

St Aidan's

Anglican Church

3 October 2021

Earth beings, Human beings

Today's service comes from page 456 of the New Zealand Prayer Book, and will be available online via [Facebook](#) or [YouTube](#)

Readings

Genesis 2:4b-9, 15-24
Hebrews 1:1-4; 2:5-12
Mark 10:2-16

Sentence

The Lord God formed a human being from the dust of the earth, and breathed into its nostrils the breath of life.

Genesis 2:7

Prayer

God our creator,
you have made us one with this earth,
to tend it and to bring forth fruit:
may we so respect and cherish
all that has life from you
that we may share in the labour of all creation
to give birth to your hidden glory,
through Jesus Christ, Amen.

We hope to be out of lockdown and back in the buildings soon. In the meantime you can connect with us by phone or email—(09) 9294760 or office@staidans.co.nz

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

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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) or [YouTube channel](#). The Rev Anne Priestley will be speaking.

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 #.

4pm - St Francis Day Pet Service via Zoom. All pets, teddies and photos welcome to come along (to your computer or phone). Enter the [Zoom online meeting ID](#): 946 0866 8929, or connect via phone: +64 9 884 6780 and enter Passcode 1 #.

This Week

AAW meeting - sadly the October meeting has been cancelled.

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 #.

Prayers

- We give thanks for God's creation and particularly the blessings our animal companions provide for so many
- Those who live with mental health conditions, and for their support networks
- Protests and unrest around the country and around the world



Next Week

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Coming Up

Women's Evening Fellowship - If alert levels allow WEF plan to meet on Tuesday 19th October at 7:30pm, with Angela Caughey speaking.

St Francis' Day Pet Service

Join us via Zoom at **4pm today** for our annual pet service. You can bring along (to your computer or phone) all those pets which may not normally be able to attend. Teddies and photos welcome too! Let's celebrate God's creation together.



Service Contributions

Thanks to everyone who has contributed to the weekly services online. It was great to receive such a terrific variety of photos last week.

Church Financial Support

Financial support for the Parish during lockdown can be made via direct deposit to:

St Aidans Church Remuera

06-0257-0052666-13

Ref: Your offertory code number

Contact Anne - 929 4670 or office@staidans.co.nz - if you don't have an offertory code number .

Level 3 Notice

Our staff are still required to work from home in level 3, however we are already making preparations in anticipation of a return to our Parish buildings when we reach level 2. We will continue to keep you informed. In the meantime you can start your own preparations for level 2 & 1:

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

Pins & Needles

The work continues (perhaps more than ever!) during lockdown. Should anyone require knitting yarn, or just a chat, please call Gail 5851290 / 0272714974 or Marie 5248642.

AGM

Save the date - Sunday 14th November, Covid levels permitting this will be our AGM. Please carefully pray about our Vestry representatives and consider potential nominees.

Regular Events @ St Aidan's

Sunday Services	8:00am Holy Communion 9:30am Family Communion with Youth and Kids' Church 5:00pm Evening Service worship with a shared meal on the fourth Sunday of each month
Wednesday Service	11:30am Holy Communion without music held each Wednesday.
Prayer	Thursday mornings at 9am in the GA, or via Zoom - Enter the Zoom online meeting ID: 946 0866 8929 , or via phone: +64 9 884 6780 and enter Passcode 1 #.
Youth	School aged youth (11 and over), Sun at 9:30am service and Fri at 7:00pm. Contact Nic .
Kids' Church	All children aged 3-10 during the 9:30am service. Contact Izzi .
Mainly Music	Wednesday at 9:30am in the Hall during school terms. Music and play for families with pre-school aged children.
Choir Practice	Practise Saturdays, 10:00am in the Bethel Room (in the upstairs offices). Contact Antoinette.
Home Groups	All welcome! Contact your home group leader about finishing and restart dates, or speak to Sheryl or Louise for information about joining a Home Group.
Association of Anglican Women	A women's fellowship group meets on the first Tuesday of each month at 1:30pm in the GA.
WEF	A women's evening fellowship group. Meets monthly on 3 rd Tuesday at 7:30pm in the GA.
Pins & Needles	A knitting for charity group. Meets monthly on 2 nd Monday at 10:00am in the GA. All Welcome
Men's Ministry	Meets on the last Thursday of each month for breakfast at 7:30am. Contact Pete.
Contemplative Prayer	Meditation each Wednesday 9:45am at 276A Victoria Avenue - contact Anne 524 2452.
St Aidan's Vestry	Next formal meeting 7:30pm on Wednesday 18 th August 2021 in the GA.

Contacts @ St Aidan's

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