



# ORDER OF SERVICE

21 JULY 2024

PENTECOST 9

**Signs it's time to take a break**

## 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.

We recognise that being inclusive is an ongoing journey and we are continuing to learn. We are committed to challenging discrimination within the church and wider society.

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.

*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

**"Rustington" by C.H.H. Parry (1848 - 1918)**

### GATHERING

In the beginning was the Word

the Word was with God and the Word was God.

The Word whispers now in our conversation, dialoguing with us in unlikely places  
imaging the truth on playlist and YouTube.

We gather this day, as every day, to be attentive to the Word contemporary in  
our time; to hear the words we need to recognise our story's intersection with  
the Story of the world.

### SILENCE

### OPENING RESPONSES

We hear the Word in ancient scripture

spoken freshly in our day

We hear the Word in contemporary writing

written freshly in our time

We hear the Word in the lives of one another

lived afresh in each new moment

## PROCESSIONAL HYMN

## AA 45 'Give thanks for life'

Words: © Shirley Murray Tune: SINE NOMINE WOV 384

1. 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!*
2. Give thanks for those  
who made their life a light  
caught from the Christ-flame,  
bursting through the night,  
who touched the truth,  
who burned for what is right,  
*Alleluia! Alleluia!*
3. And for our own,  
our living and our dead,  
thanks for the love  
by which our life is fed,  
a love not changed  
by time or death or dread,  
*Alleluia! Alleluia!*
4. Give thanks for hope,  
that like the wheat, the grain  
that lies in darkness  
does its life retain  
in resurrection  
to grow green again,  
*Alleluia! Alleluia!*

## **WELCOME**

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

***Kia ora tātou.***

Ou te faatalofa atu i le Suafoa o Iesu Keriso

***Talofa lava, we too greet you in the name of Jesus Christ***

*A special welcome to those who are visiting us. Please join us for coffee/tea in the hall after church.*

## **OPENING PRAYER**

For your spirit among us we recognise your presence as we gather in the faces and lives of everyone here. Be with us in our worship, in our fellowship and in our relationships and caring for one another. Come spirit of grace and compassion.

**AMEN.**

## **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**

We light the rainbow candle as a sign of our inclusivity and for our children.

## **FAMILY TIME**

**Frank Cook**

## **PASSING THE PEACE**

*Our practice is to pass the peace, with or without shaking hands, and say “Peace be with you.”*

## **THE WORD IN TEXTS**

**Tony Kirby**

## **HEBREW BIBLE:**

**2 Samuel 7:1-14a**

## **GOSPEL:**

**Mark 6: 30- 34, 53-56**

## **CONTEMPORARY READING**

### **“Mana Whenua o Māngere”**

From ‘Aoteroa NZ is a Polynation’  
by Helen Tau’au Filisi

At school I wasn’t taught about the history of Māngere or of mana whenua  
I instead learned about the histories of the British Kings and Queens  
Captain Cook and his discoveries (later uncoveries)  
then at uni of US history of Martin Luther King and the great depression  
All this while I lived in Māngere.

It wasn’t until many, many years later at Te Wānanga o Aotearoa  
that I discovered/uncovered that Māngere was where one of the first  
Māori kings resided  
and that somewhere in the 1300s – even earlier - Māori waka travelled  
through with gardens galore  
using navigational and cultivational knowledge passed down through the  
ages, living bountifully

All this while I studied in Māngere.

Mana whenua graced these lands with plentiful, telling of the story of Hape and his sacred sites.

Long before the 1893 confiscation of lands Act to later resell to the new settlers. The stories of Te Pane o Mataoho and Ihumātao with surrounding mountains that were then quarried in the 1960s making way for the new airport and roads and mana whenua could travel to Puketutu Island no more  
I learned this whilst I taught in Māngere.

We honour you as mana whenua, a proud people who hold mana and have a rich heritage

Who now act against further travesties of land with encroaching developers, a new confiscation

Threatening the sacred stories, sacred sites, the very legacy of future generations

to make way for new housing developments

then mana whenua will see no more

All this while I lived in Māngere.

