

ORDER OF SERVICE

23 May 2021

Pentecost



Pentecost presence – the wind and the fire

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 Rosemary Lawrence

PRELUDE

GATHERING

Come, Holy Spirit
breathe into our hearts this day.
Bless our celebration and inspire us,
that we may live Spirit-filled lives.
So may it be

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

AA 26 'Come to our Land'

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1. Come to our land, come to our hearts
Spirit of peace, Spirit of truth
bring in the spring, the hope and the green,
Spirit of growth and Spirit of youth.

*And all our people will sing together:
Wairua Tapu, holy your name,
there's one great Spirit in all creation,
one great Spirit of God!*

2. Come to our land, come to our hearts
Spirit of life, breath of new birth,
teach us to care for water and air,
Nourish the seed and cherish the earth,
3. Come to our land, come to our hearts
Spirit of bush, Spirit of bird,
speak to the soul of Aotearoa
joy in your world, and joy in your Word.

WELCOME

Kia ora tatou.
Kia ora.

PRAYER

Prayer for Pentecost

- Bronwyn Angela White

LEARNING MOMENT : THE JESUS PRAYER in TE REO MĀORI

E tō mātou Matua i te rangi

Kia tapu tōu ingoa.

Kia tae mai tōu rangatiratanga.

Kia meatia tāu e pai ai

ki runga ki te whenua,

kia rite anō ki to te rangi.

Homai ki a mātou āiane

he taro mā mātou mō tēnei rā.

Murua o mātou hara

me mātou hoki e muru nei

i o te hunga e hara ana ki a mātou.

Aua hoki mātou e kawea

kia whakawaia;

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

For you reign in the glory

of the power that is love, now and forever

Amen.

LIGHTING THE RAINBOW CANDLE

TIME WITH CHILDREN

Jim Cunningham

SINGING THE PEACE

Mike Wespel – Rose accompanist

Te Aroha

Love

Te Whakapono

Faith/Hope

Me te Rangimarie

Peace

Tatou tatou e

Be amongst us all

Te Aroha

Te a - ro - hā - - - Te wha - ka - po -
 - no Me te rang - i ma - ri - e - e
 Ta - tou ta - tou - e

THE WORD IN TEXTS

Trish McBride

Hebrew Bible

Genesis 11: 1-9

Gospel

Acts 2:1-8

A cacophony of languages

Contemporary reading

'Suddenly there came a sound'

by Andrew King ©2016

I know there came a day
when a wind began in a certain house
that filled with a light like flame,

and that wind had the roar of justice,
and that wind had the rush of love,
and that wind had the whisper of peace and compassion,
and it carried the words of hope and joy
to an anxious and needy world,

and it was gentle enough to touch the wounded soul
and strong enough to stir the ever-seeking hearts
of women and men, young and old,
from city to distant shores,

and it pulled down walls of distrust and fear
and threw open doors of possibility,
and oaks of hatred have bent in its path
and palisades of pain have fallen to its strength
and new life has spread like scattered seed.

RESPONSE

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

REFLECTION

Rosemary Lawrence

HYMN

HIOS 7 'As the wind song through the trees'

Words © 2005 Shirley Erena Murray

Music by Swee Hong Lim © 2005 Hope Publishing Company 2 verses

1. As the wind song through the trees,
as the stirring of the breeze,
so it is with the Spirit of God,
as the heart made strangely warm,
as the voice within the storm,
so it is with the Spirit of God.
2. Never seen, ever known
where this wind has blown
bringing life, bringing power to the world,
as the dancing tongues of fire,
as the soul's most deep desire,
so it is with the Spirit of God.

OFFERTORY MUSIC

OFFERING HYMN

AA 127 'Take my gifts'

Words © 1992 Shirley Erena Murray, (Admin. by Hope Publishing Company)

Music: ©1992 Colin Gibson Hope Publishing Company

Take my gifts and let me love you,
God who first of all loved me,
gave me light and food and shelter,
gave me love and set me free.
Now because your love has touched me,
I have love to give away;
now the bread of love is rising,
loaves of love to multiply.

