

# St Andrew's on The Terrace

*Hato Anaru o Te Parehua*  
Founded 1840

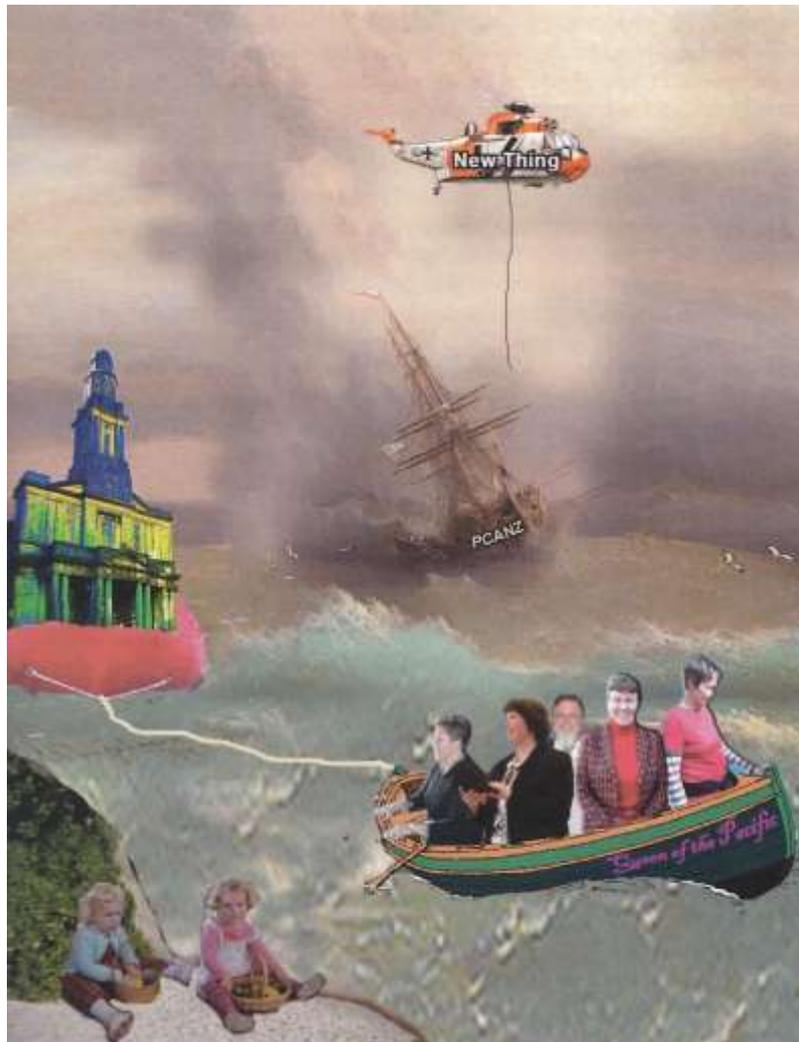
## ORDER OF SERVICE

25<sup>th</sup> November 2012

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### 26<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost



## 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

We come with open hearts to hear the voice of the sacred  
singing through our songs  
breathing the word into our silences  
challenging us in our speaking and listening  
and calling the people down the ages.  
Let us celebrate life in the presence we name God.

### PROCESSIONAL HYMN

*All are welcome*  
Words and music: Marty Haugen

Let us build a house where love can dwell  
and all can safely live.  
A place where saints and children tell  
how hearts learn to forgive.  
Built of hopes and dreams and visions,  
rock of faith and vault of grace;  
here the love of Christ shall end divisions:  
all are welcome in this place.

Let us build a house where prophets speak,  
and words are strong and true.  
Where all God's children dare to seek  
to dream God's reign anew.  
Here the cross shall stand as witness  
and as symbol of God's grace;  
here as one we claim the faith of Jesus;  
all are welcome in this place.

Let us build a house where love is found  
in water, wine and wheat;  
a banquet hall on holy ground,  
where peace and justice meet.  
Here the love of God, through Jesus,  
is revealed in time and space,  
as we share in Christ the feast that frees us;  
all are welcome in this place.

Let us build a house where hands will reach  
beyond the wood and stone,  
to heal and strengthen, serve and teach,  
and live the Word they've known.  
Here the outcast and the stranger  
bears the image of God's face;  
let us bring an end to fear and danger:  
all are welcome in this place.

Let us build a house where all are named,  
their songs and visions heard  
and loved and treasured, taught and claimed  
as words within the Word.  
Built of tears and cries and laughter,  
prayers of faith and songs of grace.  
Let this house proclaim from floor to rafter:  
all are welcome in this place.

## **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

**Cam Smart**

### BLESSING THE CHILDREN

We send you to the Rainbow Room programme  
to hear the stories of our faith and have fun together.  
*God bless you. Amen.*

## PASSING THE PEACE

### WORD IN TEXTS

**Frank Hanson**

#### Gospel

John 18:33-37

### HISTORICAL SECTION

#### Introduction

**Janet Horncy**

#### First Montage

**Narrator: Frances Porter**

## HYMN

*Seeds of Change*

Words and music: Carolyn McDade

This is a time we honour and name  
those who gathered before us  
This is a time we hear God's word  
In the voices never heard  
Who scatter all myths of pretension  
Out of the truth of those turned away  
Blamed, oppressed and discarded  
Who shall reap and who shall sow?  
Who decides what seeds will grow,  
and who lays a claim to the harvest?

