



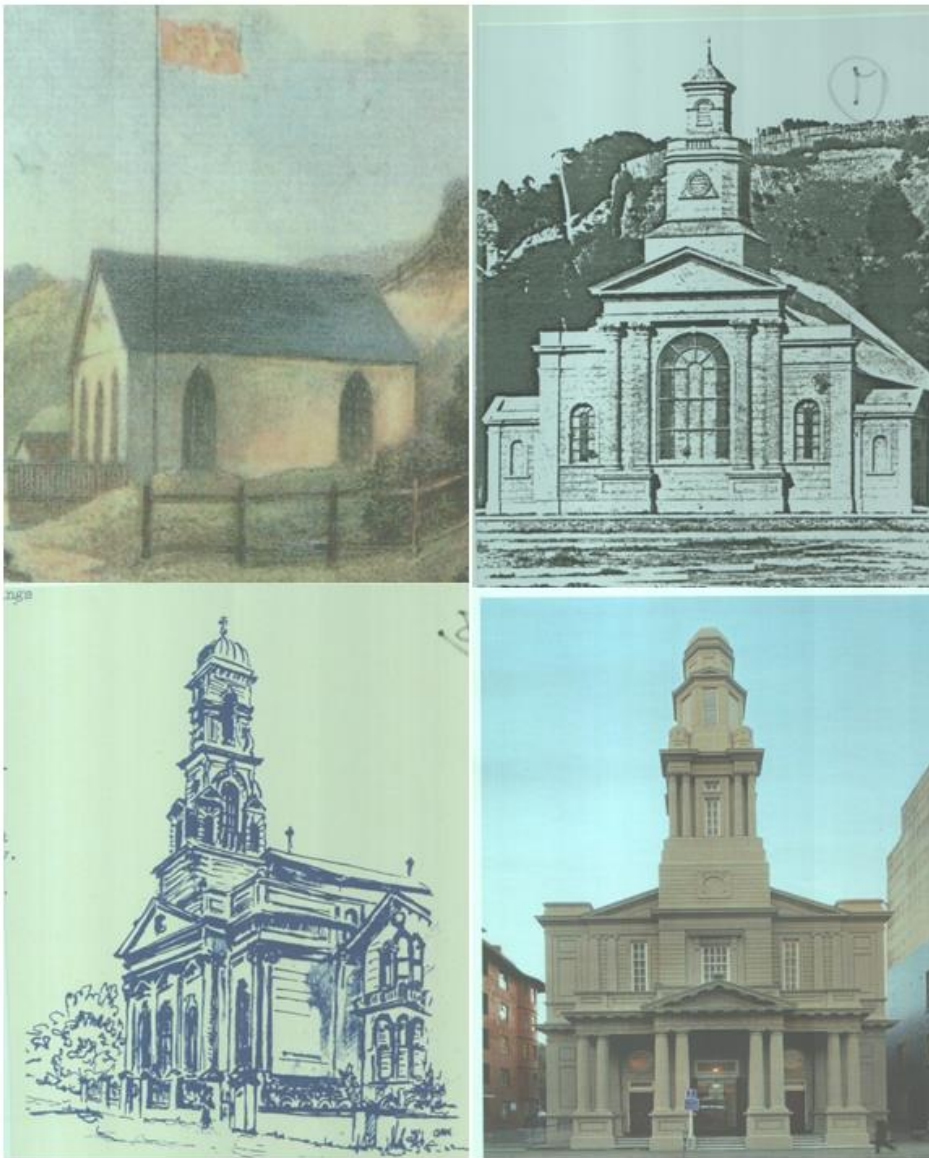
180 years 1840 - 2020

St Andrew's
on The Terrace

ORDER OF SERVICE

2 February 2020

Epiphany 4



St Andrew's through the Ages

St. Andrew's on the Terrace is (almost) 180 years old

WELCOME TO ST ANDREW'S ON THE TERRACE

Wherever you are on your faith 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 usually sing the hymns without announcement.

