The Anglican Parish of Lower Hutt September 10[™] 2023



NAUMAI, HAERE MAI! MALO E LELEI! TALOFA! 欢迎 (HUĀN YÍNG!)
Welcome all who are with us in person or on Zoom

Sentence: "Where two or three gather in my name,' says the Lord,

'I am there among them.'" Matthew 18:20

Collect. Creator God,

you have made us

not in one mold, but in many: so deepen our unity in Christ

that we may rejoice in our diversity.

This we ask through Jesus Christ our Redeemer.

Amen.

Today's Readings: Romans 13:8-14 Matthew 18:15-20

8am Eucharist ANZPB p404

Presider Annette Cater
Preacher Annette Cater
Leader Mark Stone
Reader Katherine Ingram
Gospel Lynne-Stella Hasset

10am Family Eucharist

Zoom – see below for the link

Presider Annette Cater
Preacher Annette Cater
Worship Leader Les Baird

Server Savannah Lawerence Song 1 'Ancient of Days'

Song 2 'Tuhia'

Collect See front page Reading Richard Lamb

Gradual Hymn 'There is a Redeemer'

Gospel Maureen Lamb Intercessions Allen Sutton

Offertory Hymn 'Jesus, the joy of loving hearts'

The Lord's Prayer Māori

Agnus Dei Wiltshire (English)

Communion Jean Richafort: Ecce quam bonum

'Jesus I come'

Family Time/ Notices

Final Song 'Love divine' (131)

Dismissal Voluntary

9am All Saints Eucharist

Presider Derek Lightbourne Preacher Derek Lightbourne

Leader Gill

Reading Bloss Perry

10am Service ON ZOOM

Copy and paste link:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j82288208761?pwd= ajhaNHdFWmRaSC9naXVB1pPUmINUT09

> By phone: Dial (04) 886 0026 Meeting ID: 822 8820 8761 Passcode: 635400

Prayers this week



God of all gentleness, hear our prayer.

God of earth and sea and sky, You are with us through life's storms and in the glistening light. Jesus Christ dispel our doubts and set us free from unhealthy practices and habits. Lord, help us live by Love.

We pray for your Church. We pray for our leaders and faithful servants. We pray Bishop Justin, Revs Annette, Murray, Derek, Catherine, John, Janice, and Heather. We pray for our vestry, ministry leaders, staff and volunteers. Lead us and this parish in the way we can love and serve this city and our community.

We pray for our cities and farms, wild places, snowy mountains and the sea. Help us to treasure these places and to be good stewards of them.

We pray for our community and neighbourhoods. We pray for shop owners and lost youths; for those struggling with the cost of living and under financial pressure. Give us today our daily bread.

We pray for those who are ill or facing surgery, awaiting tests or procedures yet to come. Comfort those who are mourning the passing of loved ones and those still grieving.

Jesus, your love for us has transformed our lives. May it fill us and empower us to be agents of love and grace to the people around us and to those we love.

Amen.



Let us pray this week for the following members of our congregation for whom prayer is asked:

Bill, Lynley, Emma, Daniel, Leila, Ian and Penny J, Diana, Sheldon, John, Emily, Sophia, Dorothy, Trina, Sara P-C, Richard L, Michael, Patricia and John H, Kristine, Sophie S, Elizabeth W, Richard, Jean H, Megan, Dawn, Daniel, Gill B, Tonia, Linda, Charles W.

Let us pray for those who mourn, those who have died

Welcome to all who are worshipping with us!

We are so pleased you are joining the services today.

The Common Cup is offered to all at our communion services. You may decline a sip if you do not want drink from this cup.

Please note, NO dipping of wafers or bread.

Can you contribute to the Lower Hutt Food Bank? They would like our help.



