

# St Aidan's

## Anglican Church

5 March 2023

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

### **Lent 2: Reflecting on the Easter Characters - Fixed in Our Views**

#### **Readings**

Genesis 12: 1-4a

Romans 4: 1-5, 13-17

Matthew 26: 57-68

#### **Sentence**

From now on you will see the Son of  
Man seated at the right hand of Power  
and coming on the clouds of heaven.

Matthew 26:64

#### **Prayer**

Come Holy Spirit, to all baptised in your name,  
that we may turn to good

whatever lies ahead

Give us passion, give us fire;

make us transform the world from what it is,  
to what you have created it to be.

This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

*Welcome to St Aidan's! Please join us 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 a Newcomer's form.*

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*5 Ascot Avenue, Remuera, Auckland*

# What's on at St Aidan's

## Today

**8am** - Holy Communion Service.

**9:30am** - Family service with Holy Communion. *Including Kids Church and Youth Group.*

**10:45am** - Confidential Prayer Ministry available in the side chapel.

The 9:30am service is [live streamed on our Facebook page](#) and uploaded later to our YouTube Channel.

## This Week

**AAW Meeting** - Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> March, 1:30pm in the GA for a "Show and Tell" afternoon - bring along a treasured item to share with the Group. All welcome.

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

**Prayer in the GA** - 9am Thursday in the Gathering Area.

**Mission Shop** - Thursday to Saturday 10am to 2pm.

## Next Week

**8am** - Holy Communion Service.

**9:30am** - Family service with Holy Communion.

## Prayers

- Tertiary students as they start their courses this week
- Our small groups as they begin their Lenten studies
- The Diocese of Polynesia's Archbishop-elect Sione Ulu'ilakepa as his consecration service takes place on 11<sup>th</sup> March in Suva



## Coming Up

**Pins & Needles** - Monday 13<sup>th</sup> March, 10am in the GA.

**Three Peaks Walk** - Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> March, leaving from St Aidan's around 11:30am. A fun and moderately challenging 10km walk taking in the three peaks of One Tree Hill, Mt St John, and Mt Hobson, and returning to church around 3:30pm. See James for further information and to register your interest.

**SGM** - Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> March, approx. 10:45am after the 9:30am service.

**Concert for Ukraine** - Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> March, 3pm in the Church.

### **Holy Week services:**

Short reflective services each evening Mon/Tue/Wed/Thu at 7pm. Good Friday service at 9:30am.

**Cleaning Bee** - Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> April. from 9am.

## Cyclone Gabrielle Appeal

Anglican Missions have launched an emergency appeal in the wake of Cyclone Gabrielle. As needs assessments are completed, they will advise how the funds will be distributed. This will include early recovery work as well as long term programmes designed to build the resilience of churches and marae. If you would like to make a contribution please visit [www.anglicanmissions.org.nz/donate/gabrielle/](http://www.anglicanmissions.org.nz/donate/gabrielle/) to donate by Credit Card or direct deposit.



## Louise on Leave

Louise is having an operation this week and will then be on sick leave to recover. She will be out of the Parish from 6<sup>th</sup> March to 4<sup>th</sup> April. Kerry will be Priest on Duty during this time.

## “One Thought For Today”

There are still a few copies of Bishop Bruce Gilbert’s book, “One Thought For Today”, available at the office. Any unsold books will be returned to him next week, so this is your last chance to buy one and avoid postage costs. \$25 each, pay by cash or direct deposit on collection.

## ‘The Apostle’ Magazine

The next edition of ‘The Apostle’ magazine will soon be printed. Our Easter theme is, “Walking”, literally and figuratively, with lots of threads coming together - Coffee & K’s, our walk through Lent, toward Easter, into new roles, and where our walk leads us. If you have photos or any other contributions, please send in to the office by **Monday 6<sup>th</sup> March**.

## Easter Choir

If you would like to join the special Easter Choir practices are on each Saturday at 10am in the Bethel Room (upstairs). Talk to Antoinette for more info, or just come along.

## SGM

The Parish Special General Meeting will be held on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> March, approx. 10:45am after the conclusion of the 9:30am service. This is our annual meeting dealing with the 2022 annual financial reports and budget for 2023.

## Vestry

At the February Vestry meeting Steven Khoo was officially co-opted onto vestry, bringing a wealth of experience. Thank you to Steven for being willing to step into this role.

# 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>	Mid-week Holy Communion held each Wednesday at 11:30am.
<b>Prayer</b>	Thursday mornings at 9:00am in the GA, or join from home via Zoom - Enter the <a href="#">Zoom online meeting ID</a> : 959 1932 0025, 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 Kerry.
<b>Contemplative Prayer</b>	Meditation (online) each Wednesday at 9:45am - contact Anne 524 2452.
<b>Writing Group</b>	Community-focused writing for advocacy and justice, 10:00am on the last Friday of each month - contact Anne 524 2452.
<b>St Aidan's Vestry</b>	Next strategic meeting on 23 <sup>rd</sup> March, 7:30pm in the GA.

## Contacts @ St Aidan's

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