

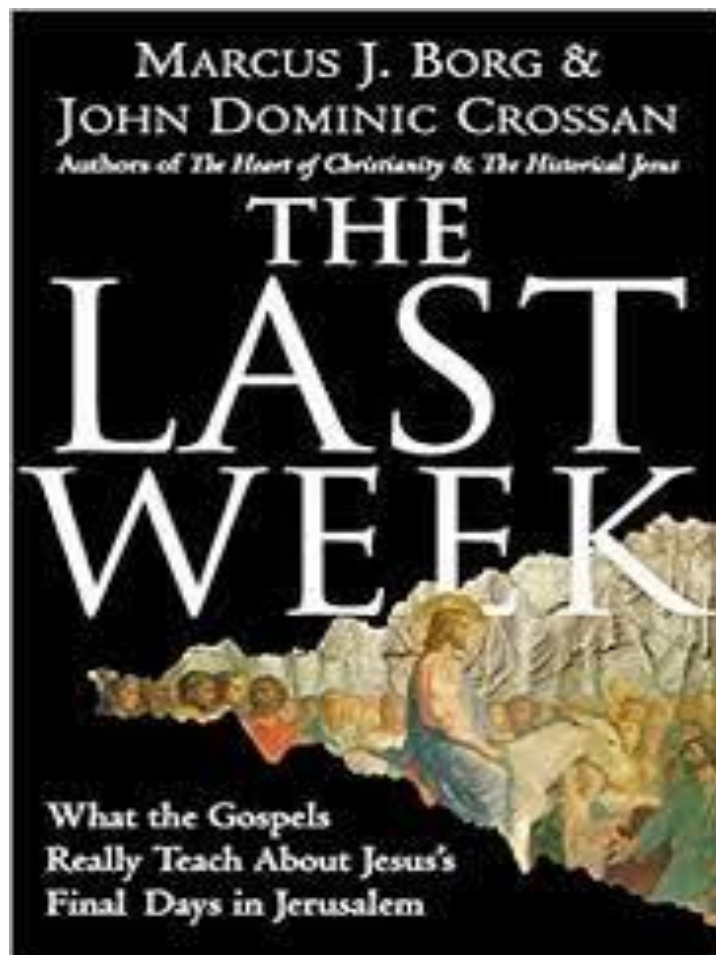


# ORDER OF SERVICE

07 March 2021

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## Lent 3



## 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***, and 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.

*Please note your nearest fire exit.*

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

**Today's service is led by Rev. Dr Jim Cunningham**

### GATHERING

In myth and poem and parable,  
in historical chronicle and friendly letter,  
in lament, and exultation, and oracle,  
in prophetic warning and gospel invitation,  
the Bible has served as a vehicle  
for the creative word of God  
down through the ages.

We are called today  
to find our place in this history of salvation,  
letting our stories find their place in the wider story,  
and re-mem-bering and re-telling the old stories  
for this and future generations.

***We will celebrate life in the presence we name God.***

### PROCESSIONAL HYMN – FOR LENT

### HIOS 8 'Autumn comes in all its fullness'

Words and Music: William L. Wallace Arr: Barry Brinson

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1. Autumn comes in all its fullness  
harvesting both land and hearts.  
Autumn has its birth in winter  
in the stillness where life starts.

*Refrain: Every death brings hope of birthing,  
every birth enfolds life's end,  
for the seasons of our living  
mirror patterns nature penned.*

2. Autumn gives us time for choosing  
seeds which bear the richest fruits,  
fragile life which we can nurture  
into just or vain pursuits. *Refrain*
3. Buried in autumnal endings  
lies the shoot that bursts the tomb,  
for the letting go in autumn  
sows the seed that births the bloom. *Refrain*

## **WELCOME**

Kia ora tatou.

*Kia ora.*

## **PRAYER**

### **JESUS' PRAYER**

Jim Cotter paraphrase

*Eternal Spirit*

*Life-Giver, Pain-Bearer, Love-Maker,  
source of all that is and that shall be,*

