

St Aidan's

Anglican Church

21 April 2024

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God's Care and Provision

Readings

Acts 4:5-12

Psalm 23

John 10:11-18

Sentence

I am the good shepherd. I know my own and
my own know me, just as the Father knows me
and I know the Father.

John 10:14 -15

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.

WORSHIP

CARING

MISSION

5 Ascot Avenue, Remuera, Auckland

What's on at St Aidan's

Today

8am - Holy Communion

9:30am - Family service with Holy Communion. *No Kids' Church or Youth Group held during School Holidays, however activity sheets are available in the children's corner at the back of the church.*

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

This Week

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

Anzac Day Service - 9:30am on Thursday. A service will be held in the church, before moving to the memorial cross to conclude with formalities, prayers, and wreath laying.

THE OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON THURSDAY for the Anzac Day public holiday.

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

Coffee & K's - Saturday 27th April, 10am at Westhaven Waterfront. Park in front of 105 Curran Street, Westhaven Reserve, or meet in St Aidan's carpark by 9:30am for carpooling.



Prayers

- ♦ Victims of random violence as they and the community cope in the aftermath
- ♦ For the de-escalation of the conflict in the Middle East, and that there maybe a peaceful way forward
- ♦ As we acknowledge Anzac Day this week, we remember the sacrifice of so many who left our shores and didn't return



Next Week

8am - Holy Communion

9:30am - Family service with Holy Communion. *Kids' Church and Youth Group resume.*

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

Coming Up

Farewell for Kerry & Vaoa - Sunday 5th May, **one service only at 9am**, followed by morning tea, then moving to the Hall for a shared lunch. Bring a plate of finger food to share if you are able.

St Aidan's Youth Open Day - Saturday 11th May, 11:30am to 2pm.

SGM - Sunday 26th May to appoint three nominators in the process of appointing a new Vicar.

8am Service Roster

We are in need of some more people to assist with the 8am service roster - a reader, someone to administer grape juice, chalice, and a liturgist. You would only be rostered on once a month. Please see Louise if you want to find out more or at least try the role.

Coffee & K's

Saturday 27th April, the Westhaven Waterfront Walk - gathering point in front of 105 Curran Street, Westhaven Reserve, Herne Bay. Parking is available. The walk will be followed by coffee at Buoy Cafe & Eatery, 141-151 Westhaven Drive, Westhaven. Meet in St Aidan's carpark by 9:30am for carpooling. This will be Vaoa and Kerry's final walk with us, however regular walks will continue, organised in future by Annette and Ronnie.

Youth Open Day

Saturday 11th May, 11:30am to 2pm. Learn about our Youth Group and Kids' Church programmes, get a tour of the church, free kai for lunch, games and activities! Expressions of interest to youth@staidans.co.nz



Vestry Update

Vestry has decided that, in view of Louise advising that she will be retiring in February 2025, we will now look for a replacement Vicar rather than a replacement Priest Associate for the role Kerry is vacating in May 2024. We will need to appoint three nominators to work alongside those nominated by the Diocese to assist in the process of appointing a new Vicar.

An SGM will be held on Sunday 26th May 2024 for the specific purpose of electing three nominators. We encourage you to start thinking about whether this is a role which is of interest to you. Further information on what is involved has been placed on the noticeboard in the Gathering Area.

Kerry & Vaoa Farewell

Kerry's final Sunday is 5th May, and there will be **one service only** on this Sunday at **9am**.

If you would like to make a donation toward a farewell gift please put in an envelope marked for Kerry and Vaoa and either drop into the offering or leave with the office.



Regular Events @ St Aidan's

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| Sunday Services | 8:00am Holy Communion 9:30am Family Communion with Youth and Kids' Church |
| AAW | A women's fellowship group meets in the GA 1 st Tuesday of each month, March to December, at 1:30pm. |
| Choir Practice | Practise on Sunday morning at 9am, Saturday practises currently on hold. 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 pre-school aged children and their families or care givers. Contact David . |
| Men's Ministry | Meets on the last Thursday of each month for breakfast at 7:30am. Contact Pete. |
| Mid-week Communion | Mid-week Holy Communion held each Wednesday at 11:30am from 14 th February. |
| Mission Shop | Open Thurs, Fri & Sat 10:00am-2:00pm. New volunteers welcome. Contact Jenny 027 7129548 |
| 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 small group (home group / house church / Bible study) leader, or speak to Sheryl or Louise for information about joining a small group. |
| Vestry | Meet monthly 7:30pm in the GA on the fourth Tuesday. Next formal meeting 23 rd April. |
| 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, usually 10:00am on the last Friday of each month, <i>however currently on hold until June</i> - contact Anne 524 2452. |
| Young Adults | Meets every 2 nd Sunday at 4pm to 6pm, 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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Mission Shop:

Outreach:

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