

# St Andrew's on The Terrace

*Hato Anaru o Te Parehua*

Founded 1840

## ORDER OF SERVICE

1<sup>st</sup> July 2012

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**5<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**



"Self-reflection"

by Kalihwiyostha Thompson

## 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: drop, cover and hold.*

### GATHERING

In the peace, in the presence, in the power,  
Let us sense the sacred. Let us celebrate life.

### PROCESSIONAL HYMN

Lyrics: adapted by Ruth Duck. Tune: WOV 28

Praise be to God, the Almighty, who rules all creation!  
O my soul, worship the well-spring of health and salvation!  
Let all who hear,  
Now to God's temple draw near,  
Joining in glad adoration.

Praise be to God, who o'er all things is wondrously reigning,  
Bringing new life, in great mercy redeeming, sustaining.  
Ponder anew  
What the Almighty can do;  
Ponder God's gracious ordaining.

Praise be to God, who works justice, who ends all oppressing!  
God's name most holy let Israel always be blessing!  
Rise up on wings!  
Healing and wholeness God brings!  
Always God's deeds be confessing!

Praise be to God! O forget not God's manifold graces!  
All that has life and breath, one song of gratitude raises!  
Let the amen  
Sound from God's people again.  
Gladly for ever sing praises!

## OPENING RESPONSES

Out of nothingness we came from birth into life:

***With the Spirit of God within us.***

From the life of God the universe unfolded into being:

***With the Spirit of God within it.***

From the heart of God creation goes on until the end of time:

***With the Spirit of God within it***

***and our spirit within it.***

Let us embrace the God who enfolds us.

***We delight in the sacred within and around us.***

## 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 CHILDREN

**Frank Cook**

### BLESSING THE CHILDREN

May the gentle light of Matariki  
guide and inspire you all this year.

***God bless you. Amen.***

*Rainbow Room resumes again after the holidays on Sunday 15 July.*

*There are activities for children at the back of the church.*

## PASSING THE PEACE

### WORD IN TEXTS

**Margaret Rushbrook**

#### Hebrew Bible

2 Samuel 1: 1, 17-27

*David grieves for Jonathan*

#### Gospel

Mark 5:21-43

*Seekers for healing*

#### Contemporary reading

**"God, intimate and fearful"**

From *All Desires Known* by Janet Morley

## RESPONSE

For the Stars that shone on our ancestors,  
for the Light renewed in our hearts in Matariki,  
for the Word embodied in us:

***We give thanks.***

## REFLECTION

**Margaret Mayman**

**"Saving and Healing"**

## HYMN

John Bell and Graham Maule, Iona Community

Christ's is the world in which we move;  
Christ's are the folk we're summoned to love;  
Christ's is the voice which calls us to care,  
and Christ is the one who meets us here.

*To the lost is shown Christ's face,  
to the unloved Christ gives an embrace,  
to those who cry in pain or disgrace,  
Christ makes, with these friends, a touching place.*

Feel for the people we most avoid -  
strange or bereaved or never employed.  
Feel for the women and feel for the men  
who fear that their living is all in vain.

Feel for the parents who've lost their child,  
feel for the women whom men have defiled,  
feel for the baby for whom there's no breast,  
and feel for the weary who find no rest.

Feel for the lives by life confused,  
riddled with doubt, in loving abused;  
feel for the lonely heart, conscious of sin,  
which longs to be pure but fears to begin.

## AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Dorothy McRae-McMahon

***God, our God, is the Creator,  
who forms new things from nothing,  
even our emptiness.***

***God, our God, is the Christ,  
who would rather die than leave us without grace,  
who sits with sinners and walks with the searching,  
who brings hope and healing***

*from as little as a touch of his robe.  
Christ's arms stretch out to embrace us all  
and to carry us beyond where we thought we could go  
in costly risen life.*

*God, our God, is the Holy Spirit,  
giver of the gifts we need,  
discovered in surprising places,  
always moving towards us  
in healing, comfort and love.*

## **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**

*Generous God, you strengthen our love  
to help us meet the test of others' needs.  
Receive and use these gifts  
so that abundance and need  
may be balanced in the world.  
Remembering Jesus the healer we pray. Amen.*

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

## **PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

**Mike Wespel Rose**

## **CIRCLE OF PRAYER**

We think today of the people of South Korea and the National Council of Churches in Korea. In New Zealand, we remember those in parliament, and today we name Nathan Guy and Hone Harawira, and the people of their electorates of Otaki and Te Tai Tokerau. Here in Wellington we pray for the leaders and people of St Christopher's Presbyterian Church, Seatoun/Strathmore.