*Father and Mother of us all,*

*loving God, in whom is heaven:*

*the hallowing of your name*

*echo through the universe!*

*The way of your justice be followed*

*by the peoples of the world!*

*Your heavenly will be done*

*by all created beings!*

*Your commonwealth of peace and freedom*

*sustain our hope and come on earth.*

*With the bread we need for today, feed us.*

*In the hurts we absorb from one another, forgive us.*

*In times of temptation and test,*

*strengthen us.*

*From trials too great to endure, spare us.*

*From the grip of all that is evil, free us.*

*For you reign in the glory*

*of the power that is love, now and for ever.*

*Amen.*

## LIGHTING THE RAINBOW CANDLE

### TIME WITH THE CHILDREN

Cam Smart

### BLESSING THE CHILDREN *(All stand)*

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

*We bless you. Amen.*

### HYMN

#### **'A Man of Ancient Time and Place'**

Words: Brian Wren ©1991 Hope Publishing Company

Tune: Tallis' Canon WOV 468

1. A man of ancient time and place  
with foreign speech and foreign face,  
reveals the glory, power and grace  
of costly, unexpected love.
2. A rabbi, schooled in Moses' Law,  
a male, amending Herod's flaw,  
arouses wonder, rage and awe  
with costly, unexpected love.
3. By teasing word and healing deed,  
a leper touched, an outcast freed,  
he bears the fruit and plants the seed  
of costly, unexpected love.
4. The cost we barely can surmise  
when, lifted up before our eyes,  
the face of God we recognize  
in crucified, unfathomed love.
5. May faith and hope within us grow,  
the way of Christ to tell and show,  
and may the Spirit breathe and blow  
in costly, unexpected love.

Introduction

Gospel



**Mark 11: 1-11**  
*Entry into Jerusalem*



**Mark 12: 13-17**  
*The Question about Paying Taxes*



**Mark 14: 22-25**  
*The Last Supper*

RESPONSE

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

REFLECTION

The Last Week Part 1

Jim Cunningham

OFFERING HYMN FOR LENT

Tune: Duke Street WOV 24

Willing hands, to lead the blind,  
heal the wounded, feed the poor.  
Love embracing all our kind,  
charity with liberal store.

OFFERING PRAYER

*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**

**Pat Booth**

### **CIRCLE OF PRAYER**

We think today of the people of Timor Leste and Christian World Service Partners in Timor Leste providing youth vocational training, sustainable agriculture, water supply and emergency relief. We hold all refugees in our hearts. We pray in particular for those detained for many years in Papua New Guinea & Nauru. We give thanks for progress that has been made and pray that their calls for justice might yet find a compassionate response. In New Zealand, we remember those in Parliament, and today we name Gerry Brownlee and Mark Cameron, list MPs. Here in the Central Presbytery, we pray for the leaders and people of Ngaio Union Church.

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

*Renew your people, God,  
and renew our life in this place.  
Give us a new spirit of unity  
with all who follow the Way of Jesus  
and new bonds of love  
with people of other faiths.*

*Bless the city in which we live  
that it may be a place  
where honest dealing,  
good government,  
the desire for beauty,  
and the care for others flourish.*

*Bless this church  
that what we know of your will  
may become what we do,  
and what we believe  
the strong impulse  
of our worship and work.*

*Amen*

## WELCOME

We welcome Michael Parker as, this morning, he becomes a full member of St Andrew's on The Terrace.

## PASSING THE PEACE

*Traditionally we shake hands to pass the peace and say "peace be with you. Now that Covid is here we ask that you pass the peace without shaking hands.*

## INVITATION TO COMMUNION

*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.*

## WELCOME TO THE TABLE

At this Table we give thanks for justice, love, peace and freedom.

At this Table we give thanks for friends and strangers together  
in community in this safe place.

**For everyone born a place at the Table.**

**We are all invited.**

## HYMN

### **'Crowded table, urgent faces'**

Words: Andrew Pratt

Music: WOV 92 Hymn to Joy

1. Crowded table, urgent faces,  
people longing for the bread,  
bread of life and bread for living,  
bread for rising from the dead.  
Young and old, both men and women,  
those for whom this life is hard,  
those who live in warmth and comfort,  
those whose life is stained or tarred.
2. All are welcome, wise or foolish,  
at this table all are fed,  
sharing wine in celebration,  
eating Christ's communion bread.  
Then in costly life and giving  
we will share what we receive,  
demonstrate in daily living  
all that we affirm, believe.

## THE STORY...

We remember the stories from our tradition....

How on many occasions Jesus would share a meal with friends.

Bread and wine, the very basics of life, shared in community.

How bread would be taken, a blessing offered, and then shared amongst them. And all ate.

How some wine would be poured out, a blessing offered, and then passed amongst them. All of them drank.

When they gathered in this way it was a time of concern, conversation and celebration.

