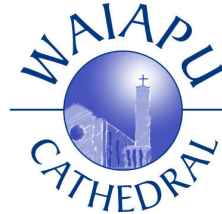


DIARY DATES - MARCH 2010

- ✚ **Tuesday 23 March**
10.30 am - Eucharist in Baptistry
- ✚ **Wednesday 24 March**
6.00 pm - Thanksgiving service & farewell for Rev'ds Erice Fairbrother and Jack Papuni
- ✚ **Thursday 25 March**
12.15 pm - *Serenity in the City* mid-day prayer in the Maori Chapel
- ✚ **Thursday 25 March**
12.30-3.30 pm - Cathedral Chapter
- ✚ **Thursday 25 March**
4.30 pm - Cathedral Choristers
7.30 pm - Cathedral Choir practice
- ✚ **Thursday 25 March**
5.30 pm - Evensong with the Cathedral Choristers
- ✚ **Saturday 27 & Sunday 28 March**
OrganXtravaganza! Festival weekend - workshops Saturday; public concert at 3pm Sunday
- ✚ **Sunday 28 March - Palm Sunday**
9.30 am - gather at the Sound-shell on Marine Parade to process with donkey and palms to the Cathedral
- ✚ **Mon 29 / Tues 30 / Wed 31 March**
7.00 am - Holy Week Eucharist

- ✚ **Thursday 1 April - Maundy Thurs.**
11.00 am - Clergy Renewal of Ordination Vows and Blessing of Oils service with Bishop David Rice;
7.00 pm - Maundy Thursday Eucharist, followed by *Garden of Gethsemane* prayer vigil until mid-night; resumes at 6.00 am Good Friday


 Napier Civic Choir
 presents
**CHORAL MASTERPIECES
 FOR CHOIR AND ORGAN**
 with works by
 Liszt, Bruckner and Kodaly.
 Organist: Douglas Mews
 Conductor: Vincent James
 At the Cathedral
THIS AFTERNOON
Sunday 21 March 2010, 2.30 pm
 Adults \$25.00, Students \$15.00
 Tickets from NCC members, Beattie & Forbes Booksellers, or at the door.



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life, and hope*

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

21 March 2010 - Lent 5

8.00 am Eucharist 10.00 am Choral Eucharist
 Presider & Preacher: Rev'd Margaret Thompson

Ormond Chapel, Napier Terrace:

4.00 pm Ormond @ Four Rev'd Dorothy Brooker

Please ensure ALL cell-phones are switched OFF when in the Cathedral to avoid interference with the sound-system!



The **CATHEDRAL KIDS** programme is offered during the 10.00 am service on Sundays during the school term. It is for children up to twelve years of age. The children move to their area after to opening section of the service and return for communion. Visitors are welcome.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Cathedral 8.00 am - Eucharistic Liturgy "People of God" commencing on page 456 of A New Zealand Prayer Book.

READINGS:

**Isaiah 43: 16-21
 Psalm 126
 Philippians 3: 4b-14
 John 12: 1-8**

COLLECT:

We pray together:
**Jesus, receive our love and worship.
 Show us how to give you what we have,
 for nothing is too big or small for us to offer,
 or for you to use.
 Amen**

PRAYER CYCLES

Anglican Communion

✚ We pray for the Anglican Liturgical Consultation, its participants and secretary, as they resource, promote and strengthen the worshipping life of the Anglican Communion

Anglican Board of Missions

✚ The Anglican Church in Papua New Guinea; the Rt Rev'd Allan Migi
 ✚ The ministry of the Diocesan Bishops in the Anglican Church in Papua New Guinea

Diocese, Parish and Community

✚ Bishop David Rice, Bishop of Waiapu
 ✚ East Coast Parish; Rev'd Stephen Donald
 ✚ Hastings Parish of St Matthew's; Rev'd Graeme Pilgrim
 ✚ Te Hui Amorangi ki te Waipouname; Bishop John Gray
 ✚ Cathedral Pastoral Companions and visitors
 ✚ St Patrick's Catholic Church; Fr Paul and parishioners

NEXT SUNDAY - 28 March 2010

Lent 6 - Palm Sunday

**Readings: Isaiah 50: 4-9a
 Psalm 31: 9-16
 Philippians 2: 5-11
 Luke 19: 28-40**

Cathedral:
 8.00 am Eucharist
 9.30 am Gather at Sound-shell for Palm Sunday procession to Cathedral
 10.00 am Choral Eucharist
Ormond Chapel, Napier Terrace:
 11.00 am *Holy Communion*

CLERGY

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Director of Music: Gary Bowler 835 8523
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A very warm WELCOME to all who are worshipping with us today - especially if you are visiting Napier or at the Cathedral for the first time. You are welcome to stay for morning tea after the 10am service, we'd love to chat!

