

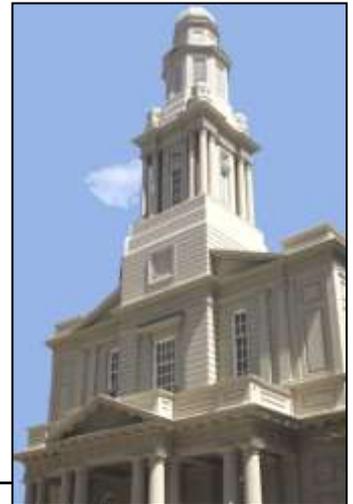
St Andrew's on The Terrace

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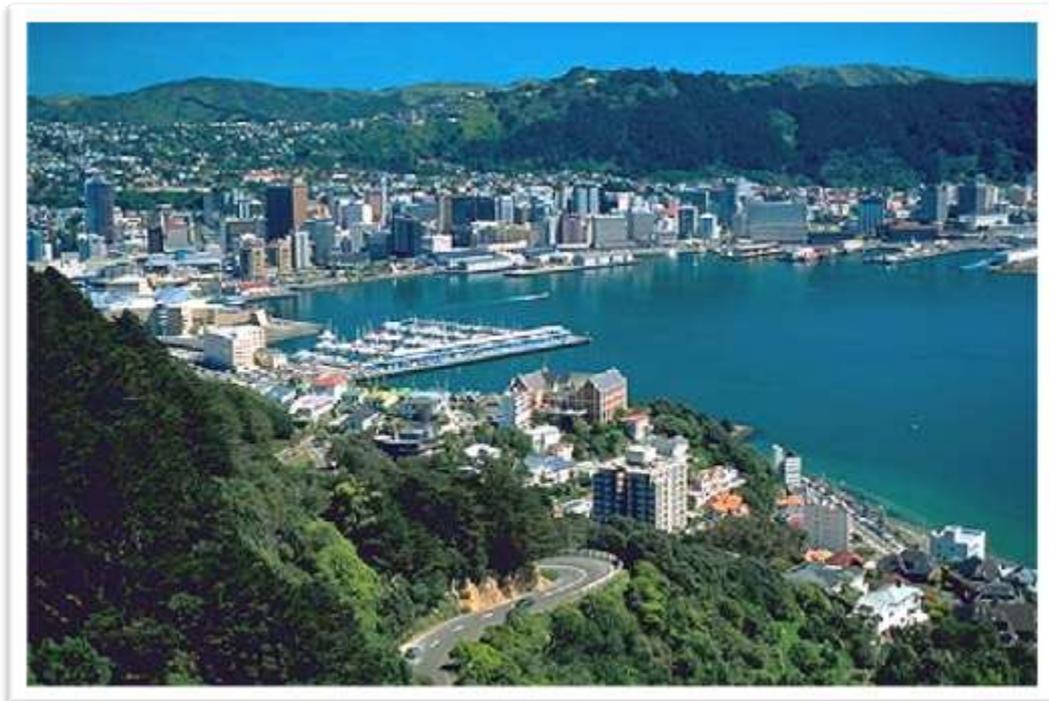
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ORDER OF SERVICE

20 October 2013



22nd 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.

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.

During the building of the Welcome Centre, the only toilets available
are upstairs in the Conference Centre.

Access is via the external stairway at the back of the car park.

We apologise for lack of disability access until December 2013.

GATHERING

It is God, in the dawning, in the renewal,
in the arrival, in the new day.

We carry this flame into our midst as the symbol
of the creativity of our faith:

the creativity to explore new avenues
of religious insight;

the creativity to develop a caring community;

the creativity to envision a world
of peace and freedom.

PROCESSIONAL SONG

Words: Ruth Duck | Music: Hymn to joy

Womb of life, and source of being,
home of every restless heart,
in your arms the worlds awakened;
you have loved us from the start.

We your children, gather 'round you,
at the table you prepare.

