

St Aidan's

Anglican Church

5 November 2023

Today's service comes from page 476 of the New Zealand Prayer Book,
and will be available online via [Facebook](#) or [YouTube](#)

Blessed Are You

Readings

Revelation 7: 9-end
1 John 3: 1-3
Matthew 5: 1-12

Sentence

Rejoice and be glad for your reward is
great in heaven.

Matthew 5:12

Prayer

Almighty God,
give your people grace to withstand
the temptations of the world, the flesh and the devil,
and with pure hearts and minds to follow you,
the one true God;
through Jesus Christ our Saviour.
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:

P: WOV 144 ii vs 1, 2 & 4

O: WOV 376 all verses

R: WOV 384 vs 1, 7 & 8

9:30am - Family service with Holy Communion.

Kids' Church and Youth programs held during the service.


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

Our 9:30am service is livestreamed on our [Facebook](#) page, and uploaded later to our [YouTube](#) channel.

This Week

AAW Meeting - 1:30pm on Tuesday 7th November, AGM in the GA.

Auckland Prayer Breakfast - 6:30am Thursday 9th November at Eden Park.

Tickets \$50 per person from  www.nzchristiannetwork.org.nz

Regular Weekly Events

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

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

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

Prayers

- For our youth and young people as they prepare for their exams
- Discernment as we consider who might stand for vestry at the coming AGM
- We pray for those who work to broker peace
- Our government representatives as they take up the reins of power



Next Week

8am - Holy Communion Service.

9:30am - Family service with Holy Communion.

Coming up

Pins & Needles - Monday 13th November, 10am in the GA.

Annual General Meeting - Sunday 19th November, approx. 10:45am after the 9:30am service. Nominations are now open for vestry and People's Warden.

Women's Evening Fellowship - 7:30pm on Tuesday 21st November for Christmas carols, desserts and punch.

Coffee & K's - our final walk for the year is on Saturday 25th November, 12pm walking Orakei Basin followed by lunch 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 any photos, the deadline for content is 9am on Monday morning.

Refurbishment Fund

The fund is still open. [Pledge forms](#) are available in the GA and online. Contact the office for more info.

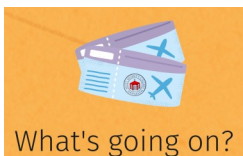
Building Project Progress

Requests for Tenders have been sent out to a number of builders, with submissions closing on 10th November when our team will consider the quotes received. Please pray for the process as we move to the next step.

Jerusalem Trip

Some people have asked about the Young Adults trip to Jerusalem which had been planned to depart this month. Their trip has been postponed until late 2024. We give thanks that trip costs, airfares,

accommodation, etc., have been able to be deferred.



Annual General Meeting

Our 2023 Annual general Meeting will be held Sunday 19th November at approx. 10:45am, after the conclusion of the 9:30am service.

If you have a report to write for the AGM and have not yet sent it through, please get it to the office by 9am tomorrow for inclusion in the Annual Reports booklet.

Vestry and People's Warden nomination forms are now available in the GA. Please place completed forms in the marked box or hand into the office. Deadline for nominations is 12 noon on Sunday 12th November, and names will be displayed on the notice board so we can pray about voting.

Resignation - Tracy Helg

Sadly Tracy Helg our mainly music Coordinator has needed to resign from her role. Her energy and enthusiasm will be greatly missed from the Wednesday group.

Over the coming weeks as we look to advertise and recruit a successor for Tracy, mainly music will be led by Vaoa. Please contact Kerry if you know someone who might be interested

this this paid position of five hours per week.



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 Kerry .
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 strategic meeting 23 rd Nov.
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 .

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