



Worship Today...

Sentence – Theme Verse

What does the Lord who has showed you what is good require of you? To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God. Micah 6:8.

Collect – Theme Prayer

Heavenly Lord,
you long for the world's salvation;
stir us from apathy, restrain us from excess
And revive in us new hope
that all creation will one day be healed
in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Scripture Readings

18 November

- Hebrews 10:11-14, 19-25
(Pew Bible p976)
- Mark 13:1-8
(Pew Bible p825)

25 November

- Rev. 1:4b-8
- John 18:33-37

8am - Communion Service (NZPB)

Followed by Breakfast in the Tui Room

Presider: Philip Robinson. **Preacher:** Mark Chamberlain. **Assistant, Readers and Prayers:** Marjorie Smart and Corinne Haines. **Sides people:** Michael Kerr and.

9.30am - Eucharist with Hymns Followed by Morning Tea in the Tui Room

Presider: Philip Robinson. **Preacher:** Mark Chamberlain. **Organist:** Denis Guyan. **Assistants and Intercessions:** Peter Chapman, Ruth Harwood, Wendy Kington, Margaret Harper. **Prayer Ministry:** Lois Ball and Carol Kingsland. **1st Reading:** David Murchison. **Gospel:** Laura Murray. **Power Point:** Frank Stewart. **Welcomers:** Maurice and Suzie Walker. **Sidespeople:** Ruzz Barr, Earl Bennett and Don Mackenzie.

10am – 'Lifestreams' Service Followed by Morning Tea and Shared Lunch

Leader: Phil Parkes. **Presider and Preacher:** Mark Chamberlain. **Assistants:** Penelope and Selwyn Paynter. **Prayer Ministry:** Don Rowlands and Olive Lawson. **Readers:** Don Rowlands and Olive Lawson. **Intercessions:** Watiri Maina. **Welcomers:** Andrea and Dave Ramsell. **Hospitality:** Cat McCallum and Linda Adams. **Children:** In church. **The Revs:** Phil Parkes.

12noon – Tongan Language Service

Presider: Leni Havea.

5pm – Said Evensong with Hymns

Leader and Preacher: Philip Robinson. **Organist:** Denis Guyan. Psalm 95. **1st Reading:** Daniel 3:13-30 – Rosemary George. **2nd Reading:** Matthew 13: 24-30, 36-43 – Eleanor Horne. **Sidespeople:** David and Hilary Stock.

7pm Antioch Eucharist

Preacher: Kathryn Fee. **Presider:** Mark Chamberlain. **Leader:** Phil Parkes. **Band:** Lucy, Phil, Levi, Emma. **Hospo:** Monica Richards.

8.45am - Wednesday Morning Eucharist

Presider: Mark Chamberlain. **Gospel:** Luke 19: 11-28.

Thursday @ 10am – Eucharist with Hymn (BCP) Followed by Morning Tea

Presider & Preacher: Philip Robinson. **Assistant Prayers and Gospel:** Margaret Brand. **1st Reading:** Ephesians 5:15-20 – Eleanor Horne. **Gospel:** Luke 6:20-29.



Kia ora, Malo e lelei and welcome to our worship services today! We trust you feel at home among us. Please stay for refreshments after all our morning services and ask a Welcomer for more information about life at St Barnabas!



A note from the Vicar...

Episcopal Ordination: As I have said Peter Carrell's ordination as Bishop of Christchurch is coming up on Saturday 9 February at 11am. The service will take place at the beautiful, new Boys' High Assembly Hall. It has a capacity of about 1,300 people. Clergy have already been invited but parishioners will also be invited from all the parishes of our diocese. When I receive word I will let you know how to go about getting a ticket – they are free but you will need one. In the mean time I am still looking for people who will volunteer to be ushers – I have been charged with the task of getting the 1,300 people safely on to site and seated – it is a complicated job!

Welcome Booklet: The Communications Team are working on producing a Welcome Booklet for us all to use in reaching out to newcomers. It will be full of pictures and

general information about our parish. I hope that we will all feel able to take a copy of this booklet and offer it to a newcomer whom we might be engaging with. People will be able to express their interest in belonging to our parish by filling in an enclosed form.

Sympathy: I was informed by family members that loved parishioner Mary Taylor had died during the week. Mary was one of life's characters and had a very significant career as a singing teacher in Christchurch. She had been unwell for some time but had a strong faith to the end. Mary would often say to me 'Are you shoes shiny!' I used to say to her 'You're my favourite Aussie!' Mary's personal faith in God was an inspiration to many of us. Her funeral will at St Barnabas this Tuesday at 1.30pm.

Arohanui, Mark



Parish Calendar...

