

9 February 2025

5th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Welcome

Today's Service:

Preaching: Karen Killerby Presiding: Rev Jess or Simon Falconer 10am Eucharist in Church with Godly Play 4pm Vestry meeting

> Isaiah 6:1 - 8 Psalm 138 1 Corinthians 15:1 - 11 Luke 5:1 - 11

Next Week: 10am Eucharist in Church

Next Sunday's - Readings

Jeremiah 17:5 - 10 Psalm 1 1 Corinthians 15:12 - 20 Luke 6:17 - 26

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

This Week:

Monday 10 February			
7:00am	Morning Prayer	In the Church Chapel	
Tuesday 11 February			
7:00am	Morning Prayer	In the Church Chapel	
2:00pm	Bible Study	1/25 Ward Street	
Wednesday 12 February			
7:00 am	Morning Prayer	In the Church Chapel	
10:00am	Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion		
Thursday 13 February			
7:00am	Morning Prayer	In the Church Chapel	
7:00pm	Bible Study	158 McLeod Street	
Friday 14 February			
7:00am	Morning Prayer	In the Church Chapel	

Collect for this week:

Almighty and eternal God, it is your will to bring the whole creation into unity in Christ; grant that your Church may faithfully proclaim the Good News until all people are saved and the earth is full of your glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

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This week's lectionary readings and prayer suggestions:

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

Monday 10 February

Genesis 1:1 - 19 Psalm 104:1, 2, 5 - 12, 25 Mark 6:53 - end *Diocesan Prayer:* Let us pray for Bishop Justin Duckworth and Bishop Ana Fletcher. *Anglican Missions:* Today we pray for those affected by Cyclone Gabrielle through loss of homes and livelihoods. *Parish:* We pray for the Parish wardens and the Vestry.

Tuesday 11 February

Genesis 1:20 - 2:4a Psalm 8 Mark 7:1 - 13

Diocesan Prayer: We pray for those joining in the diocesean evening prayer. Anglican Missions: Today we pray for the youth and children of our Province -Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia. Parish: We pray for our Whanau, that they either can come to know Christs love for them or develop a deeper faith.

Wednesday 12 February

Genesis 2:4b - 9, 15 - 17 Psalm 104:10 - 11, 28 - 31 Mark 7:14 - 23

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

Anglican Missions: Today we pray for the staff and Board of Anglican Missions and Anglican World Aid.

Parish: We pray for our Parish clergy.

Thursday 13 February

Genesis 2:18 - end Psalm 128 Mark 7:24 - 30

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

Anglican Missions: Today we pray for the generous support for Anglican Missions, from parish, rohē and individual donors. **Parish**: We pray for Parish children & young people and their families.

Friday 14 February

Genesis 3:1 - 8 Psalm 32:1 - 8 Mark 7:31 - end 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 Anglican Financial Care as it serves and supports its members throughout Aotearoa New Zealand and Polynesia Parish: We pray for everyone who is sick at present and those with underlying medical issues.

Saturday 15 February

Genesis 3:9 - end Psalm 90:1 - 12 Mark 8:1 - 10

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

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 those mourning the death of a loved one.

Our Parish

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

We have started 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.

After the service on Sunday the ashes of Gwen Smyth will be interred in the graveyard.

Vestry is meeting Sunday afternoon (9 Feb) at 4pm in the Hall.

From Scratch life group will be starting on the 11 February, on Tuesday evenings in the church chapel, from 7:00 to 8:30pm. If you are interested in joining please email Gavan O'Farrell (gavan.ofarrell1@gmail.com)

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.

The Ark children's programme continues to meet in St John's Trentham church hall each Tuesday during the school term, from 3.00-5.30pm. In terms of volunteers, they have a core group of 9 - 10, all with vastly different backgrounds and gifts. A couple of people also regularly give to the ministry. They only charge a very small fee for each session, so any support is invaluable in allowing The Ark to continue operating. If anyone would like to help financially, you can either give via the bank (with Ark as the reference) or put an envelope in the offertory (with Ark written on this envelope). There is more details available about the ark at the back of the church.

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.

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

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Ministry Leadership Team:

Judy Harrison Shaun Killerby Karen Killerby Gavan O'Farrell Kate Horton 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.

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