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.

CIRCLE OF PRAYER

We think today of the people of Germany and the Council of Christian Churches in Germany. 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 Ginny Andersen (Hutt South) and Rt Hon Jacinda Ardern (Mt Albert). Here in the Central Presbytery, we pray for the leaders and people of St Luke's Uniting Church, Rongotea.

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

PENTECOST SURPRISE

HYMN

HIOS 96 'Make spaces for Spirit!'

Words: ©2001 Shirley Erena Murray. Music: ©2015 Vivien Chiu. 4 verses



Make spa-ces for Spi-rit! For en-er-gy ris-ing, for Pen-te-cost pre-sence, the



wind and the fire, a new kind of lang - uage, a voice and a vi - sion



to shift and up - lift us, to rouse and in-spire.

1. Make spaces for Spirit! For energy rising,
for Pentecost presence, the wind and the fire,
a new kind of language, a voice and a vision
to shift and uplift us, to rouse and inspire.
2. Make spaces for action by spirited people:
the leader, the teacher, the healer of ill,
the builder, the artist, the bringer of laughter,
the melding and welding of spirit and will.
3. Make spaces for graces, the gifts of the Spirit,
the fruit of the garden where love is the spring,
the water of blessing, the incense of worship,
the wine poured for sharing, the hope that will sing.
4. Make spaces for Spirit by changing of systems,
by opening prisons, by debtors' release,
the flaming of courage, the firing of justice,
the Spirit of Jesus, the coming of peace.

BLESSING

SUNG AMEN

POSTLUDE

THANK YOU

Mark Stamper
our musician today

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acknowledged.



AUDIO REFLECTIONS

Sunday reflections are usually available on our website.
<http://www.standrews.org.nz/category/sunday-gathering>

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.

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.

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 Qy, 02-0534-0004022-02

ST ANDREW'S COMMUNITY NOTICES

THE FOODBASKET FOR DCM (DOWNTOWN COMMUNITY MINISTRY)

Today is Pentecost; we celebrate the coming of the Spirit and the birth of the Church. As part of that celebration and in the spirit of generosity let's have a Special Appeal for the DCM Foodbank.

YOU CAN HELP OUR FOODBANK:

We always need items for our foodbank. Our list includes:

Stews and ready meals

Biscuits and muesli bars

Pasta and curry sauces

Instant coffee

Tinned fish

Tinned fruit

Jam, honey and Marmite/Vegemite

Soap, toilet paper and deodorant

So much of our support comes from the people of Wellington – we couldn't do it without you.

So come on St Andrew's, let's celebrate the coming of the Spirit with a massive contribution to the Foodbank!!

FAREWELL LUNCH FOR NORMAN AND LINDA WILKINS

Parish Council is pleased to announce that we will hold a farewell lunch for Norman and Linda on Sunday 20 June before they move to Christchurch.

This will be held in the hall following the service and will replace the usual tea and coffee after the service. Lois Robertson is organising the lunch, with help from several people, and will advise details closer to the time.

MISSING BACKPACK, PRESUMED STOLEN

Last Sunday a backpack was stored in the north vestry during the service by its owner who rode his bike to church.

Unfortunately by the time he came to leave following tea and coffee in the hall it had vanished. He has reported the missing bag to the Police.

If anyone saw a black backpack after church in the north vestry or elsewhere could they please get in touch with the office, Sandra Kirby or Lynne Dovey.

Because the Centre door is open to allow access to the toilets during the service, security of possessions cannot be guaranteed.

It may be possible to shut and lock the north vestry door so that no-one coming off the street has access there during the service, but again this may not be reliably locked each week.

Sad to say, because we run a pretty open (welcoming) facility, we have over the last 2 or 3 years lost quite a lot of equipment - trestle tables and kitchenware to name a few of the items which have disappeared. This is very frustrating as our inclination is to trust users of the Centre.