Sharing stories, tears and laughter,
we are nurtured by your care.

Word in flesh, our brother Jesus,
born to give us second birth,
you have come to stand beside us,
knowing weakness, knowing earth.

Priest who shares our human struggles,
Life of Life and Death of Death,
Risen Christ, come stand among us,
send the Spirit by your breath.

Brooding Spirit, move among us;
be our partner, be our friend.
When our memory fails remind us
whose we are, what we intend.
Labour with us, aid the birthing
of the new world yet to be,
free of servant, lord and master,
free for love and unity.

Mother, Brother, holy Partner:
Father, Spirit, only Son:
We would praise your name forever,
one in three, and three in one.
We would share your life, your passion,
share your world of world made new,
ever singing, ever praising,
one with all, and one with you.

OPENING RESPONSES

Bronwyn White

Let us gather to hear the voices of all people
and especially the sounds of our city:
the relentless pleading of persistent ones
the soundless longings of the silent ones.

***We gather to contemplate voices
of those who are shameless,
who do not hear the pleas
of the unacceptable and powerless
the “widows and orphans” of our day—
those without loving relationships or homes—
and to show them a new way.***

We gather to listen to those who feel shamed
—not by others’ persistent prayers
but past decisions, errors of judgement,
failures to act...

Sometimes it is our own inner voice
blaming, shaming, quiet but persistent...
We come here to let it rest, to still its yearning.

*We gather to find new energy
for real, persistent prayer:
acting to make the world anew:*

*To be for our city a loving heart
to read its signs of grace
and hear its voice,
Birthing once more the Christ of city
synagogue and stable.*

WELCOME

Kia ora tatou.

Kia ora.

PRAYER

JESUS' PRAYER

on card

LIGHTING THE RAINBOW ROOM CANDLE

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN

Margaret Mayman

BLESSING THE CHILDREN

*We send you to the Rainbow Room to learn about our faith
and to have fun together. God bless you all. Amen.*

PASSING THE PEACE

WORD IN TEXTS

Thom Houtman

Hebrew Bible

Genesis 32:22-31

Gospel

Luke 18:1-8

Contemporary reading

“The Road Not Taken”

Robert Frost

Two roads diverged in a yellow wood,/And sorry I could not travel both/And be
one traveler, long I stood/And looked down one as far as I could/To where it
bent in the undergrowth;

Then took the other, as just as fair,/And having perhaps the better
claim/Because it was grassy and wanted wear,/Though as for that the passing
there/Had worn them really about the same,

And both that morning equally lay/In leaves no step had trodden black./Oh, I kept the first for another day! /Yet knowing how way leads on to way/I doubted if I should ever come back.

I shall be telling this with a sigh/Somewhere ages and ages hence:/Two roads diverged in a wood, and I,/I took the one less traveled by,/And that has made all the difference.

RESPONSE

For the word of God in story
for the word of God around us
for the word of God within us...

We give thanks.

SONG

Words and Music: Colin Gibson

Alleluia Aotearoa 59

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| <p>1. He came singing love And he lived singing love, He died singing love He arose in silence. For the love to go on We must make it our song You and I be the singers.</p> <p>2. He came singing faith And he lived singing faith He died singing faith He arose in silence For the faith to go on We must make it our song You and I be the singers.</p> | <p>3. He came singing hope He lived singing hope He died singing hope He rose in silence For the hope to go on We must make it our song You and I be the singers.</p> <p>4. He came singing peace And he lived singing peace, He died singing peace He arose in silence For the peace to go on We must make it our song; You and I be the singers.</p> |
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REFLECTION

Margaret Mayman

SONG

Words and music: Colin Gibson

Alleluia Aotearoa 114

Out of such sun and air
what Christ may come,
shining with new and lovely light
on our dim and shrouded lives;
stirring our sleepiness with dreams,

visions of life beyond compare.
Out of such sun and air
come, Christ, however you will come.

