



Church on the Hill

Sunday 29 October 2017



Theme: Daily Challenge. Kia kaha
Vicar: Susan Gill
Preacher: Jean Palmer
Readings: Luke 9:18 – 26, Philippians 3:7-14

Sentence:

Then Jesus said to them all: "Whoever wants to be my disciple must deny themselves and take up their cross daily and follow me."
- Luke 9:23

Prayer for the day:

Lord God, we come to you right now to draw on your strength and power. Please be with us to strengthen us in all the areas where we feel weak. We pray that you will help us to stand strong, no matter what comes against us. Save us from the time of trial. Your power is far greater than that the things we fear could crush us. Help us to draw close to you constantly knowing you draw near to us. As the psalmist

writes: You, O Lord, do not be far from Me; O My Strength, hasten to help Me! Thank you that you hear the cries of our heart when words fail us. Thank you that with the help of your Holy Spirit we can be Christ followers in the hard times as well as the good. We pray these things in the name of our Saviour and Friend, Jesus Christ.
Amen

Following Jesus, Building Community

All Saints' Day - There will be no evening All Saints service this year. Instead we will hold a special service at 7.00pm on Sunday 3 December when we will remember those we have loved but who are no longer with us.

House Swap - Linda, Peter and Emily Blackmore live in Christchurch and would like to swap houses with someone from around 19 December for a week. (They are previous church members.) Please contact Linda at : harrowdale1@yahoo.co.nz or on her cell phone 027 493 5662 or landline 03 342 9345 to find out more information. They have a two bedroom house in Burnside.

Help Wanted - Whanake Youth is a new charitable trust set up to empower youth in the Nelson, Tasman and Marlborough region to participate and lead their journey from adolescence to adulthood through timely and youth appropriate access to health and wellbeing services. We are looking for volunteers for any of the programs Whanake Youth are providing to the local youth community such as Wicked Tooth Fairy, Cooking classes, Peer mentors - we would love to see you and talk some more! If you would like to participate in any of the activities with young people, you need to have had a recent Police check and have completed some form of child protection training. Child Protection training (SafeHere) is available on Wednesday 15 November, 7.00pm - 9.00pm and Saturday 18 November 10.00am - 12.00pm at St Barnabas Church, Stoke. If you need more information please go to the website www.whanakeyouth.org.nz Phone: 021 0270 2417 email: hello@whanakeyouth.org.nz
Thanks Lee-ann O'Brien and Debbie Hollebon *Co-Directors Whanake Youth*.

Truffle Rolling - Funding the work of *Global Impact's Freedom Philippines Campaign*. Can You Help? Friday 3 November Friday 9.00am - 9.00pm, Saturday 4 November 9.00am - 1.00pm Join us for whatever time you can spare during these times as we roll and package truffles. For more information visit our website www.truffles.org.nz or email info@truffles.org.nz Held at Brightwater Town Hall, Lord Rutherford Road, Brightwater.

Women's Event - Daughters, Daughters, Daughters. For women of all ages. Enjoy the ambience of a Cafe with its coffee/tea and cake, along with meeting women from other churches/community. Also enjoy the privilege of Sherry Boyd sharing a powerful story of God's far-reaching grace in her life. At "The Wooden Spoon" Cafe, Richmond, 7.30pm Thursday 2 November. \$10 (earlybird before 24 October) \$15 after 24 October. Tickets available from Manna, Richmond Mall info desk. For more information Neila Barnes Ph. 544 5420 www.cwcinz.org.nz. A Christian Women Communicating International event.

Spring Sale - That is what we are calling our fair and garage this year, the same as last time. Can you help by telling your family, friends and neighbours about our Sale? There will be flyers in the Pews News and extras at the back of the church if you need them. Thank you to all who are already preparing items for sale, if you have any questions just ask Shiona Frengley or Jan South. We will be setting up the Sale on Friday from 10.00am to 3.30 pm. If you have any items for sale or can help with the set up you will be most welcome. If you could help on Saturday we are open from 8.00 am to 12.00noon and will need help to clear up after the sale. If you can help please let Shiona, Jan or Merle know. Hope to see you there!!

Glorify Worship Team Conference - Friday 3 November & Saturday 4 November. Encourage, Excel, Encounter. The weekend will feature a mix of guest presenters and local legends sharing their stories and running practical workshops, as well as leading us in times of worship and prayer. Our special guest David Lyle Morris joining us from the Upper room in Auckland - David has travelled the world worship leading, written a number of albums, and has worked with gospel greats Robin Mark, Graham Kendrick, Darlene Zschech and even Gloria Gaynor on BBC TV. Local legends include Phil and Janelle Houghton (Inflame NZ). Date - Friday 3.11 to Saturday 4.11 // Times - Registrations from 7.00pm Friday (Starts 7.30pm), finishes 9.00pm Saturday. // Where - The Headingly Centre (Grace Church) Lower Queen St Richmond. // Who - Worship leaders and their teams // Cost - \$20 per person, payable via online registration or at the venue Friday. For Info: www.facebook.com/nelsonworshipcollective

Looking for work? - Christmas Pear Thinning. Flexible time from November 6. No Ladder work - Just Mental concentration. Phone Phil 021 253 7683

Email Address Changed? If your email address has changed as a result of Vodafone's decision to no longer support email, please let us know so we can update our records. Email with update and your name in the subject line to: church.onhill@xtra.co.nz Thanks.

