

***The Anglican Parish of Lower Hutt
3 November 2024 | 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time***



‘The Burial of the Virgin and the Reception of Her Soul in Heaven’ by Sandro Botticelli (1484-1486)

NAUMAI, HAERE MAI! MALO E LELEI! TALOFA! 欢迎 (HUĀN YÍNG!)

Welcome all who are with us in person or online

Sentence: All Saints:

“Know what is the hope to which God has called you, what are the riches of the glorious inheritance in the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of God’s power in us who believe.” Ephesians 1: 18-19

St James’:

“Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God”
Matthew 5:9

Collect:

All Saints:
Eternal God,
you have always taken men and
women
of every nation, age and colour
and made them saints;
like them, transformed,
like them, baptised in Jesus’ name,
take us to share your glory;
where you reign one God for ever.
Amen.

St James’:

Jesus Christ,
you have taught us
that what we do to each other, we do
to you;
make us quick to help and slow to
hurt, knowing that in our neighbour it
is you
who receive our love or our neglect.
Hear this prayer for your name’s sake.
Amen.

Today’s Readings:

All Saints: Revelation 21: 1-6a, John 11: 32-44

St James’: Isaiah 2: 1-5, Mark 12: 28-34

Let us pray...

for the following members of our congregation this week:

Jean H, Megan, Dawn, Tonia, Linda, Bridget, John and Patricia, Diana B, Kristine, Margaret, Reeta George Laxman, Augustine Seaver, Emma Campbell, Marion, Emilie A, Golda P, Bill, Ian and Penny, Philip Janes, Kate and family, Kay and family, Belinda, Betty, Albert

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

Fats (Anaru Moke), Leila Pilkington, Jim Davies, Pauline Edwards, Morehu Api



Offering at the Anglican Parish of Lower Hutt

Our 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]

**Daily Prayer (week days)
8am, via Zoom**

**Via Zoom link: - 78232674706
Passcode: - Lambchops**

Prayers this week

E te Ariki,

Lord, hear our prayer.

E te Atua kaha rawa
You are our God;
There is none before you.
As your Church,
As the body of your Son,
all around the world, and in this land,
We are to do as You do:
uphold the cause of the oppressed;
give food to the hungry;
sets prisoners free;
lift up those who are bowed down,
watch over the stranger
sustains the fatherless and the widow
Help us every day
To love as You love.

Giver of life
Maker of heaven and earth,
the sea, and everything in them,
We pray for Your world,
For its intricate systems of life, death and
renewal;
Lord grant us new ways to love what You
created;
Where we have harmed what you have made,
helps us to repent and turn our own hands to
Your purposes.

Instil in us love for Your creation,
And the bravery to cry out for Your justice
in the places of conflict and suffering;
Here, and far away.
cleanse us from acts that lead to death.

E te Tokotoru Tapu, Holy Trinity
Bless our homes, our schools, our streets,
our workplaces,
our places of community, and of gathering.
May your example of perfect obedience
enable us to love those who are easy to love,
and those who are hard to love.

May your spirit work
Through us
And with us
all just the same.

Amen.

(Kai inoi tatou, Together we pray)

8am Eucharist ANZPB, P404, St James'

Presider	Murray Wills
Preacher	Josh Reid
Worship Leader	Alan Smith
Reader	Robert Hunt
Gospel	Mark Stone
Intercessions	Alan Smith
Chalice	Alan Smith
Server	Isabelle Hunt
Welcomers	Mark Stone Rosy Moar
Sound	Alan Boaden
Morning Tea	Kathy Ingram Lynne-Stella Hassett

9am Morning Worship, All Saints

Presider	Annette Cater
Preacher	Annette Cater
Leader	Harry A
Reading	Kathy Orr-Nimmo
Intercessions	Paula

**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	Josh Reid
Worship Leader	Allen Sutton
Songs	'Everyone is welcome (There is room) 'He hōnore'
Reader	Mary Houston
Gradual	'Gracious Spirit, Holy Ghost' (154)
Gospel	Sarah Lerwill
Intercessions	Ralph Robertshawe
Offertory hymn	'For all the saints' (305)
The Lord's Prayer	Te Reo Māori
Chalice	Allen Sutton Ralph Robertshawe
Bread	Sarah Lerwill
Server	Aarushi Amolik
Agnus Dei	Gibbs (English)
Communion	For all the Saints (Berkahn) 'Come before'
Family Time/ Notices	
Final song	'Build your kingdom here'
Dismissal	
Welcomers	Robyn Eastgate-Manning Daniel Luey
Sound	Dean Pemberton
Vision	Fiona Hall
YouTube	Teresa Housel
Morning Tea	Sarah Lerwill Barbara Taylor Dawn Tubby

