

14 May 2023

Today's service comes from page 456 of the New Zealand Prayer Book, and will be available online via <u>Facebook</u> or <u>YouTube</u>

I will come to you

Readings

Acts 17:22-31 1 Peter 3:13-22 John 14:15-21

Sentence

'They who have my commandments and keep them are those who love me; and those who love me will be loved by my Father, and I will love them and reveal myself to them.'

John 14:21

Prayer

Eternal God, your Son Jesus Christ is the way, the truth and the life for all creation; grant us grace to walk in his way, to rejoice in his truth, and to share his risen life; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and 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.

WORSHIP

CARING

MISSION

5 Ascot Avenue, Remuera, Auckland

What's on at St Aidan's

Today

8am - Holy Communion Service. *Hymns - See hymn sheet insert.*

9:30am - Family service with Holy Communion.

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

This Week

Women's Evening Fellowship - Tuesday 16th May, 7:30pm in the GA. Our guest speaker is Brian Gray, a parishioner who swam 54 k around Waiheke recently as a fundraiser for Starship Children's Hospital. All welcome. Supper will be served after Brian's inspirational talk.

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.

Bunker Painting - After the 9:30am service, all volunteers welcome!

Prayers

- Those affected by the Whangārei caving tragedy, and all recovering from traumatic experiences
- Local and national government leaders as they make difficult decisions around working conditions and infrastructure
- On Mother's Day we pray for the joy, the grief, the disappointment, and the wide range of emotions which this day brings

Coming Up

Men's Breakfast - Thursday 25th May, 7:30am at Brown's Café, Remuera Road.

Writing Group - Friday 26th May, 10am in the GA. Talk to Anne P for more info.

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.

Autumn Night Market - Sunday 28th May, 5pm to 9pm in the car park.

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

Drinks & Nibbles + Movie Night - Friday 23rd June from 5:30pm.

Kerry - Sick Leave

Kerry is recovering from Covid, and should hopefully be back at work from Wednesday 17th May. Please direct any queries to Anne in the office, or Louise.

We thank Rev'd Mele Prescott for stepping in at short notice to preach and preside at today's services.

Donation Receipts

We hope to be able to send out annual receipts for charitable donations to St Aidan's during the coming week. 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!

Hospital Chapel Helpers

Are you able to help locate and assist patients who want to attend the Sunday 10am Auckland Hospital Chapel Service? Please talk to David Jamison 570 4835 if you can assist the Hospital Chapel Helpers. It's only for a few hours every couple of months, or even just occasionally.

Chip Packet Project NZ

After Terrena Griffiths visit to AAW this week, see the noticeboard to find out how you can help.

Autumn Night Market



Come along to the Autumn Night Market on Sunday 28th May from 5pm to support our young adults group

as they fundraise for their pilgrimage to the Holy Land in November. Live music, stalls from local sellers and a sausage sizzle - something for everyone! Scan the QR code for more info or if

code for more info or if you would like to hold a stall.



Bunker Painting Party

Our Youth and Young Adults have finished prepping and will be repainting the Bunker walls on Sunday 21st May. If you have some spare time to help out it would be greatly appreciated.

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.

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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