The food bank has provided us with a list of items they require:

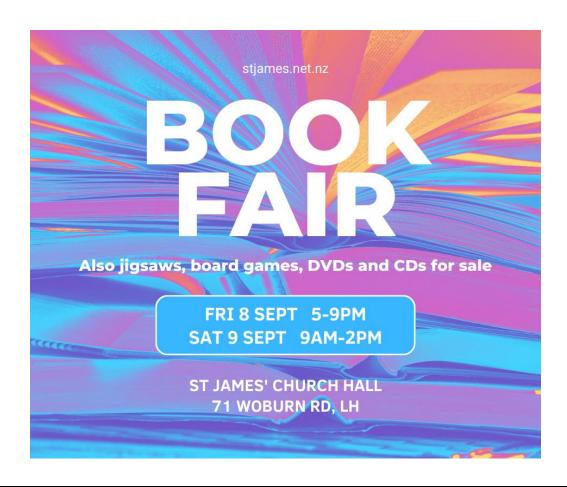
Reusable (fabric) shopping bags

Not paper bags please
Cereals
Soup - canned or packet
Honey/peanut butter,
Jams/Marmalade
Vegemite/Marmite
Canned tomatoes
Canned spaghetti and tomatoes
Canned Vegetables, Canned Meat
Canned Fruit, Dried Pasta and Noodles
Cooking Oil, Coffee, Tea and Milo
Milk powder
Soap powder
Sanitary products, Toothpaste, Hand soap

Thank you for your continued support.

Let us use these readings of the day in our personal prayer time this week					
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Psalm 62	Psalm 8	Psalm 15	Psalm 98	Psalm 16	Psalm 113
1-7			1-5		
Luke 6	Luke 6	Luke 6	John 3	Luke 6	Luke 6
6-11	12-19	20-26	13-17	39-42	43-end

Family Time/ Notices





SEASON OF CREATION EVENT

How well do we know our Awa - the Hutt River?

Everyone is invited to an interesting and informative afternoon to hear from a range of speakers about caring for, protecting and restoring Te Awa Kairangi – the Hutt river.

Sunday 10 Sept from 1.00-3.30pm followed by afternoon tea.

Venue. St Peter and Paul's Church Hall, 60 Knights Road, Lower Hutt.

This event is being organized in conjunction with an **Ecumenical River Prayer walk on Sunday 24 September.** More information on public group Facebook <u>Te Awa Kairangi Prayer Walk</u>.



Choral Evensong Sunday 10 September, 5pm

"Receiving the gift of hospitality"
Artwork: Embroided Priest's Stole

The Rev Brett Reid has been invited to come and speak about the embroided priest's stole made for him by Rev Annette.

Please come to enjoy a night of beautiful music and art!





AAW meeting Tuesday Sept 12 1.30 pm, St James Church

President: Mary Houston

Taking the Stress Out of Selling Your Property.

Speaker: Pete Bell

The AAW invites everyone to come and listen to this talk!

We are taking a cash collection for the Lower Hutt Foodbank

EMERGENCY RESPONSE PRACTICE

In a disaster, your neighbours are your first and best source of support

Come along and practise working together as a community during a disaster

Saturday 16 September 2023 - 2pm-4pm Belmont Scout Den – Norfolk St. Lower Hutt

Using an earthquake scenario, this session will cover how to:

- Set up your local Community Emergency Hub
- Ensure those in need are supported
- Overcome potential challenges together
- Make the most of the resources you have locally

Everyone is welcome. Join in and be more prepared as a community.





Learn more about your Community Emergency Hub, go to GetPrepared.nz/hubs



Hutt Multicultural Day Saturday, 23 September 10am-3pm, St James Church and Hall

We are pleased to announce that we will partner with the Hutt Multicultural Council to host the Hutt Multicultural Day this year!

Rev Annette would like a team of volunteers to help the Hutt Multicultural Council and their guests use the church and hall spaces for the day. If you would like to help with this, speak to her after the service or text her on 021 187 0727.

Can you help?

A parishioner is setting up house shortly and is in need of some help.