To use the ***loop system*** in the church, turn your hearing aids on to the appropriate setting.

Printed copies of the reflection are available at the back of the church for people with extreme hearing loss. For others they can be picked up at the end of the Gathering.

Please note your nearest fire exit.

The church and hall have been earthquake strengthened. In an earthquake: drop, cover and hold.

GATHERING

Leader

Response

This morning we start our celebrations

our parish has been here for 180 years.

This morning we will remember

Past members, past activities, and sing old and new hymns.

We also come for ourselves, to understand, to reflect
and gain strength to face the issues of our daily lives.

Let us celebrate life in the presence we call God.

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

WOV10 'All People that on earth do dwell'

Words: William Kethe

Music: The Old Hundredth Psalm Tune arr. by Ralph Vaughan Williams

(This is the hymn the settlers sang at their first service on the Pito-one beach)

In this arrangement of the hymn tune, the organ commences with a fanfare, followed by the first line of the melody. The congregational singing commences after this introduction.

WELCOME

Kia ora tatou.

Kia ora.

PRAYER

ST ANDREWS PRAYER on card

(This prayer was written by a group in 1979 -John Murray, Pamela Tankesley, Barrie Keenan)

LIGHTING THE RAINBOW CANDLE

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN Our History in Pictures

Graham Howell

BLESSING THE CHILDREN (All stand)

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

We bless you. Amen.

PASSING THE PEACE

Feel free to pass the peace with those nearby or move to greet others further away. Passing the peace consists of shaking hands and saying "Peace be with you." The response is "Peace be with you" or just "And with you." Or, simply saying "Hello" is a good idea. Also feel free to simply observe if you wish!

HYMN

(sung seated as the offering is received)

AA 94 (i) 'Loving Spirit'

Words: © 1989 Shirley Erena Murray. Music © 1990 David Dell

(We sing this hymn in memory of Shirley Erena Murray)

THE WORD IN TEXTS

Tony Kirby

Hebrew Bible

Micah 6: 6-8

Gospel

Matthew: 5: 1-12

Contemporary reading

Selected readings from "The Immigrants"

by Tony Simpson

"After the long voyage, the immigrants looked forward with longing to the sight of their new home."

Alfred Barker wrote: "With very long faces, we saw what a fearfully rough country we had come to, and the gloom was not abated by the sight of three small vessels lying wrecked on the rocks".

And

"To my utter astonishment," William Bannister was to write of his arrival in 1840, "there is not a house or place to receive either cabin or steerage passengers, so that we were obliged to remain on the ship for fourteen days. – I mean women and children. The men and all the boys that were able went on shore for the purpose for making houses for our future abode."

Jane Bannerman wrote, " We had to take up our life and very rough it was at first. Our boxes were piled up on each other and it was six months before we could get them unpacked. There were no rooms in the house and we had a fire outside to cook on..... There was abundant food. How sweet we thought the potatoes; beef and mutton are good, and plenty of fish and pork could be had from the Maori".

RESPONSE

For the Word in scripture,
for the Word among us,
for the Word within us, *we give thanks.*

REFLECTION

**“Those First Settlers”
“St. Andrews up to now”**

**Valerie Rhodes
Norman Wilkins**

HYMN

‘Give thanks for life’

Tune WOV 384 Sine Nomine Words: © Shirley Erena Murray

OFFERING PRAYER *(said together)*

***To aid the work done here which reaches beyond these walls
and to help feed those in need***

We retain what we have
***and pray for grace to use that well also, so where ever
this money and food are used, Love is spread abroad in the world .
Amen.***

*We recognise and bless the gifts brought to the table, and those which wing
their way electronically from our banks to the church's account.*

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.*

For the benefit of newcomers, please introduce yourself before you begin.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Ann Barrie

CIRCLE OF PRAYER

We think today of the people of Ukraine and the Eastern Orthodox Church in Ukraine and throughout the world. We remember the detainees of Manus and Nauru Islands, yearning that their cases be resolved. In New Zealand, we remember those in Parliament, and today we name Clare Curran (Dunedin South electorate) and Kelvin Davis (Te Tai Tokerau electorate). Here in the Central Presbytery, we pray for the leaders and people of the Tawa Union Church.

