

**WEEKLY NEWSLETTER****24 June 2018 - St John the Baptist**

8.00 am	Eucharist ( <i>Resurrection Chapel</i> )	Dean Ian Render
10.00 am	Choral Eucharist	Dean Ian Render
1.00 pm	Eucharist / Te Hakari Tapu baptisms & confirmations - Te Pihopatanga o te Tairawhiti	Archbishop Don Tamihere

**Omond Chapel, Napier Terrace:**

4.00 pm	Sung Evensong (BCP)	Rev'd Graeme Pilgrim
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*Please ensure all cellphones are switched **OFF** when in the Cathedral;  
and, if necessary, adjust hearing aids to the "Loop" system.*

**PRAYER CYCLES - We pray for ...****Anglican Communion**

- ✝ The Anglican Church of Nigeria; the Most Rev'd Nicholas Okoh, the Metropolitan & Primate of all Nigeria & Bishop of Abuja

**Anglican Board of Missions**

- ✝ Our partners in Australia: the Anglican Overseas Aid & the Australian Anglican Board of Missions; Most Rev'd Dr Philip Freier, Primate

**Diocese, Parish and Community**

- ✝ Waiapu Bishop Andrew Hedge and family
- ✝ Waiapu Dean, the Very Rev'd Ian Render
- ✝ Waiapu Regional Deans (Rev'ds David van Oeveren, Adrienne Bruce and Stephen Donald);
- ✝ Waiapu Ministry Educator, Rev'd Deborah Broome
- ✝ Diocesan Theologian Rev'd Dr Howard Pilgrim
- ✝ Archbishops Philip Richardson, Don Tamihere, and Winston Halapua; General Synod Office, Rev'd Michael Hughes, General Secretary
- ✝ Community Chaplains - Rev'ds Marie Gilpin & Stephen Donald (Seafarers Chaplains); Rev'ds Wendy Showan, Tim Barker & Heather Flavell (Police Chaplains); Rev'ds David van Oeveren, John Hebenton & Jenny Chalmers (St John Ambulance Chaplains)
- ✝ Te Aute & Hukarere Colleges - Chaplains, staff, students & families

**Low-Gluten wafers** (below 20ppm) are now available - please advise the Presider, or one of the Welcoming team, if this is your dietary requirement.

**NOTE:** Bell Tower and entrance are earthquake prone as assessed under the Building Act 2004 - **use at your own risk!**

## TODAY ...

- **A very warm Welcome** to all who are worshipping with us ... especially if you are visiting Napier or at the Cathedral for the first time ... you are invited to join us for morning tea (or coffee!) served at the back of the Cathedral following the 10am service.
- During the winter months, the **8.00am** Eucharist will be held in the **Resurrection Chapel** (*south-west corner of the Cathedral, adjacent to the stairs to the Gallery*)
- Today the **Rev'd Erice Fairbrother** is preaching & presiding at St Peter's, Riverslea; the **Rev'd Dorothy Brooker** has been leading a retreat this weekend.
- At **1.00 pm** this afternoon **Archbishop Don Tamihere** presides at Te Pihopatanga o te Tairawhiti Eucharist service, with students from Te Aute & Hukarere Colleges for baptisms and confirmations.
- At **4.00 pm** this afternoon, the **Rev'd Graeme Pilgrim** leads a traditional Sung Evensong service at Ormond Chapel, Napier Terrace.

### Mid-Winter Lunch at the Napier RSA

The **Napier Inner-City Churches** annual combined lunch will next **Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> July, 12.30pm** - bookings to Marie, ph 844-3578. This lunch follows the 'pulpit-swap' during the morning services at each of the NICC - Dean Ian will preach at Trinity Methodist.

## Stewardship

Our 'Stewardship' month commenced two week's ago with the launch of our 2018 Stewardship information booklet - copies are still available today if you have not already collected one or received it in the mail.

Last week we introduced "**Offering cards**" - these are particularly for parishioners who make their donations by automatic payment or via internet banking - please take a card from the small basket on the back table to place in the bag when offerings are collected during the service.

This week we'll explore the option of making a donation using our mobile **Eft-pos** machine!

'Commitment' Sunday is the **8<sup>th</sup> July** when we invite parishioners to return the Stewardship Commitment form from the booklet - or drop it into the Parish Office before the 31<sup>st</sup> July. Thank you.