Monday 19 November

1pm Selwyn Centre - 'Seniors Health and Wellbeing Group.' in the Hall. For further information ☎ Ruth 3541428

Tuesday 20 November

7.30pm In Betweens AAW AGM in the Church with supper in the Hall

Wednesday 21 November

6.30pm 'Seasons of Grief and Loss' Four week course – week 3.

Saturday 24 November

11am – 4pm St Barnabas House and Garden Tour. Tickets - \$50 at the Parish Office. A Cake, Sweet and Deli stall, a plant stall and a raffle will be held at one of the homes.

Thursday 29 November

10.45am Magazine Deliverers morning tea in the Hall. (Not 22 Nov as in Magazine)

4.30pm Wafer Room Christmas Party at the Vicarage.

Saturday 1 December

10am Ordination of Kofe Havea to the diaconate in the Transitional Cathedral

3.30pm Messy Church in the hall – theme is 'Joy to the World' – all welcome to this community outreach programme.

Sunday 2 December

11.30am We welcome Rev Jenny Wilkens to our parish as Senior Associate Priest. All are welcome to a parish lunch in the hall. Please bring finger food to share.

5pm Advent Lessons and Carols. Come to this annual service to mark the beginning of Advent.

Parish News...

Wafer Room: There is an urgent need for more bakers to volunteer in the Wafer Room – please see Shirley-Anne Collins. Help our fundraising and support parishes around the country by helping to make communion wafers.

St Barnabas House and Garden Tour: Saturday 24 November, 11am – 4pm. This is a fantastic fundraiser and a wonderful day out viewing nine lovely houses and gardens and one special garden. Tickets are \$50 from the Parish Office (cash & cheque only) and Eventfinda (booking charge applies). There will be a Cake, Sweet and Deli stall at one of the houses. There will also be a raffle and plant stall held in conjunction with the House and Garden Tour.

Wafer Room Helpers: You are invited to the Wafer Room Christmas Party on Thursday 29 November at the Vicarage 4:30pm to 6:00pm. Bring spouse/partner and a plate of finger food. RSVP Charles Collins phone 343 6263.

Welcoming Jenny Wilkens: Jenny joins our staff team on Sunday 2 December and we will celebrate with a combined parish lunch beginning at 11.30am. Please come and let's make sure we give Jenny a very warm welcome! (bring finger food to share). It would be good to make up a lovely food hamper for Jenny's pantry – please bring donations in to the office.

Christmas Carol Singing: We will be singing Christmas Carols at local Rest Homes again this year on Tuesday 18 December. Please meet us in the car park at 6pm to go to St Winifred's at 6.10pm, Fendalton Retirement Village at 7pm and Holly Lea at 7.45pm or join us at any stage along the way. All welcome!

Christmas Pageant: This children's Christmas play will be on Sunday 9 Dec. at 10am in the church. Combined 9.30am and Lifestreams



Beyond the Parish...

The Diocesan Council for World Mission (DCWM): Invite all interested in world mission to come and hear Heather Fraser from the NZ Church Missionary Society office in ChCh talk about our new Mission Partners from this Diocese. We will also be brought up-to-date with news of other Mission Partners from Christchurch Diocese, Intern and Gap Year programmes, and a Q & A time. On Sat. 24 Nov. 10-12noon @ St Silas' Anglican Church, Redwood, Cnr Tuckers & Main North Rd, with Morning Tea. Contacts: Glenda Hicks – gmhicks@snap.net.nz, May Carrell – 352 9999 mcarrell@xtra.co.nz.

Handel's Messiah: Featuring: Sarah-Jane Rennie Louisa Pilkington Adrian Lowe Wally Enright Ken Joblin Chris Whelan Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament Choir & Orchestra. 2 pm Sunday 16 December 2018 Programme Donation \$20 & \$15 at St Mary's Pro-Cathedral 373 Manchester St.

"A Classical Christmas" Sunday 2 December, 2:15pm, St Andrews College Chapel, Normans Road. The Liedertafel Choir presents an afternoon of joyous music. Musical Director: Daniel Cooper Accompanist: Lynley Fuglestad Organist: Paul Ellis. Percussion: Dave Wright. Programmes \$15.

Volunteers needed in the CWS Office: Christian World Service is seeking a volunteer(s) for its Ch.Ch. office during the busy Christmas period. Please contact Sarah - cws@cws.org.nz. for more info.

e4 Summer Camp, Hanmer Springs: Thur. 17 - Sunday 20 January 2019 @ Hanmer Sports Pavilion, 59 Jacks Pass Road. Bring your family and friends to this ecumenical event and expect to be enriched by excellent worship, enlightened by engaging speakers, and entrust your teenagers and children to be entertained and educated. Go to Facebook: e4summercamp / https://goo.gl/bAj4AK.

