



# Worship Today...

St Barnabas  
ANGLICAN | FENDALTON

25 November, 2018  
Christ the King/Aotearoa Sunday

## Sentence – Theme Verse

Look to the rock from which you were hewn, and to the quarry from which you were dug.  
*Isaiah 51:1*

## Collect – Theme Prayer

God of all races and peoples, your Maori people make a unique and rich contribution towards the diversity of your church; strengthen the bishops, clergy and people of Te Pihopatanga o Aotearoa, that by their worship and service they may bear faithful witness to the good news; through Jesus Christ our Saviour. Amen

## Scripture Readings

### 25 November

- Colossians 1:3-14  
(Pew Bible p956)
- Mark 4:26-34  
(Pew Bible p815)

### 2 December Advent 1

- 1 Thess 3:9-13
- Luke 21:25-36

## 8am - A Quiet Communion Service (BCP) Followed by breakfast in the Tui Room.

**Presider:** Mark Chamberlain. **Preacher:** Philip Robinson. **Assistant and Prayers:** Corinne Haines. **1<sup>st</sup> Reading:** Charles Collins. **Gospel:** Liz Spooner. **Sidesmen:** Charles Collins and Peter Dobson.

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

**Presider:** Mark Chamberlain. **Preacher:** Philip Robinson. **Organist and Choir Director:** Denis Guyan. **Assistants:** Ruth Harwood, Jenny Glasson, Isaac Heap and Heuchan Parr. **1<sup>st</sup> Reading:** Peter Mills. **Gospel:** Mary Mills. **Prayer Ministry:** Peter and Mary Mills. **Intercessions:** Marion Cook **Power Point:** Diana Hann. **Welcomers:** Patsy and Keith Wardell. **Sidespeople:** Cran Bull, Peter Fowler, Howard Le Couteur, Steven Marshall.

## 10am – 'Lifestreams' in the Hall followed by Morning Tea.

**Leader:** Phil Parkes. **Presider:** Mark Chamberlain. **Preacher:** Philip Robinson. **Assistants:** Gavin Kingsley and Watiri Maina. **Prayer Ministry:** Andrea Caldwell and TBA. **Readers:** Lloyd and Vanessa Mander. **Intercessions:** TBA. **Welcomers:** Helene and Verne Aubrey. **Hospitality:** Andrea and Dave Ramsell. **Bubbles:** Emma Read. **Splash and Xstream:** Christine Fokkens and Helene Aubrey.

## 12noon – Tongan Language Service

**Leader:** Leni Havea.

## 5pm – Choral Eucharist with the Parish Choir

**Presider and Preacher:** Philip Robinson. **Organist and Choir Director:** Denis Guyan. **Assistant Reader and Prayers:** Corinne Haines, Maqrie Catanach. **Sidesperson and Gospel:** Brian Gilberthorpe.

## 7pm – Antioch

**Preacher:** Ray Staggs. **Leader:** Phil Parkes  
**Band:** Meg, Phil, Emma, Levi. **Hospo:** Matt.

## Wednesday @ 8.45am

**Presider:** Mark Chamberlain.  
**Reading:** Luke 21:12-19.

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

**Presider and Preacher:** Mark Chamberlain.  
**Assistant Reader and Prayers:** Catherine Chandler. **1<sup>st</sup> Reading:** Psalm 100 – Margaret Brand. **Gospel:** Luke 21:20-28



Welcome  
Anglican Parish of Fendalton ...

*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...

**New Youth Leaders:** We are blessed to have Braeden McInnes and Katherine Harrison join Phil Parkes, Kathryn Fee, Jono Brown and Anthony Murray leading our young people. It's great that some of our young adults feel called to this ministry to serve Christ and the mission of the Church. Special thanks to Tom Coulson and Lynn Kim who retired from this ministry last term.

**History of Parish:** A group of parishioners met a few weeks ago to discuss the possibility of publishing a book on our earthquake experiences and to thank our donors. However in the course of discussion it was decided that it would be better to explore the possibility of publishing a much fuller history of the parish. The centenary of the consecration of St Barnabas Church in 2026 would be a good rationale for such a book but it would be published earlier than

that. Vestry have agreed to continue exploring this possibility. The goal would be to tell the stories of the people of our parish and how their faith in God and commitment to St Barnabas shaped and enriched their lives. Please let me know if you are interested in this project – by buying a book when it is published or supporting the project in other ways.