Men's Forum - The October forum has been cancelled. Following a recent cold I have yet to regain my hearing. Last month I mentioned the need to be positive in any comments made. The first rule of debating is that the proposition must be in the positive. So here is your challenge for October: Explain one positive thing Donald Trump has done in the first 9 months of his administration. Send me an email with your answer. apollonius@clear.net.nz Thanks, Jacob Klootwyk.

Celebration - Celebrating 150 years (1867 - 2017) St Johns Anglican Church, Queen Street, Westport. Sunday 26 November 2017. 10.00am Thanksgiving Service followed by a luncheon Sunday 26 November 2017. "God, who has called you into fellowship with His Son Jesus Christ our Lord, is faithful" 1 Corinthians 1:9(NIV) If you would like to celebrate with us please contact Marilyn Wearing phone (03) 789 6094 or 027 8274421 or email marilynwearing@outlook.com to enable us to organise catering

Save the Children Concert - Royal Overseas League Presents Ferio Saxophone Quartet. 7.30pm Wednesday 15 November All Saints Church. Tickets: \$30 Adults, \$5 Students, \$60 Family. Enjoy a compelling, musically varied programme by this sensational UK Quartet. Classic formality to blended barber-shop smoothness with works from Bach to Reinhart. These exciting young musicians are one of the leading British saxophone quartets of the new generation. Thanks to generous local sponsors and volunteers all profit from this concert will go to support the work of Save the Children. Tickets from: Theatre Royal Nelson / I-Site / Richmond Mall / www.ticketdirect.co.nz / Lemon Tree Lane, Strawbridge Square, Stoke. (tickets not available from the Anglican Centre or All Saints Church)

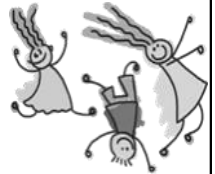
= KIDS' CHURCH CALENDAR =

Today Sunday 29 October Early Church - The Middle Years

Next Sunday 5 November TBA

The toy box and baby change facilities are available anytime at the rear of the Church.

Prayers and offers of help are appreciated. Catherine 022 647 9810



Prayers for the Week

God's World - As we look round this broken world your there is so much suffering it can seem overwhelming and we struggle to know how to respond. Guide us Lord in your ways and show us your will for us. We pray for your mercy and provision for the Rohingya refugees, and those still fleeing persecution in Myanmar. Bless all those working for their wellbeing. Lord we pray for all those affected by armed conflict, may they know your love.

Mission Partners - Lord you have promised to be with us and to take away sickness from us. We ask for your healing for Sophia Corin. Be with Sophia and her Mum Catherine as they seek treatment in Turkey and give the whole family your strength and peace.

Diocese - We pray for your blessing on the Motueka Anglican Parishes. At this busy time of year may their focus be on you, may you enable them to support each other and their communities, being salt and light; bringing your love and encouragement wherever they go. Inspire and encourage Russell and Anna Pickersgill-Brown as they lead your team of faithful servants to grow your kingdom.

Community - Today we pray for our brothers and sisters at St John's Lutheran Church. Inspire and guide them as they seek a new pastor. We thank you Lord for Mark's leadership while this occurs, walk with him at this busy time as he manages multiple responsibilities.

We thank you for this community. Help us to be agents of your peace, that all may know your love.

Our Parish - We ask for your healing power and grace for Albertha, Gwen, Ellie, John Barnes, Margaret Silke and others known to us, for the families and friends who support them and for your blessing on the residents and staff of the rest homes and retirement villages in our parish.

This Week...

Monday 30 October

7.30pm Weekly group (K. Peterson)

Tuesday 31 October

10.00am Fortnightly group (M Silke)

10.00am Fortnightly women's group (B Page)

7.30pm Fortnightly women's group (S Frengley)

Wednesday 1 November

10.00am Wednesday Service

10.00am Tea and Talk

Thursday 2 November

12.00pm Weekly Study group (W Wilkinson, J Lines)

7.00pm Fortnightly group (J Palmer)

7.30pm Fortnightly group (N Pritchard)

Saturday 4 November

9.00am Spring Garage Sale

Sunday 5 November

9.00am Holy Communion

10.45am Holy Communion

7.00pm Taizé Service

Coming up...

Tuesday 7 November

11.30am Lunch on the Hill

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

St Albans' Appleby Services 10.30am

Sunday 12 November Holy Communion

Sunday 26 November Morning Prayer

If you wish to give financial support to Holy Trinity Church, our bank account number is:
03 0751 0146369 001 Westpac Richmond

Roster for 5 November - Thank you for serving us all!

Leader:	9.00am	J Sardella	10.45am	S Gill
Reader:	9.00am	A Heslop, V Matthews	10.45am	TBA
Sidespeople	9.00am	B Page	10.45am	TBA
Welcomer:	9.00am	G Thomas	10.45am	TBA
Chalice:	9.00am	A Burrough, E Erskine	10.45am	S Stephens, C Ward
Tea:		M Gibson, S Stephens		
Flowers:		M Reynolds	Creche:	M Brosnahan

Theme for Next Sunday: A sound mind; Kia kaha

Readings for next Sunday: Job 16: 1-14, Ecclesiastes 8:14-17

Parish Contacts

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10.00am - 5.30pm

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