The bread and the wine symbolised  
human lives interconnected  
with other human lives,  
and the power of giving and receiving.

We remember that on the night before his death  
he shared the Passover Meal with his disciples  
and gave the meal a new significance and purpose.

May the passion for life as seen in Jesus  
and in the lives and struggles  
of many other committed and faithful people then and now,  
enable us to dream and to risk....

***Together may we re-imagine the world.***

Together may we work to make all things new.

***Together may we celebrate the possibilities and hope  
we each have and are called to share.***

For everyone born, a place at the Table.

## THE BREAD IS BROKEN

We break the bread for the broken Earth,  
ravaged and plundered for greed.

***May there be healing for our beautiful blue and green planet.***

We break the bread for our broken humanity,  
for the powerful and the powerless  
trapped by exploitation and oppression.

***May there be healing for humanity.***



We break the bread for those who follow other paths;  
who travel on a different road from us;  
those who think and act differently;  
those whose belief system is different to ours;  
those who see our world through different eyes  
of ethnicity and culture.

***May there be healing where there is pain and woundedness.***

We break this bread for the unhealed hurts and wounds  
that lie within us all.

***May we, too, be healed.***

### **THE WINE IS POURED**

This is the cup of peace and of new life for all.  
A sign of love for the community of hope.

***A reminder of the call  
to live life fully,  
to love wastefully,  
and to be all that we can be.***

Come then, life-giving Spirit of our God,  
brood over these bodily things,  
and make us one body with Christ;  
that we may no longer be in bondage  
to the principalities and powers that enslave creation,  
but may know your liberating peace  
such as the world cannot give.

### **THE BREAD AND THE WINE ARE SHARED**

#### **CALL TO SERVICE** *standing*

You are sent in the daring of God,  
***to bless the world with JUSTICE.***  
You are sent in the intent of God,  
***to bless the world with PROMISE.***  
You are sent in the longing of God,  
***to bless the world with HOPE.***  
You are sent in the love of God,  
***to bless the world with GOOD NEWS.***  
You are sent in the reign of peace,  
***to bless the world with SHALOM.***

## HYMN

## 'This love, this life, this enterprise'

Music: WOV 453 O Waly, Waly.

Words: Andrew Pratt

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1. This love, this life, this enterprise  
is that by which we will arise  
affirmed, up-raised, to live again  
when we have suffered death or pain.
2. Our practical adventure here  
involves both urgency and care;  
compelled by shared humanity  
to offer love, set people free.
3. And if the task enlarges sight  
to wider visions, greater height  
than those which we can reach on earth,  
then know that God has come to birth.

## BLESSING

## SUNG AMEN

## POSTLUDE

## 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 front of the Hall.

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***

### **ORGAN OPEN DAY - Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> March - 10am – 12.30pm**

#### **COME AND SEE THE ORGAN BEING REINSTALLED**

Moritz Fassbender, in charge of the reinstallation has kindly agreed that the Organ committee can hold an Open Morning so that members of our community who are interested can drop in to watch the team at work. The South Island Organ Company team members will be available to explain what they are doing.

Morning tea will be served from 10am until 12:30pm for a donation.

Some of those who normally attend Cuppa n Chat on a Wednesday morning will be available but there will be a sign-up sheet at the front of the hall for anyone who is able to contribute scones or muffins or help to serve.

Please note that no parking is available at St Andrew's.

### **STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

This year the service on Good Friday will be the Stations of the Cross liturgy.

As in previous years, you are invited to contribute a prayer and meditation for the station of your choice. **Good Friday is on 2nd April** this year and we aim to collate your contributions well in advance so would appreciate these by Friday 19th March.

Please start considering whether you would like to do this and let Sonia or Fiona know of your interest. [soniapetrie@gmail.com](mailto:soniapetrie@gmail.com) [fionaredsquirrel@gmail.com](mailto:fionaredsquirrel@gmail.com)

### **BID FOR A BACH**

How about an Autumn Break away from Wellington?

As part of the St Andrews on the Terrace Pipe Organ Restoration project, we have 3 properties on offer for a short holiday. The owners of these 3 holiday homes have agreed to allow further bookings through autumn and to donate all rent paid to the Organ Restoration Fund.

Bid for a date at: - A cottage in Greytown at \$80 per night.

-A house in Whanganui for \$90 per night

-A holiday home at Whatamango Bay in the Marlborough Sounds, accessible by car with a 15 minute drive from Picton, for \$100 per night.

