

# St Aidan's

## Anglican Church

### 15 September 2024

Today's service comes from page 404 of the New Zealand Prayer Book,  
and will be available online via [Facebook](#) or [YouTube](#)

## We are the Messengers

### Readings

Ezekiel 34:11-16

1 Corinthians 9:16-27

Luke 6: 39-42

### Sentence

If I proclaim the gospel, this gives me no ground  
for boasting, for an obligation is laid on me.

1 Corinthians 9:16a

### Prayer

God our hope,

When we are blinded by our own needs and desires,  
touch us with your grace.

Open our eyes and hearts to your freely given good news.

Help us live our obligation to love,  
and to see your loving heart at work  
both in us, and in our world.

With Jesus we pray. Amen.

*Welcome to St Aidan's! Please join us for morning tea in the Gathering Area after our services. If you are new, or would like more information, please make sure to introduce yourself and fill in a Newcomer's form.*

**WORSHIP**

**CARING**

**MISSION**

5 Ascot Avenue, Remuera, Auckland

# What's on at St Aidan's

## Today

**8am** - Holy Communion.

**9:30am** - Family service with Holy Communion. *Kids Church and Youth programmes held during this service.*

**10:45am** - Confidential prayer in the Side Chapel.

*Our apologies there has been no livestream over the last two weeks. We are back online again and should be livestreaming as usual today.*

## This Week

**WEF** - Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> September, 7:30pm in the GA. Our speaker will be Sue Cooper of Remuera Heritage, and her subject will be Jean Batten.

**mainly music** - 10am Wednesday in the Hall.

**Prayer Meeting** - Thursday at 9am in the GA, or via [Zoom](#).

**Garage Sale Volunteers 'Thank You' Evening** - Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> September. Drinks & Nibbles, 6pm to 7:30pm.

**Mission Shop** - Open Thursday, Friday & Saturday, 10am to 2pm.

## Next Week

**8am** - Holy Communion.

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# Prayers

- ◆ We give thanks for the blessing of our buildings, the generous donated items but especially all the people who gave time, effort and prayer to our Garage Sale
- ◆ Our political leaders and for the wellbeing of our nation, that together we might make and keep our country a home for all it's people
- ◆ As we observe the International Day of Peace on 21<sup>st</sup> September, we pray for peace in war zones around the world, and for the peace of God to enter our homes and our lives



## Coming Up

**Office Closed** - All day Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> September.

**Pet Service** - Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> October, 4pm in the GA. *More info next page.*

**Office Closed** - For the week from 28<sup>th</sup> October to 1<sup>st</sup> November.

**Sing Your Favourite Hymn** - Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> November, 2:30pm. A clipboard is available in the GA to request your favourite hymn. Anita Banbury will lead, with Brian Millar on the organ. Afternoon tea will follow the singing.



## Annual Garage Sale

THANK YOU!!! To all our wonderful volunteers who have worked so hard over the last weeks and months to make our Garage Sale such a success, we say a huge 'Thank you!'

**We invite you to join us for drinks and nibbles on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> September from 6pm to 7:30pm, as a token of our appreciation.**

The total raised will be shared during our Sunday service news time, and for those interested a list of stall totals will be available next Sunday.

**Stall Managers** - please write a report for the organising committee and forward to Liz Fraser or the office by Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> September.

## Ordinations

The Bishop has confirmed that Kate Shrigley will be ordained to the diaconate and Rev'd Christina Turner will be ordained to the priesthood on Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> November, Holy Trinity Cathedral, at 10am. Wonderful news! Please mark the date in your calendar so we can have a great representation from the parish supporting them both on their special day. Christina will continue her ministry at St Aidan's and Kate's placement has yet to be determined. Please pray for them both as they prepare for their ordinations and ongoing ministry.

## Bake-off Competition

Thank you to our judges Max, Nick and Hannah, and to all the bakers who brought along such delicious loaves. Slices of each loaf were sold after the judging, raising \$86 to add to our Garage Sale total. First prize was awarded to Janet Dawson, second prize to Karel Lee, and special mention to Christine Ford.

## Pet Service

4pm on Sunday  
6<sup>th</sup> October in  
the GA. Bring  
along your pet,



teddy, or a photo to be blessed, as we celebrate our animal friends and 'family members'. Donations of pet food, old towels and sheets for the SPCA would be greatly appreciated, collecting from Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> Sept.

