



*A place of
resurrection,
life, and hope*

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

26 August 2012 - Ordinary Sunday 21

8.00 am	Eucharist	Dean Helen Jacobi
10.00 am	Parish Eucharist	Dean Helen Jacobi
5.00 pm	Choral Evensong	Rev'd Graeme Pilgrim

Ormond Chapel, Napier Terrace:

11.00 am Holy Communion Rev'd Jon Williams

*Please ensure all cellphones are switched **OFF** when in the Cathedral;
if necessary, adjust hearing aids to the "Loop" system.*



The **CATHEDRAL KIDS** programme is normally offered at the Cathedral during the 10.00 am service on Sundays of the school term. The children and leaders share in the Parish Eucharist service today.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Cathedral 8.00am

Eucharistic Liturgy "*Thanksgiving of the People of God*" commencing on page **404** of *A New Zealand Prayer Book*.

READINGS:

Joshua 24: 1-2a, 14-18

Psalms 34: 15-22

Ephesians 6: 10-20

John 6: 56-69

COLLECT:

We pray together:

**God of Israel old and new,
write in our hearts
the lessons of your law;
prepare our minds
to receive the gospel
made visible in your Son,
Jesus Christ.
Amen.**

PRAYER CYCLES

Anglican Communion

✠ We pray for the Church of South America; the Most Rev'd Hector Zavalá Muñoz, Presiding Bishop of the Southern Cone & Bishop of Chile

Anglican Board of Missions

✠ We pray for the staff and patients at Harpur Memorial Hospital, Egypt; St Luke's Hospital, Nablus; the Penman Clinic, Zababdeh; Ahli Arab Hospital, Gaza Strip

Diocese, Parish and Community

✠ The Rt Rev'd David Rice, Bishop of Waiapu; Dean Helen Jacobi
✠ Vanuatu - Melanesian Brotherhood
✠ Diocesan Association of Anglican Women; President: Chris Parkes; Chaplain: Rev'd Marie Gilpin
✠ Waiapu Standing Committee; and Waiapu Board of Diocesan Trustees
✠ Youth co-ordinators, Jocelyn Czerwonka (Diocesan); Sandi Hall (HB)
✠ Agricultural & horticultural workers

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.

Today, at the 10am service, we are continuing to experiment with a new way of coming up for communion.

Being aware of those who have difficulty using the stairs to come up for communion, and being aware that most weeks we serve some people separately in the congregation, and wanting to have a sense of all gathering together, we would like to trial a new way.

We will gather along the bottom of the chancel steps - come up the centre aisle and fill in from the far side - by the eagle lectern on the right and the pulpit on the left. Standing is recommended but if you wish to kneel on the bottom step you may. Communion will be served starting at the lectern/ pulpit and moving to the middle. Please leave via the side aisles.

This is very much an experiment which we will try for 8 weeks and then we will seek feedback on whether we feel this is a good idea. Please reserve your judgement for at least a couple of weeks as it will feel awkward to begin with. But be assured we will listen to the feedback as this may or may not work well.

Please be sure to stand close to the curve of the steps.

**Choral Evensong tonight,
5.00 pm
to celebrate
the 350th anniversary of the BCP,
and
the Rev'd Dr Jenny Dawson's
graduation with a
Doctor of Ministry Studies
(Melbourne College of Divinity)**

ROSTERS for the next three months (September/October/November) have been emailed; printed copies are available from the Office upon request.

People News ... Congratulations to Joan Rogers, turning 90 on Monday!

We remember those who are unwell, receiving treatment in hospital or at home, or awaiting surgery - we pray for **Fiona, Joy, Judy, Diane, Dorothy, Eileen, Isobel, Millie** (and the Ronberg family), and **Carrie** (Taranaki Dean Jamie Allen's daughter).

OP SHOP

This week we farewell **Diane Holmes** from the role of Op Shop Manager. Diane is retiring after 5 years in the role. Anyone connected with the Op Shop is invited to her farewell afternoon tea this **Friday 31 August at 2.30pm** in the Parish Lounge.

A new manager has been appointed and will be announced next week.

The Op Shop performs an important role for us in recycling and reusing goods, providing low cost options for many, and raising essential funds for our Cathedral mission. It is up to us to market and support it.

Thank you Diane and your team of volunteers for all the hard work!

Bishop John Bluck's new book charting the 200-year Anglican bi-cultural journey in New Zealand has been launched.

"Wai Karekare - Trouble Waters" was briefly aired in Fiji at the General Synod, but has now been sent out into the world with due ceremony at this month's meeting of Te Kotahitanga.

The 80-page book is in easy-to-read short sections held together by the central image of a braided river linking milestone stories and photographs of Maori and Pakeha. Bishop Bluck describes the history of that bicultural relationship in a succinct phrase: "mostly separate, sometimes together, rarely easily, often in collision."

The book was commissioned by the General Synod Standing Committee as a resource to help mark the church's bicentenary in 2014. **Available here soon!**

GUEST PREACHERS:

Sunday 2 September, 10.00 am:

Rev'd Dr Helen-Ann Hartley, Dean of St John's Theological College, Auckland. Dr Hartley emigrated to NZ in January and is a wonderful theologian.

Sunday 4 November, 10.00 am:

The Right Rev'd Mwita Akiri - Bishop Mwita Akiri is the founding Bishop of the Anglican Diocese of Tarime, Tanzania. He holds a PhD in African Mission Studies from the University of Edinburgh, United Kingdom. He was the General Secretary of the Anglican Church of Tanzania for almost 10 years until June 2010. During this time he worked tirelessly to oversee the planning and the establishment of an Anglican university - St John's University of Tanzania. He is a Research Professor of African Church History and Missiology at Wycliffe College, University of Toronto, Canada since 2007. He is also a member of the Anglican Consultative Council (ACC) of the Anglican Communion and serves on the Advisory Council of the worldwide Anglican Health Network.