*Fire of passion, light of vision,  
into the ashes we sow seeds of change  
Rooting a wisdom, dark and fertile  
yielding a harvest of hope,  
good for all people who live in the land*

Cycles, move; people can change,  
turning fresh in the morning  
Blossoms of joy amidst the pain  
Love that died is born again  
and sacred all lands and all peoples

Out of the ash, a cauldron of green  
fresh, eager, and faithful  
Hope long scorned by 'powers that be'  
lives now as people free  
their dreams for tomorrow reviving.

*chorus*

Second Montage

**Link Narrator – Frances Porter**

Second Montage

**Narrator – Pam Ormsby  
Link Narrator – Frances Porter**

Third Montage

**Narrator – Janet Horncy**

Fourth Montage

**Frances Porter**

**REFLECTION**

**Margaret**

**HYMN**

*For everyone born*  
Words: Shirley Murray. Music: 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 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 gay and for straight, a place at the table,  
a covenant shared, a welcoming space,  
a rainbow of race and gender and colour,  
for gay and for straight, the chalice of grace,

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.

## **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 AND DEDICATION**

**Margaret**

Creator God, you call us to follow in many ways.

*You call some of us to witness  
with public deeds of justice,  
and you call some of us  
to do the quiet work of companionship.  
You call some of us to proclaim your truth  
in stirring speeches,  
and some to sing your love  
in gentle lullabies.*

*We bring these gifts of money and food  
as tokens of our willingness to use  
all the other gifts you give us.  
We offer our hearts and souls  
and minds and strength.*

*We offer our faith and love;  
our hopes and dreams.*

***Take them, bless them, and use them  
for the good of your world – and ours. 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**

**Colma Froggatt**

### **CIRCLE OF PRAYER**

We think today of the people of Niger and we pray for all those working to end slavery in Niger and throughout the world. In New Zealand, we remember those in parliament, and today we name Damien O'Connor and Simon O'Connor, and the people of their electorates, West Coast Tasman and Tamaki. Here in Wellington, we pray for the leaders and people of the Wellington Cathedral of St Paul.

### **HYMN**

*Draw the circle wide*  
Music and words: Gordon Light

*Draw the circle wide  
Draw it wider still  
Let this be our song,  
No-one stands alone  
Standing side by side  
Draw the circle wide*

God the still-point of the circle  
'round whom all creation turns  
nothing lost, but held forever  
in God's gracious arms

Let our hearts touch far horizons  
so encompass great and small  
let our loving know no borders  
faithful to God's call

Let the dreams we dream be larger  
than we've ever dreamed before  
let the dream of Christ be in us  
open every door!

## BLESSING AND SUNG AMEN

*Thanks to Jane Keller, our pianist this morning.*

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*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.*

**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.

### Thanks to this week's volunteers

Welcoming:	Colma Froggatt, Marilyn Wallace
Sound:	Frank Cook, Tony Cowdry
Offering:	James Cone, Heather Macfarlane
Coffee/tea:	Sarah Jobson, Peter Cowley

### On duty Sunday 2 Dec

Welcoming:	Jim and Maxine Cunningham
Sound:	Frank Cook
Offering:	Joan Tyler, Jon Schrader
Coffee/tea:	Dawn Cowdry, Jennifer Bush Daumec
Time with the Children:	Ellen Murray
Readings:	Frank Hanson
Prayers of the People:	Paul Barber
Musician:	Peter Franklin

<b>This Week and Coming Events at St Andrew's</b>		
Sun 25 Nov	10 am 11.30 am 2.30 pm	Sunday gathering – History Group Service Exploring Faith Wellington Male Voice Choir concert
Wed 28 Nov	12.15 pm	Free Lunchtime Concert <i>Buz Bryant-Greene. NZ Music for Piano</i>
Fri 30 – Sun 2	Sat 6.30 pm	LegaliseLove Conference Incl St Andrew's on The Terrace
Sun 2 Dec	10 am 11.30 am 2.30 pm 6 pm	Sunday gathering – First Sunday in Advent Congregational Brunch Wellington Chamber Orchestra concert Season of Lights Multi-faith Celebration

## **LEGALISELOVE CONFERENCE**

**Friday, 30 November 2012 at 7 pm**

**Legislative Chamber, Parliament, Wellington**

The Marriage Equality Conference will kick off with a powerful Parliamentary panel reflecting on the progress made so far to improve our laws.

**Saturday, 1 December 2012 from 10 am – 5 pm**

**Wellington Community Law Centre, 2/84 Willis St Wellington**

The Campaign for Marriage Equality Wellington group, Queer Avengers and LegaliseLove are collaborating on a national conference to discuss the struggle for marriage equality, queer struggles and beyond. The Queer Avengers stream will focus on queer struggles beyond marriage equality.

