

# St Aidan's

## Anglican Church

12 September 2021

### Identity and expectations

Today's service comes from page 404 of the New Zealand Prayer Book, and will be available online via [Facebook](#) or [YouTube](#)

#### Readings

Isaiah 50:4-9a

James 3:1-12

**Mark 8:27-38**

#### Sentence

Jesus asked his disciples "Who do people say that I am?"

Mark 8: 27b

#### Prayer

Almighty God,  
you are Alpha and Omega, beginning and end, the Word made flesh.  
Grant us the courage to take up our cross,  
and bear it gladly for the sake of the gospel,  
risking mockery and rejection, following the example of Jesus.  
Through Jesus Christ our Liberator,  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever. Amen.

*We hope to be out of lockdown and back in the buildings soon. In the meantime you can connect with us through phone or email.*

*While our regular services are unable to be held we hope you will still join us for worship online at our Facebook page or through our YouTube channel.*

WORSHIP

CARING

MISSION

*5 Ascot Avenue, Remuera, Auckland*

## What's on at St Aidan's

### Today

**9am** - Kids' Church via Zoom.  
Contact Izzi for access.

**9:30am** - Sunday service via our [Facebook page](https://www.facebook.com/staidansremuera)([www.facebook.com/staidansremuera](https://www.facebook.com/staidansremuera)) or [YouTube channel](#) with guest speaker Bishop Ross Bay.

**10:15am** - Catch up over a cuppa via Zoom. Enter the [Zoom online meeting ID](#): 946 0866 8929, or phone +64 9 884 6780 and enter Passcode 1 #. Or copy into browser: [www.zoom.us/j/94608668929?pwd=TkZLeU1MY2d5eUpqeTJ5WUJTRHIVUT09](https://www.zoom.us/j/94608668929?pwd=TkZLeU1MY2d5eUpqeTJ5WUJTRHIVUT09)

**7pm** - Evening Prayer with [Bishop Ross Bay's Facebook page](#).

### This Week

**Mainly music** - 9:30am Wednesday via Zoom. Contact Vicki for access.

**Prayer Meeting** - 9am Thursday prayer via Zoom. Enter the [Zoom online meeting ID](#): 946 0866 8929, or via phone: +64 9 884 6780 and enter Passcode 1 #.

**Catch Up Over A Cuppa** - 9:30am Thursday via Zoom. Use the same login information listed above for our weekly Prayer Meeting.

## Prayers

- As we remember the 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the 9/11 attack we remember those who continue to grieve and those whose lives have been forever changed. We pray for all those who actively work to bring about peace
- People follow the different level restrictions diligently and exercise patience
- Those experiencing the pressures of financial hardship



### Next Week

**9am** - Kids' Church via Zoom.  
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**9:30am** - Sunday service via our [Facebook page](https://www.facebook.com/staidansremuera)([www.facebook.com/staidansremuera](https://www.facebook.com/staidansremuera)) or [YouTube channel](#). This is the first week of our Season of Creation series.

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### Coming Up

**St Francis Day Pet Service** - Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> October at 4pm via Zoom. More details to follow.

## Church Financial Support

If you have been in the habit of giving an offertory envelope please consider adding a direct payment for your offertory contribution over the coming weeks. Account for direct deposits:

**St Aidans Church Remuera**

**06-0257-0052666-13**

**Ref: Your offertory code number**

If you don't have an offertory code please contact Anne - 929 24670 or [office@staidans.co.nz](mailto:office@staidans.co.nz)

## Catch Up Over A Cuppa

Each Sunday at 10:15am and Thursday at 9:30am during lockdown we will 'Catch up over a cuppa' via Zoom. We would love as many people as possible to connect virtually while we aren't able to connect in person, either on a computer - open Zoom, click Join, and enter the [meeting ID 946 0866 8929](https://www.zoom.us/j/94608668929), or phone +64 9 884 6780 and enter the meeting ID, then Passcode 1 #. [www.zoom.us/j/94608668929?pwd=TkZLeU1MY2d5eUpqeTJ5WUJTRHIVUT09](https://www.zoom.us/j/94608668929?pwd=TkZLeU1MY2d5eUpqeTJ5WUJTRHIVUT09)

## 'The Apostle' Magazine

Have you read the St Aidan's Day edition of 'The Apostle'? It's now available to download from [www.staidans.co.nz/magazines](http://www.staidans.co.nz/magazines)

## Annual Garage Sale

In light of the current lockdown our Garage Sale Committee have been considering how to proceed this year. The Committee consider, once the situation becomes clearer, whether we may be able to hold the Garage Sale in some form later in the year or whether we may need to cancel it altogether. We will continue to keep you informed as any further decisions are made.

## Preparations for Level 2 & 1

Whilst we aren't sure when we will be able to come back into our church buildings you can start preparing.

- ✚ Do you have a mask ready, or do you need one?
- ✚ Taken the opportunity to have the vaccination so that we can protect one another?
- ✚ Have you downloaded the COVID tracer app if you have a smartphone? Or can you BYO pen?

## Morning & Night Prayers

The team from The [Daily Offices](#) are offering Morning Prayer at 7.30am and Night Prayer at 8.30pm live on Facebook every day during lockdown.

# 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 <b>5:00pm</b> Evening Service worship with a shared meal on the <b>fourth Sunday of each month</b>
<b>Wednesday Service</b>	<b>11:30am</b> Holy Communion without music held each Wednesday.
<b>Prayer</b>	Thursday mornings at 9am in the GA, or via Zoom - Enter the <a href="#">Zoom online meeting ID: 946 0866 8929</a> , or via phone: +64 9 884 6780 and enter Passcode 1 #.
<b>Youth</b>	School aged youth (11 and over), Sun at 9:30am service and Fri at 7:00pm. Contact <a href="#">Nic</a> .
<b>Kids' Church</b>	All children aged 3-10 during the 9:30am service. Contact <a href="#">Izzi</a> .
<b>Mainly Music</b>	Wednesday at 9:30am in the Hall during school terms. Music and play for families with pre-school aged children.
<b>Choir Practice</b>	Practise Saturdays, 10:00am in the Bethel Room (in the upstairs offices). Contact Antoinette.
<b>Home Groups</b>	All welcome! Contact your home group leader about finishing and restart dates, or speak to Sheryl or <a href="#">Louise</a> for information about joining a Home Group.
<b>Association of Anglican Women</b>	A women's fellowship group meets on the first Tuesday of each month at 1:30pm in the GA.
<b>WEF</b>	A women's evening fellowship group. Meets monthly on 3 <sup>rd</sup> Tuesday at 7:30pm in the GA.
<b>Pins &amp; Needles</b>	A knitting for charity group. Meets monthly on 2 <sup>nd</sup> Monday at 10:00am in the GA. All Welcome
<b>Men's Ministry</b>	Meets on the last Thursday of each month for breakfast at 7:30am. Contact Pete.
<b>Contemplative Prayer</b>	Meditation each Wednesday 9:45am at 276A Victoria Avenue - contact Anne 524 2452.
<b>St Aidan's Vestry</b>	Next formal meeting 7:30pm on Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> August 2021 in the GA.

## Contacts @ St Aidan's

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