## Security

Church security is becoming an increasing issue for us, and our alarm system is gradually being upgraded with individual access codes. If you require access to an alarmed area of the site on a regular basis, please speak to Anne in the office to have a personal code set. The generic code, which has been used by many people in the past, will no longer be active after the end of September 2024.

# Contacts @ St Aidan's

To contact the people below whose details are not displayed, either refer to your St Aidan's parish directory, or contact Anne in the office who will be able to assist further.

<b>Office:</b> Mon-Fri 9 - 3:30	Anne Godman <a href="mailto:office@staidans.co.nz">office@staidans.co.nz</a> 929 4670 ext 1	<b>mainly music:</b>	Hannah Scharf <a href="mailto:mainlymusic@staidans.co.nz">mainlymusic@staidans.co.nz</a>
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<b>Curate</b>	Rev'd Christina Turner <a href="mailto:christina@staidans.co.nz">christina@staidans.co.nz</a>	<b>Mission Shop:</b>	Jenny Haggitt
<b>Other Clergy</b>	The Rev'd Anne Priestley	<b>Outreach:</b>	Barbara Weir
<b>Vicar's Warden:</b>	James Parkinson	<b>Pastoral Care:</b>	Desré Simpson
<b>People's Warden:</b>	Desré Simpson	<b>Pins &amp; Needles:</b>	Gail Hodder
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<b>Kids' Church:</b>	Isabelle (Izzi) Hoskyn 929 4670 ext 5 <a href="mailto:children@staidans.co.nz">children@staidans.co.nz</a>	<b>Writing Group:</b>	The Rev'd Anne Priestley
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## Regular Events @ St Aidan's

<b>Sunday Services</b>	<b>8am</b> Holy Communion <b>9:30am</b> Family Communion with Youth and Kids' Church
<b>AAW</b>	A women's fellowship group meets in the GA, first Tuesday of each month March to December, at 1:30pm.
<b>Choir Practice</b>	Practise on Sunday morning at 9am, Saturday practises currently on hold. Contact Antoinette.
<b>Contemplative Prayer</b>	Meditation ( <a href="#">online via Zoom</a> meeting ID: 876 7943 0576) each Wednesday at 9:45am - contact Anne P.
<b>Kids' Church</b>	All children aged 3-10 during the 9:30am service. Contact <a href="#">Izzi</a> .
<b>mainly music</b>	Wednesday at 10am in the Hall during school terms. Music and play for pre-school aged children and their families or care givers. Contact <a href="#">Hannah</a> .
<b>Men's Ministry</b>	Meets on the last Thursday of each month for breakfast at 7:30am. Contact Pete.
<b>Mid-week Communion</b>	Mid-week Holy Communion held on the first Wednesday of each month at 11:30am.
<b>Mission Shop</b>	Open Thursday, Friday & Saturday 10am to 2pm. New volunteers welcome. Contact Jenny.
<b>Pins &amp; Needles</b>	A knitting for charity group. Meets monthly on the second Monday at 10am in the GA. Contact Gail.
<b>Prayer Meeting</b>	Thursday mornings at 9am in the GA, or join from home via Zoom - Enter the <a href="#">Zoom online meeting ID</a> : 959 1932 0025, or phone: +64 9 884 6780 and enter Passcode 1 #.
<b>Small Groups</b>	All welcome! Contact your small group (home group / house church / Bible study) leader, or speak to Sheryl or <a href="#">Louise</a> for information about joining a small group.
<b>Vestry</b>	Meet monthly 7:30pm in the GA on the fourth Tuesday. Next strategic meeting 24 <sup>th</sup> Sept. at the Vicarage.
<b>WEF</b>	A women's evening fellowship group. Meets monthly on the third Tuesday at 7:30pm in the GA.
<b>Writing Group</b>	Community-focused writing for advocacy and justice, 10am on the last Friday of each month, contact Anne P.
<b>Young Adults</b>	Meets every second Sunday at 4pm to 6pm, plus occasional social events. Contact <a href="#">Isobell</a> .
<b>Youth</b>	School aged youth (age 11+), Sunday during the 9:30am service. Contact <a href="#">Nic</a> .

### Bank Account for direct deposits:

St Aidan's Church Remuera

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Please use your giving number as reference, and contact the office if you are unsure what it is.