

DIARY THIS WEEK



Sunday 22 May
 8am Eucharist St James'
 9am Eucharist All Saints'
 10am Family Eucharist St James'
 (also on Zoom, see p3)

Sunday 15 May
 8am Eucharist St James'
 9am Morning Worship All Saints'
 10am Family Eucharist St James'
 (also on Zoom, see p3)

Monday 16 May
 4pm Youth Choir practice

Wednesday 18 May
 9am Staff meeting at St James'

Thursday 19 May
 7.45am Waffles for High School students
 10am Chirping Cherubs in the hall
 10am Communion (BCP) St James'
 12 pm Thursday Club All Saints'

Friday 20 May
 5-9 p m Book Fair

Saturday 21 May
 8.30am Morning Prayer at St James',
 Zoom Meeting 782 3267 4706,
 Passcode: Lambchops
 9:am-2pm Book Fair



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For offerings or other payments to
St James' Church bank account
 BNZ account
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Reference:
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8am Prayers each week day, via zoom
link 78232674706 Passcode Lambchops

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The Anglican Parish of Lower Hutt
St James Church and
All Saints Church, Belmont



NEWSLINK

8 May 2022 - 4th Sunday of Easter

Naumai, haere mai! Malo e lelei! Talofa! 欢迎 (huān yíng!)

Welcome!

THE SENTENCE FOR TODAY:

*Jesus said "My sheep hear my voice, I know them and they follow me.
 No one will snatch them out of my hand". John 10: 27,28b*

COLLECT FOR THE WEEK.

Loving God, we thank you that your Son Jesus is the good shepherd who cares for your people. Open our hearts to hear his voice, to know him as he calls us by name, and to follow wherever he leads.

Amen.

TODAY'S READINGS: Acts 9:36-43; p1270
 John 10:22-30 p1248



Choral Evensong
This Sunday, 8 May at 5pm at
St James

We are pleased to be able to resume our Evensong services. The theme this Sunday is 'The Presence' depicting a painting which hangs in Edinburgh Cathedral. It is very appropriate that it is the Easter Season as it fits with the unexpected appearances of Jesus to

bring peace and encouragement to the distraught disciples. There is a similar motif in this painting. The preacher is Derek Lightbourne.

We look forward to the choir's participation in the worship having a strong choral emphasis.

The service will also be available on Zoom with the same login as page 3

8am Eucharist NZPB p.404

President: Murray Wills
Preacher: Raewyn Berkahn
Leader: Raewyn Berkahn
Reader: Peggy Roberts
Gospel Lynne-Stella Hassett

10am Family Eucharist

Also on Zoom (see p. 3 for details)

President: Murray Willis
Preacher: Raewyn Berkahn
Leader: Raewyn Berkahn
Server:
Song Here I am Lord
Song E te Ariki
Collect (see front page)
Acts 9:36-43 (Barbara Taylor)
Gradual Who you say I am
John 10:22-30 (Maureen Lamb)
Sermon (Raewyn Berkahn)
Intercessions (Allen Sutton)
Offertory 426 The Lord's My Shepherd
The Lord's Prayer
Communion
Angus Dei Gibbs
Like a shepherd you lead me
The Lord's my Shepherd (I am not alone)
Family time
Hymn 214 Guide me, O thou Great Redeemer
Dismissal

9.00am All Saint's Eucharist

President: Catherine Froud
Preacher: Catherine Froud
Leader: Harry Adam

Prayers this week

The Church

- We pray for the Anglican Church in Rwanda (Bishop Laurent Mbanda)
- For all the parishes in the Diocese without permanent clergy.

The World

- For peaceful and just elections tomorrow in the Philippines, and a more democratic government there.

The Covid-19 Epidemic

- For medical support staff, stretched by the spread of Covid.

The Community

- For early childcare teachers, as they nurture the children in their care in local centers.

The Local Church

For the Association of Anglican Women as they meet at St James on Tuesday.