Accommodation Required: A family of 4 from the congregation of St Paul's Methodist Church Remuera Auckland are looking for accommodation at a reasonable rent in Christchurch over the Christmas period 23/12/18 - 2/1/19 approx. Contact: tfmedland@xtra.co.nz or mobile 027 279 2502.

Staff Directory...

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For more information visit our website - www.stbarnabas.org.nz

Follow us on Facebook - facebook.com/stbarnabas.nz/

Parish Bank Account for Financial Giving - ANZ 01 0819 0003971 00

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How to get involved...

Bible Study Groups: There are a growing number of mid-week Bible Study groups in the parish meeting at different times and places. If you're interested in joining one of these groups please talk to one of the Clergy.

Parish Prayer Meeting: This group meets fortnightly for prayer. Come when you can to pray for ourselves, parish & community. Contact Virginia Simmons on 027 255 1887.

Stillpoint: A quiet, reflective time using creative ways to engage with God. It meets on the 1st Tuesday of the month at 7.30pm in the Church. Contact Diane Brooker-Newton on 352 5448 for more information.

Choirs: If you are interested in singing and would like to join either the Sunday morning or Parish Choir please ☎ Denis Guyan 343 4074 or the Parish Office 3517064. The Sunday 9.30am morning Choir practise is Sat 10am & 8.30am Sun. The Parish Choir meet on Thur. 7.30pm for practise in the Makora Room and 4pm on Sunday before the 5pm service.

Lifestreams Band: If you sing or play an instrument and would like to join the Lifestreams Band please see Emma Parkes or phone her on 021 082 52276.

Rosters: If you would like to join a welcoming or hospitality team please see one of the parish staff – greeting or pouring tea is a great way to get to know others.

Mission Focus

In a couple of weeks, we will launch our annual St Ambrose appeal where you will be invited to donate Christmas fare for those who might not otherwise manage to put on a Christmas dinner for their families.

We are asking for large sized frozen chickens, frozen vegetables, chocolates and other fillers that might allow a family to join in the celebration of our Lord's birth. Please drop off your contributions to the parish office.

Please keep this Outreach appeal in your prayers



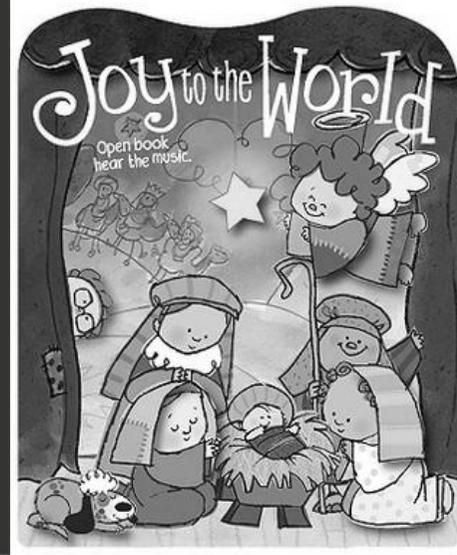
Parish Mission Statement...

- Foster inspirational worship and prayer
- Enable people to grow in faith and service
- Encourage children and young people to follow Jesus Christ
- Develop as a compassionate, spiritual centre in our community
- Seek new ways of carrying forward Christ's mission nearby and far away

If you have any ideas, energy or passion to contribute to our mission, speak with the Vicar or other member of staff and let's make some happen.

Joy to the World

- **Joy to the World Messy Church Saturday 1 Dec 3.30 - 5.30pm.** Fun, faith, family creative activities, food and for all ages.
- **Kidzone Christmas Pageant, Graduation and Party day:** Sunday 9 Dec 10am in the Memorial church.
- **Journey through Advent Together Decoration Packs** \$5 each available from the office for parishioners to share with grandchildren, neighbours and friends.
- **'Love in a Box'** is our November City Mission outreach project to decorate and fill shoe boxes with gifts for children, teens and adults. Filled boxes due back Sunday 9 Dec



Youth News

Friday Night Youth Group: This Friday our High-schoolers are joining a bunch of other youth groups for a Ball. 7-9 at St Aidans Bryndwr - \$10 each. Our intermediates are having a games night here at church 6-7:45pm.

For more details contact Phil on 022 032 3663 or phil@stbarnabas.org.nz.

The Revs: Sunday mornings during our 'Lifestreams' service all youth in years 7-13 are welcome to come hang out in the youth room for some kai and a Bible study.



Young Adults...

Antioch: Tonight is the conclusion of our series on the Kingdom of God. Kathryn Fee is sharing with us a message titled 'Heart for Discipleship.' Don't miss Antioch tonight, 7pm in the hall, sharing communion and growing as a community.

Antioch is a service for young people, by young people.

