

St Andrew's on The Terrace

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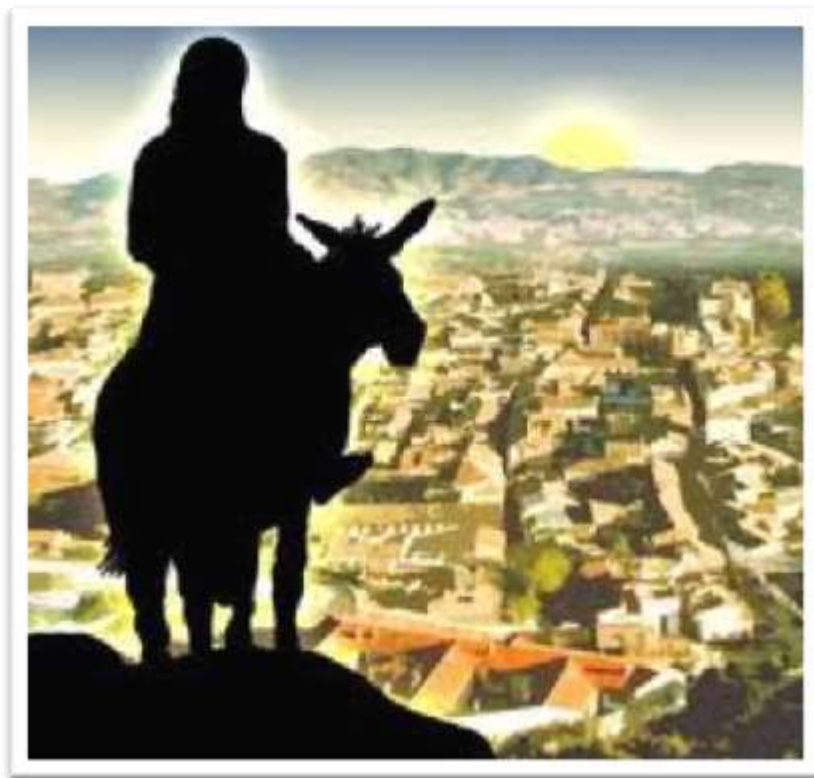
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ORDER OF SERVICE

13th April 2014



Palm Sunday **From Bethany to Betrayal**



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.

GATHERING

In Lent the sacred story changes lives:
our complacency is shattered;
we are challenged uncomfortably.
For only this way
is compassion known and peace experienced.

Let us celebrate life in the Presence we name God.

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

Words: Samuel Crossman (adapted)

Music: WOV257(i) John Ireland

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My song is love unknown,
The Lover's love for me;
Love to the loveless shown,
That they might lovely be.
O who am I, that for my sake
The Friend should bear frail flesh and die?

Sometimes they strew His way,
And His sweet praises sing;
Resounding all the day
Hosannas to their King:
Then "Crucify!" is all their breath,
And for His death they thirst and cry.

Why, what hath my Friend done?
What makes this rage and spite?
He made the lame to run,
He gave the blind their sight,
What healing touch! Yet this is why
The Friend most kind is going to die.

OPENING RESPONSES

God in Jesus,

You travel with us to the hard places in our lives.

You know whatever depth of pain is within us.

You know our fragility better than we do ourselves.

You know any anger we hold, which sometimes escapes in violence.

You know our fears of doing the hard work of freeing ourselves from old wounds that cause us and others ongoing pain.

You know whatever grief lies buried deep within,

Awaiting release on our way to the fullness of life you promise.

These are the stumbling blocks within ourselves.

Help us see clearly and compassionately who and how we are.

***Help us accept and love ourselves as you accept and love us,
So that we in turn are more able to love others.***

WELCOME

E te whanau o Te Karaiti

Nga mihi aroha ki a tatou katoa.

Kia ora.

PRAYER

Loving God,

Through Jesus you have given us your Light

So it might radiate through us

As the revelation of your life-giving power and your offer of transformation.

Help us be mindful of our power to embody life-giving love,

Not blinded by our struggles to our worth and responsibility.

***Free us from whatever clouds our transparency
And shades your light and power from others.***

JESUS PRAYER

LIGHTING THE RAINBOW ROOM CANDLE

TIME WITH CHILDREN

Fiona McDougal

BLESSING THE CHILDREN

We invite you to stay with the adults this morning to share the peace with us, then hear, watch and participate in the story about Jesus.

God bless you. Amen.

PASSING THE PEACE

FROM BETHANY TO BETRAYAL in Story, Symbol and Song/music.