The Cottage in Greytown sleeps up to 4 people and the other 2 house both sleep up to 6 people – you provide your own towels and sheets. For properties 1 and 2, you are responsible to leave the property as you found it and for property 3 there is a \$50 end cleaning fee.

Send me an email to see if the property you would like to rent is available. We still have some weekends available and also plenty of days through the week. I will put you in contact with the owners who will give you precise directions on how to reach their property, how to get in, instructions about water and power, and send you bank account details to pay for your stay.

Contact me, Andrew Matthews at: [wa.matthews@gmail.com](mailto:wa.matthews@gmail.com)

## **CLIMATE CHANGE COMMISSION'S REPORT – PLANNING WORKSHOP SUNDAY 14 MARCH AFTER WORSHIP**

It is now a week since we had the seminar on Thursday 25 February. We have until 28 March to compile and forward our submission. We want people's ideas and views so that it is a St Andrew's submission not just that of a limited number of people. Our thinking at this stage is that our submission would be most effective where it focuses on ideas as how to effect the necessary changes in our society to achieve the goals and outcomes proposed by the Commission. This we think would be more constructive than attempting to respond to the technical scientific and modelling assumptions in the Draft report. We hope those interested will be able to participate in a planning workshop after worship on Sunday 14 March. The video of the seminar on 25 February is now available on the St Andrew's website and copies of Kennedy Graham's PowerPoint can be emailed on request. Anyone wanting to share ideas or ask questions is welcome to contact Barrie Keenan at [barrie@keenan.co.nz](mailto:barrie@keenan.co.nz) or 027 285 7275.

## **CHRISTIAN WORLD SERVICE**

Even though we cannot visit Uganda, we can share in Specioza's story. A grandmother caring for four grandchildren orphaned by AIDS, she will soon have rain water on tap. The water means the children will be healthier and can go to school. The family will be able to wash their hands to protect themselves against Covid-19 and have more time to grow the food they need. Their lives will be changed - something we can do by working together with our partner the Centre for Community Solidarity.

Thank you for supporting our annual Christmas Appeal which helps make this possible. We hope you can support our Summer Appeal. The leaflets are available at on a table in the Hall.

## **PRIDE FESTIVAL: FAITH COMMUNITIES UNITED IN LOVE**

Come and join St Andrew's whānau at the Faith Communities in Love stall at Out in the City on Saturday 27 March, 12-5pm. Get in touch with Ellen Murray to help plan our stall or to note when you can help, <[contact\\_ellen@yahoo.com](mailto:contact_ellen@yahoo.com)> Also, you're invited to walk with the Faith Communities banner in the hikoi at 11am! More details at <https://www.wellingtonpridefestival.com/>

## **AWAKEN CONFERENCE - FAITH RAINBOW CONFERENCE**

The Awaken gathering is 26-28 March at St Peter's on Willis St, starting with a reception at parliament on 26 March. Check out the great line-up of speakers and workshops online. Tickets are available for the whole conference or parts of it. St Andrew's Fionnaigh McKenzie is leading a workshop on how to share the light of our LGBTIQ faith experiences, titled "A light for our whānau; a thorn in the side of our churches." Info at <http://diversechurch.co.nz/events/awaken2021/>

## **PARKING**

A reminder that parking at St Andrew's is very limited. The parks are rented out commercially during business hours Monday – Friday 8am – 6pm. If you are coming to St Andrew's before 6.00 pm on those days and would like to park here, please arrange this with the office prior to arriving. If you just slip into an empty space it is very likely you will be in someone's paid parking spot or in a park that has already been reserved for another visitor. You can contact the office at [office@standrews.org.nz](mailto:office@standrews.org.nz) or 04 472 9211. Many thanks.

# WELCOME HOME CONCERT CROFT PIPE ORGAN

7pm Sunday 2 May 2021

St Andrew's on The Terrace

Tickets: \$30 waged

\$20 unwaged

Book at [www.eventfinda.co.nz](http://www.eventfinda.co.nz)

*Door sales available but get in early!*

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Be an organ donor! You can still sponsor a pipe!

