

St Aidan's

Anglican Church

27 October 2024

Today's service comes from page 456 of the New Zealand Prayer Book,
and will be available online via [Facebook](#) or [YouTube](#)

Are our eyes open?

Readings

Jeremiah 31: 7-9
Hebrews 7: 23-28
Mark 10: 46-52

Sentence

Then Jesus said to him, "What do you
want me to do for you?"
The blind man said to him, "My teacher,
let me see again."

Mark 10: 51

Prayer

Gracious God,
you long for all people to experience your life-giving love.
You reach out to us, especially in the midst of our struggles.
Grant us new vision, that we may recognise your way, and follow you.
Empower us by your Holy Spirit,
that we may actively contribute to your reign of peace.
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.

P: WOV 30 vs 1, 3 & 6 tune 223i

O: WOV 56 vs 1, 2 & 4

R: WOV 455 vs 1, 2, 4 & 5

9:30am - Family service with Holy Communion. **No Kids' Church this week, but a children's talk during the service and activities at the back.*

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

This Week

The Office will be Closed - for Labour Day on Monday 28th October, and also for the rest of the week as Anne takes a short holiday. Reopening Monday 4th November. Contact Louise for site access from Tuesday afternoon to Saturday morning.

mainly music - Wednesday 10am in the Hall.

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

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

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

Coffee & K's - Saturday 2nd November, 10am. *More info next page.*

Prayers

- ◆ Family and friends of Enid Bull, whose funeral will be held here this week
- ◆ Today is Media Prayer Day, and we join with churches around the country, and around the globe, to pray for those working in the media industry
- ◆ Our men's ministry as they meet for breakfast this coming week



Next Week

8am - Holy Communion.

9:30am - Family service with Holy Communion.

2:30pm - Sing Your Favourite Hymn in the church. 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 to find out more.

'The Apostle' Christmas

Our theme/focus for the Christmas edition 'The Apostle' magazine is '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 before next Sunday 3rd November.

Coming Up

AAW AGM - Tuesday 5th November, 1:30pm in the church and GA.

Pins & Needles - Monday 11th November, 10am in the GA.

Parish Annual General Meeting - Sunday 17th November, 10:45am.

WEF - Tuesday 19th November, 7:30pm in the GA for Christmas Carols, desserts and punch.

Volunteers Thank You morning tea - Sunday 24th November after both services.

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, led by the Cantemus Choir.

Induction Service for Rev'd Sarah Stephens-Cross - Tuesday 3rd December, 7pm in the Church.

Annual General Meeting

Our 2024 Annual general Meeting will be held Sunday 17th November at approx. 10:45am, after the conclusion of the 9:30am service.

If you have a report to write for the Annual Reports booklet, please send in to the office by 9am on Wednesday 6th November *at the latest* for inclusion.

Vestry (green), **People's Warden** (blue), and this year also **Synod Rep's** (purple) nomination forms are now available in the GA. Please place completed forms in the marked box or hand into the office. Deadline for nominations is 12 noon on Wednesday 13th November, and names will be displayed on the notice board shortly after so we can pray about voting.

Coffee & K's

Our next walk will be on Saturday 2nd November, a week later than usual due to the Labour Day long weekend, meeting 10am and walking along Westhaven Marina. Coffee after the walk will be at Buoy Café.

Our final walk for 2024 will be on Saturday 7th December, finishing with a Christmas lunch at approx. 11:30am at Ampersand Eatery, Ōrākei.

Contact Annette or Ronnie for more info or to arrange carpooling.

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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Vicar's Warden:	James Parkinson	Outreach:	Barbara Weir
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AAW Fellowship:	Christine Kennedy	Pins & Needles:	Gail Hodder
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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.