



# Holy Trinity Church

Sunday 1 September 2013

## And the People Stood by Watching



**Theme:** And the People Stood by Watching  
**Vicar:** Susan Gill  
**Preacher:** Stephanie Dole - Barnabas Fund  
**Readings:** Psalms 10:17-18, Acts 8:1-8

*Welcome to Holy Trinity Church this morning.*

*All are invited to join together in Communion using the shared cup, a dipped wafer or individual glasses of wine and grape juice. Prayer is available for you or loved ones after each service.*

### **Prayer for the day:**

O Lord God, your Son Jesus Christ suffered and died for us. In his resurrection he restores life and peace in all creation. Comfort, we pray, all victims of intolerance and those oppressed by

their fellow humans. Lead the oppressors towards compassion and give hope to the suffering. We pray in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Amen.**

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### **Children's Programme:**

The toy box and baby change facilities are available anytime at the rear of the Church. Children are welcome to attend one of the following during the 10.30 sermon time.

- Kids' Church under 5's in the crèche.
- Kids' Church primary school age in the church hall and younger youth (intermediate students to 15 years of age) youth room in the hall.

**Honey for Sale** - New Building Fundraiser. 500gm \$6.00, 1kg \$11.00, 2kg \$20.00.  
Anne Askin Ph 544 9059

**Church Camp** - For the first time in several years we are planning to have a church camp for everyone! It will be at Teapot Valley and Bishop Richard is our speaker. We are working out a cool program for all ages. Please set aside the dates Friday 15 to Sunday 17 November 2013 in your diary now.

**Christmas Workshop** - with Roseanne Armstrong. Come for cake and coffee and learn how to make a swag in preparation for Christmas. These can be used to make our church look amazing this Christmas or for your own homes. The photo is roughly what the finished article will look like. Roseanne Armstrong is an experienced and talented tutor. All materials will be supplied, all you need to bring are a pair of pliers (flat nosed ones) scissors and a smile. No charge. Saturday 21 September, 10.00am in the church hall. Numbers are limited so be in quick. RSVP to the church office 544 8827 or church.onhill@xtra.co.nz



**Senior's Ministry Support and Networking Workshop** - Saturday 28 September or Friday 4 October. Registrations from 9.00am and rolling morning tea - 10.00am start St Barnabas Anglican Church foyer, Main Road, Stoke, Nelson (opp Countdown)  
Guest Speakers: Sue Tilby, Manager Age Concern Nelson/Tasman on Elder Abuse and Age Concern Charles and Elaine Tyrrell will share their experiences of ministry in pastoral care and evangelism with over 65's. Hear about current ministry practice around the Diocese and from some of our Seniors and have the opportunity to share together our stories, resources, ideas, prayer and hospitality. Lunch and morning/ afternoon tea provided (gold coin if you wish). RSVP with your preferred date to charlest@nelsonanglican.org.nz or gerrie@nelsonanglican.org.nz by 30 August 2013 or Ph 03 5483124. Please find your personal invitation in the pockets at the back of the church or contact Kay.

**Thanks** - My grateful thanks to Susan, Kay and the 2 ladies (unknown) who helped at the time of my accident. Also thanks for all the help and messages received since.  
*Beryl Llewelin.*

**Determined Worship** - School of Theology 2013. 10am – 3pm Friday - Saturday 20/21 September. Speakers include: Dr Chris Holmes, *Otago University*, Dr. Sarah Harris, *Carey Baptist College*. All Saints Church Foyer, 30 Vanguard St, Nelson  
More information and book on line: [www.bishopdale.ac.nz/news](http://www.bishopdale.ac.nz/news) or enquire: [office@bishopdale.ac.nz](mailto:office@bishopdale.ac.nz)

**Thanks** - A big thank you to the home groups who watched the Bible Society DVD about their work in Cambodia and who made donations. You have raised enough money to purchase another three Bibles. - *Anne*

**Christmas Shoe Box Appeal** - Yes, time to think of these again and start collecting. Leaflets telling what we can or cannot include are in the rack at the back of Church or from me. With AAW we shall be filling boxes at their meeting on Thursday evening 26th September. More details later. Thank you. Brenda P. 544 5872

