



Worship Today...

St Barnabas
ANGLICAN | FENDALTON

28 October, 2018
St Simon and St Jude, Apostles
/30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sentence – Theme Verse

How good and pleasant a thing it is when God's people live together in unity.
Psalm 133:1

Collect – Theme Prayer

Listening God, you show us mercy and ask us what we need; may we seek only those things which increase our faith and further your kingdom, that we may follow you more closely.
Through Jesus Christ Our Redeemer, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Scripture Readings

21 October

- Eph 2:19-22
(Pew Bible p950)
- John 15:17-end
(Pew Bible p878)

4 November

All Saints/All Souls

- Rev. 21:1-6a
- John 11:32-44



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!

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

Presider: Philip Robinson. **Preacher:** Mark Chamberlain. **Assistant and Prayers:** Corinne Haines. **1st 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: Philip Robinson. **Preacher:** Mark Chamberlain. **Organist and Choir Director:** Denis Guyan. **Assistants, Prayers:** Jude Mackenzie, Pam Chapman, Leni Havea and Jenny Glasson. **1st Reading:** Richard Gardiner. **Gospel:** Marcia Cockburn. **Prayer Ministry:** Brenda Sargent and Margaret Brand. **Power Point:** Diana Hann. **Welcomers:** Don and Jude Mackenzie. **Sidespeople:** Cran Bull, Peter Fowler, Howard Le Couteur, Richard Gardiner.

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

Presider: Mile Coleman **Preacher:** Peter George. **All Age Talk:** Angela Brown **Assistants:** Steve Wakefield and Gavin Kingsley. **Prayer Ministry:** Helen Wakefield and Ray Stagg. **Readers:** Ray Stagg and Steve Wakefield. **Intercessions:** Don Rowlands. **Welcomers:** Andrea and Dave Ramsell. **Hospitality:** Gillian Perano and Robyn Coleman. **Children:** Remain in worship for inter-generational service.

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 and Prayers:** Corinne Haines, Maqrie Catanach. **Gospel:** Pamela McKenzie. **Sidesperson and 1st Reading:** Rosemary George.

6pm – Medbury Junior and Middle School Family Service

Speaker: Mark Chamberlain.

7pm – Antioch Eucharist

Preacher: Phil Parkes. **Leader:** Nigel Yeoh **Band:** Phil, Levi, Jonathan. **Hospo:** Becca.

Wednesday @ 8.45am

Presider: Philip Robinson.
Reading: Luke 13:22-30.

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

Presider and Preacher: Philip Robinson. **Assistant:** Diane B-Newton. **1st Reading:** Rev. 21:1-6a – Trish C-Leslie. **Gospel:** John 11:32-44 – Margaret Brand. **Prayers:** Lois Ball.



A note from the Vicar...

Staff Appointment: It is with pleasure that I announce the appointment of Rev Jenny Wilkens as our new Senior Associate Priest. Jenny is well known to many of us – she served in this parish about ten years ago. In the past Jenny has been the Vicar of Picton, a theological educator, Canon in Residence at Wellington Cathedral and Vicar of St Luke's in the City. Jenny has tremendous skills in planning and leading liturgical worship, music, preaching, adult education, pastoral care and administration. I'm certain Jenny will make a tremendous contribution to our parish and will fit in with our Staff Team very well.

Wafer Room: We're extremely blessed to have the Wafer Room as a kind of cottage industry for the parish – raising valuable funds for ministry and serving the wider church by supplying communion wafers to

churches around the country. We must never take for granted the efforts of those involved – they quietly serve the mission of our parish as much as more visible and 'up-front' ministries. Coordinators Charles and Shirley Anne Collins are always looking for new volunteers to join the team. There are three different kinds of jobs, full training is provided and the hours are flexible. Could you consider joining this team? Contact Charles or Shirley-Anne on 343-6263.

Episcopal Ordination: I have been asked to join the team organising Peter Carrell's ordination as our next bishop. This will take place on Saturday 9 February at 11am at Christchurch Boys' High School. My role is to oversee the logistics of bringing 1,300 people into the auditorium. If anyone would like to support me in this task please let me know.
Arohanui, Mark



Parish Calendar...

Monday 29 October

1:15pm Selwyn Centre - 'Seniors Health & Wellbeing Group.' - Tui Room.

