

# 28th Sunday of Ordinary Time

### Welcome

**Today's Service:** 

Preaching: Karen Killerby

**Presiding: Rev Jess and Simon Falconer** 

9am 10:30am Eucharist in Church Café Church in Hall with

Young Persons ministry

Amos 5:6 - 7, 10 - 15 Psalm 90:12 - 17 Hebrews 4:12 - 16 Mark 10:17 - 31 **Next Week:** 

9am Eucharist in Church

10:30am Eucharist in Hall with Young

Persons Ministry.

Next Sunday's - Readings

Isaiah 53:4 - 12 Psalm 91:9 - 16 Hebrews 5:1 - 10 Mark 10:35 - 45

There will be morning tea after the 9am service and before the 10:30am service this Sunday. Everyone is welcome.

#### This Week:

Monday 14 October

7:00am Morning Prayer In the Church Chapel

**Tuesday 15 October** 

7:00am Morning Prayer In the Church Chapel 2:00pm Bible Study 1/25 Ward Street

Wednesday 16 October

7:00 am Morning Prayer In the Church Chapel

10:00am Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion

Thursday 17 October

7:00am Morning Prayer In the Church Chapel

10:00am - Noon On Top Thursday In the Hall
 11:00am Fergusson Rest Home Service In the Chapel
 7:00pm Bible Study 158 McLeod Street

Friday 18 October

7:00am Morning Prayer In the Church Chapel

### Collect for this week:

God of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things, graft in our hearts the love of your name, increase in us true religion, nourish in us all goodness, and of your great mercy keep us in the same; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

# This week's lectionary readings and prayer suggestions:

Let us pray for St John's new Sunday service as it is developed/created.

### Monday 14 October

Galatians 4:21 - 24, 26 - 27, 31;5:1 Psalm 113 Luke 11:29 - 32

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**Diocesan Prayer**: Let us pray for Bishop Justin Duckworth and Bishop Ana Fletcher.

Anglican Missions: Today we pray for Anglican Financial Care as it serves and supports its members throughout Aotearoa New Zealand and Polynesia.

**Parish:** We pray for the Parish wardens and the Vestry.

### **Tuesday 15 October**

Galatians 5:1 - 6 Psalm 119:41 - 48

Luke 11:37 - 41

**Diocesan Prayer:** Let us pray for the Lower Hutt Anglicans as they begin their journey as an ECO Church.

**Anglican Missions**: Today we pray for the women in New Zealand and from our Church who provide continuing support for overseas mission.

**Parish:** We pray for our Whanau, that they either can come to know Christs love for them or develop a deeper faith.

# Wednesday 16 October

Galatians 5:18 - end Psalm 1 Luke 11:42 - 46

Diocesan Prayer: Let us pray for all the

Clergy in the Hutt Valley Cluster

**Anglican Missions:** Today we pray for r the New Zealand Church Missionary Society (NZCMS) and for those serving overseas as Mission Partners.

Parish: We pray for our Parish clergy.

### **Thursday 17 October**

Ephesians 1:1 - 10 Psalm 98:1 - 4 Luke 11:47 - end

**Diocesan Prayer:** Let us pray for the peacemakers who stand by the communities that are vulnerable.

**Anglican Missions**: Today we pray for r mission in Aotearoa New Zealand and for those who lead the Anglican Church in our Province.

**Parish**: We pray for Parish children & young people and their families.

### Friday 18 October - St Luke the Evangelist

Jeremiah 8:22 - 9:3

Psalm 145:10 - 18 2 Timothy 4:9 - 17a

Luke 10:1 - 9

**Prayer**: We pray for New Zealand Muslims and other faith, ethnic and vulnerable communities: We pray for their safety, care and wellbeing here in Aotearoa New Zealand.

Anglican Missions: Today we pray for the r mission agencies around the world and give thanks for the amazing work they do. Parish: We pray for everyone who is sick at present and those with underlining

# medical issues. Saturday 19 October

Ephesians 1:15 - end

Psalm 8

Luke 12:8 - 12

death of a loved one.

**Diocesan Prayer**: Let us pray for all the vacancies in the Diocese.

Anglican Missions: Today we pray for the Anglican Indigenous Network and its work in development, training and resource sharing of its international members Parish: We pray for those mourning the

### **Our Parish**

# A New Chapter for St John's: Uniting and Growing Together

Get ready for an exciting new season at St John's! In February next year, we're launching a refreshed Sunday morning worship service that will bring our parish together in a vibrant and inclusive way.

Starting at 10am, our inter-generational service will unite families, young and old, in the church, while our children's program (Godly Play) will offer meaningful spiritual education for our Tamariki.

This change sets the stage for growth, allowing us to better serve our community and welcome new families.

As we look to the future, we pray for and envision:

- A bustling creche for our littlest ones
- A dynamic youth group program for our teens
- A church overflowing with life, love, and laughter

This process is anchored in our values of faith, family and for others.

We're building for growth, and we invite you to be part of this journey.

Join us as we embark on this fresh expression of worship, embracing a bright future for St John's and keep an eye out for updates and opportunities to feedback.

This change is being led by Rev. Simon, Rev. Jessica, Judy, Kate, Shaun, Karen and Gavan.

A reminder that we have a collection for the **Food Bank**, at the 9am service, so if you would like to donate some food please leave it in the box at the door. They are very short of the following items: sugar, flour, corn, jam, rice, noodles, tea bags, beetroot, soap, soap powder.

The **next parish meeting** to discuss building a new vicarage is being held on **20 October at 2pm in the Hall**.

There is an **Easy Build house** on Fergusson Drive (Near the intersection of Totara park Rd and Fergusson Drive) which is open for inspection on Saturdays from 12 - 3pm. If you are interested It would be great if parishioners could have a look at is before the next parish meeting.

The Parish is holding another **Quizz Night** at the Tote on Wednesday 13 November at 7pm. Please keep these dates free.

The next **Upper Hutt combined churches men's breakfast** is at Arcadia (Cossie Club) at **8am, 26th October** (Saturday). The speaker is our very own Rev. Simon. Please RSVP to Simon in advance so we can plan breakfast.

The Graveyard Shift, the people who have been working in the Church Graveyard are going to have a plant sale on 26th October to raise funds to pay for the stuff they use in the graves. If anybody in the parish has plants they would like to contribute please bring them to the Hall on Friday 25th October. (The parish is not having a plant sale this year)

### **Our Staff and Parish Leaders**

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#### Ministry Leadership Team:

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# **Upcoming Diocesan Events:**

Join in an evening of worship, teaching and ministry with Pete Greig. 7:00 pm at "The Street" church in Wellington.
Monday 7 October, 7 pm at The Street Church, 9 Hania Street, Mt Victoria, Wellington. This is a free event with an offering taken up.

Join 70+ people, from 15 - 17 November at Ngatiawa River Monastery to connect, be discipled and upskill together in areas of social justice and advocacy.

 For more details go to https:// anglicanmovement.nz/upcoming-events.

### Prayer for Our Children:

Lord, grow us as disciples of Jesus and help us make disciples of others.

We pray for Your church to grow, - especially for our children.

Bring them back into relationship with You.

In Jesus name we pray. Amen.

# Giving details

### **Parish of Trentham Bank Account**

ANZ 06 0773 0009875 00. Put name and 'Giving' as reference.

### **Envelopes for Giving**

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