

Worship Details

St. Peter's Church

8.00 am - Holy Communion

9.30 am - Holy Communion

11.00 am - Family Service



Readings: Isaiah 6.1-8
Psalm 19.8-11
Romans 8.12-17
John 3.1-17

Sentence:

Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts; the whole earth is full of God's glory. (Isaiah 6.3)

Collect:

God the Holy Trinity,
we know you as a community of love,
our Creator, Redeemer and Giver of
life: grant us the joy of communities in
your likeness, which are creative, redeeming
and full of life;
through Jesus Christ our Saviour. Amen.



Post Communion:

Go and make disciples of all nations, baptising
them in the name of the Father, Son and Holy
Spirit. (Matthew 28.19)



Next Week's Readings

Deuteronomy 5.12-15
Psalm 19.8-11
2 Corinthians 4.5-12
Mark 2.23-3.6

Prayer Focus - Please Pray :-

- * Give thanks for all our volunteers.
- * For our Confirmation Candidates:-
Abbey Meiritz-Reid, Caed Falloon, Ethan Wilson-
Bruce, Kathryn Shearing, Sophie Butler, Sophie
Meiritz-Reid.
- * For those known to us who are sick, especially
Craig, Garth.
- * For those in prison and their families.
- * For the proposed Christian pre-school.
- * For the generous support of all towards our
Restoration Fund.
- * For St. John the Baptist, ChCh. The Anglican
School Office.

Mission Focus

Our Mission Table next week is for Nick and
Tessa Laing and their work in Uganda. May
they continue to share the love of God with their
neighbours and all families they interact with on
a daily basis.

...Irene Coman

Sermons are on the web



is available

Welcome

To the Anglican Parish of Upper
Riccarton-Yaldhurst

St. Peter's & St. Luke's

27 May
2018



Trinity
Sunday

Theme: The excitement is
"BUILDING"

From Our Vicar, Nick

I had a moment at Clergy Conference. This year it was
at Living Springs; much closer to home, and the camp
site has a wonderful view of the harbour and out to
the heads. Early in the morning the sun was just rising
over the Lyttelton heads. I could see out to sea and
the morning light picked out the outline of the hills
and the cabbage tree growing at the camp. I tried to
take a photo to show Rosemary but of course the
photo doesn't do the moment justice.

This Sunday we celebrate Trinity Sunday. The doctrine
of the Trinity is a foundational one for Christians. We
know God best as a dynamic community of love,
Father, Son and Holy Spirit. The doctrine is present in
the Bible and many great thinkers have helped us
understand it.

One such teacher was St Thomas Aquinas. He wrote a
huge number of massive tomes about God. And they
are very good, but then one day he had a vision of
God. He stopped writing from that point on. When
asked about the vision and his writing stopping, he
said, "Compared to that vision, all I have ever written
is straw".

We all have much to learn and much to teach about
the infinite love and grace of God. But always God is
more than we can express in words or indeed photos.

....Nick

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News in the Parish

Family Service at 11 am today in the Bowden Hall.

Gateway Magazines are ready for delivery today.

If you are not on a delivery list please take a copy from the table.

Restoration Fundraising

Our Living Bequest programme has been launched and most will have received a letter about this. For further information or to sign up please speak to David Winfield, Corin Murfitt or the Vicar. But wait, there's more tickets are now available for an evening with Archbishop Sir David Moxon formerly Primate of the Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and the Pacific but more recently the Anglican Church's representative at the Vatican. With a number of opportunities to meet Pope Francis he has some fascinating stories to relate. We can hear him at a restoration **fund-raising evening on Tuesday 19th June, from 7.00pm** at La Vida Conference Centre, 34A Hanson's Lane with refreshments provided as well. Tickets (\$40 single, \$75 double) available from committee members or the Parish Office with eftpos provided. Do pass the word around for what will promise to be a great evening.*David 322.8723*

Book Sale

Friday 22 and Saturday 23 June we will have our "Biggest Book Sale". Please leave any excess books, records, magazines at the office. Lists will be in church soon for you to add your name if you wish to help.

Coffee & Chat

A lovely round pale blue tablecloth with scalloped edges is missing from the Coffee and Chat drawer. If you have taken it home to wash or have seen it lying around please let Helen Easterbrook know. Ph. 348.3679.

The helpers' rosters are on the table for collection.

Tree Talk—Sunday 29 July, 2 pm.

See details in the Gateway Magazine.

Morning Tea Helpers

If you would like to help with this duty please let Pamela know.

"A Team" Volunteers

People of all ages are invited to join the men and women volunteers who spend their Friday mornings as part of the "A Team" in fellowship and light maintenance work around the church grounds. Read all about what they do in the Gateway Magazine. Look out for them round the Parish Hall anytime between 9 am and midday on a Friday.*Dennys Guild 357.4204.*

Create With Fibre

This group meets on Tuesday afternoons from 1 pm to 3 pm. Everyone is welcome to come along for a chat and to work on the project of your choice. Any way of creating is welcome. Cost is \$1 and includes a cuppa. For more information phone Margaret Duffy on 342.7098 or 027.256.8202.

Spectacle Drop Off

Please drop off to the hall any unwanted spectacles you, your friends, or relatives etc no longer need. They are delivered to the Island folk who are very appreciative of them. There is a marked bag on the table for these. *Leigh Craythorne.*

News beyond the Parish

An Inspiring Concert 'Momentum: The past, present and future of Atlas Voices' at Knox Church, 2.30pm today. Featuring a number of their previous highlights including Mozart's Requiem. If you have heard them before you will know their incredible talent. If not this would be a good opportunity to discover it for yourself. Further information from David or Jo Winfield.

....*David 322.8723*

This Week's Diary

Monday 28 May

Walking Group -1.30 pm, Fendalton Park.

Tuesday 29 May

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.
Create With Fibre—1 pm, Parish Hall.

Wednesday 30 May

Morning Prayer—9 am, York Room.
Holy Communion—10 am.
Vestry Meeting—7.30 pm.

Thursday 31 May

Morning Prayer—9 am, York Room.
Walking Group—9.30 am, Jellie Park.
Coffee & Chat—10 am, York Room.
Choir practice—7.30 pm, Parish Hall.

Friday 1 June

Morning Prayer—9 am, York Room.
'A Team' volunteers—9 am—noon, near Hall.
Middlepark Service—11.15 am.
English Conversation Class—4 pm, Bowden Hall.
Youth Orchestra—6 pm, Bowden Hall.
Confirmation Class, 7 pm, Vicarage.



New Parish Rolls are available from the Office.

Rosters are on the table for collection.

Bulletin

If you want to receive the Bulletin by email, please let Pamela know



I know it's early Vicar, but I figured you'd be up praying.

Save this date.... Sunday 1 July, 9.30 am Service

Our Patronal Festival & Confirmation

Bishop David Coles and a special catered lunch.

More details soon.