Livestream of 10am Service

<https://www.youtube.com/@stjamesallsaintschurcheslo2568>

Family Time/ Notices

Readings for this week

Mon	Phil 2:1-4; Ps 131 Luke 14:12-14
Tue	Phil 2:5-11; Ps 22:22-27 . Luke 14:15-24
Wed	Phil 2:12-18; Ps 27:1-5 Luke 14:25-33
Thr	Phil 3:3-8a; Ps 105:1-7 Luke 15:1-10
Fri	Phil 3:17-4:1; Ps 122. Luke 16:1-8
Sat	Phil 4:10-19; Ps 112 Luke 16:9-15



WARNING: Phishing emails

In recent months, phishing emails have been sent to members of the parish posing as Rev Annette Cater.

Check the sender's email address carefully before replying to it.

If it comes from an account other than vicar@stjames.net.nz then do not reply.

She will only contact parishioners using the vicar's email address.

Block/ Report and Delete any emails you feel are suspicious.

You can also **check with Annette, the Churchwardens or Daniel** at worship.support@stjamest.net.nz if you want to confirm that they are legitimate.



All Souls' Day Observance 3 November

All Sunday Services, 8am, 9am & 10am

At all the Sunday Services on 3 November, there will be an opportunity to acknowledge the passing of loved ones during the service.

The presider at All Saints and St James' are going to acknowledge the recently departed or dear to your heart during our services on Sunday.

If you haven't yet, you can still add name(s) to the list at the back of church after the service.



HALL FITOUT FUNDRAISER

Thank you to everyone who has so promptly responded, to our call.

While some have generously been able to sponsor whole items, please note that all donations of whatever amount are valuable and will be appreciated.

You can nominate an item to which you would like to go towards, specify it's towards IT or to appliances, or leave the destination open.

Any questions?

Please feel free to contact
Richard Perry, 0272310160
or Phil Gibbons, 0272246809.

The Vestry & the Hall Committee.

All Saints' Day

ALL SAINTS CHURCH, 6 NORFOLK ST



9AM
10AM

NOVEMBER 3
SERVICE
BRUNCHEON (B.Y.O)

ALL PARISHIONERS
WELCOME!

Wellington StarJam Annual Concert 2024
Sunday, 10 November, 2pm
Lower Hutt Town Hall, 30c Laings Road, Lower Hutt

More than 100 Jammers from across Wellington and Wairarapa are ready to dazzle you with their colourful performances (including dancing, singing and drumming!).

A StarJam show never fails to entertain, inspire or surprise!

Come along and support our Jammers - an event for the whole family! Purchase a family pass online and save \$10! AND every \$5 online donation added gets you TWO entries into our raffle (these are not considered entry tickets). Tickets can also be purchased at the door.

***Proceeds from this event will be donated to the StarJam Charitable Trust.

For more information, follow this link:

<https://www.eventfinda.co.nz/2024/wellington-starjam-annual-concert-2024/lower-hutt>



Please be advised that **St James' Church will be closed to everyone** in the parish on Monday, 4 November.

The carpet in the foyer is getting replaced, which will involve machinery that will grind on the floor. It will be incredibly noisy so it will not be possible to do anything without disturbance.

Staff can still be contacted by email or phone.
Please direct your enquiries to Daniel at Worship Support:
worship.support@stjames.net.nz



New Wellington City Mission site 'Whakamaru' unveiled

Earlier this week, dignitaries and journalists were invited to the unveiling of the new Wellington City Mission site, 'Whakamaru'. The name Whakamaru was gifted by Te Ati Awa. It means 'to safeguard, protect and nurture.'

Please follow this link to read more about it and to look at the walk-through video:
<https://www.rnz.co.nz/news/national/532269/new-wellington-city-mission-opens-to-safeguard-protect-and-nurture>

A new recycling venture in the Parish

Have you ever wondered where you could recycle your milk bottle tops, metal jam jar lids, and soft drink / wine / beer / bottle tops?

We have the answer for you right here at St James and All Saints.

Starting at the beginning of November we will have collection boxes for all of the above. You will find the clearly labelled boxes on the back aisle pew on the South side (Woburn Road) at St James, and a set of boxes will be at All Saints.

All lids must be washed / clean / dry.

