

A message from Dean Ian Render

The Covid-19 Crisis response

Anglican Churches in New Zealand are closed for public worship until further notice. However, we still want to be God's church, serving and caring for others, and receiving that care if we need it.

We will be in touch with our parishioners with information and opportunities for pastoral networking.

Archbishop Philip has asked us all to light a candle at 7.00pm on Sunday evenings to pray for the world, the church and the community and all those affected by this outbreak.

If you would like some resources for prayer and spiritual sustenance visit some of the following links:

Streaming worship links:

<https://liturgy.co.nz/streaming-services-online-spiritual-resources-in-coronavirus-times>

Church news updates:

<https://www.anglicantaonga.org.nz/>

There is a vast array of material related to the Sunday lectionary readings, including prayer, study, preaching here:

<http://www.textweek.com/yeara/yeara.htm>

Our own NZ prayerbook is online and offers a variety of services for daily use:

<http://anglicanprayerbook.nz/029.html>

For extensive and relevant prayer and worship resources, our sister church, the Church of England offers this page:

<https://www.churchofengland.org/more/media-centre/coronavirus-covid-19-liturgy-and-prayer-resources>

Grace and peace to you all at this time of uncertainty.