



ORDER OF SERVICE

19 June 2022

Pentecost 2



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 Fei Taule'ale'ausumai

PRELUDE

Zum Frieden

(J.S. Bach)

CALL TO WORSHIP

Christians from early days found Christ in showing hospitality...

So we too welcome all.

The Celts of old gathered round hearths
to share stories, eat and drink , and keep warm.....

Māori have their rituals of welcome and hospitality....

So we also gather together.

People of all lands and times join in circles of community.

***So we make a circle today,
to create a place of openness and listening;
to see with new eyes;
to make space for encounter;
and to catch a glimpse of God.***

SILENCE

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

WOV 637 'Jesus stand among us'

Words and music © 1977 Graham Kendrick Thankyou Music
(Admin. by SHOUT! Music Publishing Australia) 2 verses

1. Jesus stand among us at the meeting of our lives;
Be the full agreement in the meeting of our eyes.
O Jesus we love you and so we gather here;
Join our hearts in unity and take away our fear.
2. As to you we gather, from so many different lands,
Christ the life between us in the joining of our hands.
O Jesus we love you and so we gather here;
Join our hearts in unity and take away all fear.

GATHERING

We come to re-weave the unravelling fabric of community;
to reconnect once more to the larger human family;
to find once more that place of calm;
to remind ourselves that we belong;
and to remember what it is that we belong to.

Let us celebrate life in the presence we name God.

WELCOME

E te whānau a Te Karaiti
ngā mihi aroha ki a tātou katoa.

Kia ora tātou.

Talofa lava,
Talofa

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

The rainbow candle represents the inclusive nature of our church where all are welcome and also celebrates our children.

TIME WITH CHILDREN

Rosemary Lawrence

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.

PASSING THE PEACE

Traditionally we shake hands to pass the peace and say "peace be with you." Now that COVID-19 is here we ask that you pass the peace without shaking hands.

THE WORD IN TEXTS

Rosemary Lawrence

Hebrew Bible

1 Kings 19:1-15a

Gospel/New Testament

Luke 8.26-39

Contemporary reading

"More than tolerance" (pg 76-77)

By John W H Smith and Rex A E Hunt

Coming to a place of candour
where beliefs and creeds confer;
we will not react with anger,
nor tell others where they err.
Can we speak of faith and doctrine?
Can we listen – really hear?
As we meet can we imagine
that new insights may appear?

When we hear some different teaching,
when we try to understand,
different faiths can be disturbing,
and can question where we stand;
we need not forsake devotion,
if it's God whom we adore;
but we can share inspiration;
we can question and explore.

We can pledge to be accepting;
put behind us lack of trust;
we can practice understanding:
shun rebuke that is unjust.
If we can affirm each other,
be as friend and not as foe,
we can meet and share together;
plant respect and let it grow.

RESPONSE

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

CHOIR:

Prayer of St. Francis

by David Childs

REFLECTION

“Demons in our lives”

Rev. Dr Fei Taule’ale’ausumai

HYMN

CH 606 ‘Lord you sometimes speak in wonders’

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sub to Hope Publishing for various regions) (Admin. by Hope Publishing Company)

Tune Stuttgart, 5 verses

1. Lord, you sometimes speak in wonders,
unmistakable and clear,
mighty signs to prove your presence,
overcoming doubt and fear.
2. Lord, you sometimes speak in whispers,
still and small and scarcely heard;
only those who want to listen
catch the all-important word.
3. Lord, you sometimes speak in silence,
through our loud and noisy day;
we can know and trust you better
when we quietly wait and pray.

4. Lord, you love to speak in Scripture,
words that summon from the page,
shown and taught us by your Spirit
with fresh light for every age.
5. Lord, you always speak in Jesus,
always new yet still the same:
teach us now more of our Saviour,
make our lives display his Name.

OFFERTORY MUSIC

Starlight
(Ivor Novello)

OFFERING HYMN

'Give thanks for life'

Words © Shirley Murray (AA 45)

Music: SINE NOMINE, Ralph Vaughan Williams (CH4 736&WOV 384)

Give thanks for life,
the measure of our days,
mortal, we pass
through beauty that decays,
yet sing to God
our hope, our love, our praise,
Alleluia! Alleluia!

OFFERING AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Faithful God, you ask us to be faithful people.

In this community, you ask us to be people of justice.

