

DIARY 19th November - 25th November

Wed 21st	10.00am	Eucharist at St Michael's followed by morning tea
Thur 22nd	10.00am	Playgroup at St Nicholas' hall
Sun 25th	8.00am	BCP Communion service 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 CONTINUED ...

Hospital Chaplaincy. **9.30am, Friday 30th November** in the Dunedin Hospital Foyer.

Advent Retreat/Quiet Day. Offered on behalf of the Southern Coastal Deanery and led by Bishop Steven. All are welcome at a Quiet Day as we enter the Advent period preparing for Christmas. Reflections will be led by Bishop Steven. Bring Bible, journal and pen if desired and your own lunch. Hot drinks provided. Participants are invited to make an offering of a Koha to defray expenses. **10am - 4pm, Saturday 1st December at St Margaret's Anglican Church, 4 Seaview Terrace Brighton.** To register: email Maureen: maugernz@gmail.com

Diocesan Fond Farewell. Bishop Steven and Lorraine warmly invite you to join in food and fellowship as we give thanks for 2018 and for Rev. Canon Alec Clark who is stepping down from his role as Diocesan Ministry Educator. This is the

annual Diocesan Christmas function but this year they are spreading the net wider as they farewell Alec. Please see the invitation on the church noticeboard for details, including how people can participate electronically if unable to attend in person. **2pm, Friday 7th December.** Please RSVP to bishops.pa@calledsouth.org.nz or 03 488 0826 by 23 November.

AAW invites all members, past and present, to enjoy a chat, with coffee and cake, at the Crocodile Café in the Botanical Gardens at **2.00pm, Saturday 1st December.** This is an opportunity to catch up with other members of your organisation, and maybe enjoy a walk around the Gardens which are so beautiful at this time of year. In order to book a table, please let Margaret Tegg know you are coming by Wednesday 28th November. Phone 4764505 or email: brianmargaret.tegg@xtra.co.nz

Message from the Priest in Charge

Full set of 1952 Interpreter's Bible volumes from Paul Dyer - currently with Jo, but please let her know if you would like to use/borrow them.

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

18th November 2018



Priest in Charge: Rev. Jo Fielding
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Parish Administrator: Nicki Wallis
Monday - 8.00am - 11.00am
Thursday 8.00am - 11.00am
Friday 8.00am - 10.00am

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

SENTENCE:

The Lord will judge the ends of the earth; he will give strength to his king, and exalt the power of his anointed.

1 Samuel 2:10

COLLECT:

God of ages, in Jesus Christ you set a corner stone and a strong foundation; you are the true and living way. May we stand firm in the face of all that shakes our foundations, certain in the knowledge of your love. Through Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God now and for ever. Amen.

READINGS:

Daniel 12:1-3

Psalms 16

Hebrews 10:11-14, (15-18), 19-25

Mark 13:1-8



NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS:

Christ the King

Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14

Psalms 93

Revelations: 1:4b-8

John 18:33-37

Aotearoa Sunday

Deuteronomy 6: 1-9

Psalms 114; 136:1-9,
25-26

Colossians 1: 3-14

Mark 4: 26-34

PRAYERS

The Wider Church

We pray for the people of Samoa, Tonga and American Samoa; for the teams of volunteers who work regularly at St Andrew's High School in Tonga to improve the school's buildings and resources to ensure the children have a safe learning environment.

In the Diocese

We pray for our Bishop Steven, wife Lorraine and family; for the parish of Wyndham and their Local Priest Herbert Buckingham.

In the Community

We continue to pray for our Playgroup families and for Kathy, Kay, Lorraine and Jo and this term's volunteer helpers. We give thanks for new families arriving, and for the friendships and support within the group.

Those who have asked for prayer

Alison Latton, Julia and Anya, Trevor & Joan Berry, Mary Philips, Claire Johnson, Kathy Vidal, Val Davidson, Liz Duggan, Shirley.

From the Parish Roll

We pray for Heather Williams, Robert Wilson and Natalie Ellis-Wilson, Desiree and Mark Wispinski, Jonty and Sophie.



NOTICES

Christmas edition of the Parish Magazine. Please can all contributions for this issue be sent to the parish office by Monday 19th November. All contributions will be gratefully accepted.

Grocery Raffle. At St Aidan's on Sunday people once again generously supported the House of Sarah Carers by buying raffle tickets. As well as three grocery hampers there was a Christmas cake. Drawn under the eagle eyes of one retired bishop and two clerics and two retired clerics the prizes went to Clemency Wright, Gilbert and Cushla McMillan and Val Laing with Lisa Burton winning the Christmas Cake. A total of \$150 was raised, so our Mission target is well and truly met. Thank you to everyone who contributed.

The Caversham Lecture Series 2018: Teaching an old brain new tricks

Professor John Reynolds, Department of Anatomy, Otago Medical School, describes how best to protect our brain function as we age, how we might protect ourselves from common brain disorders and new methods to treat these disorders when they occur. **7.30pm, 20th November in St Peter's Caversham parish lounge, Hillside Rd.**

Christmas Bake Sale. All donations of Christmas Baking would be much appreciated to raise money for the