

## Worship Details

### St. Peter's Church

8.00 am - Holy Communion

9.30 am - Holy Communion &  
Celebration of the Life of Nurse  
Maude



#### Readings:

Micah 6: 8-12

Psalms 103:1-4, 8, 10, 12-13

James 2:14-17

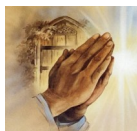
Matthew 25:31-45

#### Sentence:

Jesus said, 'When you did it for the least one of these, you did it for me.' (cf Matthew 25:40)

#### Collect:

Caring God,  
in every time and place you call people  
to care with compassion for the vulnerable:  
call us today  
that like your servant Nurse Maude,  
we may discover the Christ in the least;  
in his name we pray. Amen.



#### Post Communion:

If a brother or sister is naked and lacks daily food, and one of you says to them, 'Go in peace; keep warm and eat your fill,' and yet you do not supply their bodily needs, what is the good of that? (James 2:15-16)

#### Next Week's Readings:

Amos 7: 7-15

Psalms 103: 1-4, 8, 10, 12-13

Ephesians 1: 3-14

Mark 6: 14-29



#### Prayer Focus - Please Pray:-

- \*Give thanks for The Nurse Maude Association.
- \* For Robyn Snell and her family as they mourn the death of their mother, Lynda Edith Snell.
- \*For those known to us who are sick, especially Craig, Garth.
- \*For Riccarton Clinic.
- \* For Riccarton Primary School.
- \* For the Christian pre-school, on site.
- \* For the generous support of all towards our Restoration Fund.
- \* For the Parish of Heathcote-Mt Pleasant. Christ's College and Board of Governors.

#### Mission Focus

Our Mission Table for Dianne Bayley in the Philippines will be held in August. Dianne has been serving with Children's Bible Ministries for 40 years. ....Irene Coman

Sermons are on the web



is available

# Welcome

To the Anglican Parish of Upper  
Riccarton-Yaldhurst

## St. Peter's & St. Luke's

8 July 2018

Ordinary Sunday XIV

Theme: The excitement is  
"BUILDING"

#### From Our Vicar, Nick

He came one night, just on tea time. For some reason I had made too much food for the family that night. "Can I have a feed", he asked. He smelt really bad and I didn't want him inside. I didn't even trust him with a plate, so I got him to sit on the door step with a plastic plate. "Great feed" he said, "I'll make it up to you". I thought nothing more of it, never expecting to see him again. Then a month later he was back at the door. "Brought a loaf of bread to thank you," he said. He had his bike with him. It turned out he had biked from Rangiora to thank me.



You never know the impact for good a small action can have on someone's life.

Today as we celebrate Nurse Maude, we give thanks for the small acts of kindness which grew into an organisation committed to compassion.

In our own lives we cultivate small acts of kindness, not because we will be rewarded, not because one day we might be a Nurse Maude but simply because the giving of compassion gives our lives meaning and purpose.

....Nick

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## News in the Parish

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

### **Good News Club and Pre-School Group**

Please note that there will be no Sunday School for either of the above groups next week, 15 July, due to school holidays. ...*Fiona*.

### **Restoration Fundraising**

It has been a busy time recently with various events and the regular receiving of donations. Living Stones and Blocks continue to prove a popular means of support and now our Living Bequest programme is operating we anticipate further giving by this means. Please speak to me, Corin Murfitt (348.8625) or Edwin Boyce (344.5257) if you'd like to follow up on this yourself.

Looking well ahead there will be a further **Quiz Night on Friday 31 August** so you have plenty of time to gather up your team and pass the word around family and friends.

As some may be aware there are signs of progress around the church itself as all portable objects are being removed and stored, good to see. Thanks for all the help you are providing. ....*David Winfield, 322.8723*.

### **Wanted:**

Double knitting wool is required by parishioners (Lynn, Michelle and Angela) who are knitting blankets for charity. If you have any you don't need please leave at church or the office.

### **Garage Sale—29th September, 9 am to 12 noon.**

This is a reminder of things we can't sell—electric blankets, TVs, any computers or parts thereof including printers, video players, children's car seats, chipped or broken crockery.

Our September sale is being led by Jo Winfield and Gwen Guild with assistance from others. Further down the track we will be looking for helpers and bakers.

### **Zero Carbon Act**

On 9th July there is to be a public consultation on the above topic —6—8 pm at the Anglican Centre, 10 Logistics Drive, Harewood. Or you can speak to the Vicar, Nick, about what you would like to contribute towards this.

### **Christmas Shoe Boxes**

These will be arriving shortly.

### **Parish Hall Chairs**

Thank you very much for your flexibility in using the hall as a Church and a meeting place. The Health and Safety Committee ask that if you are stacking chairs only go 5 high as the bottom ones become too squished to get out. ....*Nick*

### **Stamps for Missions**

We have a large box of trimmed stamps due to be delivered to Wellington to the Anglican Missions Board. If you are going that way and wouldn't mind an extra parcel, please call at the office for them. Thank you.

### **Spectacle Drop Off**

Please drop off to the hall any unwanted spectacles you, your friends, or relatives no longer need. They are delivered to the Island folk who are very appreciative of them. ....*Leigh Craythorne*.

## News beyond the Parish

### **Volunteers Required by Red Cross**

to deliver meals to folk in the Hornby/Upper Riccarton areas. Ninety minutes on a weekday morning, once a fortnight. A token petrol allowance is paid. Enquiries to Lynette or Pat at 339.3759.

## **This Week's Diary**

### **Monday 9 July**

Sharing & Caring—10 am.

Walking Group—1.30 pm, Fendalton Park.

### **Tuesday 10 July**

Morning Prayer—9 am.

Staff Meeting—9.30 am.

Exercise Class—9.30 am.

Homestead Ilam—11 am.

Create With Fibre—1 pm,  
York Room.

Mayfair Service—3 pm.

### **Wednesday 11 July**

Morning Prayer—9 am.

Holy Communion—10 am.

### **Thursday 12 July**

Morning Prayer—9 am.

Walking Group—9.30 am, Princess  
Margaret.

Coffee & Chat—10 am.

Care Bears—7 pm, York Room.

No Choir practice this week.

### **Friday 13 July**

Morning Prayer—9 am, York Room.

'A Team' volunteers—9 am—noon, near Parish Hall.

### **Saturday 14 July**

Card Making Group—10 am—4 pm, Bowden Hall.

Bring your gear and a plate towards a shared lunch.

Only \$5.



"About my loaves and fishes...  
Could I get a receipt for tax  
purposes?"

'Next of Kin' forms are  
available on the table.  
Please fill out and drop  
into the office.

### **Coming up - For your diaries**

**Commitment Sunday—  
29 July**

**Tree Talk—29 July**

**Racing Service—  
5 August**

**Gateway in Church—5  
August**

**Quiz—31 August**

**Spring Service—2 Sept,  
10 am, here.**

**Garage Sale—29 Sept**

**Plant Sale—13 Oct**

### **Bulletin**

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