**Missions Fundraiser** - Glenda Thomson is collecting aluminium cans and foil containers to sell for missions. For more information on how you can help contact Glenda Ph 544 9931

### **Sentence:**

The people stood watching, and the rulers even sneered at him. They said, "He saved others; let him save himself if he is God's Messiah, the Chosen One." *Luke 23:35*

### **Prayers for the Week**

**The World:** Continue to pray for Egypt, especially those impacted by political fallout and violence. May God protect all innocent people and property and bring a peaceful resolution. Give the US, UK and UN wisdom in dealing with the current leaders in Syria. Seek the Lord's shalom here and in all places of unrest across the world. Remember Barnabas Fund supporting persecuted Christians across the world.

**Mission partners:** Give thanks for the house the Sussex family have secured in Phnom Penh. Pray for smooth settling into school, life and jobs for Phil, Becky, Bryn, Toby, Pippa and Molly and a quick recall of their existing Khmer language. Pray for Phil's dentistry and Becky's primary school teaching ministries.

**Within the Diocese:** Praise God for the gifts from our Diocese to all the school children in Seddon and Ward. Continue to pray for strength and compassion for Dawn and Sana Daunauda. Lift up Chris Donaldson as he ministers in the wider Havelock area. Pray for the small gatherings in Linkwater, Rai Valley, Elaine and Waitaria Bays that they may be salt and light in their communities.

**Local Churches:** Pray for Hope Community Church and their Mission BBQ today. Remember the women as they plan for their camp at the end of the month. Hold up Donald Irvine and the pastoral team that they may faithfully minister life and grace through the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

**Our parish:** Give thanks for record numbers of parents and children from the wider community who attended Messy Church. Pray for Susan and the staff team. Remember Ingrid and Carol who are overseas. Praise God for those who are ministering in their absence.

**Those in need within our own church family:** Remember all still coping with flooding aftermath. Lift up Valda, John McNaughton, Caroline, Owen and Elizabeth, Warren, George, Carole Burke, Noel, Wendy, Grant, Rex Senior, and those in the rest homes and hospitals in our parish. May our loving God provide all they need and give us a nudge if we are meant to be helping practically.

## **This Week...**

### **Monday**

7.30pm

7.30pm

### **2 September**

Fortnightly women's group (S. Frengley)

Weekly group (J. McNaughton)

### **Tuesday**

10.00am

10.00am

7.30pm

7.30pm

### **3 September**

Fortnightly group – 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday (J. Payne)

Weekly group (M. Silke)

Fortnightly group

Prayers for our Church and the World in the office

### **Wednesday**

10.00am

10.00am

2.00pm

### **4 September**

Fortnightly women's group (N. Thomas)

Holy Communion (1662)

AAW Afternoon Group in Hall (J McConachie)

### **Thursday**

12 noon

7.30pm

7.30pm

### **5 September**

Weekly lunch time study group (W. Wilkinson/J. Lines)

Fortnightly group (J. Palmer)

Fortnightly group (N. Pritchard)

### **Sunday:**

9.00am

10.30am

### **8 September**

Holy Communion

Family Service

### **St Albans' Appleby Services 10.30am**

**Sunday 8 September**

Holy Communion

**Sunday 22 September**

Morning Service

*For more information about services or groups contact the office Ph 544 8844.*

### **Roster for 8 September** *Thank you for serving us all!*

**Service Leader:** 9.00am S Gill 10.30am S Jackson

**Sidespeople:** 9.00am J Lines 10.30am M Martin

**Welcomer:** 9.00am B Page 10.30am

**Tea:** S Paine, M Mercer

**Chalice:** 9.00am B Payne, G Thomas 10.30am N/A

**Flowers:** A Heslop **Brass:** L Richards

**Transport for Noel Bythell:** R & S Frengley

**Readings for next Sunday:** Revelation 2:8-11, Revelation 5:1-10, Matthew 25:1-13

If you would like someone from Holy Trinity to contact you during the coming week, please fill out this slip and place in the offering bag.

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone** \_\_\_\_\_