## RESPONSE

For the Word in scripture,

for the Word among us,

for the Word within us,

***we give thanks.***

## HYMN

### AA 36 'Every day I will offer you'

Words: © Shirley Murray Tune: © Colin Gibson LYNNEFRITH

1. Every day I will offer you,  
loving God, my heart and mind,  
every way I discover you  
in the work your hand has signed;  
help me see I'm your image, and  
you have dreamed what I might be -  
every day in your Spirit,  
I'll find the love and energy!

2. Every day I will look to Christ,  
and give thanks for wine and bread  
through the pain and the emptiness  
where your world cries to be fed;  
help me see I can work for change  
and wherever I might be  
every day in your Spirit  
I'll find the love and energy!
3. Every day I will take your word,  
answer your compassion's claim,  
celebrate every sign of hope,  
every deed done in your name;  
help me see you are always there,  
and your light can shine through me,  
every day in your Spirit,  
I'll find the love and energy!

## REFLECTION

***“When the universe tells you its time to take a break”***

**Rev. Dr Fei Taule’ale’ausumai**

**REFLECTIVE MUSIC** Tchaikovsky String Quartet 1 D, op 11 II Andante cantabile  
**Borodin Quartet**

## HYMN

**WOV183 ‘Lord of the Dance’**

Words: © Sydney Carter

Tune: adapted from an American Shaker tune “Simple Gifts”

1. I danced in the morning when the world was young,  
and I danced in the moon and the stars and the sun;  
and I came down from heaven and I danced on the earth,  
at Bethlehem I had my birth:  
*Dance then, wherever you may be  
I am the Lord of the dance, said he;  
and I’ll lead you all, wherever you may be  
and I’ll lead you all in the dance, said he.*

2. I danced for the scribes and the Pharisees;  
but they would not dance, and they wouldn't follow me.  
and I danced for the fishermen for James and John.  
they came with me so the dance went on.

*Dance then, wherever...*

3. I danced on the Sabbath and I cured the lame;  
the holy people said it was a shame  
They whipped, and they stripped and they hung me high;  
and they left me there on the cross to die.

*Dance then, wherever...*

4. I danced on a Friday when the world turned black;  
it's hard to dance with the devil on your back  
They buried my body, they thought I was gone;  
but I am the dance, and the dance goes on.

*Dance then, wherever...*

5. They cut me down and I leapt up high;  
I am the life that'll never, never die;  
I'll live in you if you'll live in me;  
I am the Lord of the dance, said he.

*Dance then, wherever...*

## OFFERTORY MUSIC

**"St. Patrick" by C.V. Stanford (1852 – 1924)**

## OFFERING HYMN

**AA 62 'Here we bring, small or great'**

Words: © Shirley Murray Tune: © Colin Gibson ASHLEY

1. Here we bring, small or great,  
gifts to offer on this plate,  
what we've earned, what we own,  
tithe or token, bread or stone.

***Jesus said have a care your heart will always be  
where your riches are, where your riches are.***



## OFFERING PRAYER

*Compassionate God,  
who calls all people to be one family,  
teach us to share your gifts with each other, strengthen us to make peace by  
working together, and challenge us with a vision  
of the feast where all are welcome. 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. 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.** Thank you.

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

**Anna Smith**

## CIRCLE OF PRAYER

We think today of the people of Jamaica and the Cayman Islands and the United Church in Jamaica and the Cayman Islands. We hold all refugees in our hearts and pray in particular for those who are still detained in Australia. We give thanks that we in New Zealand have at last secured the chance to welcome 450 of this group over the next 3 years. We pray that more will have the opportunity to be resettled in the near future. In New Zealand, we remember those in Parliament, and today we name Mariameno Kapa-Kingi (Te Tai Tokerau) and Takutai Tarsh Kemp (Tāmaki Makaurau) Here in the Central Presbytery we pray for the leaders and people of the Wellington - St John's in the City Presbyterian Church.

## PRAYER FOR ST ANDREW'S

## HYMN

### **AA 156 'Where the road runs out'**

Words & Music © 1992 Colin Gibson Tune: COLUMBUS

1. Where the road runs out and the signposts end,  
where we come to the edge of today,  
be the God of Abraham for us;  
send us out upon our way.

***Refrain:***

*Lord, you were our beginning,  
the faith that gave us birth.  
We look to you, our ending,  
our hope for heaven and earth.*

2. When the coast is left and we journey on  
to the rim of the sky and the sea,  
be the sailor's friend, be the dolphin Christ;  
lead us on to eternity.