We have talked with the Police about this and they can only recommend CCTV which would involve considerable expense, beyond our resources at present. We do therefore ask that everyone holds on to their personal possessions at all times. Thank you.

Finance and Facilities Management Group

SPIRITED CONVERSATION

from 6.15, Tuesday, 1 June at St Andrew's on the Terrace

Hold the date. We are still finalising a speaker from a smaller religious community in Wellington. We are lucky enough to have in the wings a presenter with a historical perspective and insights on Te Tiriti and may call on her as a late replacement. Details in the next newsletter. Apologies for the late notice.

There will be a simple catered meal from 6.15 and the presenter will start at 7. We try to close at 8.30 or a little after. Please bring \$10 for the meal if you are able.

Contact Janet Newdick or Tony Kirby at tony@thekirbys.co.nz or speak to us at church so we know numbers attending. We'll also need to know whether you are able to help with set up or clean up and if you have dietary requirements.

Sign up sheet are at the back of the church.

Tony Kirby 021 380 225, Janet 021 261 9794, 499 7551.

LAPTOP and SOUND DESK TEAMS.

We are currently looking for a couple more people to join the LAPTOP and SOUND DESK Teams.

Training provided. No previous experience necessary.

Just an interest in learning how they work and to be available for a duty once or twice a month.

For more information contact Pam Fuller at [<pjfler@gmail.com>](mailto:pjfler@gmail.com).

FINISHED A LOAF OF BREAD OR BOTTLE OF MILK?!!!

Please save the bread bag and the clip/tie and milk bottle tops. The bags are used at the Compassion Soup Kitchen for "takeaway" lunches and the tags and milk bottle tops get recycled. There is a collection box on the North Vestry Table.

Thanks– Kath, Trish and Brian.

GREAT BRITAIN: 500 CENTURIES OF CHORAL MUSIC –

Sat 29 May 7:30pm at St Andrew's

2021 brings about the 5th anniversary for Inspirare! Back in 2016, we had a dream to create a semi-professional choir which would allow singers and audiences to experience music on a new, fresh, and innovative level in Wellington and beyond.

This season, we will be presenting two concerts focused on regions of music. Our first programme will highlight music from Great Britain, dating back from Thomas Tallis in the 16th century to Paul Mealer, William Mathias, and Jonathan Willcocks of the 21st century. **The concert will be held at St. Andrew's on the Terrace (30 The Terrace) where we sang our first concert in 2016.**

The newly refurbished Croft organ will be featured as most pieces will be accompanied by Heather Easting on the organ, as well as the seating will be turned around so the audience can see the organ and choir in the gallery, where the majority of the concert will take place. Heather will also play two organ solos allowing us to further highlight this outstanding instrument.

This is a don't miss event: not only for the fantastic choral repertoire from Great Britain, but also this refurbished organ being utilised in a grand manner.

Mark Stamper, our Music Coordinator, is the artistic director/founder of Inspirare. www.Inspirare.nz

INSPIRARE

**GREAT
BRITAIN**

5 Centuries of British Music

SATURDAY, 29 MAY, 7:30 P.M.

**ST. ANDREWS ON THE TERRACE
30 THE TERRACE, WELLINGTON**

TICKETS: WWW.INSPIRARE.NZ

WIDER CHURCH AND COMMUNITY NOTICES

FESTIVAL SINGERS PRESENTS Mass Appeal

Chilcott: A Little Jazz Mass — Dvorák : Mass in D major

3:00pm Sunday 23 May 2021, St James Anglican Church

71 Woburn Road, Lower Hutt.

Book at EventBrite and get more details here: <https://festivalsingersnz.org/>

Tickets also available from Choir members.

Door sales also available: (Cash only: no EFTPOS or credit cards)

OPENING OUR MINDS IN 2021 - ST MARK'S WESLEY UNITING CHURCH

Joan Taylor is Professor of Christian Origins and Second Temple Judaism at King's College London, and is a leading expert on the world of Jesus, with a focus on history and archaeology. She is also Visiting Research Fellow at Victoria University of Wellington.

