



THE WAIKATO CATHEDRAL CHURCH OF ST PETER

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MARCH 2022

CATHEDRAL NEWS



Cathedral Diary - March

Fri 11 March, 10:30am

Memorial Service for
Dame Jocelyn Fish

Sat 19 March, 8am

Cathedral Workshop

Sat 19 March, 5pm

Cantata Vespers

Sun 27 March, 6pm

Choral Evensong

*Please visit our website
for up to date information!*

WEEKLY SERVICE TIMES

Monday - Friday, 9am

Morning Prayer

Wednesday, 10am

Holy Communion

Friday, 12:10pm

Eucharist in Te Reo Maori

Sunday, 8am

Said Eucharist

Sunday, 10am

Choral Eucharist

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday

9am - 3pm

THE CATHEDRAL SHOP

Monday - Friday

10am - 2pm

Sunday

11am - 12pm

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Message from Rev'd Blythe

E te whānau a te Karaiti,

I must admit that I get a little sad as we enter into March. I love summer. Warm days, warm nights, bbq's, swimming, evening walks, beautiful gardens, sunshine, sunshine, sunshine. I have had a thing for summer since I was a little girl. March feels like the reminder that seasons must change and that change is coming. Thankfully, there are beautiful things to be found in every season.

I hope that you are all keeping well in the midst of all that is changing and uncertain right now. When I become disheartened by the headlines each day, filled with discouraging numbers and stories of division and mistrust, I think of Fred Rogers, Presbyterian minister and the host of the children's television show Mr Roger's Neighbourhood. When speaking to children who were feeling worried or afraid of what was going on around them he told them to "look for the helpers. You can always find people who are helping." My prayer for you in this season is that whatever is happening in your world that you would find "helpers" all around you, and that you would find opportunities to be a "helper" for someone else.

Speaking of help, it has become a real possibility that many of us will end up needing to isolate at different times over the coming weeks; we may have covid or be a close contact of someone who does. As the Cathedral whanau, we want to make sure that you have everything that you need should you need to isolate at home. If you feel that you may need help with essential items, medical supplies, or would like someone from the Cathedral to phone you if you are isolating, please let us know.

The process for the appointment of a new Dean continues with the advertisement now being posted; applications close on the 18th of March. Thank you to everyone who participated in the consultation; it was good to hear what brings you joy at the Cathedral, what you feel are her priorities, and what we can continue to work on in the future.

The month of March brings us into the season of Lent, beginning with our Ash Wednesday service on the 2nd of March at 7pm. Rev'd Mele and I have been discussing how we can ensure that there are opportunities for everyone to engage in a meaningful way, whether you are able to join us in person, or need to worship from home.

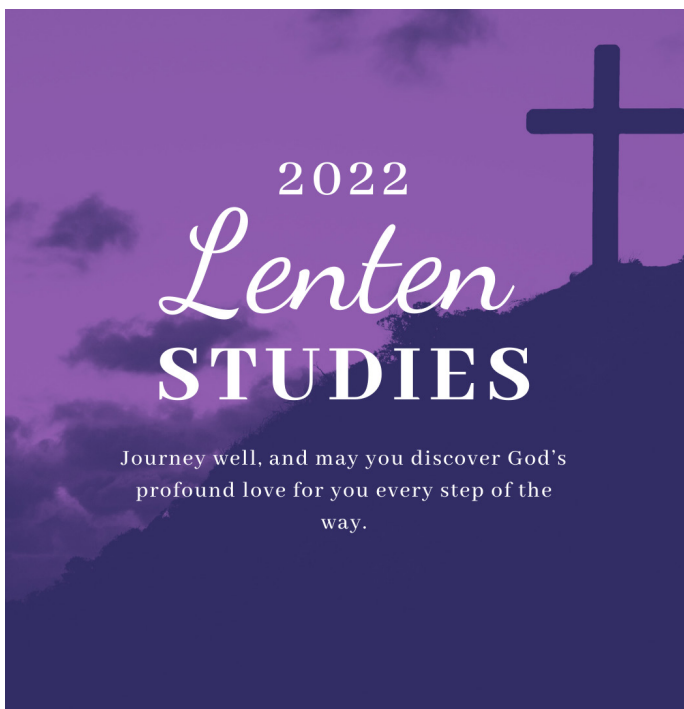
May the month of March and this season of Lent allow you to experience God in new and fresh ways; may you find "helpers" in the midst of uncertainty; may you be a "helper" to those who are in need; may the love of God which is without height or depth, enfold you today and always.

-Rev'd Blythe

*A young Blythe
enjoying summer*



Lent & Easter 2022



We are doing Lenten studies different this year. We are moving to online and will look at 2 resources to help us explore our journey with God this Lent.

Each study is designed to be self-directed, and you have the choice as well. Whether you do both or just the one. After viewing the first week's study, it will be followed by a Zoom session with either myself or Rev'd Blythe to facilitate discussions and reflections on both studies. These Zoom sessions will be on Tuesdays on a weekly basis with a session in the morning and another one in the evening. Further information, dates and times on the study schedules will be made available on St Peter's Cathedral website and our Facebook page.