In this community, you ask us to be people of mercy.

In this community, you ask us to be people of peace.

Be with us as we try to be faithful

in large ways and in small ways

so your eternal community may come in every way.

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

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 the Russian Federation and the Russian Orthodox Church. 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 Hon Paul Goldsmith and Harete Hipango, list MPs. Here in the Central Presbytery, we pray for the leaders and people of St James' Union Church, Masterton.

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

CALL TO SERVICE (*standing*)

Spirit of God, brooding over the waters of our chaos,
inspire us to generous living.

Wind of God, dancing over the desert of our reluctance,
lead us to the oasis of celebration.

Breath of God, inspiring communication among strangers,
make us channels of your peace.

HYMN

'Who is this man?'

Words: Mary Pearson

Music: Londonderry Air (Trad) CH4 729

1. Who is this man who gathered people to him
and touched their lives along each dusty way,
who spoke to all with passion and with peacefulness
and valued all their ordinary days?
Who is this man who at the day's long ending
would draw apart to wait on God and pray?
Who, in the mystery that knows no ending,
would find God's wisdom and would know God's words to say?
2. Who is this man who gave to women dignity
in partnership of worth and equal grace?
who listened to the stories that they told him,
and honoured each whatever was their place;
who let them choose to come and join his company
and learned with them God's love for every race,
who showed to each the courage of their nature
to care and tend each lonely and each suffering face?
3. Who is this man who spoke to all of gentleness,
and showed them all the children at his side;
who taught of love and justice for all people,
who took a towel and washed away their pride?
In him they saw the strength of truth and mercy,
and how he trusted God to be his guide,
knew how he led them through misunderstanding,
and then forgave them when they ran away to hide.
4. Who is this man who calls us now to follow,
a shadow presence asking us to be
companions on the way through this life journey,
to live in truth, to set our tired world free?
So, let us find each other now in partnership,
with ears to hear and eyes awake to see,
that we might grow in grace and understanding,
and walk beside that man who comes from Galilee.

BLESSING

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 in you and me,

May the God of safe homecomings welcome you and me.

SUNG AMEN

POSTLUDE

'Promenade'

from Pictures at an Exhibition by M. Mussorgsky (1839-1881)

THANK YOU

Peter Franklin

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 has introduced a COVID response package which includes some temporary changes to street parking in the city. On Saturday and Sunday the time limit for most metered parks has been extended to 180 minutes, 8am-8pm (compared to weekdays 8am-5pm when it is 120 minutes but extends to 180 minutes 5-8pm). The weekend charge had been reduced to \$1/hour. This change is set to run from 21 March to 30 June 2022. 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

FUNDRAISER FOR JELLIES, JAMS AND CHUTNEYS

The total raised so far is \$693.

There's a Special Offer on the two lonely lovely jars left - a banana chutney and a Quince jelly - 2 for \$10 (or \$6 each.)

Cheers, Maxine

26 JUNE IS WORLD REFUGEE DAY

I have invited a friend Zahra Abdulaziz to speak. She came to New Zealand with her family several years ago and has had leading roles in the Muslim community and her national community (Somalia), worked for Red Cross and is now a successful business woman. She can provide insights on being a New Zealander who is not always recognised as one. I can certainly attest to this.. I am currently working with a family returning to New Zealand after an absence. They are of African descent. When trying to get an application form for an IRD number we got given a "non-resident" one. My client was born here. "They are us". Aren't they?

I plan July SJEG to be on Housing - more than a house, but a community too.

SOUP FOR MATARIKI

We're looking for volunteers to make soup or bring bread to eat to celebrate Matariki after the service on 26th June.

If you can cook up a pot of warming soup or bring a loaf please let Fiona know after church or by email. fionaredsquirrel@gmail.com.

We have some facilities for warming up soup but it might be easier if you preheated it and brought it to church in your crockpot and just plug it in to keep it warm.

fionaredsquirrel@gmail.com.

Thanks, Fiona McDougal

LIBRARY NEWS

Dear everybody.

Ben Gray has just donated a book to the library which he recommends and is available for lending out.

Alexander Hamilton - by Ron Chernow.

"His vision of a united nation with strong central government, a formidable army and a vigorous capitalist economy, funded by investment banking, pitted him against many of his fellow revolutionaries. He was also an abolitionist. He lived a life of inconceivable achievement, upward mobility and scandal. He died at Aaron Burr's hands in July 1804, aged 49, in the most famous duel in American history."

