

# St Aidan's

## Anglican Church

13 March 2022

### Setting Your Compass

Today's service comes from page 476 of the New Zealand Prayer Book, and will be available online via [Facebook](#) or [YouTube](#)

#### **Readings**

Psalms 27

Phil 3:17 – 4:1

Luke 13:31-35

#### **Sentence**

“Come,” my heart says, “seek his face!”

Your face, Lord, do I seek.

Psalms 27:8

#### **Prayer**

God, steadfast in love and purpose,  
your Son was not diverted from Jerusalem and the cross.

Amid all business and distraction  
keep us focused on your purpose.

In times of uncertainty or anxiety, steady us.

Through Jesus Christ.

Amen.

Welcome to St Aidan's!

If you are new, or would like more information, please make sure to introduce yourself, pick up a copy of our Welcome booklet, and fill in a Newcomer's form.

WORSHIP

CARING

MISSION

5 Ascot Avenue, Remuera, Auckland

## What's on at St Aidan's

### Today

*\*A valid My Vaccine Pass is required for attendance at all services\**

**8am** - Holy Communion service.

**9:30am** - Family Service with Holy Communion. *If you are unable to attend services in person you can still join our 9:30am service which is [live streamed on our Facebook page](#) and also uploaded later to our [YouTube channel](#).*

### This Week

**Pins & Needles** - Monday 10am in the Gathering Area.

**WEF** meeting has been cancelled for March and hope to be able to meet again on 15<sup>th</sup> April.

**Lenten Study Groups** - Tuesday 7:30pm via Zoom. Contact Louise or the office for more info. For a copy of the Lenten study booklet 'Living out of our Stories' click the link [HERE](#) or contact the office if you would like a printed copy.

**Mid Week Communion service** - Wednesday 11:30am in the Church.

**Mission Shop** - Thursdays only in Red alert level, 10am to 2pm.

**Weekly Prayer Meeting** - 9am each Friday in the GA.

## Prayers

- Family and friends of Mary Hills whose funeral was held here on Saturday, and all those who are grieving
- The ongoing shortages throughout New Zealand and the world, and the effect which this is having
- Those who are unwell and those receiving treatment at this time
- Continue to pray for Ukraine and Russia

### Next Week

**8am** - Holy Communion service.

**9:30am** - Family Service with Holy Communion and official welcome of the Rev'd Kerry Davis to our parish.

*We will arrange a welcome morning tea at church once we are allowed to do so safely again. Also, Kerry's days off and areas of responsibility will be shared once he has had a chance to settle in and get established.*

### Coming Up

**Special General Meeting** - Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> March after the 9:30am service. This is our annual meeting dealing with the annual financial reports and budget for 2022.

**Men's Breakfast** - Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> March, 7:30am at Brown's Café. Contact Pete for info.

## 'The Apostle' Easter Edition



Our Easter magazine deadline is fast approaching. The focus of this edition is on sustainability and care for God's creation, so we

would love your tips for saving water or power, recycling, reusing, repurposing, and sustainable living.

Any photos, ideas, successes or failures, and stories are all welcome. Email or deliver your contributions to the office by 18<sup>th</sup> March please.

## Thank You

Thank you to all those people who have been preparing #8 Ascot Ave for Kerry's arrival - painting, curtains, trimming plants, fence repairs, etc. - you are an amazing team!

*Thank  
You*

## Lenten Study via Zoom

A new Lenten study group has started up on Tuesday evenings, 7:30pm via Zoom, working from the booklet 'Living out of our Stories'. If you would like to join please contact Louise or Anne for the Zoom link. The study can be downloaded [HERE](#) or contact the office for a print copy.

## Special General Meeting

Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> March, after the 9:30am service at approx. 10:45am. This meeting relates to the financial component which could not be dealt with at our annual meeting, so we will be receiving the Parish Financial Report for 2021 and adopting the budget for 2022.

## Preparation for Isolation

If you haven't already completed a form these are available in the GA or our website Resources/Newsletters tab [HERE](#). Drop your completed form in the box provided or email to the office [office@staidans.co.nz](mailto:office@staidans.co.nz), especially if you need help.

## Cleaning Bee

For your diary - our annual cleaning bee will be on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> April. We need as many people as possible across the morning to clean all areas of the complex, including the Hall after hirers have left. We will also be making palm crosses so there will be jobs for everyone.

## Office Closed 22<sup>nd</sup> March

On Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March Anne will be out of the office for professional development. Please contact Louise for any urgent issues 027 448 4467.

## 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>Wednesday Service</b>	<b>11:30am</b> Holy Communion without music held each Wednesday
<b>Prayer</b>	Friday mornings at 9am in the GA, or join from home via Zoom - Enter the <a href="#">Zoom online meeting ID</a> : 946 0866 8929, or 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, or speak to Sheryl or <a href="#">Louise</a> for information about joining a Home Group.
<b>AAW</b>	A women's fellowship group meets on the 1 <sup>st</sup> 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 - contact Anne 524 2452.
<b>St Aidan's Vestry</b>	Next formal meeting 28 <sup>th</sup> April, 7:30pm in the GA.

## Contacts @ St Aidan's

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		<b>Youth Band:</b>	Contact the <a href="#">office</a>

### Bank Account for direct deposits:

St Aidans Church Remuera 06-0257-0052666-13

Please use your giving number as reference and contact the office if you are unsure what it is.