(Please remain seated throughout)

Readers: Reader 1 Marilyn Wallace. Reader 2 Wendy Matthews.

**Lazarus Raised
Shroud and cloth**

Marilyn Wallace

HYMN

Words & Music: Edwin Othello Excell
John Newton, John P Rees

Amazing Grace, how sweet the sound,
That saved a wretch like me...
I once was lost but now am found
Was blind, but now I see.

T'was Grace that taught my heart to fear
And Grace, my fears relieved.
How precious did that grace appear...
The hour I first believed.

Through many dangers, toils and snares...
We have already come.
T'was Grace that brought us safe thus far...
And Grace will lead us home.

**Anointing by the Woman
The Ointment Jar**

Wendy Matthews

SOLO

Jane Keller

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From a high, secret shelf, I take what I hid myself -
Perfume, precious and rare, never meant to spill or spare.
This I'll carefully break, this I'll empty for his sake:
I will give what I have to my Lord.

Though the action is crude, it will show my gratitude
For the truth that I've learnt from the one who's heaven-sent;
For this life once a mess which his beauty can express,
I will give what I have to my Lord.

With his critics around, common gossip will abound.
They'll note all that they see to discredit him and me.
Let them smirk, let them jeer, say what people want to hear;
I will give what I have to my Lord.

It's because he'll receive, that the likes of me believe
God has time for the poor. He has shown us heaven's door.
Be it perfume and care, be it anger or despair,
I will give what I have to my Lord.

The Entry to Jerusalem Palms

Marilyn Wallace

HYMN

Tune: WOV 264 Winchester New
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Ride on, ride on, the time is right:
The roadside crowds scream with delight;
Palm branches mark the pilgrim way
Where beggars squat and children play.

Ride on, ride on, your critics wait,
Intrigue and rumour circulate;
New lies abound in word and jest,
And truth becomes a suspect guest.

Ride on, ride on, while well aware
That those who shout and wave and stare
Are mortals who, with common breath,
Can crave for life and lust for death.

Ride on, ride on, God's love demands.
Justice and peace lie in your hands.
Evil and angel voices rhyme:
This is the man and this the time.

The Foot-washing Bowl and Towel

Wendy Matthews

HYMN

Music: Ghana Folk Melody. Words: Tom Colvin

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Kneels at the feet of his friends,
silently washes their feet:
master who acts as a slave to them.

Yesu, Yesu, fill us with your love,
show us how to serve
the neighbours we have from you.

Loving puts us on our knees,
serving as though we are slaves:
this is the way we should live with you.
Yesu ...

The Supper The Bread and Cup

Marilyn Wallace

HYMN

Words: Charles Venn Pilcher

Music: WOV 446 St Columba

Here, Lord we take the broken bread
and drink the wine, believing
that by your life our souls are fed,
your parting gifts receiving.

As you have given, so we would give
ourselves for others' healing:
as you have lived, so we would live
Creator's love revealing.

The Betrayal The Bag of coins

Wendy Matthews

Clarinet Solo

Nick Walshe

*Aus liebe will mein Heiland sterben
St Matthew's Passion, BWV 244, JS Bach*

PRAYER

Let us trace the steps of Jesus from here to Calvary:
Jesus, we come to the Upper Room
And acknowledge we can miss the point.

We come to Gethsemane

And acknowledge any times we have rejected what is life-giving.

We come to Caiaphas' House

And acknowledge any deliberate distortions of truth.

We come to Pilate's house

And acknowledge any compromises for expedience or gain.

We come to Herod's house

And acknowledge any disrespect for other Christs along our way.

We come to Golgotha

***And acknowledge any crucifixions of ourselves or others
with unrealistic expectations.***

We come to Calvary

***And acknowledge times we have avoided
the pain and risk of speaking Truth and doing Justice.***

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.*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Lynne Dovey

CIRCLE OF PRAYER

We think today of the people of Austria and the Ecumenical Council of Churches in Austria. In New Zealand, we remember those in Parliament, and today we name Simon O'Connor and Grant Robertson and the people of their electorates of Tamaki and Wellington Central. Here in Wellington, we pray for the leaders and people of the Baha'i Faith who meet in Seatoun.

PRAYER FOR ST ANDREW'S

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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.*

HYMN

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Brother, sister, let me serve you,
let me be as Christ to you,
pray that I may have the grace
to let you be my servant too.

We are pilgrims on a journey,
we are travellers on the road,
we are here to help each other
walk the mile and bear the load.

