

## Worship Details

### St. Peter's Church

8.00 am—Holy Communion

9.30 am—Holy Communion

### St. Luke's Church

9.30 am Holy Communion



**Readings:** Daniel 12.1-3  
Psalm 24  
Hebrews 10.11-14, 19-25  
Mark 13.1-8

**Sentence:**  
Let us hold firmly to the hope we profess, because we can trust God to keep the promise. (Hebrews 10.23)

**Collect:**  
God who is making the heavens and the earth,  
like a woman in labour,  
you long for the birth of the promised time:  
give us patience to trust your timing,  
strength to push,  
and courage in all that lies ahead  
that our joy may be complete;  
through Jesus Christ our Redeemer. Amen.

#### Next Week's Readings:

Daniel 7: 9-10, 13-14

Psalm 93

Revelation 12: 4b-8

John 18: 33-37

#### Prayer Focus

We pray:-

- \* For the families of the recently departed....
  - \* Tuainekore Uri-ke (especially Nicole & Tiava and Irene & Peter);
  - \* And Niall.
- \* Giving thanks for our pre-school and praying for the engagement of excellent staff.
- \* For the Church—the Parish of Ross & South Westland; Christian Conference of Asia.
- \* For excellent tenders for our restoration of St. Peter's.
- \* For an end to war in Syria.
- \* For the community— The Girl Guides Association.
- \* For those who are sick—especially Craig R and those in need, the forgotten, the elderly and those living on their own.
- \* For our own ministries.

#### Mission Update

Our Mission Table on 4 November raised \$498 for the Stay Real Programme and Mission to Seafarers. The Stay Real Programme has been running for 20 years. Richard Starling writes that he believes the key to longevity has been his morning prayers with God. Our Rev John has written a very good article in "The Common Good" magazine about Seafarers being exploited. On International Sea Sunday we recognise seafarers as being poorly paid and often exploited internationally in the work force. ....Irene Coman

# Welcome

To the Anglican Parish of Upper  
Riccarton-Yaldhurst

## St Peter's & St Luke's

18 November 2018

Ordinary Sunday XXXIII

Theme: The excitement is  
"BUILDING"

### From Priest Assistant John



Parihaka - November 5th.

I got an email recently from my son's teacher: "Could you come and talk to the class about Parihaka". She said she knew little about the story. Joe had mentioned I was attending a Parihaka Remembrance Service at Rapaki, so she thought I could help.

In 1881, Government troops invaded the Maori settlement at Parihaka in Taranaki. The people there had been opposing the Crown's confiscation of Maori land. Inspired by Jesus' words to love your enemy, their leader Te Whiti encouraged non-violent resistance. When the Crown fenced their ancestral land, Parihaka people pulled the fences down; when their fields were taken they continued to plough the soil and plant potatoes; and when the troops arrived with guns to arrest the Parihaka men, the children greeted them singing and offering food. The men were sentenced to hard labour and a number were imprisoned in Lyttelton jail. Several died in captivity and their bones are buried at Rapaki.

Joe's teacher did not hear about Parihaka at school. But Mohandas Gandhi did read accounts about it. It was Parihaka that inspired Gandhi's own campaign of non-violent resistance for Indian independence.

I hope my son grows up hearing these stories – that there is a Gospel alternative to human violence and injustice.

### Contact Us.....

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## News in the Parish

### Correspondence Received:

"Dear Rev'd Nick & St. Peter's, Church Corner...

**Thank you** so much for making the effort to visit us. It was very much appreciated. Our numbers drop off over the winter so we all found it encouraging.

Also thank you for your gifts of the books and print of your church—now framed and hanging in our Church office.

Special thanks for your contribution and presence in our service.

Wishing you all the best in the restoration of your church.

God bless from us all at St. Peter's, Kaikoura.

...*Shirley Roberts, Secretary.*"

and

### "Thank You

Irene and I would like to thank all parishioners for their cards, phone calls, prayers and expressions of sympathy during our sudden, tragic loss of our granddaughter's husband, through a work related accident.

