

ORDER OF SERVICE

10 July 2022

Pentecost 5



The Good Samaritan

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

'Diapason Movement'

John Keeble 1711-1786

CALL TO WORSHIP

God of miracles and gifts,
God of humanness and divine life,
God of unexpected connections with us
and mysteries of creativity far beyond our seeing.
God of the little and the least
and of those who think they are powerful:

You have chosen to be our God.

***We have chosen to be your people
and we come to worship you.***

SILENCE

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

AA 85 'Let justice roll down like a river'

Words and Music © 1994 Colin Gibson Hope Publishing Company (3 verses)

Refrain:

Let justice roll down like a river,
let justice roll down like a sea,
let justice roll down like a river,
let justice begin through me.

1. Justice for all who go hungry,
crying to God to be fed,
left in a world of abundance
to beg for a morsel of bread. ***Refrain***

2. Justice for those who are homeless,
victims of warfare or need,
trapped on the borders of no-where,
lost in the canyons of greed. **Refrain**
3. Justice for all who are powerless,
yearning for freedom in vain,
plundered, and robbed of their birth-right,
silently bearing their pain. **Refrain**

GATHERING

We begin our week together,
honouring this life, with all its potentials and possibilities.

We begin our week with trust
knowing we are created for loving encounter.

We begin our week with hope,
***knowing that it can hold
love, kindness,
forgiveness and justice.***

We recall the week that has gone,
a pause.....

We ask
***may we learn, may we love,
may we live on.***

We make room for the unexpected,
***May we find wisdom and life
in the unexpected.***

Help us to embrace possibility,
respond graciously to disappointment
and hold tenderly those we encounter.
Help us be fully present to the week to come.

(Padraig O Tuama adapted)

WELCOME

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

Kia ora tātou.

Talofa lava,
Talofa

PRAYER

By Bronwyn Angela White

We gather together the strands of our hectic lives
And offer each other, this day, a breathing space.
We come in faith
We venture out of our isolation
our safe solitariness
to share this morning in each other's lives

We come in faith

We come for many reasons – some we don't understand.
We come from habit, from instinct, from choice, curiosity.
We come to celebrate, give thanks
to share community

We come in faith

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*)

Children you may return to sit with your family or find some do activities to do from the cupboard at the back of the church.

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

Valerie Rhodes

Hebrew Bible

Amos 7:7-17

Gospel/New Testament

Luke 10:25-37

Contemporary reading

'Love your Enemy'

By Joy Cowley

I heard him say, Love your enemy.

And I thought, well, I did.

Sort of. At a distance.

As long as I didn't have to talk to her
or share the same room for any time.

It wasn't just a matter of principle.

I had to let her know

that I didn't approve.

But he kept saying, Love your enemy.

Over and over. Love your enemy.

And I thought, well, maybe

a bit closer wouldn't hurt.

A telephone call. Good morning.

Some questions of polite interest.
No need to compromise principles.
I could let her know
that I held no grudge.

He still kept saying it.
Love your enemy. Love your enemy.
So in the end, I had to go the whole hog.
Suddenly, there we were, talking about feelings,
Laughing and crying and hugging each other.
And I was healed of the wound I'd given myself
with my judgemental attitudes.

So the next time he said, Love your enemy,
I knew clearly what he meant.
My real enemy
is self.
And I need all the love and forgiveness
I can get.

RESPONSE

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

HYMN

CH172 'Sing for God's glory'

Words: © 2003 Kathryn Galloway

Tune: Lobe den herren (Praise to the Lord the Almighty) 4 verses

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1. Sing for God's glory that colours the dawn of creation,
racing across the sky, trailing bright clouds of elation;
sun of delight
succeeds the velvet of night,
warming the earth's exultation.
2. Sing for God's power that shatters the chains that would bind us,
searing the darkness of fear and despair that could blind us,
touching our shame
with love that will not lay blame,
reaching out gently to find us.

3. Sing for God's justice disturbing each easy illusion,
tearing down tyrants and putting our pride to confusion;
 lifeblood of right,
 resisting evil and slight,
offering freedom's transfusion.
4. Sing for God's saints who have travelled faith's journey before us,
who in our weariness give us their hope to restore us;
 in them we see
 the new creation to be,
spirit of love made flesh for us.

REFLECTION “Who are the Samaritans in our lives?”