Wednesday 31 October

6.30pm Addiction –Speakers and Film in the Tui Room (see more info in Parish News)

Saturday 3 November

6pm Dinners for Eight: Final Dinner in the Hall. Everyone in the Parish is welcome. RSVP essential to Pam Chapman 322 9409/ pam_chapman@me.com or Margaret Harper 351 7527 / margaret.harper2@icloud.com and they will tell you what to bring.

Sunday 4 November

5pm All Souls Memorial Service when we remember loved ones who have died during the year with an opportunity to light a candle and place a flower.

Wednesday 7 November

2pm Daytime AAW Group Meeting in the Tui Room. A.G.M. followed by Guest Speaker: Alexa Evenden from the ChCh Hospital Chaplaincy Service.

Tuesday 6 November

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

Sunday 11 November

12noon Fellowship Lunch at Double Tree, Hilton. Contact May Carrell (352 9999/ mcarrell@xtra.co.nz) by Thur. 8 Nov. Lunches will begin again 10 March 2019

Saturday 24 November

11am – 4pm St Barnabas House and Garden Tour. Early Bird tickets - \$40 – on sale from 1 October at the Parish Office. A Cake, Sweet and Deli stall will be held at one of the houses.

Parish News...

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. Early bird tickets - \$40 – on sale from 1 October at 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; can you please start thinking about making items for the freezer in advance. There will also be a raffle and plant stall held in conjunction with the House and Garden Tour.

Addiction - Speakers and Film: Wyatt Butcher (Chaplain Hillmorton Hospital) Rev Dr Pauline Stewart (Registered psychologist). Learn and discuss issues confronted by addicts, their family, friends and community. 6.30pm Wednesday 31 October. Bring food to share for supper in the Tui Room. RSVP and enquiries to Don Rowlands 388 6882 or Church Office 351 7064.

Advent Resource: Ex-Vicar of St Barnabas Craufurd Murray has written a book entitled 'A Handful of Change' which is a spiritual resource for Advent. Each day of Advent contains a 'bite' for sustenance and consideration. Limited copies are available through the parish office \$10.

Dealing With Grief: All welcome to attend a four week course entitled 'Seasons of Grief and Loss' beginning on Wed 7 November. To enrol contact Don Rowlands or Watiri Maina or phone the parish office on 351 7064 or email seasons@accd.org.nz.

Ordination of Kofe Havea to the Diaconate: Saturday 1 December, 10am, at the Transitional Cathedral.

Date Correction: The Pacifica weekend next year will now be on Sunday May 12, 2019. Please note this in your diaries.



Beyond the Parish...

Te Waiora—Annual Thanksgiving Service: Sunday, 4 November at 2.30pm, to be held at Te Waiora House, (opposite St John's Church, Hororata).

Lenten Study Guides – Advance Notice: Study Guides for Lent 2019 will soon be available. They are entitled 'Holy Spirit: Through Lent with 1 Corinthians', written by Kelvin Wright and Peter Carrell.

Parihaka Day on 5 November: The documentary 'Tātarakihī: the Children of Parihaka' will be screened to mark Parihaka Day. This is not commercially available and can only be viewed by arrangement with presenters from Parihaka. It's an inspiring and sobering story, one that all New Zealanders should know something about. Suitable for children/general admission. Entry for both is free/koha. Screenings are at:

- HOPE Presbyterian Church, Sat 27 Oct @ 7pm (Aymes Road, Hornby). Presenter Maata Wharehoka. Registration at www.hopechurch.net.nz/upcoming-events/
- Canterbury Film Society, Sun 4 Nov @ 2pm (Christchurch Art Gallery Te Puna o Waiwhetū, Montreal Street). Presenter Whakaaraha Tairawhiti-Kukutai. No reservations; first-come-first-served. Doors open at 1:30pm.

Parihaka Day, Commemorative Service: A commemorative service will be held to mark Parihaka Day at the urupa/cemetery and wharenuī/meeting house at Te Whēki Marae at Rapaki, Governors Bay, starting at 10am. Address is 37 Rapaki Drive, Rapaki. Please note that in the case of the unexpected scheduling of a tangihanga, updates/cancellations will be posted on the Ngā Manu Korihi Ōtautahi FB page www.facebook.com/ParihakaOtautahi/.