**Fundraising:** I would like to express my thanks to the small but dedicated team who organised the House and Garden Tour which was such a success on Saturday. Margaret Harper, Ruth Harwood, Corinne Haines and Shirley-Anne Collins did an amazing job! Your efforts over many months are deeply appreciated. Fundraising has gone well this year with over \$22,000 raised with the House and Garden Tour to be added to the total. Arohanui, Mark



## Parish Calendar...

### Monday 26 November

1pm Selwyn Centre - 'Seniors Health and Wellbeing Group.' in the Hall.

### Wednesday 28 November

6.30pm 'Seasons of Grief and Loss' - Tui Room

### Thursday 29 November

10.45am Magazine Deliverers morning tea in the Hall.

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 'Joy to the World' Messy Church in the hall. Fun, family craft, Faith and Meal for all ages.

### 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. There will be special music and readings.

### Tuesday 4 December

6.30pm St Barnabas Mens Group at the Rose and Thistle Tavern 24A Main North Rd, Papanui.

7.30pm Stillpoint in the Tui Room: A quiet, reflective time using creative ways to engage with God. ☎ Lois 342 9172.

### Sunday 9 December

10am Children's Christmas Play; Combined 9.30am Church and Lifestreams service in Church. All welcome.

## Parish News...

**Wafer Room Helpers:** You are invited to the Wafer Room Christmas Party on Thursday 29 November at the Vicarage 4:30pm to 6pm. Bring spouse or 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! Please 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.

**AAW Daytime Group Meeting:** Wednesday 5 December, 2.30pm, Christmas Afternoon tea. Venue Faye Norman's home 1 Kereru Lane. Afternoon tea fare will be provided by your committee.

**Seniors Bus Outing** 'Christmas special' On Wednesday 12 December, leaving at 1.30pm with Rev'd Philip Robinson and Madeleine Price. Book early!!

**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 along the way. All welcome!

**Farewell Fundraiser:** Bright on Vibes & Guests - Saturday 8 December 7pm at St Barnabas. All proceeds for City Harvest Food Rescue door sales only \$20 (and a non perishable food item optional).



## Beyond the Parish...

**"A Classical Christmas"** Sunday 2nd December, 2:15pm, St Andrews College Chapel, Normans Road. The Liedertafel Choir presents an afternoon of joyous music. Programmes \$15

**"Magical 1887 Christmas Musical Soiree,"** on Sunday 2 December 6-8pm, tickets \$40.00, contact Patsy Wardell 027 443 8465 or email- homehosing@snap.net.nz put on by the Order of St Lazarus.

**Passion Play 2020 Information Evening:** Find out all you may want to know regarding the Passion Play, Oberammergau 2020. Held only every 10 years, a superb musical enactment of the Easter story. Come and find out about this wonderful production and ask any questions. Supper provided. All Souls Church, Church Lane. Wednesday 5th Dec., 7.00am Enquires to Adrienne 027 5135119

**Anglican Cursillo Christchurch Advent Service & Ultreya:** Friday 7 Dec., 6pm – BYO Tea (Tea & Coffee provided) followed by Advent Service/Ultreya; 7 – 8pm at All Souls' Merivale, Church Lane.

**Carols at Riccarton Bush,** 6.30pm, Sunday 9 December 2018.

**Deck the Halls:** A celebration of the festive season will showcase one of the finest violinists in the country, Fiona Pears, and the highly acclaimed Cathedral Choristers. Sat. 15 December, 7pm.

**Handel's Messiah:** 2pm Sunday 16 December at St Mary's Pro-Cathedral 373 Manchester St. With the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament Choir & Orchestra. Programme Donation \$20 & \$15.

**e4 Summer Camp, Hanmer Springs:** Thur. 17 - Sunday 20 January 2019 @ Hanmer Sports Pavilion, 59 Jacks Pass Road. Go to Facebook: e4summercamp / https://goo.gl/bAj4AK.

**New Diocesan Bishop of Polynesia:** The priest chosen will therefore become an Archbishop and Primate, and joint leader of The Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia. The story is @: [http://www.anglicantaonga.org.nz/news/tikanga\\_pasifika/cama](http://www.anglicantaonga.org.nz/news/tikanga_pasifika/cama)

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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 and 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.