If you have any household goods spare that you think you could donate, please contact either: Michael Beauchamp, 021 105 8198 or Richard Lamb, 021 0265 0453



St James Community Centre Upgrade Goal \$923.000



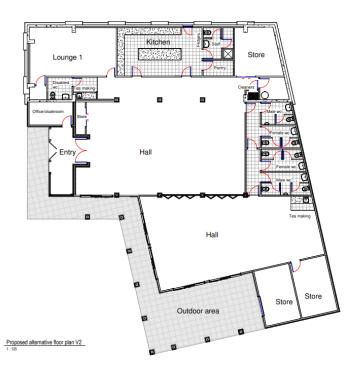
Hall Upgrade Update

Since we last addressed the parish with the results of the Feasibility Study and unveiled our new reducedcost plan for the hall, we have submitted two funding applications: one to the **Tomas George McCarthy Trust** and the second to **the Lotteries Commission**.

We expect the results of our applications in mid-December.

Please keep these applications in your prayers.





Fund Raising Events

Our very sincere thanks to the following people and their amazing helpers for putting on these events this year:

- Maureen Lamb, for initiating the hugely successful Joy Cowley Book Launch and High Tea event
- Helen Willberg and team, for her inspired "Meet the Instruments" children's musical event
- Margaret Anderson, for her popular Jam Stall
- Fiona Strachan for arranging the Progressive Dinner
- •Anna Bailey and Helen Willberg for the wonderful Puppet Show.

These events help by raising funds and continuing the momentum for the hall project.

Donations Request

If you have yet to respond to our request for donations, you can respond by making a donation to the **The St James Anglican Church Parish Trust Board (Hall Account)**

Account Number **02-0528-0492904-002**, with Your Name, and "Hall Upgrade" as references.

If you have any concerns or questions, then please feel free to contact one of the Property Development Action Team; or email us at HallDevelopment@stjames.net.nz

Liz Friend, Phil Gibbons, Elaine Mosley, Richard Perry and Colin White.

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Parish Administration

Office Hours

Monday and Friday – office closed Tuesday to Thursday – 10:00am to 12:30pm.

If you have queries for our office staff, please contact them during office hours.

If unsure who is responsible for which area, please call during office hours 04 569 6737 ext. 800

Vicar availability

Rev. Annette Cater - Tuesday to Friday 021 187 0727 - Text please

For offerings or other payments to St James' Church bank account

BNZ account 02 0528 0045901 00 Reference: [surname] [giving number] [type of payment e.g. offering]

Staff announcements

Raewyn has now resigned as the Business Support Role.

Her last day will be on the 15th September, and closer to the time we will let you know how her finishing will be marked. Raewyn has been in this role for the past four years, and has navigated changes in staff, Covid and much more as part of her time in the office. She will continue to be a member of the parish, mostly basing herself at All Saints while she continues her studies.

As you can see, there is plenty of changes happening at this time. Please keep the parish in your prayers, and we will continue to keep you informed as we work to fill our staffing needs.

Blessings from your Vicar, Rev Annette Cater.

DIARY THIS WEEK

Sunday 10 September 2023

8am Eucharist St James' 9am Eucharist All Saints'

10am Family Eucharist5pm Choral Evensong

Monday 11 September 2023

3:30pm Youth Choir

Tuesday 12 September 2023

1:30pm AAW Meeting

Wednesday 13 September 2023

10am Staff meeting at St James'
7pm Choir Practice St James'

Thursday 14 September 2023

10am Communion (BCP)

St James'

4pm Prayer and Praise via Zoom

(Meeting code - 875 3799 0691

Password – 981615)

Saturday 16 September 2023

8:30am Morning Prayer at St James'

9:30am Joy Cowley Retreat

Sunday 17 September 2023

8am Eucharist St James' 9am Eucharist All Saints' 10am Morning Worship

8am Prayers each week day
Via Zoom link: - 78232674706

Passcode: - Lambchops

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