Those for whom prayer is asked

- Chris C, Bill, Lynley, Emma, Daniel, Leila, Ian J, Diana, Sheldon, Joyce, John, Emily, Sophia, Dorothy, Margaret O, Marion, Barbara H, Trina, Eddie B, Sara,

Those who mourn, those who have died

- Dorothy Fox
- Dame Miriam Dell, DBE, ONZ, JP
- Ian Packer (Sarah Lerwill's father)
- Ron Todd

Readings for next Sunday:

Theme: Love on another

Acts 11: 1-18 p.1272
John 13: 31-35 p.1251

Our big book fair fundraiser needs your help.

Please add your name to the roster on the back wall of St James'. **All Saints'** - you are invited to help, too!

We need helpers from the evening of **Wednesday 18 May**

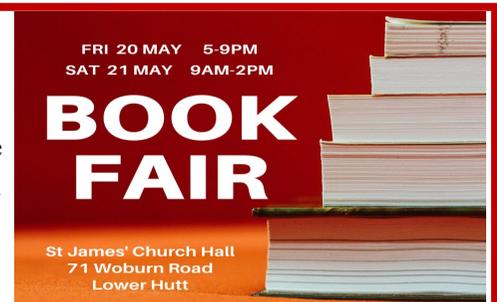
through to **Saturday 21 May at 4pm.**

It's not just for sales—it's also **set up** of all the books on Wed, Thur, Fri . **Pack down** after the sale on Saturday from 2-4pm.

Please help, even for 1 hour, or longer if you can!

Any questions, or offers of help, please contact

Amanda on 021 515 943 or amanda@maxsys.co.nz .



Tax Receipts

These are in the process of being prepared.. Unfortunately they will not be available for another 2-3 weeks.

It is worth noting that your donation receipts can be forwarded to the tax department at any time during the year.

Concert for peace

On Monday 9th May at 6.30pm the NZSO will play a Concert for Peace at Wellington Cathedral. Yury Gezentsvey (Principal Violinist) will be leading- Tickets (proceeds go to Ukraine) are \$10 each.

If you would like to attend the performance on Monday 9 May, or know people who wish to purchase a ticket, you can register using the following link:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.nz/e/europe-day-concert-for-peace-tickets-323570085837?aff=ebdsbdestsearch>



Join a Cursillo Pilgrimage of fellowship and worship!

Cursillo is an Anglican short course focused primarily on deepening your relationship with God.

Women's Weekend: 23rd – 26th June @ El Rancho, Waikanae

Men's Weekend: 14th – 17th July @ St. Matthew's Collegiate, Masterton

To find out more, please contact:

Lynne-Stella Hassett 04 971 8709 or lynnejayh@gmail.com

Right Royal Party Volunteers, Goods and Equipment Needed

**Event date: Monday 6 June
Queens Birthday Weekend**



Thank you to everyone who has volunteered so far to help with our Right Royal Party, which we are running on 6 June as a Hall Development fund-raiser. It is great to have your support.

We are at present putting together a programme for the day, talking to external providers and working out where we need additional assistance. The day will be a festival aimed at the community, so we are working with the Hutt City Council, community groups, local food providers and local schools to help make a very successful event.

The focus will be on our church bells, royalty, music, kids activities, competitions and, of course, food – High Teas, waffles, church stalls (royal memorabilia, jams, cakes, sweets), food stalls (from local providers).

We need people for the following:

1. Site Teams / Security
2. External Stall Managers
3. Church Stall organisers
4. Church food organisers / helpers
 - a. Bacon Butties
 - b. High Teas
 - c. Waffles
5. Sound Management
6. Publicity
7. Raffle
8. Competitions
9. Children's Activities



Fuller details of what is required are at the back of the church. If you can help, or have equipment we can borrow (see list for what we need), put your name on the sheets at the back of the church; or email

HallDevelopment@stjames.net.nz



TODAY

Welcome to all who are worshipping with us!

We're glad you can join us at our service today.

Today we are re-introducing the common cup at communion. You are able to decline if you do not want to participate. Please NO dipping of wafers.

After the service, morning tea will be served. At the 8am service, tea and coffee will be served from the kitchen servery. At the 10am service you are invited to get a cup of tea from the kitchen servery or coffee at the back of the church.



