

Otago Peninsula Anglican Parish

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Tuesday 1 - 5 pm Thursday 1 - 5 pm



Sunday 25th September 2022

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Te Rātapu Rua Tekau mā rima o He wā noa iho

Readings

Amos 6: 1a,4-7
Psalm 146
1 Timothy 6: 6-19
Luke 16: 19-31

Sentence

Confess your sins to one another,
and pray for one another, so
that you may be healed. The
prayer of the righteous is
powerful and effective.

James 5: 16

Collect

God of resurrection, where there is
death, you bring new life; challenge our
attachment to wealth and power, so
that we may release others from the
chains of poverty, hunger, and injustice,
and the whole earth live to praise your
name; through the Risen Christ, who is
alive and reigns with you, in the unity of
the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for
ever. Amen.

DIARY THIS WEEK: Monday 26th September – Sunday 2nd October

Wednesday: 10.00am - Midweek Eucharist at St Michael's

Thursday: 10.00am - Playgroup at St Philip's

Sunday: 10.00am - Holy Communion at St Michael's
celebrating St Michael's Day

Notices

Daylight Saving

Just a reminder that the clocks go forward 1 hour this Sunday.

St Michael's Day

We had invited the Reverend Paul and Barbara Oestreicher to be our distinguished guests at St Michael's on Sunday 2nd October when we celebrate St Michael's Day, and Paul had kindly agreed to preach. Sadly, due to health issues, the Oestreichers are now not able to travel to Dunedin to join us. Bishop Steve will lead our service and will now also preach. He will take this opportunity to formally re-open the refurbished church. We hope to see many parishioners and friends there for this very special service which will be followed by lunch. To assist with catering numbers, please let Danielle at the Parish Office know by 27th September if you would like to stay for the lunch.

Covid Precautions

Following the recent change to Covid-19 requirements, masks are no longer required in church though you are strongly encouraged to continue to wear them. Spaced seating is now not required, but please be considerate of others. Likewise in passing the Peace, please respect others' wishes. Please continue to use the sanitiser on entering and leaving, and, most important, don't come to church if you are at all unwell. By taking careful steps forward, we protect ourselves and our families, and those around us who are especially vulnerable.

Missions Sunday

Thanks for your support of donations and purchases from the sales table. \$165.60 was raised. If you haven't yet brought the contents of your Mission Box, this can be brought to Church on any Sunday.

Raffle for Missions

Tickets are being sold for a raffle to be drawn on 30th October 2022. Tickets are \$2 each or 3 for \$5.

Prizes include:

Christmas Cake

Cheese Board

Grocery Hamper/s

Can we please have donations of grocery items for the raffle. A basket will be available at the back of the church to put donated items in.

Anglican Family Care Events

AGM - Wednesday 28th September at 5.30pm, Elim Christian Centre, Harrow Street.

Movie Night Fundraiser – Mrs Harris Goes to Paris on Thursday 20th October, 6.30pm at Rialto. Tickets are \$30 per person.

Dinner to celebrate 50 years of Anglican Family Care - Saturday 6th November, 6.00pm at Selwyn College. Tickets are \$99 per person.

For more details about these Anglican Family Care events:

<https://anglicanfamilycare.org.nz/news/upcoming-events-2/>

Online Services

A reminder of the monthly on-line Service this Sunday 25th September at 10.00am.

To find Sunday church services that are held online, go to the Diocesan website at <https://www.calledsouth.org.nz/on-line-worship/>

Are you a knitter, sewer or woodworker?

The Diocese have a couple of new ideas bubbling away that they would love to try to make happen in our Diocese and need to find knitters, crocheters, sewers and woodworkers to see if they're feasible. Materials will be provided.

If you think you can be part of it and would like to find out more please contact Anne van Gend by email: enabler@calledsouth.org.nz

Prayers

The Wider Church

Today we pray for the Christian community in Pakistan.

In the Diocese

Today we pray for the Parish of Upper Clutha – St Columba, Wanaka; St Andrew, Cromwell; Tarras Church and the Vicar – Ven. Damon Plimmer; Priest Assistants – Rev'd Doreen McKinlay and Rev'd Barry Entwistle; Aged Care Pastoral Worker – John Lightfoot. We also pray for the Cursillo Movement.

From the Parish Roll

This Sunday we pray for Lisa Burton and Dannie Hawkins, Chris, Dylan.

Those who have asked for prayer

Gwen and Peter
Paul and Valerie

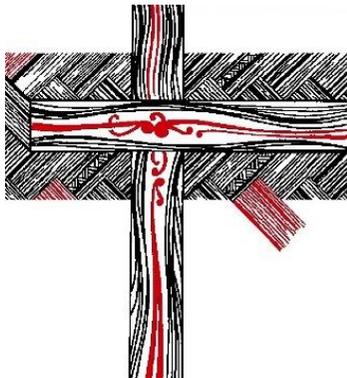
In the Community

Heavenly Father, we give you thanks and praise for the life and work of your servant Elizabeth.

We commend her to your love and peace,
for she is yours in death as in life.

Comfort and sustain the Royal Family and all who mourn,
and into the darkness of grief bring the light of your love;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**St Michael and All
Angels:** Elliot Street,
Andersons Bay



Next week's readings:

To be confirmed
Daniel 7: 9-14
Psalm 103: 15-22
Revelation 12: 7- 12a
John 1: 45-51