....*Irene & Peter Coman.*"

### Free Plywood

We have offcuts of untreated three ply left over from recovering the folding trestles in the hall to give away to budding toy makers. Five pieces 500mm x 1200mm and five pieces 400mm x 1800mm. *Please ring Dennys on 357 4204 if interested.*

### A Bargain—Mobility Scooter for Sale

A generous parishioner has donated a brand new Invercare Orion series Mobility Scooter to the parish. We are inviting parishioners to offer \$3,000 or more to purchase this brand new machine worth \$5,000 if you were to buy it over the counter. Full details and hand book are in the office with Pamela. Offers must be received prior to 30th November. The money will be put towards the restoration of St Peters.

**Restoration Fundraising** 1) another grand **Christmas raffle** - thank you for donations towards this - twenty prizes on offer. Tickets are being printed now and hopefully will be available for sellers to take next Sunday. 2) a Christmas **Quiz Night** on Friday 7 December - pop it on your calendar and start to gather your team members for a fun evening. \$10 a head or \$5 school students. Registrations can be made on the list by the church door or by emailing [jo.winfield49@gmail.com](mailto:jo.winfield49@gmail.com). Raffle prizes for this event also gratefully received. 3) a new stock of engraved pens **have arrived** and these can be purchased (\$5 each) from Pamela in the Office, Fay Mangos or David and Jo Winfield. Our attractive card packs and church prints are still available and make ideal small gifts for Christmas. Thank you again, *David Winfield Ph 322 8723.*

The Fundraising Committee have produced a **Bequest Pamphlet**, so if you are going to a lawyer, accountant, supermarket or library, please take a few and ask to have these put on their noticeboards etc as this will save us \$100s in postage. Pamphlets are by the church doors.

### Christmas Cards for Sale

The last day for orders of Christmas Cards made by Judith is today. Order form on the table. Money received goes to the Restoration of the Church.

## News beyond the Parish

**Risingholme Singers** have their end of year concert on Saturday 24th November at 8pm in Heaton Normal Intermediate School's Performing Arts Centre, Heaton Street. Door sales available.

*Contact Jill Willmott 3883235.*

### Middleton Grange Evening Market

Friday 30 Nov 5-8 pm, 30 Acacia Ave. For sale: food, cakes, sweets, plants, books, toys clothes etc and an auction.

*See details of all the above on the noticeboard.*

## **This Week's Diary**

### Monday 19 November

Sharing & Caring—111a Yaldhurst Road.

Walking Group—1.30 pm, Riccarton Domain.

### Tuesday 20 November

Morning Prayer—9 am.

Staff Meeting—9.30 am, York Room

Exercise Class—9.30 am.

Mainly Music—11 am, Parish Hall.

Maples Service—11 am.

Create With Fibre—1 pm, York Rm.

### Wednesday 21 November

Morning Prayer—9 am.

Holy Communion—10 am, Parish Hall.

### Thursday 22 November

Morning Prayer—9 am.

Walking Group—9.30 am, Riccarton

Racecourse.

Coffee & Chat—10 am.

Care Bears—7 pm, York Room.

Choir practice, 7.30 pm, Parish Hall.

### Friday 23 November

Morning Prayer

St. Allisa Service—10.30 am.

English Conversation Class—4 pm, Bowden Hall.

Youth Orchestra—6 pm, Bowden Hall

Youth Group—7 pm—Bowden Hall



## **Coming Up.... For your diaries**

All Welcome to Join The Rev. John & Family at his Induction as Vicar of Lyttelton - Lyttelton Parish—St. Saviour's at Holy Trinity Church, 17 Winchester Street, 2nd December 4 pm.

### St. Peter's Walking Group

This group walks on a Monday at 1.30 pm and on a Thursday at 9.30 am. *Contact: Gail 343.3401.*

*Venues in Bulletin each week.*

### A quote from Pooh's Little Fitness Book—

**AA Milne.**

*"Do walk with a friend on a regular basis. That way, you are more likely to stick to your exercise regimen. Besides, it's so much more friendly with two."*

