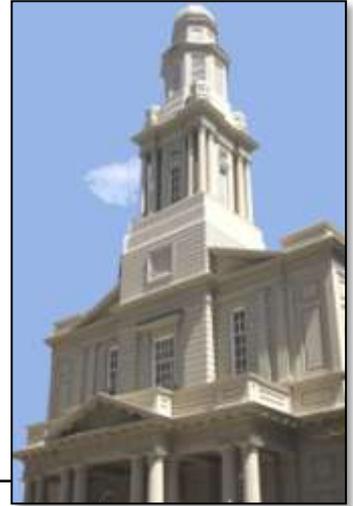


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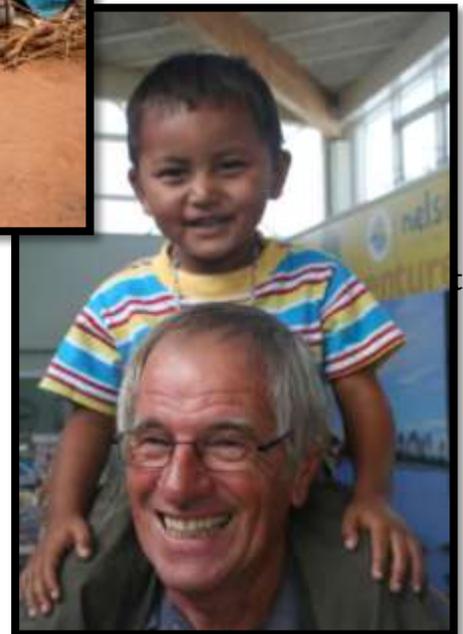
17th June 2012

3rd Sunday after Pentecost

Refugee Sunday



camp in Niger



Refugee Services volunteer and new friend in Nelson

WELCOME TO ST ANDREW'S ON THE TERRACE

Wherever you are on your faith's journey,
wherever you have come from and wherever you are going to,
whatever you believe, whatever you do not believe, you are welcome here.

Please join in the congregational responses printed in ***bold italics***. Please stand if you are able, for the hymns and the offering prayer. AA is the NZ hymnbook *Alleluia Aotearoa*. We will sing the hymns without announcement.

*Please note your nearest fire exit.
The church and hall have been earthquake strengthened.
In an earthquake: stop, cover and hold.*

GATHERING

Life is a journey with others;
we travel as a people, on a winding road.
We share our lives, our experiences, our hopes,
our fears and struggles.
So as we gather, let us celebrate the richness and diversity of life
in the presence we name God.

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

Something's dead inside me

Words: Joy Cowley. Music: Colin Gibson

Something's dead inside me,
some yesterday is slain.
My heart is hung upon a cross,
my thoughts are filled with pain
and yet there is within me
a hope I can't explain,
for in the darkness I can see
*God dancing in the rain
God dancing in the rain*

I surrender to the mystery
of loss that's turned to gain.
The little seed of wheat must die
to become a field of grain,
and I know it's in this time of grief
that Christ is risen again,
for in the darkness I can see
*God dancing in the rain
God dancing in the rain*

OPENING RESPONSES

Welcoming God, we come together,
We come knowing that you are with us,
We come rejoicing in the comfort of this community.

***We come in together,
mindful of the needs of those who have lost homes and loved ones,
clear in our concern for each other
and confident of the love that unites us with your creation. Amen***

WELCOME

E te whanau a Te Karaiti
Nga mihi aroha ki a tatou katoa.
Kia ora tatou.

PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

on card

LIGHTING THE RAINBOW ROOM CANDLE

TIME WITH THE ADULTS

BLESSING THE CHILDREN

We send you to the Rainbow Room programme to hear stories, ask questions and have fun together.
God bless you. Amen.

PASSING THE PEACE

WORD IN TEXTS

Prue Wilson

Hebrew Bible

Genesis 3:8-15

Garden of Eden: eating the fruit

Gospel

Mark 3:20-35

Who is my mother?

Contemporary reading

When the night ends

Traditional Jewish Story

RESPONSE

For the word of God in scripture,
for the word of God among us,
for the word of God within us,
We give thanks.

HYMN

AA 158 *Who is my mother?*

REFLECTION

Margaret Mayman

“Daring to be Family”

HYMN

For everyone born

Words: Shirley Murray. Tune: Brian Mann

For everyone born, a place at the table,
for everyone born, clean water and bread,
a shelter, a space, a safe place for growing,
for everyone born, a star overhead.