## **PRAYER FOR ST ANDREW'S**

*on card*

## COMMUNION HYMN

*O deepest mystery of our God*  
Tune: WOV 79 i. Lyrics: Mary Pearson.

1. O deepest mystery of God,  
You seek us all our days,  
Waiting most patiently to show  
The wisdom of your ways.
2. Deep in our hearts we long to fill  
That God shaped space within,  
But all the efforts of our minds,  
Prove but a gesture thin.
3. Just when we think we've traced your path,  
And that we understand,  
You move and call us once again,  
Into uncharted land.
4. For while we want to know you more,  
We really fear to change,  
Wishing, in vain, that we could have,  
Your justice without pain.
5. Yet when the way seems long and hard,  
We find Christ's presence there,  
Where hungry souls and bodies ask  
Us silently to care.
6. O deepest mystery of God,  
You seek us all our days,  
Waiting most patiently to show,  
The wisdom of your ways.

## COMMUNION

*on card*

## HYMN

Tune: Rhuddlan, WOV 543 ii  
Words: Fred Kaan

For the healing of the nations,  
God, we pray with one accord;  
For a just and equal sharing  
Of the things that earth affords.  
To a life of love in action  
Help us rise and pledge our word.

Lead us, now, God into freedom,  
From despair your world release;  
That, redeemed from war and hatred,  
We may come and go in peace.  
Show us how through care and goodness  
fear will die and hope increase.

All that kills abundant ,living,  
Let it from the earth be banned;  
Pride of status, race or schooling,  
Dogmas keeping us apart.  
In our common quest for justice  
May we hallow life's brief part.

You, Creator God, have written  
Your great name on all humankind,  
For our growing in your likeness  
Brings the life of Christ to mind;  
That by our response and service  
Earth its destiny may find.

### **GOING OUT**

Go seeking healing for yourselves and the world.

***We will go boldly, and ask.***

Go, be courageous and touch the world with God's love.

***We will go boldly, and risk.***

Go, rejoice in the wholeness that is the power of God.

***We will go boldly, and give thanks.***

Go in peace and bring peace to others.

***We will go boldly, and live in peace.***

### **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:	Sandra and Tony Kirby
Sound:	Sarah Jobson
Offering:	Sonia Petrie, Cam Smart
Coffee/tea:	Pete Cowley, James Cone
Communion:	Margaret Rushbrook, Sonia Petrie, Lloyd Geering

### On duty next week 8 Jul

Welcoming:	Di Lawrence & Catherine Wylds
Sound:	Frank Cook
Offering:	Ann Barrie, Paul Barber
Coffee/tea:	Sue Cook, Bronwyn White
Time with the Children:	Cam Smart
Readings:	Marilyn Wallace
Prayers of the People:	Jennifer Bush Daumec
Musician:	Bruce Corkill

### This Week and Coming Events at St Andrew's

Sun 1 Jul	10 am 11.30 am 2.30 pm	Sunday gathering. Cafe brunch WCO concert
Mon 2 Jul	7 pm	Spirited Conversation with Annie Newman from the Service Workers Union. Meal at 6 pm
Tues 3 Jul	12.15 pm	SATRS Lecture. Prof Lloyd Geering Evolution: The Real Genesis Lecture 4 <i>Anthropogenesis – The Emergence of Humankind</i>
Wed 4 Jul	12.15 pm	Free Lunchtime Concert <i>Music for Viola and Piano.</i>



Sun 8 Jul	10 am 11.30 am 3 pm	Sunday gathering Congregational Conversation <i>Two Great Piano Trios</i> with Benjamin Morrison, Jane Young & David Vine
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## **SPIRITED CONVERSATION**

3 October at 7pm at the Thistle Inn. Come at 6 pm for a meal.

Annie Newman, Service Workers Union is the guest speaker. Her subject: The Living Wage – a new campaign for New Zealand that will bring together community groups, faith-based organisations and unions around poverty reduction for working people and their families.