Out of such cloud and mist
what Christ may come,
blurring the clear and simple lines
of our settled scheme of things;
calling on faith and hope and trust,
daring to danger, trial and risk.
Out of this cloud and mist
come, Christ, however you will come.

Out of such sudden storm
what Christ may come,
sweeping across the startled sky
of our calm and peaceful ways;
driving with tempest winds of change,
testing with tumult and reform.
Out of this sudden storm
come, Christ, however you will come.

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 PRAYER OF DEDICATION

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 Uganda and the Christian World Service partner the Church of Uganda and their work focussing on infrastructure development, small scale enterprise, environmental protection, human rights, civic education, and community based health care. In New Zealand, we remember those in Parliament, and today we name Paul Foster-Bell and Julie Anne Genter, List MPs. Here in Wellington, we pray for the leaders and people of Central Baptist Church, Wellington.

PRAYER FOR ST ANDREW'S

on card

SONG

Words: Shirley Murray | Tune: Colin Gibson

Alleluia Aotearoa 113

Our life has its seasons, and God has the reasons
why spring follows winter, and new leaves grow,
for there's a connection with our resurrection
that flowers will bud after frost and snow.

*So there's never a time to stop believing,
There's never a time for hope to die,
There's never a time to stop loving,
These three things go on.*

There's a time to be planting,
A time to be plucking,
A time to be laughing,
A time to weep,
A time to be building,
A time to be breaking,
A time to be waking,
A time to sleep.

But there's never a time.....

There's a time to be hurting,
a time to be healing,
a time to be saving,
a time to spend,
a time to be grieving,
a time to be dancing,
a time for beginning
a time to end.

But there's never a time.....

BLESSING AND SUNG AMEN

May the blessings of life be with us and with our faith community.
May the memories we gather here give us hope for the future.
May the love that we share bring strength and joy to our hearts
and the peace of this community sustain us wherever we go from here.

Thanks to Peter Franklin, our organist this morning.

*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 can 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.

AUDIO REFLECTIONS



Sunday reflections are usually available on our website.

<http://www.standrews.org.nz/sunday-gathering/orders-of-service>

Thanks to this week's volunteers

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| Welcoming: | Frank & Sue Cook |
| Sound: | Tony Cowdry |
| Offering: | James Cone, Joan Tyler |
| Coffee/tea: | Fiona McDougal and helper |
| Time with the Children: | Margaret Mayman |
| Readings: | Thom Houtman |
| Prayers of the People: | Mike Wespel Rose |
| Musician: | Peter Franklin |

On duty Sunday 27 October

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| Welcoming: | Ann Barrie, Margaret Rushbrook |
| Sound: | Sarah Jobson |
| Offering: | Cam Smart, Lyn Burrell |
| Coffee/tea: | Maxine & Jim Cunningham |
| Time with the Children: | Sue McRae |
| Readings: | Brownyn White |
| Prayers of the People: | Lynne Dovey |
| Musician: | Jane Keller |

This Week and Coming Events at St Andrew's

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| Sun 20 Oct | 10 am 11.30 am 4 pm | Sunday gathering led by Margaret Mayman Annual Meeting Wagner Society meeting. <i>Richard Wagner – Before, During and After</i> |
| Tues 22 Oct | 12:15 pm | SATRS lecture Dr Ben Gray will speak on <i>Health Lessons for a Diverse World</i> |
| Wed 23 Oct | 12.15 pm | Lunchtime concert – <i>Undergraduate String Students of the NZSM</i> |
| Thurs 24 Oct | 12:15 pm | SATRS lecture Brian Easton will speak on <i>Archbishops and Economics</i> |
| Sun 27 Oct | 10 am | Sunday gathering led by Jim Cunningham (No Rainbow Room on Labour Weekend) |
| Mon 28 Oct | | Church office closed |

GENEROUS GIVING

St Andrew's depends on the generous giving of members and friends. If you would like to make a donation or support our work through planned giving, please contact our Parish Office or Treasurer.