*and God will delight when we are creators
of justice and joy, compassion and peace:
yes, God will delight when we are creators
of justice, justice and joy.*

For woman and man, a place at the table,
revising the roles, deciding the share,
with wisdom and grace, dividing the power,
for woman and man, a system that's fair.

For young and for old, a place at the table,
a voice to be heard, a part in the song,
the hand of a child in hands that are wrinkled,
for young and for old, the right to belong.

For just and unjust, a place at the table,
abuser, abused, with need to forgive,
in anger, in hurt, a mindset of mercy,
for just and unjust, a new way to live.

For everyone born, a place at the table,
to live without fear, and simply to be,
to work, to speak out, to witness and worship,
for everyone born, the right to be free.

LITANY FOR REFUGEE SUNDAY

When the skin of water was dry
Hagar was filled with despair and desperation
but she discovered another chance at life
water flowed in the desert.

*When vulnerable people have been cast out
into deserts of despair
God seeks opportunities to create hope and life.*

As the captives in exile hung up their harps and wept,
refugees in our country may find it hard
to sing the songs of their hearts in a strange land.

***Jesus calls us to reach out to those who seek refuge,
and welcome them as brothers and sisters.***

***When we create a safe space for them to sing
and share songs of our own
our lives are enriched.***

When the night is dark
when people wander under unfamiliar stars
the Spirit of God moves.

***The spirit moves within the outcasts
struggling for freedom***

***The spirit moves within the vulnerable
planting seeds of hope***

***The spirit moves within our hearts
stirring the flames of justice.***

We are God's people

called to offer hope,

to sing passionately,

to seek justice

and to be a welcoming presence in the world.

CRISIS IN SAHEL

LIFE IN THE COMMUNITY OF ST ANDREW'S

*People share notices and visitors are welcomed. If you have a notice,
please move to the front row, ready to speak briefly from the lectern.*

OFFERING

***Compassionate God, who calls all people to be one family,
teach us to share your gifts with each other,
strengthen us to make peace by working together,
and challenge us with a vision of the feast
where all are welcome. Amen.***

*We recognise and bless the gifts brought to the table and those given
to support the mission of the church through automatic payment.*

CIRCLE OF PRAYER

We think today of the people of Kiribati and Nauru and the Kiribati Protestant Church. In New Zealand, we remember those in parliament, and today we name Phil Goff and Jo Goodhew, and the people of their electorates of Mt Roskill and Rangitata. Here in Wellington we pray for the leaders and people of St Martin's Presbyterian Church, Porirua East.

PRAYER FOR ST ANDREW'S

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HYMN

Lord, turn our grieving into grace

Words: Shirley Murray. Music: Ian Render

Lord, turn our grieving into grace:
another way of living,
learning what others have to face,
another way of seeing;
Lord, by the sharing of the pain,
lift up the stone,
lift up the stone,
lift up the stone
that weighs us down.

Grow in these dark resistant fears
the seedlings of compassion,
draw from this spring of helpless tears
a love that you would fashion,
till, through the anguish of today,
hope takes us on,
hope takes us on,
hope takes us on
another way.

BLESSING AND SUNG AMEN

Thanks to Peter Franklin, our organist this morning

**We welcome all visitors
and invite you to stay for morning tea or coffee.**
Please sign the visitors' book at the back of the church.
We hope you enjoyed worshipping with us.

At St Andrew's we want you to feel at home—to join in with the activities of our community of faith, or to come and find your own spiritual place in your own time. If you would like more information about St Andrew's or to explore becoming a member or associate member, please fill in a "Belonging" form (at the back of the church) and hand it to a minister or a welcoming team member.

There is a 2-hour parking limit on the street in the Wellington CBD on Sundays. If you are staying for an after-church activity, you might like to move your car into the car park, or move to a new space on the street.

Thanks to this week's volunteers

Welcoming:	Jim & Maxine Cunningham
Sound:	Tony Cowdry
Offering:	James Cone, Cam Smart
Coffee/tea:	Dawn Cowdry, Pam Fuller

On duty next week 24 Jun

Welcoming:	Heather Macfarlane, Paul Satherley
Sound:	Sarah Jobson
Offering:	Joan Tyler, Sonia Petrie
Coffee/tea:	Julie Brough, David Thorne
Time with the Children:	Jenny Simpson
Readings:	Lyn Burrell
Prayers of the People:	Graham Howell
Musician:	Jane Keller