## Journey Through Advent

- **Journey through Advent Together Packs \$5 each** available from the office to parishioners to share with grandchildren, neighbours and friends.
- **Packs include** 6 wooden circles, stickers and string for the 4 advent weeks **Hope:** Prepare the way, **Love:** Get ready, **Joy:** Sing for Joy, **Peace:** on earth and **Christmas Eve:** Light of the world and **Christmas Day:** Jesus Emmanuel.
- **Look up!** to see what God has to say. **Look in!** to see how to live out the story with faith-filled friends. **Look out!** to see how we share this story with others
- More information: [strandz.org.nz/adventnz](http://strandz.org.nz/adventnz)



## Water Fight

SBYG 30th November

## Youth News

**Friday Night Youth Group:** This week at youth group we're making gonna get wet and wild with a water fight! Bring whatever you have to make sure everyone else gets as wet as you do – and don't forget your towel.

- Intermediates: 6-7:45pm
- High-schoolers: 7:30-9:30pm

For more details contact Phil on 022 032 3663 or [phil@stbarnabas.org.nz](mailto:phil@stbarnabas.org.nz).

**The Revs:** Sunday mornings during our 'Lifestreams' service all youth in years 7-10 are welcome to come hang out in the youth room for some kai and a Bible study.

## Young Adults...

**Antioch:** Sunday nights at 7pm in the hall we gather for Antioch, our contemporary service focussed on young people encountering God in a relevant and life changing way. We always worship, pray, hear inspirational sermons, get challenged to grow our faith, share food and most importantly – expect to meet God!

**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](mailto:phil@stbarnabas.org.nz).





## Welcoming Rev Jenny Wilkens

In just a week's time we will be welcoming Rev Jenny Wilkens back into our parish. Jenny was Associate Priest in our parish from 2003 – 2008 and had particular responsibility for adult nurture and education. After leaving St Barnabas she served as Canon in Residence at Wellington Cathedral (2008-2014) and then Vicar of St Luke's in the City (2015 – 2018).

As I have said previously, Jenny is an excellent preacher, a gifted liturgist, sensitive spiritual guide and is very competent in many other areas of ministry. She will be a tremendous asset to our Parish, a boost to our Staff Team and we will be able to carry forward Christ's mission in fresh ways in the coming years.

Because Jenny is so experienced I want her to do a whole range of things between now and say Easter next year before we think through the best ways we can use her talents. I also want her to feel energised, inspired and encouraged in her ministry.

Jenny will also be contributing to the Diocese (1/10<sup>th</sup> time) by running the ordinand discernment process. She will be working closely with Bishop elect Peter in this regard.

Please support Jenny as she arrives in our parish from Nelson by contributing to her pantry – drop contributions into the office during the week. And come to her welcome lunch on Sunday 2 December at 11.30am.



## 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, Maurice Mahoney and Mary Taylor whose funerals were at St Barnabas recently. Also pray for the family and friends of Angela Drennen who died recently.
- Please also pray for the family and friends of Helen Wright who died during the week. Helen's funeral will be at St Barnabas on Tuesday at 10am.



## 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.



## Children and Families at St B's

**St Barnabas Playgroup:** Creative play for pre-schoolers on Wednesdays, term time, from 9.15am – 11.30am in the hall. Contact Helen Wakefield 021 307 878.

**Mainly Music:** Music and movement for pre-schoolers and their caregivers, Fridays, term time, 10am – 11am followed by morning tea in the hall. Contact Pip Chamberlain 021 085 77640.

**Fridayzone:** After-school club for Primary School children and their families, with meal. Fridays, term time, 3pm – 5.30pm in the hall. Contact Angela Brown 027 335 0105

**Kidzone:** Creative Sunday School for children 4 – 11yrs Sundays 10am, term time, in the hall and Dorothy Cooper Room, Admin. Block. Contact Christine Fokkens on 351 7283.

**Messy Church:** Seven times a year we run a fun filled, creative, informal community church we call Messy Church! There's singing, craft, activities, puppets and a meal for all the family. Many community families are making this their church. All welcome!



## Hall AV Equipment

Vestry approved the exploration of a replacement PA system in the hall – the current system is quite old and showing signs of unreliability – and replacement data projectors.



## Barney's Blog

Liz, Emilene and Nigel are delighted to share the good news that Phoebe Kaye Yeoh arrived Saturday 17 November at 1.11am, weighing 3.9kg. Liz did very well yet again and Nigel is a very proud husband and dad!