## Hawke's Bay Regional Conference

**Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> June, 10.00am to 3.00pm**  
**at St Matthew's Church Hall & Guild Room, 200 King Street South, Hastings.**

*All clergy, Synod reps and Regional reps should have received their 'summons to attend' from the Diocesan Office by now; all parishioners are welcome to attend.*

One of the tasks of the Regional Conference is "to select from nominations received from Parishes up to three clerical and three lay names to be forwarded for consideration by the Board of Nomination for election to Standing Committee prior to Synod". (Canon 2.3.1(d) of Regions)

*A reminder that all Motions must be first passed by a Regional Conference before proceeding to Synod in September.*

## TODAY'S ORDER OF SERVICE - 10.00 AM

This morning's service follows the Eucharistic Liturgy 'Thanksgiving and Praise' commencing on **page 476** in the red **New Zealand Anglican Prayer Book**; the tunes for most hymns may be found in **Common Praise**, the blue hymn book in the pews; the congregation remain seated while the choir sing an Introit from the back of the Cathedral, then stand to sing the Processional Hymn.

**Presider:** The Very Rev'd Ian Render, Dean of Waipau

**Assisting Priest:** Rev'd Margaret Thompson

**Liturgist:** Christine Kerr

**Director of Music:** Anthony Tattersall

**Choral Setting:** Darke in F

**Introit:** *O pray for the peace of Jerusalem - Tomkins*

**Processional Hymn:** *Down by the Jordan*      Tune: LOBE DEN HERREN [CP558]

- 1 Down by the Jordan, a prophet named John was baptising,  
Preaching a message the people found bold and surprising:  
"God will forgive! Show that you'll change how you live!  
Surely God's new day is rising!"
- 2 There by the river, the crowd came with great expectation:  
"Are you God's Chosen One, sent here to rescue our nation?"  
"No!" John replied. "He who is mightier than I  
Judges and offers salvation."
- 3 Jesus, you went to be baptised along with the others,  
taking your place among sinners, God's lost sons and daughters.  
Then with great love, God's Spirit came as a dove!  
Your work began in those waters.
- 4 Here in the Church, we are baptised and filled with God's Spirit.  
Freed and forgiven, we're welcomed with joy! Can you hear it?  
This is God's sign! This is how God says, "You're mine!"  
Let's take the good news and share it!

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Songs of Grace #12

**Welcome:** Dean Ian Render

NZPB page: **476**      **The Gathering of the Community**

**Sentence:** There was a man sent from God, whose name was John.  
He came to bear witness to the light. *John 1: 6,7*

**Collect:** God our strength and our hope,  
grant us the courage of John the Baptist,  
constantly to speak the truth,  
boldly to rebuke vice  
and patiently to suffer for the truth's sake;  
in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**Reading:** Isaiah 40: 1-11 *Alison Thomson*

**Anthem:** *O thou that tellest* *Choir*

**Reading:** Acts 13: 14b-26 *Philip Pridmore*

**Gradual Hymn:** *O bless the God of Israel* *Tune: AURELIA [CP585]*

1 O bless the God of Israel,  
who comes to set us free,  
who visits and redeems us  
and grants us liberty.  
The prophets spoke of mercy,  
of rescue and release;  
God shall fulfil the promise  
to bring our people peace.

2 Now from the house of David  
a child of grace is given;  
A Saviour comes among us  
to raise us up to heaven.  
Before him goes the herald  
forerunner in the way,  
the prophet of salvation,  
the messenger of Day.

3 Where once were fear and darkness  
the sun begins to rise  
the dawning of forgiveness  
upon the sinner's eyes,  
to guide the feet of pilgrims  
along the paths of peace:  
O bless our God and Saviour,  
with songs that never cease!

*After The Song of Zechariah  
Michael Perry (1942 - 1996)  
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**Gospel Reading:** Luke 1: 57-66, 80

Rev'd Margaret Thompson

**The Sermon:** Dean Ian Render

NZPB page: 481 **The Affirmation of Faith / He Tikanga Whakapono**

NZPB page: 482 **The Prayers of the People** led by Rev'd Margaret Thompson

NZPB page: 4185 **The Peace** Dean Ian Render

*We greet the people near us, saying 'Peace be with you' / 'Kia tau te rangimarie'.*

*During the next hymn the bread and wine, symbols of Christ's life, are brought to the altar; our offerings of money that support the mission and ministry of the Cathedral are collected and brought forward also.*

**Offertory Hymn:** Joy and wonder, love and longing tune: HYFRYDOL [CP278]

1 Joy and wonder, love and longing,  
draw us to this festive day,  
jubilee of transformation.  
Open wide our eyes, we pray:  
like disciples gone before us,  
grant us, gracious God to see  
in the emblems of this banquet  
shadings of your mystery.

2 Ivory of stoneground flour,  
amber of the growing wheat,  
gold of loaves, fresh baked and  
fragrant,  
where earth's bread and heaven's  
meet:  
Christ's own body, blessed and broken,  
now invites us to the feast  
consecrated on the table  
furnished by the great High Priest.

3 Red of garnets, rubies, roses  
glistens in the cup we lift.  
Wine becomes the blood of healing  
shed as life's most precious gift.  
Scarlet as the pomegranate,  
crimson as the morning skies,  
Christ as seed and fruit and flower  
lives to die, and dies to rise.