***Refrain.....***

3. When the clouds are low and the wind is strong,  
when tomorrow's storm draws near,  
be the spirit bird hov'ring overhead  
who will take away our fear.

***Refrain.....***

**SENDING OUT**

Insiders and outsiders, we are all human beings  
worthy of being treated with compassion and the according of dignity;  
***We go into our world with the aim of treating all with love and respect, of  
including all as friend, not foe. Amen.***

**SUNG AMEN**

**POSTLUDE      Boléro de Concert (Op. 166) by A. Lefébure-Wély (1817 – 1869)**

**THANK YOU**

**Peter Franklin**  
our musician today

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## **ST ANDREW'S ON THE TERRACE WELCOMES ALL VISITORS**

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.

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## **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

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## ***ST ANDREW'S COMMUNITY NOTICES***

### **UPCOMING LUNCHTIME CONCERTS**



*Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> July 12:15pm – 1:00pm*  
NZSM Wind/Brass Solo Recital



*Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> July 12:15pm – 1:00pm*  
Dulcis Tibia Recorder Quartet



*Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> August 12:15pm – 1:00pm*  
Jessie Ling, Chinese Guzheng (zither) and Pei-Ying Pan, piano

## LIBRARY

Two new donated books for the library which will be available this week.

1. **Slipping the moorings - by Richard Randerson** - "Richard Randerson's life and ministry have spanned a period of profound change in New Zealand and the wider world. He has been in the thick of many of the defining battles through the decades of turbulent change. This book is a font of wisdom and practical advice for those seeking God's help today on Society's even greater challenges."
2. **Jack in the Pulpit an Autobiography - by Jack Sommerville**. "He has had a distinguished career as a minister of the Presbyterian Church and in political and university affairs. He was the Minister at St Andrews for 16 politically and socially eventful years." Thankyou to the donors. Mike Wespel-Rose

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

Please save the bread bag and the clip (plastic only) 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.

## WIDER CHURCH AND COMMUNITY NOTICES

### NO FAITH IN FOSSIL FUELS



A bit of rain didn't deter the St Andrew's team from making a stand for urgent climate action at Parliament on Tuesday. Along with regular members of the Fridays for Future group and the Centre for Religious Diversity, we protested against the Government overturning measures to protect

the environment. Under the banner, No Faith in Fossil Fuels, we take part in the protest every Tuesday. It runs from 12.30pm - 1.30pm on the lawn in front of Parliament as part of the international Fridays For Future movement. Contact me if you would like any more details: [annamsmith6012@gmail.com](mailto:annamsmith6012@gmail.com). - Anna Smith

## **WELLINGTON YOUTH ORCHESTRA – UPCOMING CONCERT 30<sup>th</sup> JULY 6PM**

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

Entry by koha. St Andrews on The Terrace.

## **JANE KELLER' UPCOMING SOLO SHOW - 27 JULY - 17 AUGUST**

*'LEAVE 'EM LAUGHING'*

36 years ago Jane Keller followed her heart and emigrated to New Zealand bringing her fabulous talents to our shores. Comedy ensued. Over the years Jane's five sold out solo shows dealing with such diverse topics as love, loss, motherhood, auditions, ageing, weight, nudity, divorce, middle age revenge porn, boomers, and in 2021 an intimate history of the Gershwins – delighted audiences nationwide. Join Jane and pianist Michael Nicholas Williams for the best of Jane's 25+ years of collaboration in this marvellous musical memoir. Guaranteed to make your heart sing and leave you laughing for Jane's final show. Circa Theatre, \$25 – \$38

## **UPCOMING CONCERT – HENRY WONG DOE (SOLO PIANO)**

After 15 years making a name for himself abroad, Concert Pianist Henry Wong Doe undertakes a rare return to his homeland. A winner of two international piano competition prizes (Arthur Rubinstein and Sydney) he has also performed at Carnegie Hall and St Martin-in-the-fields, as well as played many concertos. 21<sup>st</sup> July, 3pm. St Andrews on The Terrace.

