

St Aidan's

Anglican Church

22 October 2023

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A Hospitable and Gracious Welcome

Readings

Isaiah 45:1-7

1 Thessalonians 1:1-10

Matthew 22:15-22

Sentence

"Give to Caesar the things that are Caesar's
and to God the things that are God's."

Matthew 22:21

Prayer

Almighty God,
by whose grace alone
we are accepted and called to your service
Strengthen us by your Holy Spirit
and make us worthy of our calling
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.

WORSHIP

CARING

MISSION

5 Ascot Avenue, Remuera, Auckland

What's on at St Aidan's

Today

8am - Holy Communion Service.

Hymns:

Proc: WOV 13 ii verse 1 & 2

Off: WOV 30 verse 1, 3, 5 & 6

Rec: WOV 189 verse 1, 5 & 6

9:30am - Family service with Holy Communion.

Kids' Church and Youth programs held during the service.

10:45am - Confidential prayer in the Side Chapel.

This Week

Office Closed - Monday 23rd October for Labour Day holiday, and also closed from 12pm on Tuesday 24th October. Open as usual from 9am Wednesday.

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

Weekly Prayer - Thursday, 9am in the GA, or join us via [Zoom](#).

Men's Breakfast - Thursday 26th October, 7:30am at Brown's Café. Contact Kerry for more info.

Writing Group - Friday 27th October, 10am in the GA. Speak to Anne P if you would like to know more.

Mission Shop - Open Thursday, Friday, Saturday, 10am to 2pm.

Prayers

- Restraint and calm by governments and groups worldwide in response to the conflict in Israel and Gaza
- Safety for people travelling over the Labour Day holiday weekend
- Our Writing Group as they meet on Friday to make greeting cards to uplift the spirits of those in prison at Christmas



Next Week

8am - Holy Communion Service.

9:30am - Youth and Family service with Holy Communion.

Coming up

Annual General Meeting - Sunday 19th November, approx. 10:45am after the 9:30am service.

If you have a report to write for the AGM reports booklet please send through to the office by Wednesday 1st November.

Clergy Leave

Louise returns from leave on Tuesday 24th October.

Kerry will be on leave from 27th to 30th October, returning 31st October.

National Church Survey



Thank you to everyone who has already completed a Church

Life Survey. If you have not yet done so there is still time, either online at shorturl.at/fotw3 or fill in a printed copy - these are available in the GA.

Refurbishment Fund

Pledges to our Refurbishment Fund now total \$210,450 - thank you to everyone who has contributed to achieve such a tremendous result! Tenders have now been requested, so we hope to make a start on the projects very soon, possibly even before the end of this year.

Any surplus funds will be used to progress further building projects. You are still able to make a contribution if you would like and are in a financial position to do so. [Pledge forms](#) are still available in the GA, online, or from the office.

Office Closed

The office will be closed on Monday 23rd October for Labour Day holiday, and will only open from 9am to 12pm on Tuesday 24th October. Please contact Kerry for any urgent issues, or if it can wait Anne will be back in the office on Wednesday 25th October as normal.

Writing Group

Friday 27th October, 10m in the GA. This month, we are partnering with the Prisoner Correspondence Network, to write greetings cards for prisoners in NZ. These cards will be sent in December to some often-forgotten members of society. Materials and cards provided. The Writing Group also offers a quiet hour to tackle a social concern close to your heart if you prefer. BYO device (Wifi available), or pen and paper. Speak to Anne P if you would like to know more.

Morning tea provided, all welcome.



Coffee & K's

If you missed the last walk on Saturday 21st October, there is still one final walk you can join this year on Saturday 25th November, 12noon walking Orakei Basin and followed by brunch at Ampersand Café.

'The Apostle' Magazine

The Christmas edition will be coming out very soon, and our theme is "Preparing" as we move into the season of Advent. If you would like to contribute an article or photos the deadline is 5th November.

Regular Events @ St Aidan's

Sunday Services	8:00am Holy Communion 9:30am Family Communion with Youth and Kids' Church
AAW	A women's fellowship group meets on the 1 st Tuesday of each month at 1:30pm in the GA.
Choir Practice	Practise Saturdays, 10:00am in the Bethel Room (in the upstairs offices). Contact Antoinette.
Contemplative Prayer	Meditation (online) each Wednesday at 9:45am - contact Anne 524 2452.
Kids' Church	All children aged 3-10 during the 9:30am service. Contact Izzi .
mainly music	Wednesday at 9:30am in the Hall during school terms. Music and play for families with pre-school aged children. Contact Tracy .
Men's Ministry	Meets on the last Thursday of each month for breakfast at 7:30am. Contact Kerry .
Mid-week Communion	Mid-week Holy Communion held each Wednesday at 11:30am.
Pins & Needles	A knitting for charity group. Meets monthly on 2 nd Monday at 10:00am in the GA. All welcome
Prayer Meeting	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 #.
Small Groups	All welcome! Contact your home group leader, or speak to Sheryl or Louise for information about joining a Home Group.
Vestry	Meet monthly 7:30pm in the GA on the fourth Thursday. Next formal meeting 26 th October..
WEF	A women's evening fellowship group. Meets monthly on 3 rd Tuesday at 7:30pm in the GA.
Writing Group	Community-focused writing for advocacy and justice, 10:00am on the last Friday of each month - contact Anne 524 2452.
Young Adults	Meets every 2 nd Sunday at 11am plus occasional social events. Contact Isobell .
Youth	School aged youth (age 11+), Sunday at 9:30am service and Friday at 7:00pm. Contact Nic .

Contacts @ St Aidan's

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