Rev. Dr Fei Taule’ale’ausumai

HYMN:

WOV 561 ‘Kneels at the feet of his friends’

Words: Tom Colvin (c. 1965) and people of Ghana; Music: Ghana Folk Melody

1. Kneels at the feet of his friends,
 silently washes their feet:
 master who acts as a slave to them.
Refrain: Yesu, Yesu,
 fill us with your love,
 show us how to serve
 the neighbours we have from you.



2. Neighbours are rich folk and poor,
 neighbours are black folk and white,
 neighbours are nearby and far away.
Refrain
3. These are the ones we should serve,
 these are the ones we should love
 all men are neighbours to us and you.
Refrain
4. Loving puts us on our knees,
 serving as though we were slaves:
 this is the way we should live with you
Refrain

OFFERTORY MUSIC

"Neander" Hymn Tune

(J. Neander 1640-1680)

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.

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

Fiona McDougal

CIRCLE OF PRAYER

We think today of the people of Saudi Arabia and all those working to protect and promote human rights in Saudi Arabia. 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 Willie Jackson and Anahila Kanongata'a-Suisuiki list MPs. Here in the Central

Presbytery, we pray for the leaders and people of St Paul's Presbyterian Church, Napier.

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*

HYMN

CH4 533 'Will you come and follow me?'

Words: Graham Maule, Music: Kelvingrove John L. Bell

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1. Will you come and follow me if I but call your name?
Will you go where you don't know and never be the same?
Will you let my love be shown? Will you let my name be known?
Will you let my life be grown in you and you in me?
2. Will you leave yourself behind if I but call your name?
Will you care for cruel and kind and never be the same?
Will you risk the hostile stare should your life attract or scare?
Will you let me answer prayer in you and you in me?

3. Will you let the blinded see if I but call your name?
Will you set the prisoners free and never be the same?
Will you kiss the leper clean and do such as this unseen,
and admit to what I mean in you and you in me?
4. Will you love the "you" you hide if I but call your name?
Will you quell the fear inside and never be the same?
Will you use the faith you've found to reshape the world around,
through my sight and touch and sound in you and you in me?
5. Lord your summons echoes true when you but call my name.
Let me turn and follow you and never be the same.
In Your company I'll go where Your love and footsteps show.
Thus I'll move and live and grow in you and you in me.

BLESSING

Go into the world as those who choose and are chosen to bring justice, peace and freedom to a longing people. And may God be in our every action, Christ Jesus be in the every pausing to listen and the Holy Spirit be in every moment of choosing.

Amen (Dorothy McRae-McMahon)

SUNG AMEN

POSTLUDE

March from "A Bridge Too Far"

by J Addison (1920-1998)

THANK YOU

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>

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

ROSTERS FOR AUGUST TO SEPTEMBER

Please let us know if you are interested in helping with the weekly services e.g. Welcoming, Offering and Morning tea.

A reminder for those who help on our rosters that we will be putting together a new roster for the period August to September to shortly. If you have any dates during this period that you know you will be away please notify the office at office@standrews.org.nz by 15th July. Thank you. Pam and Jillene

SOCIAL JUSTICE EDUCATION GROUP

Kia Ora St Andrew's members

The SJEG gathering took on a new method of presentation on Refugee Sunday, due to the soup and bread brunch. Zahra and I chatted with folk at many tables rather than meeting in the first floor room.

Thanks everyone at the tables we visited for the way you engaged with her, asked questions, heard her stories of her life here, her arrival with her family from Somalia via Kenya and then to New Zealand and her hopes for the future.

For practical support visit her shop, Zuhra's collection, 15 Riddiford Street.

Zahra says she is happy to return. She says thanks for the hospitality. Graham Howell

RESILIENT GRIEVING

A number of people were interested in the book, 'Resilient Grieving', which I talked about during last Sunday's notices. It's now in the St Andrew's library. Just to recap, after our Matariki service it struck me how many of us are living with grief and might find this book useful. It's written by Dr Lucy Hone, who is an academic with a background in resilience psychology; she worked with a lot of people after the trauma of the Christchurch earthquakes. A few years ago she lost her 12-year-old daughter, Abi, in a terrible road accident. Left totally bereft she decided to apply her resilience training to her own grief. I've found her work insightful, deeply moving and, above all, hugely practical. It also has some useful advice for people wanting to support friends who are grieving. There is also a TEDx Talk, which Fei pointed me to: <https://youtu.be/9-5SMpg7Q0k> The talk is a good introduction to the book. Anna Smith

SPIRITED CONVERSATIONS ON TUESDAY 19 JULY AT 7 PM

Our evening is going to be about mental health issues. Heather-Rose will lead a panel discussion. She describes herself as born and raised on Gadigal-Eora country, parent, grandparent, interplayer, peace-dancer; public health system worker in perinatal, child and adolescent health for quite a long time.