At **2.30 pm** this afternoon, the Napier Civic Choir present a concert in the Cathedral - "**Choral Masterpieces for Choir and Organ**"

At **4.00 pm** this afternoon at Ormond Chapel - Ormond@Four family worship

And at **7.00 pm**, the Catechumenate Group meet in the Parish lounge with Bishop David.

Dean Helen is in Wellington this weekend enjoying some family time and attending the Wellington Arts Festival; and **Gary Bowler** is in Auckland for the celebrations of the completion of the Auckland Town Hall organ (a \$3.5 million job - which makes our plans for the Cathedral organ re-build seem small ... and achievable!)

Marie, Shelley and Rachel, wish to thank the many parishioners who sent messages of condolence on the recent sad loss of Noel Knight. Your prayers, messages, baking, love and support are very much appreciated.

E100 - A challenge coming your way soon - read 100 Bible passages in 20 weeks; are you up to the challenge? Watch this space!

Lenten Holy Communion service
7.00 am, Wednesday 24th March
in the Maori Chapel

And we conclude the ecumenical series of Lenten services on the theme **Lent through the Arts** next **Wednesday 24th March** at **7.00 pm** at Trinity Methodist Church, Clive Square, Napier

Sunday 28 March: Palm Sunday

The service begins at the Sound Shell, on Marine Parade, at 9.30am, with a donkey procession to the Cathedral, then the "clipping of the church" and the reading of the Passion. Bring friends and family for a colourful and moving service.



Volunteers needed for making **Palm Crosses** ready for next Sunday - a working bee will be held in the Parish lounge next **Friday 26 March, 1.30 pm.**

Donations of flax appreciated and may be left at the "Flower" room, south ambulatory on Friday morning. Thanks.

Please sign up today for readers and greeters for **Palm Sunday** and **Holy Week**, and for the **Prayer Vigil Maundy Thursday** evening.

Flowers and greenery for the **Garden of Gethsemane**

can be left at the Cathedral on Thursday 1 April.

Easter flowers can be left Good Friday or early Saturday morning.



Congratulations to the Cathedral "**Top Parish**" team - Hine, Caitlin, Briana, Esme, David, and Seb - who got Third Prize in the 'March-Past' section of events! It was a great weekend with lots of fun activities. 240 participants and 32 teams from Tolaga Bay to Weber plus a team of young Tongans from Auckland. Thanks to the parents (Jeanne, and Nicola) for their support providing transport and supervision. A great time was had by all!

Dean Helen completed her Doctor of Ministry this week with the oral defence of her thesis and she will be graduating in May. Congratulations!

Vestry met last Wednesday night and had a celebratory glass of champagne with Dean Helen for completing her Doctor of Ministry. And ...

- ♦ were pleased to see the giving is continuing as budgeted and we will finish the year in the black (just).
- ♦ discussed the spiritual formation programmes we offer and made plans to complete the prayer room, now we have the container for storage
- ♦ had a report from Rev Richard Spence on his work, in particular with the Mission to Seafarers

Organxtravaganza

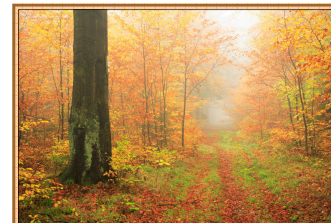
We need guides and hosts for the weekend of **27-28 March**. Please let Alison Thomson know if you can be a guide. There will be an added duty of serving cold drinks to the students who come to play the organ and we would like to serve biscuits in the shape of musical instruments or notes.

♪ Volunteers let Dean Helen know and drop off biscuits on Friday 26th.

See the green brochure for more details of the weekend.

OLD BUTTONS

Gemma and Matthew Eagles would like to thank all the parishioners from the Cathedral, who so kindly donated so many buttons to go to Moriah School in Wellington. We reached an amazing total of 11,115 buttons! Thank you so very much.



Parish Visit to Holt Forest Sunday 18 April

Choral Eucharist at the Cathedral 10am-10.45am on the theme of God's creation; 11am departure for Holt Forest (hopefully in autumn splendour!); 12noon, finish our worship: prayers, singing and discussion of the reading of the day (John 21: 1-19 - Jesus and the disciples picnicking by the lake).

Picnic lunch: bring food to share.

Please sign up and indicate whether you would go by bus or prefer to drive, and whether you can help with bus costs for our friends from Vanuatu (\$17 each). We need to confirm numbers by Wednesday 7 April.

Microphones: Another group had a useful training session on the new microphones last week. We will be organizing a final session for those who still haven't attended (we know who you are..) after Easter.

The Op Shop has done very well over the last couple of months. If you are tidying away your Art Deco gear, drop it into the Op Shop for selling at Deco Decanted or next year.

And plastic supermarket bags are always needed, too! Thanks.

An urgent "SOS" message from the **Napier Community Foodbank** ... their supplies are low and need extra help. Please see message on notice-board.