ◆ regular hand washing (for at least 20 seconds).
- ◆ practise cough etiquette – maintain distance, cover coughs and sneezes with disposable tissues or clothing and wash hands thoroughly.
- ◆ thoroughly cook meat and eggs.
- ◆ avoid close contact with anyone showing symptoms of respiratory illness such as coughing and sneezing.

More information is available from www.health.govt.nz