We are glad to announce a series of presentations at 2:00 pm on the following Sundays in St Mark's Wesley Uniting Church, 58 Woburn Rd, Lower Hutt.

23 May: Silent Women? Leadership in the Churches of Paul

30 May: Mary Magdalene: Memory and Mystery

13 June: Homeless Housewares: Gender and Archaeology in the Judaeen Refuge Caves

Each presentation will be followed by a Question & Answer session, and refreshments will be available afterwards.

FESTIVAL SINGERS' MID-YEAR REVIVAL CHORAL WORKSHOP

For all singers! Saturday 29 May 2021, 10am to 4pm

St Hilda's Anglican Church, 311 The Parade, Island Bay, Only \$30

Book at: <https://festivalsingersnz.org/>

You will learn about: Singing technique, Vocal health, Learning music by ear, Listening to improve ensemble and intonation, Good posture

Sessions professionally led by: William McElwee (vocal coach)

Eleanor McGeachie (alto soloist), Emile van der Mespel (experienced, fully registered

Alexander Technique teacher), Ingrid Schoenfeld (musical director)

Bring your own lunch. Morning tea provided. Sheet music provided.

RAINBOW WELLINGTON

Rainbow Wellington AGM, Wednesday, 26th May 5.30 pm The Garden Room, St Peter's Church, Willis Street. Everyone is welcome to attend but only financial members will be able to vote on decisions and participate in the election of Board members.text

PEACE AOTEAROA

Military spending increases in Budget 2021

<https://www.facebook.com/PeaceMovementAotearoa/posts/3969873849726621> or

Tweet, <https://twitter.com/PeaceMovementA/status/1395223392144433152>

SENIOR'S WEEK 2021

Seniors' Week 2021, which will run from Friday 1st October (which is International Seniors' Day) to Friday 8th October.

The deadline for entries into Council's Seniors' Week activities booklet is Monday 30th August. If you or your organisation will be planning an event for Seniors' Week, please let us know about it before that date so we can make sure it is included.

I will be your point of contact at Council for Seniors' Week, so please do get in touch if you're not sure what getting involved with Seniors' Week entails – or even if you have a general question. I look forward to hearing about everyone's plans! Janey Thornton, Absolutely Positively Wellington City Council - janey.thornton@wcc.govt.nz.

NOTES

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	Alan and Valerie Rhodes
Sound	Tony Cowdry
Laptop	Cameron Smart
Offering	Bridget Martin, John Morgan
Coffee/tea	Ann Barrie, David Douglas
Time with the Children	Jim Cunningham
Readings	Trish McBride
Prayers of the People	Sonia Groes-Petrie
Library	Catriona Cairns
Musician	Mark Stamper

On duty Sunday 30 May

Welcoming	Graham Howell, Lois Robertson
Sound	Frank Cook
Laptop	Hamish Dick
Offering	James Cone, Margaret Pannett
Coffee/tea	Pam Fuller, Kath Kerr
Time with the Children	Cameron Smart
Readings	Norman Wilkins
Prayers of the People	Linda Wilkins
Rainbow Room Helper	Sandra Kirby
Library	Mike Wespel-Rose
Musician	Mark Stamper

This Week and Coming Events at St Andrew's

Sunday 23 May 10am Sunday Gathering led by Rosemary Lawrence
Followed by Social Justice.

Wednesday 26 May:

10.30am - Cuppa and a Chat in the Centre

12:15pm Wednesday Lunchtime Concert - Monique Lapins and Jian Liu – music for violin and piano

Thursday 27 May Thursday Lunchtime Concert - Classical voice students of the NZSM (New Zealand School of Music)

Sunday 30 May 10am Sunday Gathering led by Rev. Dr Jim Cunningham

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, 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	Riah Tahana-Dawson
Centre Manager	Laetitia Brunell
Office Administrator	Jillene Everett
Facilities Assistant(s)	Tom Crichton and Hayes Francis
Roster Coordinator	Pam Fuller

St Andrew's on The Terrace

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Sign-in. Stop the virus.