PRAYER FOR ST ANDREW'S

on card

(The prayer was written in 1979 by a group that included John Murray, Pamela Tankersley, Barrie Keenan)

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Rev. Norman Wilkins

*St Andrew's is an open community and all are invited to Christ's table.
Wherever you are on your faith journey, wherever you have come from and
wherever you are going to, whatever you believe, whatever you do not believe,
you are welcome to participate in the communion. This is God's meal for all
people.*

COMMUNION HYMN

'All people that on earth do hear'

Music: Old 100th Words: Susan Jones, used by permission WOV 10

COMMUNION LITURGY

on lavender card or others specified

Communion is served by intinction. You are invited to come to the front of the church and receive the bread, or a gluten-free cracker, taking a piece large enough to dip into the wine (silver cup) or grape juice (pottery cup). Eat the bread dipped in wine or juice.

Or, remain in your seat to be served if mobility is difficult. If you don't wish to receive communion, please remain in your seat – we're glad you are here with us.

BLESSING

Words by John Murray 2000 Music Colin Gibson

May the God of new beginnings start with you and me

May the God of continuing story speak through you and me

May the God of infinite wisdom shine on you and me

May the God of safe homecomings welcome you and me

THANK YOU AND COMMISSIONING

POSTLUDE

Minuet from "Music for the Royal Fireworks"

by G.F. Handel (1685 – 1759)

THANK YOU

Thank you to Peter Franklin

our musician today

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AUDIO REFLECTIONS

Sunday reflections are usually available on our website.

<http://www.standrews.org.nz/category/sunday-gathering>

Wellington City Council now charges for weekend parking on the street. As well as that, there is a two hour parking limit. If you have parked on the street initially and are staying for an after-church activity, it may be possible to move your car into the St Andrew's/Braemar car park but please be careful that you do not block anyone in.

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 one of the welcome leaflets (at the back of the church) and hand it to a minister or a welcoming team member.

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 COMMUNITY NOTICES

GATHERINGS IN FEBRUARY 2020

February 2 10am Sunday Gathering led by 2020 Committee.
February 9 10am Sunday Gathering led by Rev. Catriona Cairns
February 16 10am Sunday Gathering led by Rev. Dr Jim Cunningham
February 23 10am Sunday Gathering led by Fiona McDougal
 2pm Service at Petone to Mark the 180th Anniversary

2020 COMMITTEE

A quick meeting 9th February sometime during the Congregational Lunch.

MINISTRY SETTLEMENT BOARD

In order to begin the process of finding a new Minister, the congregation is required to elect four people to represent it on the Ministry Settlement Board.

We propose to call a special meeting of the congregation for this purpose on Sunday 16 February following the service. We will use the same system as for electing Parish Councillors.

Each nomination needs to be signed by both nominator and nominee. We will have forms available for this purpose from 2 February. They will need to be handed to one of us by 10 am on Sunday 16 February.

Nominees will be members or associate members of St Andrew's on The Terrace.

The Presbytery appoints the Convenor and two other members and Parish Council appoints two of its members to the Board.

We look forward to seeing the Ministry Settlement Board begin its work.

Catriona Cairns (Interim Moderator) and Lynne Dovey (Parish Council Convenor)

SERVICE OF WELCOME

On Sunday February 9th we will have a service of welcome - John and Margaret Harper who have been coming along for the past two years will be officially welcomed as members. And we will also be meeting and introducing our new music co-ordinator Mark Stamper. It is our community brunch day as well, so please come along with food, and we look forward to a special gathering.

