

St Aidan's

Anglican Church

20 October 2024

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

Learning Slowly

Readings

Isaiah 53:4-12
Hebrews 5:1-10
Mark 10:35-45

Sentence

Jesus said: 'Are you able to drink the cup
that I drink, or be baptized with the
baptism that I am baptised with?'

Mark 10:38

Prayer

Servant God,
challenge us when we judge our neighbours
and set ourselves as authorities over others.
Show us how to serve you,
to accept your cup of sorrow and your baptism of hope.
May we learn to share the weight of authority
so that all may be empowered,
in your name. 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.

10:45am - Confidential prayer.

12pm - We have a rare opportunity to see inside ACM's HomeGround today. Scan the QR code for tickets, \$10 per person, to tour the facilities between 12pm-4pm and visit their pop-up Op Shop.



This Week

mainly music - Wednesday 10am.

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

ASTA Advocacy at St Aidan's (Writing Group) - Friday 25th October, 10am in the GA, making Christmas cards for people in prison.

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

Louise on Annual Leave - back in the office from Thursday 24th October. Please contact Anne in the office for help during this time.

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Prayers

- ◆ Our Mission Shop as they engage with our community, and all of our wonderful volunteers who work to make it such a success
- ◆ The Hospital team assisting the Chaplains today, and all those the Chaplains minister to in hospital
- ◆ Following the release of the [Ethical Fashion Guide](#) this week, we pray for the protection of workers from exploitation, and an awareness of how our buying choices impact the world



Coming Up

Men's Breakfast - Friday 31st October, 7:30am at Brown's Café.

The Office will be Closed - 28th October to 1st November inclusive, reopening Monday 4th November. Contact Louise for site access.

Sing Your Favourite Hymn - Sunday 3rd November, 2:30pm.

Parish Annual General Meeting - Sunday 17th November after the 9:30am service.

Ordination Service - Kate Shrigley and Rev'd Christina Turner will be ordained at Holy Trinity Cathedral, 10am on Saturday 30th November.

Lessons & Carols Service - Sunday 1st December, 7pm in the Church.

Sing Your Favourite Hymn

**2:30pm on Sunday
3rd November.**

Anita Banbury will lead, with Brian Millar on the organ.

Don't miss this chance to join together in singing many of the old favourite hymns. Afternoon tea will follow the singing.



Sunday Services Help

We are in need, both now and more very soon, of extra volunteers to help with duties during Sunday services.

8am - Readers, chalice, and liturgist.

9:30am - Liturgist.

Sign up on the clipboard if you feel you can help, or even if you just want to find out more.

ASTA Advocacy at St A's

The Writing Group has grown, blossomed, and become ASTA -

Advocacy at St

Aidan's, a name which

better reflects who we are and what we are doing.

Next meeting is on this Friday 25th

October (the last Friday of the

month) from 10am to 11:30am, in

the Gathering Area. All welcome!

Our focus will be writing or drawing

cards for people in New Zealand

prisons over Christmas. Materials

will be provided, or bring your own.

Please do not stick anything onto your card.

Any questions? Ask Anne P.



'The Apostle' Christmas

We will soon be putting together the Christmas edition of 'The Apostle' magazine, and our theme/focus this year will be 'Giving Thanks'.

What are you thankful for this year?

It could be in your prayer life and church, or personally at home, work, or family. To contribute a note, paragraph, or article, please email the office by 31st October.

New Vicar's Induction

The Reverend Sarah Stevens-Cross will be inducted as the next Vicar of our parish at a service to be held here on **Tuesday 3rd December at 7pm.**



During the transition period ahead of Louise's retirement in February, Sarah and Louise will be Co-Vicars.

Synod Reports

A brief summary of Synod is pinned to the Noticeboard, and a small number of copies are available to take away if anyone would like one.

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.

Office:	Anne Godman Mon-Fri 9 - 3:30 office@staidans.co.nz 929 4670 ext 1	Library:	Anne Mercer
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Curate	Rev'd Christina Turner christina@staidans.co.nz	Men's Ministry:	Pete Macaulay
Other Clergy	The Rev'd Anne Priestley	Mission Shop:	Jenny Haggitt
Vicar's Warden:	James Parkinson	Outreach:	Barbara Weir
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AAW Fellowship:	Christine Kennedy	Pins & Needles:	Gail Hodder
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ASTA:	The Rev'd Anne Priestley	Privacy Officer:	Miles Brown privacy@staidans.co.nz
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		Find us online:	www.staidans.co.nz @staidansremuera

Regular Events @ St Aidan's

Sunday Services	8am Holy Communion 9:30am Family Communion with Youth and Kids' Church
AAW	A women's fellowship group meets in the GA, first Tuesday of each month March to December, at 1:30pm.
Choir Practice	Practise on Sunday morning at 9am, Saturday practises currently on hold. Contact Antoinette.
Contemplative Prayer	Meditation (online via Zoom meeting ID: 876 7943 0576) each Wednesday at 9:45am - contact Anne P.
Kids' Church	All children aged 3-10 during the 9:30am service. Contact Izzi .
mainly music	Wednesday at 10am in the Hall during school terms. Music and play for pre-school aged children and their families or care givers. Contact Hannah .
Men's Ministry	Meets on the last Thursday of each month for breakfast at 7:30am. Contact Pete.
Mid-week Communion	Mid-week Holy Communion held on the first Wednesday of each month at 11:30am.
Mission Shop	Open Thursday, Friday & Saturday 10am to 2pm. New volunteers welcome. Contact Jenny.
Pins & Needles	A knitting for charity group. Meets monthly on the second Monday at 10am in the GA. Contact Gail.
Prayer Meeting	Thursday mornings at 9am in the GA, or join from home via Zoom - Enter the Zoom online meeting ID : 959 1932 0025, or phone: +64 9 884 6780 and enter Passcode 1 #.
Small Groups	All welcome! Contact your small group (home group / house church / Bible study) leader, or speak to Sheryl or Louise for information about joining a small group.
Vestry	Meet monthly 7:30pm in the GA on the fourth Tuesday. Next Formal Meeting Tuesday 29 th October in the GA.
WEF	A women's evening fellowship group. Meets monthly on the third Tuesday at 7:30pm in the GA.
ASTA - Advocacy at St Aidan's	Community-focused writing for advocacy and justice, 10am on the last Friday of each month, contact Rev'd Anne Priestley.
Young Adults	Meets every second Sunday at 4pm to 6pm, plus occasional social events. Contact Isobell .
Youth	School aged youth (age 11+), Sunday during the 9:30am service. Contact Nic .

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.