



Waiapu Cathedral of St John the Evangelist

ORDER OF SERVICE - 18TH OCTOBER 2020
ORDINARY SUNDAY 29

Welcome to all who are worshipping here today. Children are most welcome.

We seek to be an inclusive congregation: Nau mai, haere mai tatou katoa.

*This morning's service follows the Eucharistic Liturgy '**Thanksgiving of the People of God**, commencing on **page 404** in the **New Zealand Prayer Book**.*

*Congregational responses are in **bold type**.*

The Eucharist this morning begins with the Processional Hymn (overleaf).

PRAYERFUL SILENCE before the service begins is a discipline that allows all to prepare for worship

8.00am There will be no 8.00am service until Advent

10.00am *Choral Eucharist*

Presider The Rev'd Eric Fairbrother

Preacher: Bishop Murray Mills

Liturgist: Janine Melville

Director of Music: Anthony Tattersall

Organist: Tom Chatterton

Setting: Messe Solennelle– J. Langlais

Anthem: Agnus dei

A big welcome to Michael Fletcher and the choir of the Metropolitan Cathedral of the Sacred Heart who are joining us today.

Please ensure all mobile phones are set to silent when in the Cathedral; and, if necessary, adjust hearing aids to the "Loop" system.

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IMPORTANT HEALTH NOTICE: Our Diocese has directed parishes to **refrain** from the practice of intinction (**dipping the wafer into the wine**). For health reasons please co-operate with this requirement. Receiving the bread only is still regarded as a full expression of the sacrament, or you can simply hold or receive the chalice and then pass it back to the person serving. *Intinction is less hygienic than the common cup.*

Processional Hymn: *Jesus of the Eastern Sky*

1: Jesus of the eastern sky,
calling from the shore;
Follow me to serve in faith
among the rich and poor

Refrain:

*Hold my hand,
embrace the world,
rise in my love, aroha;
Take my bread,
find new life,
rise in my love, aroha.*

2: Jesus of the roads and hills,
young and old seek out;
I as teacher, friend and guide
help you face your doubts.
Refrain . . .

3: Jesus of marae and hall,
covenant of grace;
Justice is my love at work,
Lord of every race. *Refrain . .*

4: Jesus of the trees and lakes,
nurturing the earth;
I am seed and bubbling spring,
harvest of re-birth. *Refrain . . .*

5: Jesus of our towns and streets
neighbour to us all;
Give us courage, vision, hope,
Waiapu, stand tall.
Refrain . . .

Words and Music by Bill Bennett 1995

NZPB page: **404** **Welcome and gathering & the Collect for Purity**

NZPB page: **406** **Forgiveness: Sung Kyries , Confession & Absolution**

Sentence: All the trees of the forest shall sing for joy before our God,
who is coming to judge the earth. *Psalm 96: 12-13, adapted*

Collect: Let us pray that our first allegiance may be to our Maker:
Eternal God,
you reign over all things and have created each one of us in your own image.
By your Spirit assist your people
to give to earthly rulers and powers
what belongs to them
and to give our allegiance and ourselves to you alone,
the one whose image is imprinted on every human soul.
Through Jesus Christ, the Incarnation of your truth. Amen.

First Testament Reading: Isaiah 45: 1-7 Alison Thomson

Epistle Reading: 1 Thessalonians 1: 1-10 Alison Thomson

Gospel hymn: *God of the past*

God of the past, we sing our thanks for all that's brought us
to this day, chan - ges, choi - ces, jour - neys made,
friends who've beck - oned us the Je - sus way.

- 1 God of the past, we sing our thanks for all that's brought us to this day, changes, choices, journeys made, friends who've beckoned us the Jesus way.
- 2 God of today, we seek your strength: gift us with laughter, warmth and light, songs for sighing, courage for fear, hope that breaks through the longest night.
- 3 God of the unknown years to be, Spirit who moves on waters, still shape our vision, lift up our hearts, lead us in your loving will.

"Faith Forever Singing" # 26. Words and music by Judy Mills, tune: WHANAU O WAIAPU

Gospel Reading: Matthew 22: 15-22 Janine Melville

Sermon: Bishop Murray Mills

The Prayers of the People Christine Scott

THE MINISTRY OF THE SACRAMENT

NZPB page: 419 **The Peace**

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

*At this time you may prefer to refrain from physical contact. If you do choose to shake hands or embrace someone, please use the **hand sanitiser** if you are going to receive communion.*

*During the next hymn the bread and wine, symbols of Christ's life,
are brought to the altar; donations to the Food Bank are presented,
and our offerings of money
to support the mission and ministry of the Cathedral are collected,
along with pledges made via electronic banking.*

Offertory Hymn: A spendthrift lover is our God

A spendthrift lover is our God who never counts the cost
Or asks if heaven can afford to woo a world that's lost.
Our lover tosses coins of gold across the midnight skies
And stokes the sun against the cold to warm us when we rise.

Still more is spent in blood and tears to win the human heart,
To overcome the violent fears that drive the world apart.
Behold the bruised and thorn-crowned face of one who bears our scars
And empties out the wealth of grace that's promised by the stars.

