

DIARY 7th May - 12th May

Wed 9th	10.00am	Eucharist at St Michael's followed by morning tea
	7.30pm	St Michael's AAW in the Harding Lounge
Thur 10th	10.00am	Playgroup at St Nicholas' hall
	7.00pm	Vestry Meeting at St Nicholas'
Fri 11th	7.30am	Messy Church at Macandrew Bay School
Sun 13th	8:00am	Holy Communion at St Michael's
	9.30am	Holy Communion at St Nicholas'
	10.00am	Holy Communion at St Michael's
	10.00am	Holy Communion at St Aidan's

NOTICES CONT...

May at St Michael's, and will again hold a "Fair Trade Bake Off" contest. So look out your favourite recipes and stock up on Fair Trade products! Please bring a gold coin donation: the proceeds this time will go towards meeting our Missions target for 2018.

Pentecost Quiet Day

10am to 4pm, Saturday 19th May . All are welcome to attend as we celebrate Pentecost. Offered by Sister Joan Bennett OP (in conjunction with the Southern Coastal Deanery). Venue: St Margaret's Anglican Church, 4 Seaview Terrace Brighton. Bring along your Bible, journal and pen, please also bring your own lunch. Hot drinks provided. Participants are invited to make an offering of a Koha to defray expenses. For further information or to register, contact Maureen Harley on 03 456 0573; 021 10 71 401 by Monday, 14th May.

Locum Priest in Charge's Timetable

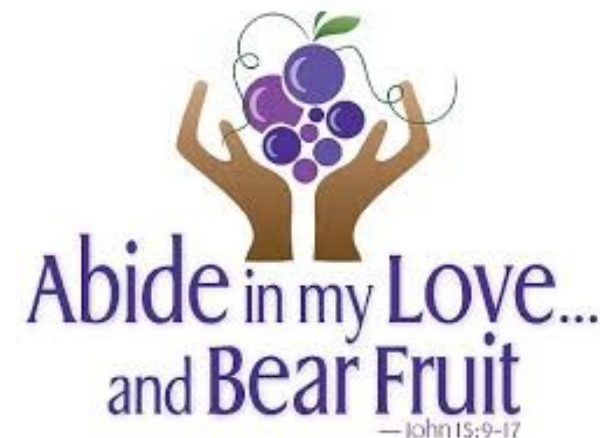
From the 22nd April to 19th July, Vivienne Galletly will be in the Parish on Tuesday afternoons, Thursdays (all day) and two Sundays a month. She is looking forward to renewing her connections with this Parish and is available at other times by arrangement. Her office is in St Nicholas' Hall where she is able to meet privately with parishioners. You can ring her anytime on 021 0839 5599 or 03 425 0208. If she is unavailable to take your call, please leave a message. You can also email her on viviennegalletly@gmail.com

Esther Clarke-Prebble will work alongside Vivienne. She will take some Sunday services and will also be in the Parish on Wednesday mornings. She will take the 10.00am service at St Michael's in alternate weeks, and will also carry out pastoral visits. Esther can be contacted on 473 8908 or 027 368 6655 (email address: esther_clarke_prebble@hotmail.com).

**OTAGO PENINSULA PARISH
ANGLICAN CHURCH**

St Aidan's, Macandrew Bay School
Portobello Road, Macandrew Bay
St Michael's, Elliot Street, Andersons Bay
St Nicholas', Dunrobin Street, Waverley

**PEW NEWS
6th May 2018**



**Locum Priest in Charge: Rev Vivienne Galletly
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**People's Warden: Ralph Gordon
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**Parish Office: St Michael's Church
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**Parish Administrator: Nicki Wallis
Monday - 8.00am - 11.00am
Thursday 8.00am - 11.00am
Friday 8.00am - 10.00am**

6th Sunday of Easter

SENTENCE:

Jesus said, 'You did not choose me, but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit.'
John 15:16

COLLECT:

Alleluia! Holy One, you are our constant companion, send your Holy Spirit, that the journey begun through your Son Jesus Christ may continue to be lived in all its fullness into eternity. Giving praise to our one God: Creator, Redeemer and Advocate. **Amen.**

READINGS:

Acts 10:44-48

Psalm 98

1 John 5:1-6

John 15:9-17



NEXT SUNDAY :

Acts 1:15-17, 21-26

Psalm 1

1 John 5:9-13

John 17:6-19

PRAYERS

The Wider Church

We pray for the Diocese of Polynesia and for the many educational institutions that are dedicated to giving young people a hope and a future; for all those who lead children and youth ministries and create opportunities for meeting together, networking and resource sharing. For openness to the guidance of the Holy Spirit for all attending General Synod.



In the Diocese

We pray for our Bishop Steven, wife Lorraine and family; the parish of Upper Clutha and their Vicar Damon Plimmer and Wardens Noeline Watson and Leith Brew.

In the Community

We pray for the staff and children at Grants Braes school, and for the CRE team bringing the message of God's love into classrooms each Thursday afternoon. For the Playgroup families and for Kay and Kathy as they gather on Thursday morning. For the children attending Messy Church at MacAndrew Bay School on Friday 11th and for the team presenting this event.

Those who have asked for prayer

Julia and Anya, Trevor and Joan Berry, Mary Philps, Claire Johnson, Kathy Vidal, Val Davidson, Shirley, Pam Maurice.

From the Parish Roll

We pray for Blair and Virginia Bishop, Andrew Body, Dianne and Murray Body, Peter Boreham, Claire and Ted Brown, and Val Brown.

NOTICES:

St Michael's

◆ We welcome Theodore Murray and his family as he comes to be baptised at St Michael's today by the Rt. Rev. Dr Kelvin Wright (proud Grandad). Let us keep baby Theo and his parents Bridget and Scott Murray in our prayers today and into the future.

◆ St Michael's AAW meeting will be held in the Harding Lounge on Wednesday 9th May at 7:30pm. Colette Blockley will speak about her experiences as a nurse teaching in the South Sudan. Visitors are welcome.

Giving Tax Receipts are ready for collection from your Church Officer / Administrator.

Service roster planning meeting

The next service roster planning meeting for all those involved in leading worship will be held on Wednesday 16th May at 7.30pm at St Michael's in the Harding Lounge.

Boundaries Workshops

Boundaries Workshops will be held in Dunedin on Saturday 7th July (10.30am to 12.30pm) and on Wednesday 1st August (7.30 to 9.30pm) for those who hold licences from the Bishop (for example, as LLMs) and who plan to apply for new licences when current ones expire next year. Please note the dates and diary them now.

Fair Trade Morning Tea

The Parish will mark Fair Trade Fortnight with a special morning tea following the Parish service for Pentecost on Sunday 20th