

The Anglican Parish of Lower Hutt
21 April 2024



Photo credit: 'Warm Afternoon (Shepherdess)' by Winslow Homer, 1878

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

Sentence: "I am the good shepherd,' says the Lord: 'I know my own and my own know me.'" John 10:14

Collect: Good shepherd of the sheep,
by whom the lost are sought
and guided into the fold;
feed us and we shall be satisfied,
and lead us that we may be with you,
with the Father and the Holy Spirit,
where you reign one God for ever.
Amen.

Today's Readings: Acts 4: 5-12
John 10: 11-18

Let us pray...

for the following members of our congregation this week:

Elizabeth W, Richard, Jean H, Megan, Dawn,
Tonia, Linda, Bridget, Lynley, John and
Patricia, Diana B, Kristine, Margaret, Morehu
Api, Reeta George Laxman

Let us pray for those who mourn, those who have died: Alan Southon, Christina Prasad, Anne Quartley



Offering at the Anglican Parish of Lower Hutt

Our new offerings process

We are using a cashless process and encouraging parishioners to give via electronic banking.

For those new to the parish or can only donate with cash, please find the wooden offering box located at the back of All Saints' / St James' Church.

When the donations are taken, the presiding priest will acknowledge ALL offerings, cash or electronic.

02-0528-0045901-00, St James' Church
Reference: [surname], [giving number],
[type of payment: offering]



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 NO dipping of wafers or bread.

Prayers this week

Sing to the Lord a new song
For he has done marvellous things.

Jesus, Good Shepherd, we come to you,
the true guardian of our souls.
Keep your Church focused firmly on you
and your Kingdom ...
Draw us closer in unity and fellowship in
your name.

Jesus, Good Shepherd, we come to you,
our true defence.
Give us courage to place out trust in
following your way of peace ...
Draw the nations closer in a
commonwealth of share humanity.

Jesus, Good Shepherd, we come to you,
the true owner of all wealth.
Open the hearts and purses of all, that as
we have richly received so we may be
generous in our giving ...
Raise benefactors who can enable all that
delights and liberates.

Jesus, Good Shepherd, we come to you
with the injured and the weak.
Protect and hold in your love all who cry
to you in their need ...
Revive us in your mercy.

Jesus, Good Shepherd, you lay down your
life for our salvation.
Gather us in our final hour to your eternal
fold ...
As you know us, so may we hear you call
us by name in your Kingdom.

Amen

(Intercessions for Years A, B and C by Ian Black)

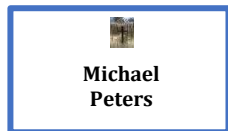
8am Prayers each week day
Via Zoom link: - 78232674706
Passcode: - Lambchops

8am Eucharist ANZPB, P404, St James'

Presider	Murray Wills
Preacher	Murray Wills
Worship Leader	Lynne-Stella Hassett
Reader	Martin Haua
Gospel	James Middleton
Intercessions	Lynne-Stella Hassett
Chalice	Lynne-Stella Hassett
Server	Lachlan Moar
Welcomers	Sue Barlow Toby Moar
Sound	Mark Stone
Morning Tea	Robina Richardson Judy Cameron

9am Family Eucharist, All Saints

Presider	Kathy Orr-Nimmo
Preacher	Kathy Orr-Nimmo
Leader	Harry Adam
Reading	Joan Adam
Intercessions	Richard Perry



Nametags

Just as you take your nametag from the stands at the start of church:
Please return them to the stand when you leave.

10am Family Eucharist, St James'

Presider	Murray Wills
Preacher	Murray Wills
Worship Leader	Robyn Eastgate- Manning
Songs	'This I believe (The Creed)' 'Like a shepherd you lead me'
Reader	Richard Lamb
Gradual hymn	'Cornerstone'
Gospel	Maureen Lamb
Intercessions	L
Offertory hymn	'The King of love my shepherd is' (126)
The Lord's Prayer	Te Reo Māori
Chalice	Robyn Eastgate-Manning Sarah Lerwill
Server	Nova Oxenbridge
Agnus Dei	Middleton (English)
Communion	Goodall: 'The Lord is my shepherd (Ps 23)' 'Wairua Tapu'
Family Time/ Notices	
Final song	'Christ is made the sure foundation' (332, vv.5-9)
Dismissal	
Welcomers	Ellen Yarrow Teresa Housel
Sound	Dean Pemberton
Vision	Eddie Taylor
YouTube	Teresa Housel
Morning Tea	Chloe Longdin-Prisk Dianne Wright

Livestream of 10am Service

<https://www.youtube.com/@stjamesallsaintschurcho2568>

Family Time/ Notices

Readings for this week

Monday	Acts 11: 1-18 John 10: 1-10
Tuesday	Acts 11: 19-26 John 10: 22-30
Wednesday	Acts 12: 24-13:5 John 12: 44-end
Thursday	Acts 13: 13-25 John 13: 16-20
Friday	Acts 15: 36-40 Mark 13: 9-13
Saturday	Acts 13: 44-end John 14: 7-14



Lower Hutt Foodbank

In the past 12 months, we estimate that we have given over \$14,000 worth of donations to the foodbank.