She will be joined by Vivienne Mountier, a recently retired Child and Adolescent psychiatrist who spent most of her career working in mental health in New Zealand.

We hope to have one other participant.

For those who would like a meal before, we will have another go at meeting at Little Penang, but this time we will ask for names (to Pat Booth email patriciabooth@xtra.co.nz or text 027 476 0427).

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

CONCERT

Our Youngest Star - The Glamaphones celebrate Matariki

POSTPONED TO Saturday 23 July 7:00pm (due to COVID related circumstances)

St Andrew's on The Terrace

At the centre of this programme is the premiere of our new commission for the occasion:

Our Youngest Star - composed by the talented Takerei Komene with text by Stacey Teague.

It is an ode to Hiwa-i-te-Rangi, the Carrier of Wishes.

Tickets from Eventfinda

RELIGIOUS STUDIES 50TH ANNIVERSARY PUBLIC LECTURE + CELEBRATION

Kia ora all and thank you for your support to SATRS over the years.

I've received this invitation which Geoff Troughton has asked that I share with you.

Thanks to a great deal of work by Jan Rivers the SATRS archives have made it down to Knox well packed and indexed and gratefully received by the staff there. Pam Fuller

I am delighted to invite you as friends of the Programme to an evening celebrating 50 years of Religious Studies at Te Herenga Waka—Victoria University of Wellington.

The event will take place on **Wednesday 27 July at 6pm** in the Hunter Council Chamber at the Kelburn Campus.

We will begin with a public lecture by Emeritus Professor Paul Morris on 'Religion and Government in Aotearoa New Zealand.' Paul was Professor in Religious Studies from 1994 to 2018 and will be known to many of you.

Responding to Paul's provocations, Fa'anānā Efeso Collins (Councillor on Auckland Council), Māmari Stephens (Reader in Law) and Kate Hunter (Professor of History) will open up a broader conversation on a topic urgently in need of a fresh and imaginative reassessment.

At 7:30pm we will cut a celebratory cake. There will be plenty of food and drink to sustain an evening of good conversation and reminiscence.

Register before 14 July at this link [<https://bit.ly/3kiVL3a>]. You can also register at the same link to watch the lecture afterwards.

The Religious Studies Programme greatly looks forward to celebrating this notable milestone with you.

Ngā mihi nui, A/Prof Geoff Troughton

Programme Director, Religious Studies, School of Social and Cultural Studies



MUSIC FUTURES

presents the sound of

WELLINGTON YOUTH MUSIC

**Saturday 30 July 3 pm
St Andrew's on The Terrace
Entry by koha**

Featuring: Benjamin Carter, piano

**Blue Notes, Tawa College auditioned choir
National finalists in the Big Sing**

**Ensembles include: Schnittke's Snickers, Hillbillies,
and The 5 Blessings**

*Music Futures is generously supported by
TG Macarthy Trust, Mokoia Masonic Trust and
St Andrew's on The Terrace*

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	Pam Fuller, Lois Robertson
Sound	Sue Hirst
Laptop	Cam Smart
Offering	Jenn and Barrie Keenan
Coffee/tea	Janet Horncy, Kath Kerr, Richard Owen
Time with the Children	Rosemary Lawrence
Readings	Valerie Rhodes
Prayers of the People	Fiona McDougal
Library	Trish McBride
Musician	Peter Franklin

On duty Sunday 17 July

Welcoming	Lynette and Brian Burrell
Sound	Tony Cowdry
Laptop	Cam Smart
Offering	Graham Howell, Kath Kerr
Coffee/tea	Maxine and Jim Cunningham, Marilyn Wallace
Time with the Children	Frank Cook
Readings	John Harper
Prayers of the People	Pat Booth
Library	Ann Barrie
Musician	Peter Franklin

This Week and Coming Events at St Andrew's

Sunday 10 July 10am Sunday Gathering led by Rev Dr Fei Taule'ale'ausumai

Wednesday 13 July:

10.30am - Cuppa and a Chat in the Centre

12:15pm Wednesday Lunchtime Concert – Aroha Academy

Sunday 17 July 10am Sunday Gathering led by Rev Dr Fei Taule'ale'ausumai followed by congregational conversation

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
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Roster Coordinator	Pam Fuller

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