- **Plastic lids/Taupoki kirihou, Grade 2 and 5** - must have a number **2** or **5** in a triangle inside the lid. Included are **Milk bottle** tops, plastic hinge caps and screw cap lids (any colour) **2 and 5 need to be kept separate**



- **Metal lids/ Taupoki mētara** - this includes wine bottle tops, beer bottle tops, ring pull caps, metal screw tops, and metal jar lids.



At home if you have an ice cream, or other container, place some cardboard dividers inside to save you having to sort the tops later on. Sample container is beside the boxes.

We will regularly deliver the tops to the Wellington Sustainability Trust. So as you grab the car keys or your bike, to come to Church, grab the tops as well.

Any queries contact

Margaret: millermargaretm@outlook.com OR

Fiona: fjestrachan@gmail.com



Refugee Resettlement 2025

In 2025 the Parish will be participating once again in the Refugee settlement programme.

We would like to have a small team of people to assist during 2025, for when we are called upon to gather household goods for a new family. We will probably be called twice during the year and it takes approximately four to six weeks to gather everything. The household list is a 'fixed' list provided by the Anglican and Catholic Churches. The process will be the same as previous years, with our generous parishioners and friends being asked to donate goods or money towards the house lot. Watch this space in 2025.

If you are interested or would like more information about coming onto the team, to assist with this project please contact:

Margaret Miller – millermargaretm@outlook.com or 027 230 5745

We thank you, and appreciate your participation in this humanitarian programme coming up in 2025.

Rev Annette Cater and Margaret Miller

THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF LOWER HUTT
AND
WELLINGTON CATHEDRAL OF ST PAUL

CHORAL EVENSONG

SPECIAL TIME & LOCATION

**10 November 2024
4:00 - 5:00 PM**

**WELLINGTON CATHEDRAL OF ST PAUL
2 HILL STREET,
THORNDON**

**The Parish Choir and Cathedral Choir
will combine for Evensong this month!**

Addressing a historical injustice: Sāmoan citizenship bill has its second reading at Select Committee in Parliament

Throughout 2024, the Pacific Aiga team at The Family Centre have been engaging MPs and the Sāmoan community on addressing a historical injustice inflicted on them by the New Zealand government.

The bill that aims to restore citizenship to a group of Sāmoans born between 1924 and 1949 has unanimous support from the select committee to proceed but will not include the decedents of the cohort.

In 1982, the Privy Council ruled that because those born in Western Sāmoa were treated by New Zealand law as "natural-born British subjects", they were entitled to New Zealand citizenship when it was first created in 1948. However, the National Party-led government under Robert Muldoon took that away with the Western Sāmoa Citizenship Act 1982, effectively overturning the Privy Council ruling.

This new bill has received support from all parties during the select committee process to proceed - including National which didn't back it in the first reading, citing legal complexities.

Last Thursday, 24 October, the Family Centre and Daniel Luey, with 150 other members of the community, went to Parliament to hear the Second Reading of the bill.

The parish has been supporting the work the Family Centre's work on this, by providing St James Community Hall to be a venue where members of the Sāmoan community could go to make submissions to the bill.

For further information about this history and progress of the bill, open the following links:

<https://www.rnz.co.nz/news/political/531713/all-parties-support-samoan-citizenship-bill>

<https://pmn.co.nz/read/law-and-order/samoan-citizenship-bill-s-progresses-to-second-reading>



Daniel and Lita (Family Centre) with aunties who helped to collect submissions to the bill.

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DIARY THIS WEEK

Sunday 3 November

8am Eucharist, St James'
9am Morning Worship, All Saints'
10am All Saints Day Bruncheon
10am Family Eucharist, St James'

Monday 4 November

7:15pm Vicar and Wardens Meeting

Tuesday 5 November

10am Contemplative Prayer, St James'

Wednesday 6 November

10am Staff Meeting
7pm Choir Practice, St James'

Thursday 7 November

10am BCP Eucharist, St James' Chapel
10am Chirping Cherubs, St James'
7:30pm Prayer and Praise via Zoom
(Meeting code: 875 3799 0691
Password: 981615)

Sunday 10 November

8am Eucharist, St James'
9am Family Eucharist, All Saints'
10am Family Eucharist, St James'
4pm Choral Evensong,
Wellington Cathedral

For the full events calendar visit:

<https://www.stjames.net.nz/infoodle-calendar>

Parish Office Hours

71 Woburn Road, Lower Hutt
Tuesdays to Thursdays: 9am to 1pm

**When you have finished using the
Newslink, please return it to the back of
the church.**



All Saints Church
6 Norfolk Street, Belmont Domain



St James Anglican Church
71 Woburn Road, Lower Hutt