In a season when we are all struggling with the higher cost of living, this is an amazing effort! We continue to encourage you to give what you can when you can.



AAW Levies Reminder

A friendly reminder to please pay your levies before **20 April**: \$25 for AAW levies, plus \$10 for the 'Circle' magazine.

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Team Training Day
Saturday, 4 May
The Street Church
9 Hania St, Te Aro, Wellington

Theme: *How we gather, worship and work*

Team Training Day is a day where parishes across the diocese gather to receive training, share knowledge, expertise and good news about what is happening in our ministries and parishes.

Arrive at 9:30am for a hot drink before the programme begins at 10am.

It ends at 4pm.

All are invited to join, especially lay leaders and those wishing to be better equipped for their ministries.

Details of the day's programme to come.

Anglican Parish of Lower Hutt trivia:

The Agnus Dei chosen for the 10am Service this week was composed by James Middleton, one of the parish's many gifted musicians and composers.



Suzanne Duncan Education Trust Application Packs Applications close 6 May 2024

Families of the parish are hereby informed that prospective applicants and renewing scholars need to contact either:

Liz Friend, 027 462 9314, wj.friend@extra.co.nz,
or Jocelyn White, 027 449 9068, the-whitehouse@extra.co.nz
to arrange a time to discuss in person and to procure an application pack.

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Welcome Assistant Bishop Ana

Joyful cheers echoed out the cathedral doors as Rev Anashuya Fletcher (Ana) was installed as Assistant Bishop of Wellington on Saturday.

It was both a sacred and colourful occasion for the hundreds who gathered.



Left to right: Rev Paul Fletcher, Eilidh, Ishmael and Assistant Bishop Ana

The Ven. Scottie Reeve powerfully spoke of the vocation Ana was being invited to.

“While some religions and philosophies encourage us to strive to reach God, followers of Jesus believe in the God who stretches out his hand to reach us,” he said.

“This is the hand that heals, the hand that sends, and the hand that serves.”

Scottie also spoke of Ana’s healing from debilitating illness and how that challenging season has been turned into a new season of serving.

“Over the past year since her healing, many of us have watched as Ana’s sense of call to Episcopal ministry has grown. The same hand of God that stretched out to heal, was now stretching out to send her and commission her to the same ministry of healing and reconciliation.

“Today, as we pray for Ana and lay hands on her, we ask the same hands that healed her, to send her into this new ministry. As he has sent so many of his servants over so many years.”

Finally, we heard how Jesus calls us to a costly discipleship.

“In a sense, there is something strange to Ana’s journey. The hands that have healed her body now call her to serve, and those same hands that call her to serve ask her to place that body back into the path of danger. To serve God’s people, to protect them, and to shepherd them. Even at personal cost.

“Please, do not for a second believe that Ana is receiving a promotion today. She is stretching out her hands willingly suffer for the Gospel,” said Scottie.

Pray for Assistant Bishop Ana, in her ministry and that she would know the fullness of Christ and His life for her, the Church and our world.



Left to right: Archbishop Sione Ulu’iakepa, Archbishop Don Tamihere, Archbishop Emeritus Philip Richardson, Assistant Bishop Ana Fletcher



ANZAC Day Services

There are **no** ANZAC Day Services in All Saints or St James' Churches this year.

However, there are services held around the Hutt that you can go to.

Rev Murray Wills will be at them:

- Dawn Service, 5:45am, Lower Hutt Cenotaph, 2 Queens Drive, Lower Hutt
- Civic Service, 9:45am, Lower Hutt Cenotaph, 2 Queens Drive, Lower Hutt
- ANZAC Day Commemorations, 11am, Petone Working Men's Club, 47 Udy Street, Petone

The Thursday 10am Service (BCP) will continue to meet as usual.

For our regular attendees, please note that the carpark will be busier than usual.

Please plan ahead to account for this.

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DIARY THIS WEEK

Sunday 21 April

8am Eucharist, St James'

9am Morning Worship, All Saints'

10am Family Eucharist, St James'

Monday 22 April

4pm Youth Choir, St James' Hall

7:15pm Wardens and vicar's meeting

Tuesday 23 April

10:30am Contemplative Prayer, St James'

Wednesday 24 April

10am Staff Meeting

7pm Choir Practice, St James'

Thursday 25 April

10am BCP Eucharist, St James' Chapel

7:30pm Prayer and Praise via Zoom

(Meeting code: 875 3799 0691

Password: 981615)

Sunday 28 April

8am Eucharist, St James'

9am Family Eucharist, All Saints'

10am Family Eucharist, St James'

Parish Office Hours

71 Woburn Road, Lower Hutt

Tuesdays to Thursdays: 9am to 1pm

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of the church.**



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6 Norfolk Street, Belmont
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