Journey well, and may you discover God's profound love for you every step of the way.

Topic: Lenten Study Zoom Session

Time: 11am & 7pm

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/7484163866?pwd=M1VNcXhCcncFVVTBrdyswenlrbHJiQT09>

Meeting ID: 748 416 3866

Passcode: 811544

Visit our website to download the schedule and weekly study notes:

www.stpeter.org.nz/lent-2022

LENT

6 March – 1st Sunday in Lent
13 March – 2nd Sunday in Lent
20 March – 3rd Sunday in Lent
27 March – 4th Sunday in Lent



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PASSION SUNDAY

3 April 2022, 8am & 10am



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PALM SUNDAY

10 April 2022, 8am & 10am



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BIRTHDAYS - MARCH 2022

2ND CHRISTOPHER WHITELEY
 2ND AJOK (UGANDA) (TEAR FUND CHILD)
 3RD GREGORY FAHEY
 4TH DEBBIE HERON
 5TH LISETTE MCADAM
 6TH JESSICA BRANT
 7TH YOONJI GLANDER
 8TH NANCY BURROUGHS
 9TH BRIGIT BRANT
 9TH SHIRLEY WILSON
 13TH TUREIA MOXON
 13TH THE REVD AMANDA BRADLEY
 16TH LULA SNODGRASS
 18TH ANNE NISBET
 18TH THOMAS (TOM) TAPPING
 19TH SOPHIE FEPULEA'I
 20TH MATHILDA GRIFFITHS
 21ST PHIL WILSON
 21ST SHIRLEY ARNOLD
 22ND MACKAYLA HITCHENS
 24TH PROF. RAYMOND HARLOW
 25TH HARTANTI WHITELEY
 25TH HARRIS CHANEY
 27TH TE ARO MOXON
 27TH WYN YEOMAN
 28TH MELANIE BOURKE
 29TH LEIGH HENDERSON
 30TH VALENTINE RONOLEA
 31ST SUSAN STIRLING
 31ST PINE CAMPBELL (JNR)

Junior Choir

YVONNE HALL

St Peter's Junior Choir began very well in mid-February with six new members which is very encouraging and a great start to what will be a fun year.

There is a wide range of experience within the choir from 13 to 5 year olds and I am delighted to have Emelie McAdam as my head chorister this year.

With this group of great young ones, this year I have discovered that as well as singing some members are multi-musically talented. We have 2 who play flute, 2 who play violin and 3 are also piano players. We are so lucky. I am also very grateful to the parents and caregivers who come along each Friday afternoon and support us, especially Marlena Prentice who helps in so many ways.

The Junior Choir 2022 will be contributing to our Cathedral worship for the first time on Sunday 27 March at 10 am for our Mothering Sunday celebration.

I am very thankful for the privilege of working with such great kids.



Emelie McAdam (head chorister)

Ringling for 46 minutes

WENDY TYRRELL

The link below will take you to a youtube post which is a recording of the quarterpeal we rang on the cathedral's bells on 19th February. It was rung by Hamilton ringers and Auckland ringers and near the beginning you will see the logo for each tower. The recording is about 46mins long as this is how long it takes to ring a quarterpeal.

The ringers you can see are, from bottom left Adrian Grant (No. 5), Wendy Tyrrell (No. 6), Frank Sluter (No. 7), Daniel Watson (Tenor), Robert Bennett (Treble). The ringers on No. 2 (Mary Sluter), No. 3 (Michael Stone) and No. 4 (Scott Pilkington), are hidden.

The insert shows the ceiling of the ringing chamber, with the ropes moving up and down according to the stroke of each bell. The orientation is different from that of the ringers. Left-wise from centre bottom, No. 5, No. 4, No. 3, No. 2, Treble, Tenor, No. 7, No. 6, with the tenor's sally (coloured part of the rope) disappearing through the ceiling each time the rope goes up.



YouTube link

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iTe5CecqVWg&t=444s>

Cathedral Ministry Team

During the Dean's absence, The Most Rev'd Sir David Moxon will have the Bishop's oversight of the Cathedral.

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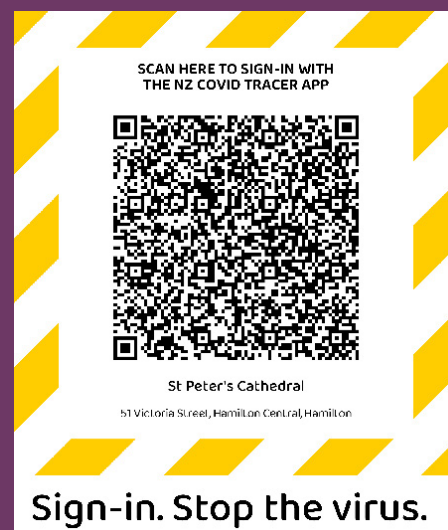
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