## **SATRS — EVOLUTION: THE REAL GENESIS**

Tuesday 3 July 12.15 – 1 pm.



Lecture by Professor Lloyd Geering  
*Anthropogenesis – The Emergence of Humankind*



## **WORSHIP WORKSHOP – FOR ST ANDREW’S COMMUNITY**

Saturday 14 July from 9:15 to 12:30 pm in Conference Rooms 1 and 2, and in the church.

An event for everyone involved in our Sunday gatherings and everyone who would like to learn about being involved: for readers, pray-ers, children’s talkers, welcomers, offering helpers, sound people, liturgy creators and reflectors.

Led by the worship team (Margaret, Fiona, Sonia and Colma) with input from experienced Sunday participants. We hope everyone involved will come along for a refresher and a conversation about how we work together to make our Sunday gathering creative, joyful and participatory.

**COLOURS AND SHAPES OF GRIEF:** Saturday 28 July 9.30 am – 4 pm. A time to be with our grief in a gentle supportive atmosphere, to give it colours and shapes through collage work. No artistic ability needed. Maximum of 6 participants. Cost \$45, includes materials, tea/coffee. BYO lunch. Facilitator: Trish McBride. Broadmeadows Ph 478 6332 or [mcbride@paradise.net.nz](mailto: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. Email [WITLibrary@wn.ang.org.nz](mailto:WITLibrary@wn.ang.org.nz)

### **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.

**THE CATHOLIC BISHOPS COMMITTEE FOR INTERFAITH RELATIONS - DVD EVENING.** Friday 27 July at the Catholic Centre Cafeteria, Hill Street. 5.30 – 8.30 pm (screening begins at 6 pm). Bring finger food to share for supper. Tea and coffee provided.

Contact person: Sr Catherine Jones [c.jones@wn.catholic.org.nz](mailto:c.jones@wn.catholic.org.nz)



'Theirs is an inspiring story, full of hope... A model for Muslim-Christian relations.'

Dr Rowan Williams, Archbishop of Canterbury



'Peace needs to be deepened. There are no permanent angels or permanent devils in any community. This film is a resource of best practice. It reflects the indomitable spirit of the Kenyan people.'

Francis Kimemia, Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Provincial Administration and Internal Security, Govt of Kenya

## ORGAN 50 YEARS ON

Peter Averis rang David in the office a few weeks back. He was organist here at St Andrew's in the 60's and mentioned that he was to play the organ at the Methodist church in Morrinsville on the anniversary of 50 years since they bought it from us. *"The organ was packed and despatched to Morrinsville to the Methodist Church who had bought it for 1,500 pounds". p 27 St Andrew's The First 150 years*

## DRIVING PRACTICE VOLUNTEERS

One of the most important skills for newly arrived refugees to acquire is learning to drive. Often women are not a priority and so a new programme has been established by ChangeMakers Refugee Forum to help women get licenses. Female volunteers are needed to help with driving practice.



20 Learners will shortly start professional driving lessons and continue until they are deemed safe by the instructor to go out for practice with a volunteer. They are particularly short of driving practice volunteers from Porirua and the Hutt.

On the back table is some information about volunteering for driving practice. If you'd like to volunteer or need any more information please contact Naomi at ChangeMakers [naomi@crf.org.nz](mailto:naomi@crf.org.nz)

The latest ***Touchstone*** newspaper and ***Spanz*** magazine are now available on the back table.

## MISSION STATEMENT OF ST ANDREW'S ON THE TERRACE

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.

## MINISTRY AT ST ANDREW'S – THE TEAM

<b>Senior Minister</b>	Margaret Mayman
<b>Parish Council Convenor</b>	Sandra Kirby
<b>Parish Council Clerk</b>	Heather Macfarlane
<b>Treasurer</b>	Paul Barber
<b>Saving St Andrew's Convenor</b>	Lynne Dovey
<b>Pastoral Convenors</b>	Colma Froggatt, Fiona McDougal
<b>Music Coordinator</b>	Jane Keller
<b>Theologian in Residence</b>	Lloyd Geering
<b>Presbytery Commissioner</b>	Helen Beaumont
<b>Concert Coordinator</b>	Marjan van Waardenberg
<b>Rainbow Room Coordinator</b>	Monika Demuth-Barber
<b>Parish Manager</b>	David Medland
<b>Custodian</b>	Peter Cowley

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