

Worship Details

St. Peter's Church

8.00 & 9.30 am Holy Communion

Readings:

The Call (Joy Cowley)

Matthew 4.18-22

Sentence:

Praise the Lord. O sing to the Lord a new song: give praise in the assembly of the faithful. (Psalm 149.1)

Collect:

Eternal God,
you have always taken men and women
of every nation, age and colour
and made them saints:
like them, transformed,
like them, baptised in Jesus' name,
take us to share your glory;
through Jesus Christ our Saviour. Amen.

Morning
tea will
be
served
after all
services.

Post Communion Sentence:

For you O Lord take delight in your people; and crown your humble folk with victory. (Psalm 149.4)

Prayer Focus - please pray

- * Giving thanks for the generosity of Academy Funeral Services for all the chairs they have donated to us.
- * For Marcia, John and family.
- * For John & Yaeko, Joseph & Caeli McLister.
- * For the family and friends of Alison Dawn. Alison's funeral was held last week.
- * For those known to us who are sick or having an operation - Ryan Holley, Stanley Woods, Fred Chung, Craig Anthony, Ashley Legat, June Woods, Keith Spragg, Michael Hawke, Elizabeth Goodwin, Phyllis Hay, Alec Nelson, Estelle Laugesen, Takeshi Hasegawa, Crystal & Stuart Munro, June Flint.
- * For support for all fundraising towards the restoration of St. Peter's Church.
- * For the Anglican Centre and all who work there as they shift from our place to 10 Logistics Drive.

Mission News

Our Mission Table next week is for Judith Looser in Pakistan and International Needs for 3 appeals - Bangladesh, Philippines and Ghana.

....Irene Coman

Coming Up....

'Noises Off' - 19 Nov
Akaroa Bus Trip - 20 Nov
Good News Club Play and Parish Picnic - 4 Dec
Carol Ser - 11 Dec St. Peter's
Carol Ser - 18 Dec St. Luke's
Remembrance Ser - 18 Dec

Sermons are on
the web



is available
in the porch.



Welcome

To the Anglican Parish of Upper
Riccarton-Yaldhurst

St. Peter's & St. Luke's Churches

Sunday 30 October 2016

THE YEAR OF GROWING

Celebrating All Saints Sunday

From our Vicar, Nick...

As we are celebrating All Saints it is good to be reminded that often people of different faiths live peaceably together.

We could feel like this is not happening based on the news reports we receive.

"Muslims in a village near Gojra in Pakistan's Punjab province are assisting local Christians with a new church building. The Muslim-majority village is home to eight Christian families. The new building will be the first ever church in the village. Muslim villagers are contributing finance as well as assisting with the actual construction work.

Ijaz Farooq, a Muslim villager, said, "Our mosque stands here from times past, but our Christian brothers also have the right to worship in their church". Faryal Masih, a Christian, said, "As far as I can remember, we have been living together, we partake in each other's happiness, sorrows and religious festivals". He added that Christians can "rest assured that our Muslim neighbours will stand by our side in times of trouble".

Source: "Barnabas Aid September/October 2016"

....Nick



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News in the Parish

Thank You, Thank You

Academy Funeral Services have very kindly donated to us all their chairs from their chapel. We will be able to use these in the Bowden Hall.

Goodbye, Goodbye

The Anglican Centre, Church Property Trustees, Recovery House, and Theology House Staff have moved to 10 Logistics Drive in Harewood. We knew they would move at some time and after 5 3/4 years the time has come. We will miss them and wish them God's blessings as they begin in another space.