MASK WEARING

We know from listening to the advice of public health physicians and epidemiologists that continued mask wearing is one of the best ways, along with immunisation, we have to prevent catching COVID. Thanks to all who are doing this for Sunday worship and at morning tea once finished drinking and eating. Just a reminder that the mask must cover your nose and mouth for it to be effective. It provides the members of our congregation who regularly attend church and are immune-compromised with an added level of security if everyone complies with this recommendation.

Lynne, Parish Council Convenor

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

Please save the bread bag and the clip (plastic only)/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. Please fold the bags and pack separately. There is a collection box on the North Vestry Table. Thanks— Kath, Trish and Brian.

SUPPORT FOR DCM (DOWNTOWN COMMUNITY MINISTRY)

We are grateful for the many services provided by the DCM and one way we can offer our support is to FILL the food baskets at the back of the church each Sunday. They are collected every Monday by a DCM worker.

Suggested items:

Tinned - soup, fish, baked beans, stews and fruit

Pasta and curry sauces

Jam, Honey Marmite/Vegemite and peanut butter

Porridge, Biscuits and muesli bars

Instant coffee and tea bags

Soap, toilet paper, toothpaste and tooth brushes

(Please no fresh fruit/vegetables)

DCM has been working in the city of Wellington since 1969 with a mission to “focus on the needs of, and to help empower those marginalised in the city, with a current focus on people experiencing homelessness, or at risk of homelessness.”

For other ways to support the work of the DCM visit <https://www.dcm.org.nz>. Brian Burrell

WIDER CHURCH AND COMMUNITY NOTICES

RAINBOW WELLINGTON 25th Birthday Celebration

In July we will celebrate 25 years of connecting Wellington's Rainbow Community.

Join us at Dockside on Sunday 24 July 2022 from 6pm

Special Guests - Deputy Prime Minister Hon. Grant Robertson and Mayor Andy Foster.

Tickets include a three-course dinner and arrival drink.

These are very limited. <https://www.eventbrite.co.nz/e/rainbow-wellington-25th-birthday-celebration-tickets-344493217487>.

If there is significant demand, we may be able to move into a larger space, but this isn't guaranteed!

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	Lynette and Brian Burrell
Sound	Tony Cowdry
Laptop	Cam Smart
Offering	Kath Kerr, John Morgan
Coffee/tea	Laura and Melissa van Echten, Katrina Harper
Time with the Children	Rosemary Lawrence
Readings	Rosemary Lawrence
Prayers of the People	Pat Booth
Rainbow Room Helper	Lois Robertson
Library	Gillian Feist
Musician	Peter Franklin

On duty Sunday 26 June

Welcoming	Jim and Maxine Cunningham
Sound and Laptop	Sue Hirst
Offering	Fiona McDougal, Bridget Martin
Coffee/tea	Jenny and Gavin Watson, Richard Owen
Time with the Children	Ellen Murray
Readings	Ken Irwin
Prayers of the People	Lynne Dovey
Rainbow Room Helper	Not required (Matariki weekend)
Library	Catriona Cairns
Musician	Mark Stamper

This Week and Coming Events at St Andrew's

Sunday 19 June 10am Sunday Gathering led by Rev Dr Fei Taule'ale'ausumai followed by Congregational Conversation.

Wednesday 22 June:

10.30am - Cuppa and a Chat in the Centre

12:15pm - Wednesday Lunchtime Concert - Robert Ibell and Rachel Thomson, cello and piano

Sunday 26 June 10am Sunday Gathering led by Rev Dr Fei Taule'ale'ausumai followed by Social Justice Education Group

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 and Younger members' (Y) group meets after morning tea/brunch.

3rd Sunday Congregational Conversation

4th Sunday Social Justice Education Group

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

Minister	Rev Dr Fei Taule'ale'ausumai
Parish Council Convenor	Lynne Dovey
Treasurer	Paul Barber
Facilities Management Group	Sandra Kirby
Pastoral Care Team	Pat Booth, Brian Burrell, Maxine Cunningham, Katrina Harper, Lois Robertson
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	Vacant
Centre Manager	Adelina Reis
Office Administrator	Jillene Everett
Facilities Assistant(s)	Hayes Francis and Amy de Bruin
Roster Coordinator	Pam Fuller

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