### **6.30 pm St Andrew's on The Terrace**

MEC – Keynote” Fighting Homophobia: Workplaces, Schools, Families and Elsewhere.

Nigel Studdart Sacked Northland School Teacher, Jan Logie Green MP and Bill Logan long-time queer activist will speak at the Marriage Equality Conference how fighting homophobia.

Nigel Studdart, a teacher sacked from Northland's Pompallier College for standing up against homophobia, will be speaking at Wellington's marriage equality conference. Entitled “The fight against homophobia — schools, workplaces, families and elsewhere,”

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## **Sunday, 2 December 2012 from 10 am – 5 pm Wellington**

The Campaign for Marriage Equality Wellington group, Queer Avengers and LegaliseLove are collaborating on a national conference to discuss the struggle for marriage equality, queer struggles and beyond.

After Saturday's separate streams, the final day of conference will be focused on reporting back and planning ongoing activity.

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<http://www.legaliselove.org.nz/index.php/conference/>

### **TODAY - EXPLORING FAITH**

We will meet today at 11.30 am following the service upstairs in Conference Room 1. Frank Cook will be leading a discussion based on Nikki Harre's ideas in "*Psychology for a better world*".

"*Psychology for a Better World*" is for people who believe it is worth trying to make a world in which both our species and the ecological systems we are part of can flourish. The book is based on the latest research in psychology and is jam-packed with action strategies. It offers new ways to think about how people interact in social settings, why we are tempted to stick with what we know, and how the same characteristics that currently keep us hooked into unsustainable practices can be used to move us forward."

### **TODAY - CHRISTMAS CAKE AND BAKING FUNDRAISER:**

*Fundraiser, Christmas Cakes and baking. There will be some goods available for sale at the back of the church, and you can still order a Christmas cake. Depending on the Saturday sales, there may be a stall outside St. Andrew's next Wednesday from 10 am to 1 pm. Please let Maxine know if you could help with this stall. Thanks to everyone for their generous and delectable contributions.*

### **SEASONS OF LIGHT CONCERT**

A multi-faith celebration of unity through music, song, ritual and reading. Sunday 2 December 2012 6 pm to 7.30 pm at St Andrew's on the Terrace. Koha Entry. Everyone welcome. St Andrew's Singers will be participating.

### **FREE FAMILY EVENT AND CELEBRATION**

Celebration taking place in Frank Kitts park 25 November 2012. 12.45 pm starts with a Clan march. 1 pm pipers, dancers etc  
An event coordinated by the Wellington Association of Scots Societies & Highland Games Inc.

## **PUBLIC LECTURES BY PROFESSOR GREG DUNCAN**

Distinguished Professor, University of California, Irvine

Professor Greg Duncan, the first Sir Frank Holmes Visiting Fellow in Policy Studies.

Monday 26 November: 5.30-6.30pm, Sir Frank Holmes Memorial Lecture

The Long Reach of Early Childhood Poverty

Venue: Lecture Theatre 1, Rutherford House, Bunny Street

## **DCM Annual General Meeting**

Monday 3rd December 2012 at 5.30 pm. Compassion House (upstairs meeting room), 2 Lukes Lane. Followed by a discussion on the new Wellington Homelessness Strategy. Please RSVP by 29 November to [office@dcm.org.nz](mailto:office@dcm.org.nz) or 04-384-7699

## **THE GLAMAPHONES PLAYLIST 9 December Concert in Wellington**

Concert on Sunday 9 December. 4pm at St Andrew's on the Terrace.

Tickets are \$15 waged/ \$10 unwaged/children

Door sales or pre-order by emailing [marketing@glamaphones.org.nz](mailto:marketing@glamaphones.org.nz).

Complimentary refreshments will be served after the performance.

For more details about the Concert and the choir check out:

[www.glamaphones.org.nz](http://www.glamaphones.org.nz)

## **CHRISTMAS CAROLS WELLINGTON REGIONAL HOSPITAL**

Please join us for Christmas carol singing in all the wards on Christmas Eve starting at 7 pm.

Assemble in the Atrium near the chaplain's office.

There will be light refreshments at the end. All are welcome to join us.

Organised by the chaplains.

## **FOODBANK APPEAL 2012**

DCM is currently asking for the following items:

Tinned stews, Tinned corned beef, Pasta or rice snack meals, Christmas goodies, Men & Women toiletries, Tinned reduced cream, Boxed long-life cream.

DCM appreciates anything else you wish to donate, and thanks us for participating.

## **ART AND CRAFT FAIR/EXHIBITION**

Welcome Centre Fundraiser—Autumn 2013 (date to be advised)

Artists and Artisans, Crafters and Cooks: can you contribute original work? If you'd like to be part of this fundraiser, please contact

Margaret Megwyn [megwyn@xtra.co.nz](mailto:megwyn@xtra.co.nz) phone 387-7311 or

Bronwyn White [bronz99@live.com](mailto:bronz99@live.com) phone 04-297-2270

# 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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