

30 April 2023

Today's service comes from page 476 of the New Zealand Prayer Book, and will be available online via <u>Facebook</u> or <u>YouTube</u>

Following the Good Shepherd

Readings

Acts 2:42-47 1 Peter 2:19-25 John 10:1-11

<u>Sentence</u>

I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. John 10:11

Prayer

Good shepherd of the sheep, by whom the lost are sought and guided into the fold; feed us and we shall be satisfied, heal us and we shall be whole, and lead us that we may be with you, with the Father and the Holy Spirit, where you reign one God for ever. 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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MISSION

5 Ascot Avenue, Remuera, Auckland

What's on at St Aidan's

Today

8am - Holy Communion Service. *Hymns - see insert sheet.*

9:30am - Family service with Holy Communion. We will be celebrating 20 years of mainly music at St Aidan's during today's service.



10:45am -

Confidential Prayer Ministry available in the side chapel.

This Week

AAW meeting - Tuesday 2nd May, 1:30pm in the GA. Speaker is Terrena Griffiths, National Coordinator, Chip Packet Project NZ. Please bring any clean foil packets like chip packets to donate for this cause.

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

Prayer Meeting - Thursday, 9am in the GA or join via Zoom - meeting ID 959 1932 0025.

Next Week

8am - Holy Communion Service.

9:30am - Family service with Holy Communion. *Kids' Church resumes*.

Prayers

- Our new monarch King Charles III.
 May he be strengthened by his faith to reign with wisdom and discernment
- As St Aidan's celebrates 20 years of hosting mainly music we pray it continues to be a welcoming space to connect parents and young children with our church
- Remembering those who have died in conflicts, we pray for peace

Coming Up

Pins & Needles - Monday 8th May, 10am in the GA.

Sustainability Champions Workshop

- Saturday 13th May, 9:30am to 2:30pm at St Matthew-in-the-city, 132 Hobson Street.

Coffee & K's - Saturday 27th May, Waiatarua Reserve Loop. Approx. 45 min walk followed by coffee at K&G Café, Meadowbank Shopping Mall.

Pentecost Cultural Lunch - Sunday 28th May after the 9:30am service.

Movie Night - Friday 9th June, starting with (BYO) drinks and nibbles at 5:30pm, pizzas arrive approx. 6:45pm and movie at 7pm.

Newcomer's Lunch - after the 9:30am service on Sunday 18th June.

Hospital Chapel Helpers

The Auckland Hospital Chapel helpers are looking for more volunteers. This involves locating and assisting patients who want to attend the Sunday 10am Hospital Chapel Service to get to the chapel. St Aidan's group does this on the third Sunday of every second month - February, April, June, August and October. Assistance is required from 9am to around 11am on these days. Please talk to David Jamison if you are willing to help on one Sunday every couple of months.

Donation Receipts

Receipts for charitable donations to the church will be emailed out from Trust Management in the next few weeks. Please prayerfully consider whether you could donate your refund back to the church. You would then get 1/3 of that back again next year!

Bunker Painting Party

Following flooding and subsequent clean up of the Bunker, our youth and young adults will be prepping and repainting the walls on Sunday 7th and 21st May. If you have some time to spare, &/or painting equipment we could borrow, it would be greatly appreciated. Talk to Izzi, Isobell, Nic, or Cameron.

"Vestry Views"

- Church and GA leaks relating to roof tiles have now all been addressed and guttering, where necessary, replaced
- Mobility parking spaces have been repainted in the Ascot Ave carpark
- As a response to the burglary earlier in the year, a new alarm will soon be installed in the Social Lounge

Pentecost Cultural Lunch

Sunday 28th May, after the 9:30am service. We invite contributions from anyone who would like to share some aspect of their culture e.g. food, dance, traditions, traditional dress, etc. over a shared lunch to celebrate Pentecost. Join in as you feel led, a sign up sheet is available in the GA so we can coordinate contributions.

Sustainability Workshop

Saturday 13th May, 9:30am to 2:30pm at St Matthew-in-the-city, 132 Hobson Street. This workshop will be exploring with A Rocha how we can take local action to care for the earth in our own backyards. Find more info and register online, or email the Diocesan Sustainability Fieldworker.

Regular Events @ St Aidan's			
Sunday Services	8:00am Holy Communion 9:30am Family Communion with Youth and Kids' Church		
Wednesday Service	Mid-week Holy Communion held each Wednesday at 11:30am.		
Prayer	Thursday mornings at 9:00am in the GA, or join from home via Zoom - Enter the Zoom online meeting ID: 959 1932 0025, or 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 <u>Izzi</u> .		
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, or speak to Sheryl or <u>Louise</u> for information about joining a Home Group.		
AAW	A women's fellowship group meets on the 1 st 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 Kerry.		
Contemplative Prayer	Meditation (online) each Wednesday at 9:45am - contact Anne 524 2452.		
Writing Group	Community-focused writing for advocacy and justice, 10:00am on the last Friday of each month - contact Anne 524 2452.		
St Aidan's Vestry	Next strategic meeting on 25 th May, 7:30pm in the GA.		

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