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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 Tui Room. 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

New Zealand Church Missionary Society (NZCMS) exists to see disciples of Jesus impacting every sphere of life across nations. Please pray for...

- CMS Mission Partners to be encouraged as they work in challenging contexts and that they will know how to rest and be refreshed in Christ.
- Pray that God would raise up more workers especially for intercultural mission in NZ and cross-cultural ministry abroad.
- Give thanks for Better World GAP year – A radical social justice program for school leavers and young adults.



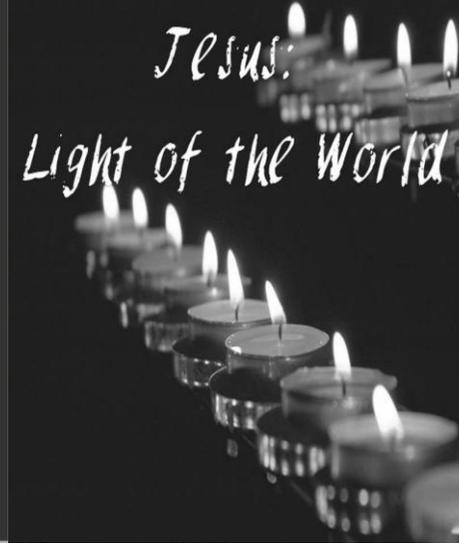
Parish Mission Statement...

- 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.

Light for the Path

- "Your word is a lamp for my feet and a light for my path" - Psalm 119: 105.
- **Jesus is the Light of the World** and he gives light and love for our path of life as we read his word.
- **Look out:** Our challenge is to be people of light, who shine God's love into the world.
- **Thank you** to all the wonderful team and helpers who helped bring God's light and love to those who came to Messy Church on Saturday.



Capture The Flag

SBYG 2nd November



Youth News

Friday Night Youth Group: This week at youth group we are gonna have a great time with a classic game of Capture The Flag. Plus sharing food, enjoying each other's company and opening up the Bible together.

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

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: 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. This week we continue our five week series about God's Kingdom with a sermon from Phil Parkes entitled 'Heart for the Kingdom.'

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.





Message from the Bishop Elect

As we continue to engage with the General Synod decision in May to permit, under certain circumstances, the blessing of same sex civil marriages or civil unions, I sometimes pick up some false information which circulates in parts of the Diocese. I would like to give you some true and accurate information here:

- No, it is not true that any ordained minister will be compelled now, or in the future to undertake such a blessing. General Synod's decision expressly forbids any such compulsion.
- No, it is not a foregone conclusion that the next step will be the approval by General Synod of "equal marriage" (or similar change to our doctrine of marriage).
- Yes, it is true that in keeping with the decision of General Synod to permit bishops to authorise same sex blessings, I stated to the electoral synod the following approach which will be my approach in the years ahead: "I will authorize the blessing of same-sex partnerships according to the legislation passed at General Synod/Te Hinota Whanui, providing I have confidence that authorization will strengthen common life and witness in ministry units for which authorization is requested. I myself will not bless same-sex partnerships."
- Yes, my need for confidence that such authorization will strengthen common life and witness in ministry units is a high threshold to meet before permission would be given.

Ven Dr Peter Carrell – Bishop Elect

Pastoral Care Update...

Home Communion

Home communion is a wonderful way of caring for members of our parish who are unwell or homebound permanently or temporarily. A team of Home Communion ministers take and celebrate the Lord's Supper with parish members where they are. Let's remember to thank God for this team and pray for them and for those they visit.

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

Communion.

Please Pray

Please Pray for members of our parish who are unwell;

- Fay Isitt
- Mary Taylor
- Beryl Newman
- Karen Alexander

Sympathy

Please pray for the friends and family of Ross Clarke, Jo Edmundson and Graham Webster whose funerals were at St Barnbas last week.



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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 351 3595.

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!



Church Doors Treated

The church doors have now been restored and look tremendous! They have been treated with Danish oil and will resist weathering for some time to come. The steelwork has also been painted.



Barney's Blog

Many thanks to Shirley-Anne Collins and her team who catered for three funerals during the week – a heavy workload but done with a smile and a tremendous spirit of service!