Bishop Mwita will be in NZ attending the ACC15 meeting in Auckland from 27th October - 7th November (see latest Taonga magazine for more details including the invitation to attend the opening worship with the Archbishop of Canterbury).

ORGAN UPDATE

The next fund-raising event is a

**Musical Instrument Fair,
22-23 September, in the Clive Hall.**

The Committee are collecting instruments for sale now. Donate your instrument or we can sell on your behalf for a commission. Phone June Clifford 835 9522.

ORGAN REBUILD PROGRESS

A team of four workers from the South Island Organ Company have spent the past week on site at the Cathedral, working on existing parts of the organ, and will continue that work next week!

News from the Deans' Conference:

- ⊕ Auckland are beginning a \$12m capital campaign; \$4m of which is for the rebuild and upgrade of their organ!
- ⊕ Hamilton are awaiting a new Dean from England at the end of September.
- ⊕ Wellington are farewelling Frank Nelson in September who is to be Dean of Adelaide.
- ⊕ The conference next year will be in Fiji (which is what we said for the last 2 years but it really will happen this time...!)
- ⊕ We attended the inaugural Sir Paul Reeves Memorial Lecture, given by Dame Anne Salmond, along with 800 others in Auckland Cathedral.
- ⊕ We met with Mayor Len Brown and heard of his commitment to work with the churches and his belief in the value churches give to the community.
- ⊕ We had stimulating Bible Study with Dr Helen Ann Hartley
- ⊕ And lots of catch up and social time too.

STUDY GROUP

A 'winter' study series is taking a break; resuming next **Sunday 2nd September, 4.30 - 6.00 pm** in the upstairs Choir room; then continuing for the final sessions on Sundays 9th, 16th & 23rd September.

Based on the "**God's Never-Ending Story**" series of studies, this is part 5 in the series - "**The Story includes Us!**" - some history of the church in Aotearoa NZ. As it is a 'stand-alone' study, there is no requirement to have attended any of the earlier studies, just come along to one or two, or all the remaining sessions in this series.

Study books are \$15 each and can be purchased from the Parish Office.

Enquiries to Murray Mills (who will lead/facilitate the study), phone 835-0884

DIARY DATES - AUGUST / SEPTEMBER 2012

- ✝ **Tuesday 28 August**
10.30 am - Eucharist in Prayer Room
- 📖 **Tuesday 28 August**
5.15 pm - Communications group meet
- 🎵 **Thursday 23 August**
4.30 pm - Chorister practice
7.30 pm - Choir practice
- 🌸 **Friday 31 August**
2.30 pm - Farewell for Diane Holmes
retiring from role as Op Shop Manager
- 🕊 **Sunday 2 September**
3.00 pm - EJP network meet in lounge
- 📖 **Sunday 2 September**
4.30 pm - Study group in lounge
- △ **Wednesday 5 September**
10.00 am - Community Investigation
workshop with Gray Ruffell
- 🕊 **Wednesday 5 September**
2.00 pm - AAW Afternoon Fellowship
- ✝ **Thursday 6 September**
12.30 pm - Te Hakari Tapu
- 🌸 **Friday 7 September**
9.00 am - Pastoral Companions meet
- 🎵 **Friday 7 - Sunday 9 September**
Cathedral Choirs Festival in Wellington

- 🕊 **Monday 10 September**
7.30 pm - AAW Evening Fellowship
- ☀ **Saturday 15 & Sunday 16 September**
Waiapu Diocesan Synod in Dannevirke
- ✝ **Thursday 20 September**
5.30 pm - Evensong with Choristers
- 🎁 **Friday 21 September**
5.30 pm - Friday Family Fun Night at
Asher Hall, Tennyson Street
- 🏠 **Saturday 22 & Sunday 23 September**
Musical Instrument Fair at Clive Hall
- 🏠 **Wednesday 26 September**
9.00 am - National Earthquake drill

The Cathedral Pipe Organ is in Timaru at the South Island Organ Company for its planned rebuild, and will be away for most of 2012. The organ you hear today is an electronic Rodgers 805B PDI Organ. The speakers are in the organ chamber where the pipes once were. To find out more about our organ project, and how to support the rebuild, please pick up a brochure from the back of the Cathedral. And follow progress of the rebuild on the SIOC's Facebook page!

NEXT SUNDAY - 2 September 2012
Ordinary Sunday 22

Readings: Deuteronomy 4: 1-2, 6-9
Psalm 15
James 1: 17-27
Mark 7: 1-8, 14-15, 21-23

Cathedral:

8.00 am Eucharist (*in the Maori Chapel*)
10.00 am Choral Eucharist with the
Cathedral Choir; and Cathedral Kids

Ormond Chapel, Napier Terrace:

No service

CLERGY

Dean: Helen Jacobi 835 7862
Assisting Clergy: Jon Williams 835 1566
Dorothy Brooker 843 6779
Graeme Pilgrim 835 6777

OFFICE:

Monday-Friday 9.30 am - 3.30 pm 835-8824
Priest-Administrator: Margaret Thompson

LAY ASSISTANTS

Pastoral Asst: Elisabeth Paterson 835 4609
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STAFF

Director of Music: Gary Bowler 835 8523
Verger: Malcolm Smith
Monday 8.30 am - 12.30 pm
Tuesday-Friday 12.30 pm - 4.30 pm

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