Small Groups: We have two young adult small groups meeting Monday and Tuesday for fellowship, prayer and Bible Study. If you would like to know more please contact our Young Adults guy Phil – phil@stbarnabas.org.nz.



Antioch 18th November



Invitation from Kofe Havea

Dear Fr Mark

I just want to thank the parish of St Barnabas for all I have learnt from you, the love I have received from you and the prayers you have always covered me with. The past 11 years have been such an amazing journey of faith for me and I continue to be amazed at the way the parish has nurtured me. I thank our Living Lord for working me through you, His people, and bringing me to where I am today through your prayers.

My journey now takes me towards ordination into the diaconate, and I just want to invite you all to stand beside me in praise and thanksgiving for God's calling. Because I will be the only one ordained that day, I hope that the people of St Barnabas will stand with me and fill our marvelous Transitional Cathedral!

Date: Saturday 1 December, 2018
Time: 10am
Venue: Christchurch Transitional Cathedral

To be followed by light refreshments.

Prayfully, and with deep love

Kofe.

Kofekakala Havea (Mrs)



Outreach – Prayer, Care & Support...

English Language Class: This is for immigrants or refugees wanting to learn the English language. Phone Olive on 021 067 6587.

Selwyn Centre: The Selwyn Centre for seniors is a great place to be for gentle exercises, fun, fellowship & afternoon tea. 1.15pm in the Tui Room on Mondays. Contact Ruth Harwood on 354 1428.

Parish Prayer Group: A parish prayer group meets at the home of Virginia Simmons. If you would like to attend please phone Virginia on 027 255 1887.

Frozen Meals: Nutritious frozen meals are available for families or individuals who are in need. Please let the office know if you know of anyone who might value a meal.

Text Prayer Ministry: For emergency prayer for yourself or others text Angela Brown on 027 335 0105.

Home Communion: Please tell Marion if you know of anyone who you think would like to receive Home Communion.

Home Visit: One of our clergy or lay team will visit on request.



Pastoral Care Update...

Our Pastoral Care Team is happy to call in on anyone you might know of who is in need of companionship and/or prayer. As we draw closer to Advent, let us be aware of the needs around us. Contact Watiri Maina.

Please Pray

Please Pray for those unwell;

- Fay Isitt
- Lynda Domigan
- Beryl Newman
- Rachel Cook
- Alison

Sympathy

Please pray for the friends and family of Ross Clarke, Jo Edmundson, Graham Webster and Maurice Mahoney whose funerals were at St Barnabas recently. Also pray for the family and friends of Angela Drennen who died recently.

Please pray for the family and friends of Mary Taylor who died during the week. Mary's memorial service will be at St Barnabas on Tuesday 20 November. at 1.30pm.



Message from Bishop Elect Peter

I continue to be **encouraged** as I make my way around the Diocese. Last week we mentioned good things in Woolston and Merivale-St Albans. This past Sunday it was a delight to be at Barrhill in the Parish of Rakaia in the morning and to be with the 4.32pm congregation at Woodend in the afternoon – a congregation which was filled with mostly young families.

A small committee is busy working on plans for the **episcopal ordination and installation** on Saturday 9 February 2019. We will have some 1250 seats for the ordination service in the CBHS auditorium for which tickets will be available but our calculations are being fine-tuned around family and friends; visiting bishops; clergy local, from afar and ecumenical; dignitaries; a combined churches choir; and ushers before we can announce details for tickets for representatives from all our ministry units. I hope I can make that announcement next Wednesday.

This Friday I conclude my time as Archdeacon of Pegasus and Priest-in-Charge of Shirley and am very grateful to **Katrina Hill**, Vicar of East Christchurch, who will take over both roles. There will be a formal commissioning for Katrina at 11.30 am in St Faith's Hall, New Brighton on 28 November.

It has been a pleasure to participate this year in the annual Introduction to Te Reo for Liturgy course, facilitated by Theology House and this year, for the first time (at least for a long time) hosted at Te Heparā Pai on Ferry Road, Christchurch. I thank Rev Rawinia Douglas for her leadership of the course, Marjorie Smart for teaching assistance and Bishop Richard Wallace for offering hospitality and contributing his own deep knowledge of Te Reo to the course.

Ven Dr Peter Carrell – Bishop Elect



Health and Safety

It's everyone's responsibility to be and act safely around our parish site. There are Health and Safety posters on notice boards that explain the parish's H and S policy. Greg Brown is our H and S Co-ordinator – refer to him with concerns.



Barney's Blog

Thanks to all those who are on our prayer ministry teams for your faithful service to Christ and the people of our parish. This is such a vitally important ministry! And thanks to Rev Dr Pauline Stewart for leading the oversight team.