4 Like the colours of the rainbow  
all refracting from one light,  
genders, races, tribes and nations  
gather at this holy rite  
where the hungry and the thirsting  
taste from God's abundant store,  
and the Son's self-emptying  
splendour  
fills our hearts for evermore.

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### The Preparation of the Gifts

NZPB page: 485 **The Great Thanksgiving**

NZPB page: 488 **The Lord's Prayer**

## Hymn:

## *In the singing, in the silence*

Tune: BREAD OF PEACE

1 In the singing, in the silence,  
in the hands expectant, open,  
in the blessing, in the breaking,  
in the Presence at this table,  
*Jesus Christ, Jesus Christ,  
be the wine of grace:  
Jesus Christ, Jesus Christ,  
be the bread of peace.*

2 In the question, in the answer,  
in the moment of acceptance,  
in the heart's cry, in the healing,  
in the circle of your people,  
*Jesus Christ, Jesus Christ,  
be the wine of grace:  
Jesus Christ, Jesus Christ,  
be the bread of peace.*

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Words: Shirley Murray

Music: Carlton R Young

NZPB page: **489**     **The Invitation**

The Choir sing the **Agnus Dei** whilst the communion assistants receive communion; then the Choir move to the altar rails to receive communion; then all are welcome to share the bread and wine of Christ's life, or to receive a blessing - please come to the altar rails via the centre aisle and return to your seats via the side aisles (or use the ramp if necessary and take a place at the rear altar rail).

Please advise an usher if you need to have communion served in your seat.

During communion, the Choir will sing: **This is the record of John** - Gibbons

## Post-communion Sentence:

You will go before the Lord to prepare the way,  
to give God's people knowledge of salvation.

*Luke 1: 76,77*

NZPB page: **490**     **Prayer after communion**

**The Blessing:**     *Dean Ian Render*

*We share notices and news*

**Closing Hymn:**     *Wild and lone the prophet's voice*     Tune: **ABERYSTWYTH**

1 Wild and lone the prophet's voice  
echoes through the desert still,  
calling us to make a choice,  
bidding us to do God's will:

“Turn from sin and be baptised;  
cleanse your heart and mind and soul.  
Quitting all the sins you prized,  
yield your life to God's control.”





## COMING UP ... DIARY DATES

**Mid-Week Services:** *(in the Resurrection Chapel)*

**9.00 am - Morning Prayer (Tues-Fri)**

**10.30am - Eucharist (Tues)**

**12 noon - Mid-Day Prayer (Wed)**

**Wednesday 27 June**

12 noon - Mid-day Prayer followed by  
'Stillpoint' *(in Resurrection Chapel)*

7.00 pm - Vestry meeting (Lounge)

**Friday 29 June**

7-9pm - HB Vicars & Wardens meeting with the  
Bishop, Registrar & Regional Dean, Waipukurau

**7.30 pm - Charles Spanner Organ Recital** at the  
Cathedral, the first of three in the mid-year  
organ recital series. Door sales from 7pm -  
single concert tickets: Adults \$25, concession  
\$20, students \$15, under 12 free;  
2 concerts tickets: Adults \$45, concession \$30,  
students \$25; or 3 concerts tickets: Adults \$60,  
concession \$45, students \$30

**Saturday 30 June**

9.30am-3pm - HB Regional Conference at St  
Matthew's Church Hall, Hastings

**Sunday 1 July**

10 am - Napier Inner City Churches 'pulpit-  
swap' followed by the annual NICC mid-winter  
lunch at Napier RSA (numbers & payment to  
Marie Knight)

3.00 pm - EJP Network meeting (Lounge)

**Friday 6 July**

9.15 am - Pastoral Companions meeting

**Sunday 15 July**

**2.30 pm - Robert Costin (Italy) Organ Recital** at  
the Cathedral, the second of three in the mid-  
year organ recital series.

**Sunday 22 July - Eugene Lavery (USA) Organ  
Recital** at the Cathedral, the final of three in  
the mid-winter organ recital series

**Services next Sunday**

**1 July 2018 - OS13**

... at the Cathedral ...

**8.00 am - Eucharist** *(Resurrection Chapel)*

**10.00 am - Choral Eucharist**  
(Napier Inner City Churches 'pulpit-swap')

... at Ormond Chapel ...

**No service**

**Readings: Lamentations 3: 23-33**

**Psalms 30**

**2 Corinthians 8: 7-15**

**Mark 5: 21-43**

**Mid-week Eucharist:**

**Tuesday 26 June, 10.30 am**  
*in the Resurrection Chapel*

EJP Tip: Keep lots of mulch or leaf litter on your  
garden as it is good for plants, insects and birds.

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