This Week and Coming Events at St Andrew's

Sun 17 Jun	10 am 11.30 am	Sunday gathering. Social Justice: Living Wage Campaign
Tues 19 Jun	12.15 pm	Prof Lloyd Geering series of 4 lectures Evolution: The Real Genesis Lecture 2 <i>Geogenesis – The Emergence of the Earth</i>
Wed 20 Jun	12.15 pm	Free Lunchtime Concert <i>String Students of the NZSM</i>
Thu 21 Jun	7 pm	<i>Living the Questions</i> . Week 6.
Sun 24 Jun	10 am 11.30 am 2.30 pm	Sunday gathering. Exploring Faith Concert ' <i>Another Day</i> ' Wellington Male Voice Choir

SOCIAL JUSTICE

Following this service, the Social Justice group will meet. We will be discussing *A Living Wage*. All welcome.

EVOLUTION: THE REAL GENESIS

Tuesday 19 June 12.15 – 1 pm. Second of 4 lectures

Lecture by Professor Lloyd Geering at St Andrew's on The Terrace
Geogenesis – The Emergence of the Earth

LIVING THE QUESTIONS

Introduction to Progressive Christianity DVD and discussion series (7) led by Margaret. Week 6 this Thursday 7 - 8:30 pm.

COLLAGING YOUR LIFE: Meditative retreat day, and a fun way to gain greater understanding of yourself. No artistic ability needed. Saturday 23 June, 9.30am to 4pm. Bring own lunch. \$45, includes tea, coffee, biscuits, materials. Maximum of 6 participants. Facilitator: Trish McBride. Broadmeadows Ph 478 6332 or mcbride@paradise.net.nz

The ONE and the MANY: unity in diversity in the Church.

A one day seminar from the Wellington Theological Consortium.
Saturday 18 August 9.30 am – 5 pm.
St John's Church, Willis St, Wellington.

See the back noticeboard for more information or email
WITLibrary@wn.ang.org.nz

MISSING CHURCH LINEN

We are missing a few table cloths. You may have kindly taken these home to be washed and forgotten to return them. Can you please check as they may be tucked away in a cupboard – forgotten.

1. A white, embroidered linen table runner (1.5 metres long) which is used on the small communion table.
2. A blue check, oblong tablecloth used on the morning tea tables.

Please contact Lyn Burrell 386-3582 if you have either of these (no questions asked). Or just drop them in to the office. Thanks.

DOWNTOWN COMMUNITY MINISTRIES FOODBANK

Margaret Pannett reports that the foodbank is urgently needing noodles, tinned or packet meat meals, tinned fish, breakfast foods, cereals and spreads. Thanks for any contributions that you are able to make.



Tuesday June 12, 19 & 26 and July 3

A series of four lunchtime lectures by Professor Lloyd Geering

Evolution: The Real Genesis

Not by design but by chance events

How did we come to be here? Was there really a big bang? Are we here by design, or through a succession of accidents?

However you look at this, it's a miracle we are here at all. In this series of talks, Lloyd Geering will sketch how modern scientists have been revealing the story of how we humans came to be here on planet earth, superseding the stories told by priests, prophets and the Holy Scriptures of old.

What a mind-boggling story it is, full of chance events and cosmic catastrophes! Professor Geering will show how the more humans understand our common origin and our close relationship with this earth, the more we will be motivated to work in unity to counter successfully our current global problems.

Lecture 1 • June 12 • 12:15–1:00pm
Cosmogenesis – The Emergence of the Universe

Lecture 2 • June 19 • 12:15–1:00pm
Geogenesis – The Emergence of the Earth

Lecture 3 • June 26 • 12:15–1:00pm
Biogenesis – The Emergence of Life

Lecture 4 • July 3 • 12:15–1:00pm
Anthropogenesis – The Emergence of Humankind



at St Andrews on The Terrace

CWS Sahel Food Crisis Appeal

Imagine having to forage for toxic leaves from wild thorn bushes to feed your family today. That's reality now for 28 year old Fatumatou living in Tin'Akoff, Burkina Faso. She is just one of eight million people in West Africa's Sahel region in need of help right now as famine tightens its grip on the region.

Her story sums up the plight of 10 million Sahel people struggling to find food. Christian World Service partners, ACT Alliance, are already there on the ground. Working not just to feed immediate need but to help Sahel people find better ways to farm in future.

People who went through extreme food stress in the droughts of 2009 and 2011 have not had time to rebuild reserves. Now drought is back, harder and deeper than last time.

YES, I want to help the people of Sahel

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To create a lively, open Christian faith community,
to act for a just and peaceful world, and to be catalysts for discovery,
compassion and celebration in the capital.

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