

Otago Peninsula Anglican Parish

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Tuesday 1 – 5 pm

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Sunday 1st August 2021

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Te Rātapu Tekau mā waru o He wā noa iho

10am at St Michael's, Andersons Bay

Readings

Exodus 16: 1-4,9-15

Ps 78: 23-29

Ephesians 4: 1-16

John 6: 24-35

Sentence

Jesus said 'Do not work for
the food that perishes, but for
the food that endures for eternal
life'. Mark 6 : 27

Collect

Holy God, you have shown us the bread
that never perishes, you are the bread of
life; may we hunger for that bread above
all else and seek to feed others with your
life giving love. For you are alive and reign
with the Father in the unity of the Holy
Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen

DIARY THIS WEEK: Monday, August 2nd to Sunday, August 8th

- Monday:** 7.30pm – Food Poverty in NZ Community Forum
Tuesday: 10am - Macandrew Bay House-group
Wednesday: 10am - Mid-week communion at St Michael's
Thursday: 10am - St Nicholas' Playgroup
7.30pm - Roster Planning Meeting at St Nicholas' Hall
Sunday: 10am - Holy Communion at St Nicholas', Waverley

NOTICES and UPCOMING DATES

Community Forum – Food Poverty in NZ – Monday 2nd August 7.30-9.30pm, Musselburgh Baptist Church Hall, 131 Musselburgh Rise.

Reminder - Roster Planning Meeting

Our next Roster Planning meeting will be held on Thursday 5th August at St Nicholas' Hall at 7.30pm. Everyone involved in leading worship is warmly invited.

Worship at St Michael's on 15 August

Our joint service with the Free Wesleyan Church of Tonga congregation scheduled for Sunday 15th August has been postponed for now. Their recently appointed minister, the Reverend Tevita Langi, has commitments with other congregations on the Sundays in August as he moves into his new role. We will have our usual third Sunday parish service at St Michael's on 15th August.

Keys/locks/doors – just a reminder to ensure that doors from the Church to the Vestry and Office are locked when you leave the building, and keys are left in their designated places.

Sale of St Michael's Hall -The sale process continues with possession date still to be confirmed. It is subject to the final signoff of remaining conditions of sale.

Promise Keepers Connected 2021 – Men's Event in Christchurch on 7th August. See information at the back of the churches for more info, if you are interested.

Cursillo 21 Year Celebration – Saturday 14th August 10am – 3pm at St John's, Roslyn. Check Called South 8th July, for more details.

The Anglican Social Justice Unit would like to invite Social Justice advocates to a hui on the weekend of August 27th – 29th 2021, in Christchurch. More details are available from Called South 8th July.

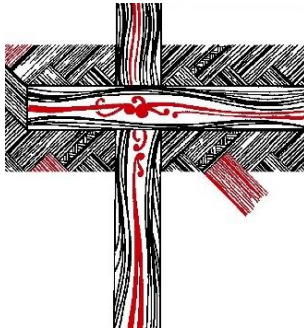
Synod this year will be from Friday 17th September to Sunday 19th September at St Matthew's Church, Dunedin.

St Michael's:

Elliot Street,
Andersons Bay

St Nicholas':

Dunrobin Street,
Waverley



Next week's readings:

**Observing The
Transfiguration of the
Beloved Son**

Exodus 24: 12-18;
Psalm 97,
2 Peter 1: 16-21,
Luke 9: 28-36

Contact Details

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Prayer Support

We used to receive specific requests for prayers from people within the Parish to include in the Pew News, but this has not happened in recent times. We are wondering if there is a need for this. Can you please let the Wardens know your thoughts.

PRAYERS

The Wider Church

We pray for the Diocese of Polynesia and the People of Fiji. We give thanks for the H & W Williams Memorial Trust and its support for the hostel at St Paul's Primary School in Naviavia; for the Chaplains at St Mary's School, Labasa and Basden College, Suva and the ongoing generosity in supporting projects and emergency appeals in Polynesia.

In the Community

We pray

- for people, governments and health services throughout the world as we cope with the COVID-19 pandemic. We pray for equitable and efficient distribution of COVID vaccines.
- that despite COVID-19 concerns the Olympic Games will be a celebration of all that the diverse people of this world have in common.
- for safety on roads, in the air and at sea, for those whose work is made more difficult in winter conditions.
- for those whose homes and livelihoods were damaged by recent flooding.
- for a positive outcome from the decisions made at the Combined Parishes meeting on Wednesday evening.
- for the Rev'd Tevita Langi and the Free Wesleyan Church of Tonga congregations he will serve in Oamaru, Invercargill and Dunedin.

We give thanks for God's gift of healing and pray that all who are unwell will know a special measure of God's love, peace and hope. We pray especially for protection for babies and infants from RSV. May God give peace of heart and mind to them, their families and all who love them and wisdom to their medical teams.

In the Diocese

Our prayers this morning are for St Paul's Cathedral; the Cathedral Chapter; Archbishops and Co-Presiding Bishops; the General Secretary

From the Parish Roll

Please remember in your prayers Don and April Woodward, Kelvin and Clemency Wright