Next of Kin Form

This form was included with your Bulletin last week. There are more on the table by the door. Please fill one out if you would like us to have a contact for you in the case of an emergency or accident. Sometimes it is difficult to find out where to visit someone when they are ill or they have been shifted from hospital to a place of care etc. The information received will be kept confidentially in the office. ...*Nick*

Church Restoration Fundraiser

Still some seats available for our theatre visit on Saturday, 19th November @ 7.30pm. Michael Frayn's hilarious and ever-popular on-stage/back-stage comedy *'Noises Off'* is guaranteed to entertain. Reserve your seats by putting your name on the list by the door or in the parish office. Tickets can then be picked up with payment of \$40 each which will include complimentary drinks and canapes pre-show. Those who have booked can get their tickets from me at church this morning – EFTPOS available. *David Winfield (convenor)*

Exciting Trip to Akaroa - Picnic, Service etc - Sunday 20th November, leaving here 11.30 am. Evensong is at 5 pm. Please put your name on the list if you are coming, indicating either by bus or own transport.



Morning Prayer

From Tuesday to Friday we offer morning prayers in the York Room. The time has been 8.30 am but this can be changed. We wondered how many are interested in coming along and if 9 am would suit better. Please phone the office or speak to Nick.

Christmas Gateway

This issue will focus on Thanksgiving and Christmas. We need articles - here are some ideas....

- Giving thanks and praise to God for all that we have had as the year comes to a close.
- Share what you want to thank God for.
- Share how God has touched your life in 2016
- Share how your Christmas is celebrated and what Christmas reminds you of.

Closing date for articles - 14 November.

Thank you all*Jen*

Rosters for readers, intercessors, chalice etc (for those without email) are on the table for collection.

Daytime Fellowship AAW

Our meeting on Wed 2 November begins at 10.00 am with Holy Communion. Following morning tea we will hold our AGM with reports and election of officers.

.... *Barbara Fleming 342.8982.*

News Beyond the Parish

Te Waiora's Annual Thanksgiving Service

The Te Waiora Christian Trust invites all supporters and interested folk to share in the annual Thanksgiving Service at Te Waiora House, Sunday 6 November, 2.30pm. This is an opportunity to give thanks to God for this beautiful retreat centre, to look over the facilities, and to enjoy the hospitality. Enquiries 03 318.0789.

Risingholme Orchestra Concert

Conductor: Philip Norman

Sunday 27 November, 2 pm, Avonhead School Hall.

Adults \$12, Children \$3 includes afternoon tea.

See more details on the noticeboard.

This Week's Diary

Monday 31 October

Sharing & Caring - 10 am, 111a Yaldhurst Rd.

Walking Group - 1.30 pm, Riccarton Domain.

Tuesday 1 November

Morning Prayer - 8.30 am, York Room.

Staff Meeting - 9 am York Room.

Exercise Class - 9.30 am, Parish Hall.

Parkstone Care Service - 10.30 am.

Mainly Music - 11 am, Parish Hall.

Oaks Service - 11.30 am.

Wednesday 2 November

Morning Prayer - 8.30 am, York Room.

Holy Communion - 10 am, Parish Hall.

Daytime Fellowship AAW - 10 am. *See above*

Ilam Life Care Service - 1.30 pm.

Thursday 3 November

Morning Prayer - 8.30 am, York Room.

Walking Group - 9.30 am, Princess Margaret.

Coffee & Chat - 10 am, York Room.

Choir Practice - 7.30 pm, Parish Hall.

Care Bears - 7 pm, Parish Hall.

Friday 4 November

Morning Prayer - 8.30 am, York Room.

Middlepark Service - 11.15 am.

Create With Fibre - 12.30 pm, York Room.

English Conversation Class - 4 - 6 pm.

Youth Orchestra - 6 pm, Parish Hall.

Saturday 5 November

Card Making Group - 10 am - 2 pm, Parish Hall. Bring something to share for lunch, your card making gear and \$5. Morning tea supplied.*Irene 348.7554.*

Next Week's Readings:

Haggai 1:15b-2.9

Thessalonians 2: 1-5, 13-17

Luke 20: 27-38



Our Youth Orchestra practise on a Friday in the hall from 6 pm - 7.30 pm. If you would like to join in please phone Khin Wee on 021 021 368 0790

Facebook

Are you viewing our Facebook page?

Lots of photos of our services are posted there.