I will hold the Christ-light for you
in the night-time of your fear,
I will hold my hand out to you,
speak the peace you long to hear.

I will weep when you are weeping,
when you laugh, I'll laugh with you,
I will share your joy and sorrow
till we've seen this journey through.

Brother, sister, let me serve you,
let me be as Christ to you,
pray that I may have the grace
to let you be my servant too.

BLESSING

May we go out with courage
Drawing strength from the story of Jesus
From our own God-depth
And from each other,
To face whatever we must
In building Peace, Truth and Justice in our world.

SUNG AMEN

Music: WOV 676

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Thanks to Vivien Chiu, our pianist this morning.

THANK YOU

Thanks to all who helped with and participated in today's service, which was adapted from last year's God Friday service at Knox, Christchurch. Trish

*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	
Welcoming	Brian & Lynette Burrell
Sound	Sarah Jobson
Offering	Jon Schrader, James Cone
Coffee/tea	Pam Fuller, Ann Barrie
Time with the Children	Fiona McDougal
Readings	Marilyn Wallace
Prayers of the People	Lynne Dovey
Musician	Vivien Chiu

On duty Sunday 20 April	
Welcoming	Keith Rimmer and Henry Boidya
Sound	Paul Satherley
Offering	Paul Barber, Graham Howell
Coffee/tea	Sonia Petrie, Ross Young
Time with the Children	Time with the Adults
Readings	Bronwyn White
Prayers of the People	Mike Wespel-Rose
Musician	Peter Franklin
SUNDAY ROSTERS A folder with an outline of each duty is now kept on the back table.	

This Week and Coming Events at St Andrew's

Sunday 13 Apr 10 am Sunday gathering led by Trish McBride and team

11.30 am Congregational Conversation

2.30 pm Wellington Chamber Orchestra concert

6 pm Thomas Atkins and friends concert

Wednesday 16 Apr 12.15 pm Wednesday lunchtime concert – *Klezmer*

Thursday 17 Apr 5.45 pm Maundy Thursday service led by Jim Cunningham

Friday 18 Apr 10 am Good Friday service led by Fiona McDougal

Sunday 20 Apr 10 am Easter Sunday service led by Jim Cunningham

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

MAUNDY THURSDAY there will be a short service in the church at 5.45pm. It should last about half an hour. It will be a very simple service when we remember the night before the crucifixion when Jesus instituted the Last Supper. I will be "back on deck" to conduct that service.

ON GOOD FRIDAY at 10am Fiona McDougal will be leading a service where we will be using the "Stations of the Cross" paintings. Those of you who have been to this in the past will know it is a very moving and significant service.

ON EASTER SUNDAY, 20th April, we will be Celebrating the Resurrection with a service full of good music.

On Sunday 27th we will be remembering ANZAC in a service entitled "Red and White Poppies".

SOCIAL JUSTICE 20 April

"The Social Justice Group will be showing the film *Thin Ice*, billed as 'The story of climate change from the standpoint of climate scientists out in the trenches.' The film was a joint initiative between University of Oxford and Victoria University of Wellington. It is 73 minutes long."

OPEN DAY FRIDAY 2 MAY 11 – 2PM

We are planning to have an open day before the opening. David is keen to hear from anyone who would be willing to be on hand during these times to help show people around the new centre. Please contact the office if you are available and willing.

WORKING BEE FRIDAY 2 MAY FROM 2PM

Please note that the working bee was cancelled due to the kitchen being out of action. However if you are available and willing to help on Friday 2 May from 2 – 5pm, we will be working hard to get the building ready for Sonia and Simon's wedding on the Saturday and the Centre opening on the Sunday.

Please let David in the office know if you can help on Friday 2 May. Apologies to any who may have turned up yesterday for the working bee.

SAVE THE DATE: ST ANDREW'S CENTRE GRAND OPENING

Sunday 4 May 2014 10am service followed by placement of the time capsule and shared lunch.

SOME CHANGES HERE AT ST ANDREW'S ...

DOWNSTAIRS KITCHEN

The downstairs kitchen is being repaired following water damage last year. It will be out of action til the end of the month – hopefully it will be ready sooner. This will make morning tea a bit more of a challenge for those on duty.

NEW ENTRANCE

This is now being used as the main entrance to the Centre.

EARTHQUAKE REPAIRS will be carried out in the gallery stairwell during the month of April. This will involve repairing plaster and painting. Note that scaffolding will remain in place during this time and there will be a number of trip hazards. With this in mind, please note that the gallery will be closed for Sundays in April apart from the organist.

