



**Trentham
Anglicans**
at St Johns

2 February 2025

The Presentation of Jesus

Welcome

Today's Service:

Preaching: Rev Jess or Simon Falconer

Presiding: Rev Jess or Simon Falconer

10am Eucharist in Church with
Godly Play

Malachi 3:1 - 4

Psalm 84

Hebrews 2:14 - 18

Luke 2:22 - 40

Next Week:

10am Eucharist in Church

Next Sunday's - Readings

Isaiah 6:1 - 8

Psalm 138

1 Corinthians 15:1 - 11

Luke 5:1 - 11

There will be morning tea after the service . Everyone is welcome.

This Week:

Monday 3 February

7:00am Morning Prayer In the Church Chapel

Tuesday 4 February

7:00am Morning Prayer In the Church Chapel

Wednesday 5 February

7:00 am Morning Prayer In the Church Chapel
10:00am Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion

Thursday 6 February - Waitangi Day

7:00am Morning Prayer In the Church Chapel

Friday 7 February

7:00am Morning Prayer In the Church Chapel

Collect for this week:

Everliving God, your Son Jesus Christ was presented as a child in the temple to be the hope of your people; grant us pure hearts and minds that we may be transformed into his likeness, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God for ever. Amen

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This week's lectionary readings and prayer suggestions:

Let us pray for St John's new Sunday service. That we can all work on welcoming others.

Monday 3 February

Hebrews 11:32 - end

Psalm 31:21 - end

Mark 5:1 - 20

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

Anglican Missions: Today we pray for the people of Tonga and in particular the staff and clergy of the Tonga Episcopal Unit. .

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

Tuesday 4 February

Hebrews 12:1 - 4

Psalm 22:25b - end

Mark 5:21 - 43

Diocesan Prayer: We pray for those joining in the diocesan evening prayer.

Anglican Missions: Today we pray for The Moana Community of St Clare in Fiji, and all those who are in similar communities that care for the vulnerable and marginalised.

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

Wednesday 5 February

Hebrews 12:4 - 7, 11 - 15

Psalm 103:1 - 2, 13 - 18

Mark 6:1 - 6a

Diocesan Prayer: We pray for the installation of Rev Graham Conlon at St John's Church, Fielding.

Anglican Missions: Today we pray for those swept over by natural disasters, and for those who extend their hands to pick them back up.

Parish: We pray for our Parish clergy.

Thursday 6 February - Waitangi Day

Hebrews 12:18 - 19, 21 - 24

Psalm 48:1 - 3, 8 - 10

Mark 6:7 - 13

Diocesan Prayer: We pray for the installation of Rev Paul Fletcher at St Tom's, Newtown.

Anglican Missions: Today we pray for the Anglican Church in Melanesia, which includes Vanuatu, Solomon Islands and New Caledonia

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

Friday 7 February

Hebrews 13:1 - 8

Psalm 27:1 - 6, 9 - 12

Mark 6:14 - 29

Diocesan Prayer: We pray for all the Parishes with vacancies. That the right person will be called to lead them

Anglican Missions: Today we pray for the Anglican Church of Papua New Guinea, as it faces challenges to the many communities it ministers to.

Parish: We pray for everyone who is sick at present and those with underlying medical issues.

Saturday 8 February

Hebrews 13:15 - 17, 20 - 21

Psalm 23

Mark 6:30 - 34

Diocesan Prayer: We pray for our diocese and all the challenges that will be faced this year.

Anglican Missions: Today, we pray specifically for the "Partners in Risk and Resilience" tool offered by the Anglican Alliance.

Parish: We pray for those mourning the death of a loved one.

Our Parish

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

Today, Sunday 2nd February we will start our new service. It is a blend of both services and will be held at 10am each Sunday. We're building for growth, and we invite you to be part of this journey.

Join us, and give it a go, as we embark on this fresh expression of worship, embracing a bright future for St John's. This change is being led by Rev. Simon, Rev. Jessica, Judy, Kate, Shaun, Karen and Gavan.

As we develop our new service there will be many opportunities for people to get involved. If you would like to join **the music team** - either singing or playing an instrument, please talk to Simon.

We also need volunteers to **clean the church**. If you are able to help please talk to Helen Manion.

From Scratch life group will be starting in the New Year, once people are back from the holidays. It will be held on Tuesday evenings in the church, likely to be 7:00 to 8:30pm, probably fortnightly. If you are interested in joining please email Gavan O'Farrell (gavan.ofarrell1@gmail.com) if you are interested.

FoodBank current requests are: Jams, Raro, Peanut Butter, marmite, Vegemite, Soap Powder, Oil and Pet Food., so if you would like to donate some food please leave it in the box at the door.

Lenten Studies this year is 'Restoring the Story: A Journey through the Good News of Atonement with Rev Dr Anne van Gend.' Please give some thought and prayer about joining a Lenten Study group.

Upcoming Diocesan Events:

The Diocesan Evening Prayer has recommenced. Join others throughout the Diocese for evening prayer Monday - Saturday at 9:00 pm. It is held via zoom and the link is in Anglican movement.

Commemorate **Te Rā o Waitangi** at Rangiatea and All Saints Church in Ōtaki. Featured speakers include Archbishop Emeritus Sir David Moxom, Rev Māmari Stephens and Rev Dr Rangi Nicholson. We begin with a **service at 1.00pm** at Rangiatea Church with guest preacher Emeritus Archbishop Sir David Moxon. At 2.15pm there will be a panel discussion at All Saints. The panel members are Rev Dr Rangi Nicholson (Chair), Rev Māmari Stephens and Sir David. At 3.00pm there will be an afternoon tea in Hadfield Hall.

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

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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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