PARKING ON SUNDAYS

Hello Folks. The car parks are for the most-part privately rented. During office hours parking must be arranged with the office prior to parking. Outside of office hours (That is after 6pm weekdays, and weekends) single parks No. 1-13 are available. Car parks 14 - 28 are privately rented 24 -7 (that is all day every day). However during the Sunday morning service only it is understood that the parish can use parks 15 - 18 and 21-28. Cones are put out Sunday mornings 9am until lunchtime in parks 14 19 and 20 as a reminder that these parks still must be kept free. And remember, parking on the streets is restricted to two hours in the weekends.

ROSTERS FOR MARCH TO MAY

A reminder for those who help on our rosters that we will be putting together a new roster for the period March to May shortly. If you have any dates during this period that you know you will be away please notify the office by 5 February by emailing office@standrews.org.nz. Also, if you would like to volunteer for any roster duties, please let Jillene know. We still need more volunteers to operate the laptop. Thank you.

WIDER CHURCH AND COMMUNITY NOTICES

RAINBOW WELLINGTON

Lunch near Greytown, Sunday 9 February 2020

We are combining with Waiguys for a potluck Lunch at Malcolm's country estate near Greytown. Please tell us if you are coming- Rainbowwellingtonevents@gmail.com

iCAN AOTEAROA NZ – Call for applications to attend the 2020 Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty (NPT) Review Conference in New York, from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade.

Deadline: 5pm, Friday 7 February 2020

<https://www.facebook.com/notes/peace-movement-aotearoa/applications-for-npt-2020-review-conference/2684848934895792>

ACCOMMODATION REQUIRED

A 21 year old Victoria University student from Hamilton is looking for accommodation in Wellington for this year. Ph. 0220143171 or email at sgfrost98@gmail.com

SUNDAY ROSTERS

A folder with an outline of each duty is now kept on the back table. If you are unable to do your rostered duty please arrange a swap/substitute and inform the office. Thank you.

Thanks to this week's volunteers

Welcoming	Brian and Lynette Burrell
Sound	Frank Cook
Laptop	Bronwyn White
Offering	Linda Wilkins and Sue Hirst
Coffee/tea	Barrie and Jenn Keenan, Mike Wespel-Rose
Time with the Children	Graham Howell
Readings	Tony Kirby
Prayers of the People	Ann Barrie
Communion	Katrina Harper, Lynne Dovey, Pam Fuller, Rosemary Lawrence, Sonia Groes-Petrie
Musician	Peter Franklin
Rainbow Room Helper	Fionnagh McKenzie

On duty Sunday 9 February

Welcoming	Heather Macfarlane, Richard Keller
Sound	Tony Cowdry
Laptop	Margaret Harper
Offering	Norman and Linda Wilkins
Coffee/tea	Gavin and Jenny Watson, Gillian Feist, Rosemary Lawrence
Time with the Children	Dawn Cowdry
Readings	Wendy Matthews
Prayers of the People	Jenn Keenan
Musician	Bruce Cash
Rainbow Room Helper	Lois Robertson

This Week and Coming Events at St Andrew's

Sunday 2nd February 10am Sunday Communion Service led by the 2020 Committee.

Note- Centering Prayer in the Centre will resume Thursday February 20th at 12:30pm.

- Wednesday lunchtime concerts will resume 12th February

Wednesday date Cuppa and a Chat from 10.30am in the Centre

Sunday 9th February 10am Sunday Gathering led by Rev. Cationa Cairns followed by Congregational Brunch.

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 Moderator	Catriona Cairns
Parish Council Convenor	Lynne Dovey
Treasurer	Paul Barber
Facilities Management Group	Sandra Kirby
Pastoral Convenors	Linda Wilkins, Maxine Cunningham, Brian Burrell and Pat Booth
Theologian in Residence	Lloyd Geering
Presbytery Representative	Lois Robertson
Concert Coordinator	Marjan van Waardenberg
Faith in Action Co-ordinator	Margaret Rushbrook
Rainbow Room Coordinator	Jules Collinson
Centre Manager	Laetitia Brunell
Office Administrator	Jillene Everett
Facilities Assistants	Vacancy
Roster Coordinator	Rosemary Lawrence

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