OFFICE HOURS

Please note that the office will be closed on Good Friday and Easter Monday. David will be on leave between Easter and Anzac Day, returning to work on 29 April. Asmita will be covering the office during this time.

PLANNED GIVING REMINDER FOR 31 MARCH

To all you lovely people who support St Andrews through planned giving, we will be sending out tax receipts for donations during April .

Making a commitment to regular giving helps us to support the work of ministry at St Andrews and enables us to issue you with an annual receipt for the total giving made during the year.

If you are not already part of our planned giving at St Andrews and would like to support our work in this way, please contact Paul Barber our Treasurer (ph. 9387100 or email: paulbarber@clear.net.nz) or David at the office to arrange to set up an automatic payment or to receive planned giving envelopes.

Our bank account for donations and planned giving is 02-0534-0004022-02 and we can issue donation receipts for all giving over \$5.

VOLUNTEERS

We are looking for 3-4 volunteers who might be willing to help out at our wedding reception on the evening of the 3 May! It would involve serving dessert and tea/coffee and cleaning up afterwards. In return we are very happy to be able make a donation to the Saving St Andrew's fund.

If you think you could help, please talk to either of us after the service or ph: 385 4049 or email: soniasimon2014@gmail.com Thanks very much. Sonia and Simon

WELLINGTON INTER-FAITH COUNCIL

You are invited to a talk and discussion on "Wellington: the irreligious city in an age of religious diversity" by Dr Peter Lineham, Professor of Religious History, Massey University at the Wellington City Council, Committee Room 1, Ground Floor at 5:30pm on Monday April 14, 2014 followed by light Refreshments.

Ever since Parliament was moved to Wellington in 1865 it had a reputation of being hostile to faith. In an age when New Zealand seems to have rival pressures of new religious groups and a massive rise of those who say they have no religion, Prof Lineham will analyse how Wellington has fared.

Please RSVP by April 9 to: Wendy Matthews, Chairperson, Wellington Inter-Faith Council, wa.matthews@gmail.com

WATER FOR WEST BANK MUSIC-A-THON

Saturday 9 August 10am to Sunday 10 August 10am.

St John's in the City, Wellington. Please see the back table for sign-up sheets.

VISIT TO ZEALANDIA

Brian Burrell is thinking about planning a trip to Zealandia one Sunday afternoon in winter. If you are a member of Zealandia, please let Brian know.

JOB VACANCY FOR PRESBYTERY CLERK

Applications are invited for the role of Clerk of the Presbytery of Wellington.

The Presbytery Clerk has the task of ensuring that the business of Wellington Presbytery is conducted efficiently and that its legal requirements are met.

This involves the administrative support of committees and workgroups, the maintenance and provision of records and reports and being a communication link between congregations, the Presbyterian Assembly office and members of presbytery.

Office administration experience, computer skills, communication skills and knowledge of meeting procedure and minute taking are key requirements for the role.

Knowledge of organizational aspects and administrative procedures of the Presbyterian Church of Aotearoa New Zealand would be advantageous.

The Presbytery office is situated at George St, Thorndon in the Presbyterian Support building. The role is part-time at 20 hours per week and, given the presbytery's current exploration of its future shape, is being offered as a fixed term contract.

A role description can be obtained from Sharon Ross Ensor sharon.rossensor@gmail.com Ph:027 810 4358.

Applications close on Friday 11th April and can be sent to the above e-mail address.

War No More

International Conflict and the Alternatives

a lecture series at St Andrew's on The Terrace, 30 The Terrace, Wellington

In 2014, wars are being waged throughout the world, and while we may not be directly involved we are all affected. Sending people to die in wars does not solve a problem, so what else can we do?

World renowned, the National Centre for Peace and Conflict Studies at the University of Otago was started by Professor Kevin Clements, previously Foundation Director of a similar centre at the University of Queensland.

St Andrew's Trust for the Study of Religion and Society has asked Professor Clements and his colleague, Professor Richard Jackson, formerly at the University of Aberystwyth and an authority on critical studies of terrorism, to present two lectures at St Andrews on The Terrace.



TUESDAY APRIL 29

TERROR! WHY IS IT USED, AND WHAT CAN BE DONE ABOUT IT?