How shall we love this heart-strong God who gives us ev'rything,
Whose ways to us are strange and odd, what can we give or bring?
Acceptance of the matchless gift is gift enough to give.
The very act will shake and shift the way we love and live.

Thomas H. Troeger, tune: KINGSFOLD

NZPB page: 419-427 **THE GREAT THANKSGIVING & THE INVITATION**

*Christians of any tradition and all seeking God are welcome at our Lord's table.
Please advise an usher if you need to have communion served in your seat. You are
welcome to request a blessing if you prefer not to receive the Sacrament.*

Prayer after Communion & Blessing NZPB page: 428-429

*We share notices and news
Farewell to Bishop Murray and Judy Mills*

The Gloria *combined choirs*

Recessional hymn: Now thank we all our God

- 1 Now thank we all our God
with heart and hands and voices,
who wondrous things hath done,
in whom this world rejoices;
 who from our mother's arms
 hath blessed us on our way
 with countless gifts of love,
 and still is ours today.

- 2 O may this bounteous God
through all our life be near us,
with ever joyful hearts
and blessed peace to cheer us;
 and keep us all in grace,
 and guide us when perplexed,
 and free us from all ills
 in this world and the next.

- 3 All praise and thanks to God,
our Maker now be given,
the Spirit and the Son:
the Trinity of heaven.
 The one eternal God,
 whom earth and heaven adore;
 for thus it was, is now,
 and shall be evermore.

Martin Rinkhart (adapted 2020), Tune: NUN DANKET

The Dismissal of the Community

Haere i runga i te aroha. Haere i runga i te rangimarie

Amine. Ka haere matou i runga i te ingoa o te Karaiti. Kororia ki te Atua.

Go now to love and serve the Lord. Go in peace.

Amen. We go in the name of Christ.

Dean Ian writes: I was sufficiently recovered from surgery to attend worship at the Cathedral on Sunday and was glad to see that it was all in good hands. I'm extremely grateful to all who are putting in extra time and effort to enable the life of the Cathedral to continue effectively: Bishop Andrew, The Wardens and Vestry, Amy our administrator, the volunteer clergy and laypeople.

Thank you for giving me the time and space for recovery. The next part of this journey begins on Wednesday in Palmerston North which will take several weeks Monday-Friday, so I hope to reconnect from time to time on the weekends. While I am away I still hope to contribute to worship planning as Advent and Christmas approach.

I have appreciated the prayers and the care extended to myself and Philip, and I draw strength from the courage displayed by so many of you who have faced or are facing a similar journey. May God's peace enfold you.

You are invited to join us for tea and coffee served at the back of the Cathedral following the 10.00am service to farewell Bishop Murray and Judy Mills.

Notices

- † **Signing in**– As a requirement of the Diocese, a sign in/out form is located on the table in the fountain entrance.
For health and safety, all people in the building (including key holders) outside of service times are required to please sign in and out. Even if you have signed in using the QR code, please sign in on the Cathedral form. If you are entering the building during office hours, please check in at the office on arrival.
- † **Carparks**- A reminder that the Cathedral carpark is to be used for Cathedral business only.
The Cathedral Lane carpark is leased from Monday to Saturday. Parking is only available on Sundays.
- † **Godspell**– If you purchased tickets through the office and have not yet been refunded. Please contact Amy with your bank details. There is still a few people that need to be reimbursed.
- † **Ambulatory lighting** - Our Ambulatory lights are now on timers so the lights can be seen shining through the stained glass windows each evening.
- † **Coffee morning at Fishbowl Café Aquarium Napier.** There is more space around the tables On Tuesday 20th October at 10 o'clock. Everybody welcome. Please email: sandyharrisonnz@gmail.com Or ring 8356772 by Monday 19th October.
- † Come and experience a **Godspace session** and consider some key facets of this approach from 9:30am on Tuesday 3rd November. Please know that your interest and support will not require you to become more involved unless you would like to! It will be wonderful to have more people knowing we offer through Godspace. Please register with Janine 021 136 3454 / 836 5305 / melvillejmn@gmail.com



Waiapu Cathedral upcoming services

9.00am Tuesday-Friday Morning prayer in the *Resurrection Chapel*

10.30am Thursday- Mid week Eucharist *in the Resurrection Chapel*

12.00pm - Midday prayer- Every Wednesday, followed by Te Puna a te rangimarie–Pool of peace (A time of meditation in the Anglican tradition)

Upcoming Cathedral events

- ✠ **The Cathedral Choir** meets every Thursday for rehearsals.
Children at 6.00 – 6:30pm and the adults 7:00 – 9:00pm. If you are interested in joining, please contact Anthony.
- ✠ **Saturday 31st October**- A Tribute to the Beatles concert. 7.30pm start
(See poster for more details).
- ✠ **Saturday 21st November**– Cathedral Christmas Fair 10.00am-3.00pm
- ✠ **Saturday 28 November at 1pm**- The Ordination Service will be held for 2020

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*Deadline for notices to be included in this
bulletin: Wednesdays, noon.*

SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY

25th October 2020

... at the Cathedral ...

8.00am - No services until Advent

10.00 am - Choral Eucharist

Readings

Lev 19:1-2,15-18
Ps 1
1 Thess 2:1-8
Matt 22:34-46

... at Ormond Chapel ...

No service until Advent