# Worship Details

## St. Peter's Church

8.00 am Holy Communion



9.30 am Holy Communion & Celebrating the Life and Times of Nurse Maude, 1862-1935

Readings

Zechariah 9.9-12 Romans 7.15-25a Matthew 11.16-19, 25-30

#### Sentence

Jesus said, 'Come to me all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest.' (Matthew 11.28)

#### Collect

Unpretentious God, you call us as we are and in our weakness you find strength: help us to delight in who we are that we are set free to dream of all that we could yet become; through the grace of our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

#### **Post Communion Sentence**

Our help is in the name of the Lord, the maker of heaven and earth. (Psalm 124.8)

#### Prayer Focus - Please Pray .....

- \* Give thanks for the Nurse Maude Association.
- \* For Sue Robb, her family and friends.
- \* For those known to us who are sick or having an operation Craig Anthony, Phyllis Hay, Sunita Rai, David Kent, Mary Hewson, Keith Spragg, , Estelle Laugesen, Bill Fleming, Lyn Hawke, Sue Chappell, Helen Easterbrook, William a new born.
- \* For our year of strengthening.
- \* For continuing generous support for St. Peter's restoration campaign.
- \* For Bishop Victoria and our Diocesan Officers concerned with the ongoing Cathedral debate.
- \* The Parishes Heathcote-Mt Pleasant; Christ's College and Board of Governors; Christchurch Cursillo.

#### Mission News

Our Mission Table last week raised \$332.20 for the House of Sarah in Fiji. The House provides specifically Christian counselling in the region responding to gender inequality, discrimination and the elimination of violence against women and children.

Thank you for your wonderful support.

....Irene

Sermons are on the web



is available

# Welcome

To the Anglican Parish of Upper Riccarton-Yaldhurst

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

9 July 2017 Ordinary Sunday XIV

## Theme for the Year: Strengthening

#### From Our Deacon Assistant John ....

This week we celebrate the life of Nurse Maude – a devout Anglican whose ministry flowed from being a disciple of Christ.



Every registered nurse in New Zealand receives the five pointed NZ nursing medal.

The design of the medal reflects the ideals that guided Nurse Maude as she cared for Christchurch's sick and dying 100 years ago:

- 1 The Hand That my hand shall ever extend to help, comfort and relieve the sick and suffering
- 2 The Foot That my feet shall not falter, loiter or linger, when journeying to alleviate the suffering of the sick.
- 3 The Knee That my knee shall bow to the Almighty Creator in asking for guidance and aid in my endeavours
- 4 The Head That I would constantly pursue study and exercise my knowledge to benefit those who are suffering bodily or mental distress.



We give thanks and pray for the nursing community that cares for us;

and may the words of their star inspire us too.

....John

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# News in the Parish

Today we welcome to our 9.30 am service Representatives of the Nurse Maude Association.

Pamela and the Parish Office will be partly operating from the Bowden Hall during the next week or so. Please be understanding of the circumstances as everything is moved back into place.

## Restoration Fundraising....

#### Pens

THEY'RE BACK! In response to popular demand we have received another shipment of our engraved restoration pens, with a wider selection of barrel colours this time (still black ink). These are very good quality but still only \$5 each. To purchase see David Winfield, Fay Mangos, or Pamela at the parish office.

#### Quiz

Hope you are organising your team for the Quiz Night on Friday 4 August - you can register at any time with David or Jo Winfield. Ph. 322.8723.

#### **Next Gateway Magazine**

The closing date for articles has been changed to 2 August. Please do send your articles in before this date. email: seokjen@yahoo.com.sg. Also, please send a copy to Pamela at the office as well - stpeter@world-net.co.nz. Thank you all.

**Operation Christmas Child - Collection Month October** Boxes arriving soon for you if you want to partake this year.

Rosters for readers, intercessors, chalice and worship leaders etc are on the table for those without email.

#### **Volunteers to Deliver Red Cross Meals**

to folk in the Hornby/Upper Riccarton areas are required - ninety minutes on a weekday morning, usually once a fortnight and a token petrol allowance will be paid. For serious inquiries phone Lynette or Pat (Red Cross) at 339 3759 between 9 am - midday or for more informal information Di or Simon Ballantyne at 322 8826.

#### Celtic Night at St. Luke's

Very many thanks to John and David - and to all who were involved - for producing such a fine 'Celtic' night in a wonderful setting. The orchestra did a splendid job in both playing and accompanying and the Dancers were a delight. The whole programme of words, music, singing and dancing, plus the welcome supper afterwards, went by much too quickly and left us wishing for more so maybe one day we can have a repeat performance!

Thanks again. .....Margaret Kent

#### **Lost Scarf**

A brown and black linen scarf was misplaced at the Pre-Synod Meeting on Tuesday 4 July, in the Parish Hall. Please phone Barbara Ludecke on 942.6214 if you know of its whereabouts or if found please leave at the office.

#### **Scripture Union Notes**

If you are interested in purchasing Bible reading notes please give Lynne Ellis a call on 980 0215. You can order a one-off booklet or a year's supply.

# News Beyond the Parish

Older Persons' Gathering - Musical Entertainment Wed 19 July, 1.30 - 3.30 pm, Riccarton Baptist Church, 80 Rattray Street. Gold coin donation. Transport is available.

#### **Visiting Theologians - A Preaching Series**

Sunday Evensongs, at the Transitional Cathedral, 5 pm. 23 July, 13 August, 24 September, 29 October. Seminars and refreshments to follow.

**Two Anglican Christian Studies** - MMF 508 Building Intergenerational Community - supporting Youth & Children's Ministry etc. 28-29 July. BST 512 Introduction to the Gospel of Luke - breadth and depth of this Gospel. 4-5 & 18-19 August.

See details on the noticeboard of the above items.

#### Bishop Julius Hall Choir, Elgato

Performing a variety of songs from a range of different genres and languages on 11 August, 7 pm in our Parish Hall. *All Welcome.* (This is the Choir that sings at the Family Service.)

# This Week's Diary

## Monday 10 July

Walking Group - 1.30 pm, Riccarton Domain.

#### **Tuesday 11 July**

Morning Prayer - 9 am, York Room. Staff Meeting - 9.30 am, York Room. Exercise Class - 9.30 am, Parish Hall. Mainly Music - 11 am, Parish Hall. Homestead Service - 11 a.m. Create with Fibre - 1 - 3.30 pm. Mayfair Service - 3. pm.

#### Wednesday 12 July

Morning Prayer - 9 am, York Room. Holy Communion - 10.00 am, Parish Hall. Daytime Fellowship AAW Remits Meeting -1.30 pm, York Room.

#### Thursday 13 July

Morning Prayer - 9 am, York Room. Walking Group - 9.30 am, Ray Blank Park. Coffee & Chat - 10 am - noon, York Room. Choir practice - 7.30 pm, Parish Hall.

#### Friday 14 July

Morning Prayer - 9 am, York Room. 'A Team' - 9 am - noon. Meet at Parish Hall. English Conversation Class - 4-6 pm, Petersgate Youth Orchestra - 6 - 7 pm. Youth Group - 7 - 8.30 pm.

> Next Week's Readings Isaiah 55.10-13 Romans 8.1-11 Matthew 13.1-9, 18-23



Our

Walking

Group

walks twice a week -Mondays at 1.30 pm and Thursdays at 9.30 am.

Ph. Gayle for further information on walks and areas to meet. 343. 3401.