Bank account for donations is: St Andrews on The Terrace, BNZ Lambton Quay, 02-0534-0004022-02.

ST ANDREW'S ANNUAL MEETING – Today after morning tea. Everyone Welcome.

Annual Reports are available at the back of the church.

PSC AGM

Presbyterian Support Central invite you to its 104th Annual General Meeting. Professor Lloyd Geering is the guest speaker and will talk about the continuing role of Christian based social service organisations in an increasingly competitive environment.

Monday, 21 October 2013 at 5 pm at St Andrew's on The Terrace.
Please RSVP to Amanda phone 439-4929 or events@psc.org.nz

SUNDAY ROSTERS

A folder with an outline of each duty is now to be kept on the back table.

ST ANDREW'S TRUST FOR THE STUDY OF RELIGION AND SOCIETY

– Ethics Matters –

One week, two lunchtime lectures at St Andrew's on The Terrace

Tuesday 22nd October • 12:15–1pm

Dr Ben Gray : Health Lessons for a Diverse World

Health practitioners are expected to be culturally competent with the aim of improving on the unequal health outcomes endured by minority cultural groups such as Maori and Pacific people. The approaches required to achieve this could be applied to other areas of national life to maximise the benefits of our increasingly diverse population.

Dr Ben Gray is an Otago graduate from the first class at the Wellington Clinical School who joined the Primary Health Care & General Practice Department of the University of Otago, Wellington in 2006 as a senior lecturer in General Practice.

He has worked as a GP for the past 25 years, firstly at Waitara and more recently at Newtown Union Health Service (NUHS). While Waitara has a significant Maori population, NUHS has a diverse population with significant numbers of refugees from many parts of the world and the practice has developed significant strengths in long term condition management, cross cultural care and interprofessional practice.

Thursday 24th October • 12:15–1pm

Brian Easton : Archbishops and Economics

To what extent can economics ignore the issues which ethics raises?

Brian Easton is an independent scholar who researches, writes, works as a consultant and teaches in economic, social statistics, public policy and New Zealand Studies.

A Fellow of the Royal Statistical Society, a Chartered Statistician, a Member of the Royal Society of New Zealand and a Distinguished Fellow of the New Zealand Economic Association, he was appointed to the Prime Minister's Growth and Innovation Advisory Board for its entire existence from 2002 to 2009, and in 2009 he was the NZIER Economist of the Year.

Other major research concerns include current macroeconomic developments, economic evaluation (especially of health and the environment) and the impact of alcohol and gambling on public welfare, and public policy generally.

His writings include a fortnightly column in The Listener as well as learned articles and reviews, many of which appear on his website at www.eastonbh.ac.nz



NOVEMBER 12 - 16

As a Saving St Andrew's Fundraiser, a series of concerts will be held in November. Every night from Tuesday 12th 'til Saturday 16th. *Tickets are now available from www.eventfinda.co.nz*

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED to help with promoting the concerts and for door sales on

the nights of the concert. If you are able to help, please put your name on the sign-up sheet at the back of the church or contact David in the office on 472-9211 or office@standrews.org.nz

Please take some flyers to hand to your friends, family and colleagues. Thank you.

FUNDRAISER, WELCOME CENTRE: CHRISTMAS CAKES

Volunteers please to bake Christmas Cakes and other goodies to sell prior to Christmas. The longer keeping cakes can be baked from the end of October through November.

If you can help Maxine Cunningham to organise a stall, or donate ingredients or bake your specialty Christmas goodies for a cake stall November/December please talk to Maxine or email on jimandmaxine@clear.net.nz.

Please note: Maxine has booked the Farmers Market for a stall on 14 December.

MARGARET'S FINAL SERVICE at St Andrew's will be Sunday 24th November.

Margaret will lead the service, which will be followed by a farewell lunch.

Wider community members are warmly invited to join us for the service and/or the lunch, and join in thanking Margaret for her contribution to St Andrew's and Wellington.