Professor Richard Jackson

About to publish a novel, *Confessions of a Terrorist*, in his lecture Professor Jackson will help us to understand the issues around this kind of violence and how it can be addressed

Lecture 12.15–1pm • Discussion 1.15–2pm

THURSDAY MAY 1

ALTERNATIVES TO WAR – INTERNATIONAL CONFLICT RESOLUTION



Professor Kevin Clements

Recently returned from an international conflict negotiation, Professor Clements will outline this vital approach to living peacefully in our world

Lecture 12.15–1pm • Discussion 1.15–2pm

No charge for admission – we welcome a donation / koha

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SPIRITED CONVERSATION MONDAY 5 MAY

Title: "Matter and what matters: Some science for the religion, and some religion for scientists"



Summary: By accepting science and the technology that springs from it we implicitly accept the scientific method as a method for understanding the material universe. Science must be consistent and coherent, so purpose in the material universe and the miraculous as it affects the material world cannot be accepted. Religion, and for me, Christianity, must not be lost. Here is a suggestion as to how to respond.

Bio: Lionel Sharman MSc (chemistry) b 1938, worked as a forensic scientist from 1965 to 1997 in DSIR and ESR, the government organisations that provided forensic science services for the NZ Police. In that role he became very well known to Police, Legal Counsel and Judges, frequently presenting scientific evidence in court and establishing methodology and quality standards for much of the forensic analysis applied in New Zealand. He filled the position of Acting General Manager of Forensic Science for 18 months prior to retirement. Lionel is now retired and lives with his wife, Elaine, in Lower Hutt, New Zealand.

"I see myself a scientist, and in that role practised the science of chemistry for about 40 years, 30 of those as a forensic scientist. Forensic science made me acutely aware of the problems and limitations of scientific knowledge – what do we know, and why do we believe or doubt a scientific hypothesis? The interesting boundary between science, and legal "certainty", is regularly explored in the forensic situation. This natural tension, as well as my own inclination, drew me into areas regarded as philosophical or spiritual.

I originally studied science because I wanted to know: Why does the universe work the way it does? Is scientific "knowledge" a product of the way our brain works? How does the brain work? Why do we do what we do? Are we responsible for our actions? What is time? Space? Why does music enchant and empower us?

As part of this venture I have been involved with Christianity for most of my adult life, but the relationship has not always been easy. Religion can never be an alternative science or a science gap-filler. Rather religion is a source of wonder and compassion. It is a moral direction. These matters and concerns are drivers of my involvement with the human arts, particularly music and poetry. I dream that some of the more difficult and non-common sense aspects of science may be better communicated by allusive poetry rather than logical prose."

Lionel is also a practising musician, composing music (mainly for beginners) and performing on piano, harpsichord, and organ.

In 2012 Lionel received the Ashton Wylie Unpublished manuscript award for his book "Science for Vicars" This book was published under its new title by Steele Roberts in December 2013.

Dollars and sense

Lunchtime forum on government spending priorities

Join us for a discussion about:

- **Children's wellbeing**
Deborah Morris-Travers, Advocacy Manager, UNICEF NZ
- **Social Spending**
Paul Barber, Policy Advisor, New Zealand Council of Christian Social Services
- **Military spending**
Edwina Hughes, Coordinator, Peace Movement Aotearoa
- **A living wage for all workers**
Living Wage Campaign, speaker to be confirmed

Monday, 14 April 2014

From 1pm to 2pm

~ BYO lunch, tea / coffee available at 12.50pm ~

First floor conference room, St Andrew's on the Terrace, 30 The Terrace, Wellington
(entry via the stairs at the back of the car park on the south side of the church)

A Global Day of Action on Military Spending event

For more information, contact Peace Movement Aotearoa
pma@xtra.co.nz ~ www.converge.org.nz/pma/gdams.htm

RSVP at www.facebook.com/PeaceMovementAotearoa/events



from apathy to advocacy

A DIFFERENT CONVERSATION

7-10pm

9am-6pm

Friday 9th May

Saturday 10th May



SHARING A JOURNEY OF
COMPASSION IN SEXUAL/GENDER
IDENTITY AND SPIRITUALITY

Including the multi-cultural voices of straight, lesbian, gay, bi-sexual, trans, intersex women and men with mainstream and progressive viewpoints from Christian (Baptist, Anglican, United, Salvation Army), Muslim, and humanist perspectives in the fields of personal experience, theology, academic research, social work, and politics

Wellington Central Baptist Church,
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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

Interim Minister	Jim Cunningham
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
Church Music Coordinator	Vivien Chiu
Theologian in Residence	Lloyd Geering
Presbytery Representative	Sandra Kirby
Concert Coordinator	Marjan van Waardenberg
Rainbow Room Coordinator	Chris Carey-Smith
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