[www.standrews.org.nz/sponsor-an-organ-pipe-today](http://www.standrews.org.nz/sponsor-an-organ-pipe-today)

St Andrew's  
on The Terrace



## WIDER CHURCH AND COMMUNITY NOTICES

### KEYS FOR TRANSFORMATIONAL PRAYER MINISTRY



**WHEN**  
**Saturday 17 April**  
**9.30 am to 4.30 pm**

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**River Of Life Centre**  
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**PRESENTED BY** Wellington Region Grads

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- Seeing Jesus in relation to His Father
- How we see God
- Basic trust
- Our true identity in Christ
- Pain aversion and empathy
- Wound responses
- Judgements
- Inner vows and lies
- Asking the right questions
- Listening skills
- Repentance
- Forgiveness
- Leaving it at the cross
- Resurrection life
- Power in the Holy Spirit
- And more....

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11 April

### Healing Shame



### Restoring Glory Honor Identity Relationships Kingdom Purpose

6-week DVD Series presented by  
**Sandra Sellmer-Kersten**

*Those who look to Him are radiant, their  
faces are never covered with shame.*

*Psalm 34:5*

**When:** Tuesdays 11 May – 15 June 2021

**Time:** Evening 7:00 pm – 9:30 pm

**Cost:** \$10 or \$30 with Workbook (Offerings will be taken at the last session)

Register with Catrina, Ph: 021-0225-2866 Email: seminars@rlc.nz



### **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              | Sandra and Tony Kirby                                                                                      |
| Sound                  | Tony Cowdry                                                                                                |
| Offering               | Bridget Martin, Kath Kerr                                                                                  |
| Coffee/tea             | Marilyn Wallace, David Douglas                                                                             |
| Time with the Children | Cameron Smart                                                                                              |
| Readings               | Gillian Feist                                                                                              |
| Prayers of the People  | Pat Booth                                                                                                  |
| Communion              | Maxine Cunningham, Ellen Murray,<br>Margaret Rushbrook, Lois Robertson,<br>Cameron Smart, Laura Van Echten |
| Rainbow Room Helper    | Sonia Groes-Petrie                                                                                         |
| Library                | Gillian Feist                                                                                              |
| Musician               | Peter Franklin                                                                                             |

#### **On duty Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> March**

|                        |                            |
|------------------------|----------------------------|
| Welcoming              | Jeni Bryant, Trish McBride |
| Sound                  | Tony Cowdry                |
| Laptop                 | Hamish Dick                |
| Offering               | Joan Tyler, Tony Pears     |
| Coffee/tea             | Graham Howell, James Cone  |
| Time with the Children | Sue McRae                  |
| Readings               | Patricia Booth             |
| Prayers of the People  | Wendy Matthews             |
| Rainbow Room Helper    | Linda Wilkins              |
| Library                | Trish McBride              |
| Musician               | Mark Stamper               |

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

**Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> February 10am** Sunday Gathering **IN THE HALL** led by Jim Cunningham followed by Exploring Faith.

**Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> March:**

**10.00am** – Organ open day – donation

**Note** Wednesday Lunchtime Concerts resume 24<sup>th</sup> March.

**Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> March 10am** Sunday Gathering **IN THE HALL** led by Norman Wilkins

#### **STANDARD MONTHLY SUNDAY CYCLE OF ACTIVITIES AFTER SERVICE**

1st Sunday Communion service followed by Exploring Faith.

2nd Sunday Congregational Brunch on even months Feb, April, June, Aug, Oct, Dec

3rd Sunday Congregational Conversation

4th Sunday Social Justice

5th Sunday if there is one - nothing planned

# 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            | Rev. Reg Weeks                                                   |
| Supply Minister              | Rev. Dr Jim Cunningham                                           |
| Parish Council Convenor      | Lynne Dovey                                                      |
| Treasurer                    | Paul Barber                                                      |
| Facilities Management Group  | Sandra Kirby                                                     |
| Pastoral Care Coordinator    | Linda Wilkins                                                    |
| Pastoral Convenors           | Linda Wilkins, Maxine Cunningham,<br>Brian Burrell and Pat Booth |
| Church Music Coordinator     | Mark Stamper                                                     |
| Theologian in Residence      | Lloyd Geering                                                    |
| Presbytery Representative    | Lois Robertson                                                   |
| Concert Coordinator          | Kristina Zuelicke                                                |
| Faith in Action Co-ordinator | Margaret Rushbrook                                               |
| Rainbow Room Coordinator     | Vacancy                                                          |
| Centre Manager               | Laetitia Brunell                                                 |
| Office Administrator         | Jillene Everett                                                  |
| Facilities Assistant(s)      | Tom Crichton                                                     |
| Roster Coordinator           | Pam Fuller                                                       |

## St Andrew's on The Terrace

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