

Worship Details

St Peter's Church

8:00am—Holy Communion

9:30am—Holy Communion

St Luke's Church

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Readings: Deuteronomy 30. 15-20
Psalm 119. 1-8
1 Corinthians 3.1-9
Matthew 5.21-37

Sentence

Blessed are those whose way is blameless,
who walk in the law of the Lord. (Psalm
119.1)

Collect

God of Israel, old and new:
write in our hearts the lesson of your law
and prepare our minds to receive the
gospel
made visible in your Son Jesus Christ our
Saviour.
Amen.

Versicle and Response for Intercessions

God of grace
you hear our prayer

Next Sunday's Readings

Leviticus 19.1-2, 9-18

Psalm 112.1-9

1 Corinthians 3.10-11, 16-23

Matthew 5.38-48



Prayer Focus

*For the sick, especially
Beverley, Leni, Wendy,
Marilyn and Suzanne.

*For pastoral care
volunteers to join the team
in this all-important
ministry.

*For our young adults'
Alpha Course. Pray too for
those leading the course,
and for enthusiasm
throughout the group.

*For the corona virus
outbreak. Pray for those
suffering the effects of this
epidemic, and for those
who have lost loved ones
during it.

*Pray for children through-
out our city, starting off
their year of learning &
education. Pray for
teachers and school staff.



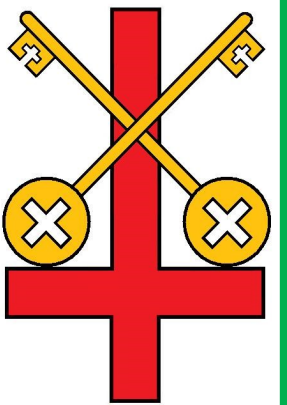
Welcome

To the Anglican Parish of
Upper Riccarton-Yaldhurst

**The Year of
Integration, Restoration and Education**

**St Peter's
&
St Luke's**

**16 Feb 2020
Ordinary Sunday 6**



The really observant of you will have noticed that the front of the bulletin changed last week. 3 words appeared: Integration, Restoration, Education. Big words but what does it all mean?

Last Sunday, Vestry along with key staff members, met for a prayerful afternoon. The purpose was to seek God's direction for the coming year. There is more than I can share here but a summary follows.

Integration refers to the Preschool. It is the goal of Parish leaders, Vestry and Staff to combine the life of the Preschool and Parish life as much as possible. For example each term we will offer a service that combines with the preschool at the 9:30am service. This is happening again on Palm Sunday. God willing Tilley the donkey will join us too! Many found the last one we had before Christmas a really joy-filled occasion.

Restoration. It is our joy to be opening the restored St Peters Church in December. Not only do we need to plan carefully the celebrations around this event but we also need to give thanks for the hall which has been our home for 10 years. We also need to prepare ourselves emotionally that the restored church will be different from the old church. There is lots to do, but what fun to be able to do it!

Education. Every Christian at every age and stage needs constant learning. Just this morning I was talking to a man in his 90's, who runs a bible study at his rest home. "I am committed," he said "to always learning." We have our Good News Club and Youth Alpha, and Lenten studies, I would love to teach more about prayer and have some permanent home groups in the Parish. **Integration, Restoration and Education.** Watch this space.

~ Nick

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News in the Parish



World Day of Prayer

Friday, 6th March 2020 is World Day of Prayer. You are invited to join in worship and fellowship at the St Peter's Church Hall at 10am. Offerings will be used to support projects in Zimbabwe and NZ, as well as to contribute towards local and international World Day of Prayer.
- Margaret Mahan

Ash Wednesday Service

We will be joining our neighbors at Our Lady of Victories for an Ash Wednesday service at 7pm. 106 Main South Road.

Chalice Training

If you currently serve or wish to serve on chalice during our services, there will be a training session on how to wipe the chalice on Sunday, 1st of March. Ask Reverend Nick for more details.



Lenten Study Groups

We would love to start our 2020 year off in the Word! Those wanting to begin or be apart of a Lent Bible study group, please contact Reverend Nick for more details.

Garage Sales 2020

The next garage sale will be held on the 21 March 2020. We are looking forward to receiving saleable items and clothing in good condition to sell please. The garage is open on Friday mornings from 9 - 12. Call Jo 3228723 if you need to arrange pickup. Please remember - no TVs, electric blankets, any computers or parts thereof including printers, video players and videos, children's car seats, chipped or broken crockery.

-Jo Winfield



Glorious Ganache Delights

We come now to our 2020 Vision for the return to St. Peter's church, and a number of events are being planned with the first being a return visit by Stephanie Hersh, to tell us about her time as assistant to International culinary expert Julia Child. This time alongside her entertaining anecdotes she will be doing a food preparation demonstration with tastings! Admission will be \$20 payable at the door but we would appreciate those intending to come putting their names on the list at the church door (bring some extra for raffle). **TONIGHT AT 4.00pm** in the Parish Hall - and then invite others.

- David Winfield

Lent Study Guides - Life in the Garden

Ash Wednesday is 26 February this year. Order your 2020 study guide now to arrive before Lent starts. Written for groups and individuals, the eight studies survey the place of the garden and gardening in Scripture. The studies come out of many years of experience in the garden and of life on the land. They offer a practical theology of the garden for our times, and it will encourage you to take up this sacred activity and to join with God in the renewal of the earth and its people.

\$8.50 per copy. Enquire at the Parish office.
- Nick



News Beyond the Parish

The Café Operana Trio plays the Rose Historic Chapel



From Baroque to Belle Epoque hear treasured European melodies amongst the sparkling heritage stained glass. A musical journey not to be missed!

2-4pm Sunday 23 February 2020
Gold coin koha

Mission Focus from Irene Coman

The Mission table was started in 1988 by Pamela Asch and Gwen Mills - both were Parishioners. Eventually the table was taken over by Margaret Williamson and a team. The sales tables were held in the foyer of the church on the first Sunday of the month.

In 1998 Margaret asked me to organise the table and we got a large trolley for the foyer as we couldn't fit all the stock on the small table. We dreaded the winters as it was so cold standing in the foyer.

In 2011 the earthquake came and we had to relocated to the Parish Hall. We had more room; as a result more money was raised. We have the figures from 1998 and at the end of 2019 we have raised \$65,925 for missions.



This Week's Diary

Sunday 16 Feb

Glorious Ganache Delights — 4pm, Parish Hall

Alpha Meeting — 5pm, Bowden Hall

Monday 17 Feb

Walking Group— 1:30pm, Fendalton Park

Tuesday 18 Feb

Morning Prayer—9am, York Room

Staff Meeting—9:30am, York Room

Exercise Class—9:30am, Parish Hall

Maples Life Service — 11:00am

Mainly Music — 11am, Parish Hall

Create with Fibre—1pm, York Room

Wednesday 19 Feb

Morning Prayer—9am, York Room

Wed Service —10am, Parish Hall

Thursday 20 Feb

Morning Prayer—9am, York Room

Walking Group — 9:30am, Princess Margaret (coffee)

Care Bears — 7pm, York Room

St Peters Choir — 7:30pm, Parish Hall

Friday 21 Feb

Morning Prayer—9am, York Room

A-Team—9am, by the hall

9-11am, Garage Sale Shed open

St Allisa Life Care Service — 10:30am

English Conversation Class—4pm, Bowden Hall

Family Orchestra — 6pm, Bowden Hall