Please note: The 10am service is being filmed. If you don't wish to appear in the broadcast, please talk to one of our welcomers or staff who will direct you to seats that will not be filmed.

To join us on ZOOM at 10am - see the details below:

10am service ON ZOOM: Copy and paste the link:

**[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82288208761?
pwd=ajhaNHdFWmRaSC9naXVBV1pPUmlNUT09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82288208761?pwd=ajhaNHdFWmRaSC9naXVBV1pPUmlNUT09)**

By phone: Dial (04) 886 0026

Meeting ID: 822 8820 8761 : Passcode: 635400

.Thanks!

I wish to express my appreciation to everyone for the kind messages, cards, and flowers presented to me for my recent retirement, and for the gifts donated to the Foodbank. Thank you so much!

Margaret Hamilton

Welcome to Receptionist

It is our pleasure to welcome Barbara Taylor as Parish Receptionist on a 3 month fixed term contract . Many of you will already know Barbara who has attended St James Church at the 10am service for over 5 years.. In January Barbara retired from Capital Coast DHB after 12 years. Barbara has been married for over 50 years, has 2 children and 4 grandchildren, and a long suffering husband. The majority of her family live in the UK although her daughter and family live in Lower Hutt.

Update on Church External Protection (Painting) Project.

RJ Holdings and Dan Reeves met onsite at the church on 29th April and completed a walk around and orientation with the main contractors who have been awarded the project contract. They advised that they are on track to erect the scaffolding starting the week of the 16th May. They then plan to wrap (with white plastic) the scaffolding / church within the following week prior to commencing the protection preparation work.

In preparation for the scaffolding going up the contractors have asked us to trim back the shrubs and bushes which are resting against the church walls. They will then look to wrap the remaining shrubs and bushes and secure them away from the wall and scaffolding to protect them.

Working Bee - Saturday 14th May. - 9.30am to 11.30am.

We would appreciate your help with trimming back the shrubs and bushes in preparation for the scaffolding going up.

All those that would like to help with this event, please contact Dan Reeves (People's Warden) via text on 021 948700 or email: dcreeves09@gmail.com before midday Friday the 13th May.

Many hands make light work so the more parishioners the better!

AAW Next Meeting Tuesday May 10, 1.30pm St James' Church



Introducing
Rev Catherine Froud, (new assistant minister)
Goodbye and thank you to
Margaret Hamilton
(receptionist and vicar's PA)
Fellowship and afternoon tea
Please bring an item for the Foodbank.

**AAW sub 2022 : \$25.00
Circle 2022 : \$10.00**

**Pay on-line 11 7244 0457826 11
or place sub in collection
labelled AAW & named**

Mobility Scooter available

Andrew Ward has offered to give away the mobility scooter that his late mother (Diana) had enjoyed. If you are keen, please ring Andrew and he will deliver it – 022 5022 501. Please action promptly as Andrew is keen to pass it on.



All Saints Church, Belmont

125th Anniversary of the Consecration of the Church and 80th Anniversary of being part of the Anglican Parish of Lower Hutt

What a fantastic day!!

My heartfelt thanks to everybody for their contributions.

(So much of what happens is unseen to many.)

A small group (me, Paula, Jocelyn, Loraine) are meeting after church on Sunday for a debrief. If you have any suggestions/changes for next time, please let me or one of the others know.

Phil Gibbons

For 10am worshippers

We bring to your attention that the duty roster for the 10am service is often incomplete due to a lack of volunteers available to help at the services.

We are seriously under-staffed, particularly for the role of **welcomers** and people to **prepare morning tea and coffee**. Some people are valiantly trying to fill the gaps in addition to other tasks, but we would LOVE to have some more volunteers! **Can you help?**

Please talk to Raewyn or Murray to offer your services.

Let us use these readings of the day in our personal prayer time. These readings are from the Anglican Lectionary



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Psalm 42 1-2, - 43:1-4	Psalm 87	Psalm 67	Psalm 89 1-2,20-26	Psalm 2	Psalm 98 1-4
John 10 1-10	John 10 22-30	John 12 44-end	John 13 16-20	John 14 1-6	John 14 7-14