

2 July 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>

Welcoming the Stranger

Readings

Jeremiah 28:5-9 Romans 6:12-23 Matthew 10:40-42

Sentence

'Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me.'

Matthew 10:40

Prayer

Almighty Father, grant that we your children may never be ashamed to confess the faith of Christ crucified, but continue his faithful servants to our lives' end; through the same 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.

WORSHIP

CARING

MISSION

5 Ascot Avenue, Remuera, Auckland

What's on at St Aidan's

Today

8am - Holy Communion Service. *Hymns: refer to insert sheet*

9:30am - Family service with Holy Communion.

10:45am - Confidential prayer.

Sale of Preserves, Jams & Jellies - after church services today.

This Week

AAW - Tuesday 4th July, 1:30pm in the GA. Our speaker is from Age Concern and will be talking about the services they offer.

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

Prayer Meeting - Thursday, 9am via Zoom ID 959 1932 0025 Passcode 1.

A Talk by Rod Oram - Everything Everywhere All at Once: The ubiquitous climate crisis and our utterly inadequate response. Thursday 6th July, 7:30pm at the Community of St Luke, 130 Remuera Road. For bookings phone 520 0740 or email pamela@stlukes.org.nz

Next Week

8am - Holy Communion Service.

9:30am - Family service with Holy Communion.

Prayers

- For all people who seek refuge from harm; for governments worldwide to welcome refugees; for those who have died while seeking safety. Help us to be generous to people needing food, shelter and care
- Repairs to NZ roading and infrastructure following the various weather events
- Those newly appointed to ministries in the Diocese, and parishes in transition



Coming up

Matariki - The office will be closed and staff taking a break on Friday 14th July for the public holiday. The Mission Shop will still open.

Coffee & K's - Next on Saturday 22nd
July when we will be doing the
Auckland Domain Loop and then
having coffee at The Wintergarden
Café.

Annual Quiz Night - Friday 28th July. Choose a song title for your team name and dress accordingly. \$20 per person, maximum 8 per table.

St Aidan's Day - Sunday 27th August.

Annual Garage Sale - Saturday 16th September.

Vestry Views

<u>Electronic sign:</u> Good news. Thanks to the skills of Dave Cotton and John Glenie we will soon be able to restore our electronic sign that was damaged in the Cyclone.

<u>Building project:</u> Vestry plan to extend the Gathering Area kitchen refurbishment project to include upgraded unisex toilets and a cleaners storage cupboard and sink within the footprint of the existing men's toilets in the hall building.

Pre-Sale of Preserves

After the services this Sunday there will be jams, jellies and preserves for sale, an early opportunity to buy some yummy preserves as we start



preparing for the Garage Sale on 16th September.

Ministry Conference

This week Louise, Kerry and Anne Priestley attended a two day ministry conference entitled, 'A Trauma Informed Church'. It's a difficult but crucial subject for our Church as we address the theme of trauma from both an institutional and pastoral perspective.

Annual Quiz Night

Our next social gathering will be the **Annual Quiz Night** on Friday 28th July. Choose a song title for your team name and theme. A sign up sheet will be out soon, \$20 per person, maximum of eight per team.

Spam Emails

Some emails claiming to be from Louise have been received again recently. Please be very careful about responding to requests for help without further explanation, and always check the email address. It is a timely reminder that we all need to be aware of internet scams and keeping safe online.

Auckland City Mission

During July we aim to boost our giving to the Auckland City Mission by highlighting high need items.

This week we are focusing on *spreads* (jam, peanut butter, honey, marmite) *biscuits, and small treats* (muesli bars, individual packs of chips or chocolates).

We will give a reminder of what to concentrate on in following weeks.

Thank you to everyone who regularly brings items for the City Mission.



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 27 th July, 7:30pm in the GA.			

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