## CHRISTIAN WORLD SERVICE GAZA PALESTINE EMERGENCY APPEAL



Christian World Service has launched an **emergency appeal** to assist people who have been affected by the current conflict in the Middle East, particularly Gaza. Nearly 85% of the population – 1.9 million people have been displaced in Gaza. They are in

urgent need of food, water, shelter and safety. “The people of Gaza are living in harrowing conditions with limited resources, and we cannot stand idly by while they suffer... Our collective efforts can make a significant difference in the lives of those trapped in this nightmarish situation,” DSPR. **Donations can be made through CWS:**

## RELIEFAID APPEAL FOR GAZA



ReliefAid is on the ground delivering emergency aid to families. The situation in Gaza is catastrophic, the death toll rises daily, and families have nowhere to flee. Compounding the distress, Gaza’s closed borders have made humanitarian access all but impossible, leaving families lost, abandoned and without the basics needed to survive. Despite these monumental challenges, ReliefAid is NOW delivering

aid in Gaza. As we have done in other conflicts, ReliefAid is bringing help where it is needed most. Leveraging our established networks on the ground, we have deployed a team within Gaza to deliver life-saving aid directly to families.

Donations can be made here: <http://www.reliefaid.org.nz/gaza-appeal/> Together we will make a difference. Thank you. Mike Seawright, Founder and Chief Executive.



### ***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	Sue Hirst
Laptop	Sue Hirst
Offering	Jenn and Barrie Keenan (CG)
Coffee/tea	Marilyn Wallace, David Douglas and Michael Parker
Family Time	Frank Cook
Readings	Tony Kirby
Prayers of the people	Anna Smith
Rainbow Room	In Recess
Library	TBC
Musician	Peter Franklin
Service Leader	Rev Dr Fei Taule'ale'ausumai

#### **On duty July 28<sup>th</sup>**

Welcoming	Pat Booth and Margaret Harper
Sound	Simon Miller
Laptop	Sandra Kirby
Offering	Mike Wespel-Rose and Tony Pears
Coffee/tea	Jim and Maxine Cunningham, Vivienne Mountier
Family Time	Cam Smart
Readings	Tony Kirby (CG)
Prayers of the People	David Douglas
Rainbow Room	In Recess

Library	Mike Wespel-Rose
Musician	Bruce Cash
Service Leader	Rev Dr Fei Taule'ale'ausumai
<b>This Week and Coming Events at St Andrew's</b>	
<b>Sunday 21st July 10am:</b> Sunday gathering led by Rev Dr Fei Taule'ale'ausumai followed by Congregation Conversation and Younger members' (Y) group meets after morning tea/brunch. <b>Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> July: 10:30am</b> - Cuppa and a Chat in the Centre <b>12:15pm</b> – NZSM Wind/Brass Solo Recital <b>Sunday 28th July 10am:</b> Sunday gathering led by Rev Dr Fei Taule'ale'ausumai followed by Social Justice Education Group.	
<b>STANDARD MONTHLY SUNDAY CYCLE OF ACTIVITIES AFTER SERVICE</b>	
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 and Younger members' (Y) group meets after morning tea/brunch
4th Sunday	Social Justice Education Group
5th Sunday	Exploring Progressive Faith

## 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

<b>Minister</b>	Rev Dr Fei Taule'ale'ausumai
<b>Parish Council Convenor</b>	Sue Hirst
<b>Treasurer</b>	Paul Barber
<b>Facilities Management Group</b>	Sandra Kirby
<b>Pastoral Care Team</b>	Pat Booth, Brian Burrell, Maxine Cunningham, Katrina Harper
<b>Theologian in Residence</b>	Lloyd Geering
<b>Presbytery Representative</b>	David Douglas
<b>Church Music Coordinator</b>	Vacant
<b>Eco Church Coordinator</b>	Sonia Groes-Petrie
<b>Faith in Action Coordinator</b>	Paul Barber
<b>Rainbow Room Coordinator</b>	Vacant
<b>Roster Coordinator</b>	Pam Fuller
<b>Concert Coordinator</b>	Kristina Zuelicke
<b>Centre Manager</b>	Adelina Reis
<b>Office Administrator</b>	Jemma Ballantyne



<b>Centre Assistant</b>	Germaine Ambray
<b>Facilities Assistant(s)</b>	Regan Maconaghie, Oscar Ruegg, Mattias Barber, Liam Oakley, Fynn Neeley-Grant

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