All welcome.

STREET APPEAL COLLECTORS – FRIDAY 1ST NOVEMBER

Parkinson's New Zealand is looking for collectors to help for an hour or two with our street appeal.

One in 500 people live with Parkinson's. You can help us support people with Parkinson's, their Families/Whanau and carers. If you are available to collect please contact us on 472 2796 or email info@parkinsons.org.nz by Monday 21st October. Thank you

WELLINGTON KIDS LIVING IN POVERTY

Thursday 7 November St John's in the City

7 pm for light refreshments. Meeting starts at 7.30 pm.

Speakers include Mayor of Wellington Celia Wade-Brown

Wellington City Councillor Paul Eagle

Deborah Morris-Travers, Every Child Counts

Learn about the impact of poverty on children and the education environment, Wellington City Council's next steps to implement a living wage, and how you can be part of the fight against poverty in Wellington. RSVP by Monday 4 November to Kerry Tunncliffe Kerry.tunncliffe@nzei.org.nz

A VIP NIGHT OF GLAMOUR AND SPARKLES

Georgina Beyer Tribute Evening

Thursday 14 November 6.30 pm – 11.30 pm.

Tickets are \$115 which includes drinks on arrival, 3 course dining and a cocktail of entertainment and glitz. To book tickets or for more information, contact Jo on 021-100-2351 or georginatribute@gmail.com

FOOD DONATIONS TO DCM

If you are able to help, to supplement their foodbank, DCM would like donations of tinned stews, tins of tuna, pasta and curry sauces and spreads (vegemite and honey etc)

Summer has arrived, and with it the DCM Food day Appeal. Volunteers needed for New World Newtown on Saturday 16 November, from 1-6pm. The process is simple and rewarding.

Pass out leaflets explaining the purpose of collecting food and other donations, greeting young and old, smiling, expressing thanks for the 20 cent and \$20 donations, the cans of food... The smiles back are very rewarding!

See Graham, or email him at his new email address: grahamhowell022@gmail.com

Planned Giving at St Andrews on The Terrace

Thank you to all of you who support our work through planned giving and Sunday offerings.

This is a brief update to the end of September. Around one third of our income comes from this source and we are budgeting for \$82,000 offerings income for the full year to 30th June 2014.

| Offerings & Planned Giving for the three months to 30 September 2013 | Received | Budget |
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| | \$20,240 | \$20,500 |

If you would like to make a donation or support our work through planned giving, please contact our Parish Office or Treasurer. Bank account for donations is:

St Andrews on The Terrace, BNZ Lambton Quay, 02-0534-0004022-002.

All donations over \$5 are eligible for a tax deductible receipt.

Welcome Centre Fundraising

Thank you to all the hundreds of generous supporters who have donated to support the final stage of St Andrews redevelopment.

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| Total Project Cost estimate | \$1,200,000 |
| Total Funds raised to 30 th September 2013 (donations and grants) | \$178,253 |

Further donations to help meet the costs of this important community project are welcome.

The bank account for donations to support the development is:

St Andrews on The Terrace – Fundraising, BNZ Lambton Quay, 02-0534-0004022-007.

All donations over \$5 are eligible for a tax receipt (please contact our Parish Office or Treasurer)

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

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| Minister | Margaret Mayman |
| Parish Council Convenor | Sonia Petrie |
| Parish Council Clerk | Maxine Cunningham |
| Treasurer | Paul Barber |
| Saving St Andrew's Convenor | Lynne Dovey |
| Pastoral Convenors | Colma Froggatt, Fiona McDougal |
| Music Coordinator | Jane Keller |
| Theologian in Residence | Lloyd Geering |
| Presbytery Representative | Sandra Kirby |
| Concert Coordinator | Marjan van Waardenberg |
| Rainbow Room Coordinator | Monika Demuth-Barber |
| Church, Conference and Arts Manager | David Medland |
| Custodian, SATRS Administrator | Peter Cowley |

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