
ALL SAINTS' PARISH WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

SERVICES THIS WEEK**ALL SAINTS****Sunday 8:00am***Conformity/Deformity/**Transfomity*

Nigel Dixon

Romans 8: 12 - 14, 12: 1 - 2

Luke 10: 1 - 9

Sunday 10:00 am*Conformity/Deformity/**Transfomity*

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Romans 8: 12 - 14, 12: 1 - 2

Sunday 5:00 pm*Conformity/Deformity/**Transfomity*

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Romans 8: 12 - 14, 12: 1 - 2

Luke 10: 1 - 9

Thursday 10 am

Eucharist & Prayer Book

Service

Hector Hatch

ST COLUMBA'S**Sunday 9.30 am**

Informal Service

PARISH DATES

28 July - "The Gathering"

31 July - Communitas

WELCOME TO ALL SAINTS CHURCH

It is wonderful to see you here today. Please feel free to stay after the service for a tea, coffee or just a chat.

VICAR'S VERBIAGE

We have been on a great journey as a parish for the last three years. One of the concerns at the start of my time here was how disconnected the different congregations were – that we shared very little. We are slowly becoming a 'we', a parish, a body.

The fantastic attendance of Communitas was a sign of this. The level of quality input and dialogue was a sign of a parish on a discipleship journey together. The Arahanga leadership development sessions have also played a significant role – later this month we will seek to refine our vision and mission – the end of a year long process.

Last weekend we had a brilliant time beginning the cleanup of a neglected waterway. It was wonderful to get so many working together from all our congregations and ministries working together. Last term we had a similar response providing for a refugee family (and nearly provided enough for three!). This is family at its best.

At the end of the month we will have Bishop Ellie with us for "The Gathering". We will be at 54 Pascal St (CCC) for a time of being family, baptisms, inspiration and a meal. This will be a bit of an experiment – worshipping together seems to be our biggest challenge, so we will be doing this one differently. There will no 'worship team' or 'choir' – the 'service' will be something completely different but neo-traditional. So to know what that is you will have to come along! *...Continued Overleaf*

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You will have noticed a little coverage in the media over our building proposal. It is proving to be complicated to even slightly modify our class A heritage building. While we all share and love this building, would sacrifice to get it back, we have very limited say in its future. We do, however, need to ensure that it is something that future generations can use and celebrate. So pray and hold faith as we joust and wrestle with our first world challenge – let's always keep this in perspective.

Cheers, Nigel

ALL SAINTS MOVIE NIGHT

On Friday 12 July here at All Saints we are having a Movie Night! Bring your family and friends to share in some fun times watching a cool movie and munching on some snacks. It will be a two part event with a kids movie starting at 4.30pm and an adults movie beginning at 7.00pm. Snacks and drinks provided. Koha entry. See you there!



TORONTO CHILDREN'S CHORUS

The world renowned Toronto Children's Chorus is performing at St Peter's Church Sunday 7th July at 2.30pm. Entry by donation. Come along for an hour of music from many cultures. For enquiries phone Roy Tankersley on 027 315 7760.

ACCOMMODATION REQUIRED

Accommodation is required for Ruth Mortimer's son. He is 22 years old with special needs. He receives daily support and is reasonably independent. A one bedroom flat would be appropriate. Please phone Ruth on 354 0246 or 021 940 554

ALL SAINTS FOOD BANK

The All Saints Food Bank supports families and people in need. They are in desperate need of food. Thank you to all of those who donate regularly. It is most appreciated! However they are now very low on almost everything but especially pasta sauce, tinned fruit, spaghetti, tea, coffee and cereal.



SERMONS ONLINE

All sermons from the 10am and 5pm, are recorded and posted on the All Saints website for you to listen to. Go to <https://www.allsaintspn.org.nz>. Look under the Sermons tab.

CONTACT DETAILS

If you are new to All Saints or have a new email address or phone number please contact the office to get these updated on our database.

SHARED LUNCH

Don't forget that we have a shared lunch on Sunday 7 July at 12.30pm. We are going to 27 Epsom Road, Palmerston North, where Rosemary, Neil and Odette Barsanti will be our hosts.



Please bring a plate along to share. If you would like to offer your house to be a future location, please let Odette or Davis know.

STREAM CLEAN-UP BRINGS PALMY COMMUNITY TOGETHER



More than 70 parishioners from All Saints church turned up to plant trees and clean Kawa Stream at Colquhoun Park, Palmerston North, on Sunday June 30. The event was a collaboration with Tanenuiarangi Manawatu Incorporated (TMI), the mandated iwi authority for Rangitāne O Manawatu.

Siobhan Lynch of TMI opened with a kaupapa about the importance of the stream to the natural descendants of the hapu of Rangitāne, saying, "For a thousand years this stream had fed the Awapuni Lagoon and was the resource harvest and food basket for our people until the lagoon was drained by Pakeha for settlement. It's been left in a devastated condition until now."



In addition to removing rubbish and clearing debris over 300 native harakeke flax plants were strategically planted on the stream's banks before the afternoon concluded with a BBQ and shared meal.

Reverend Andy Hickman spoke a karakia blessing over the land and stream on behalf of the parish and attendees sang a waiata in honour of Rangitāne iwi. "It's not just about environmental care, but also about how we as a Christian community are here to value the taonga of tangata whenua and contribute to the holistic well-being of our city."



Siobhan said this was the first time that a church had offered to help TMI with its environmental work and was grateful for the skilled contributions made by All Saints members. The parish has committed to further collaboration with TMI and plans are underway for the next stage of development in the stream's restoration.



MONTHLY HAPPENINGS AT ALL SAINTS



Join us for a time of reflection on scripture, sharing food and fellowship. If you are able, please bring some finger food to share. The next is  on 25 July @ 11.30am at All Saints Lounge. Everybody is welcome.

MESSY CHURCH

Bring the kids, grandkids, neighbours and join us from 4.30-6.30pm on the first Friday of the month for crazy cool activities, awesome dramas and delicious dinner.



DISABILITIES SERVICE

Is held the 2nd Sunday of the month @ All Saints Community Centre @ 2pm.

MISSION PRAYER

Wednesday 10 July from 7.00pm to 8.30pm at 79 Havelock Avenue. You are welcome to come and pray with others who share God's heart for the world.

PARISH MEAL

On the 4th Monday of the month everyone from the parish is welcome to share a meal together at John and Jenny's (36 Langston Ave) from 6.30 - 8.30pm. Please bring food to share. The next Parish Meal is Monday 22 July.

NOTICES

If you would like a notice in our newsletter please email odette@allsaintsnz.com by Wednesday 9am. Please note editing is sometimes necessary due to space restrictions.

PRAYER RHYTHMS: @ ALLSAINTS

Monday	8.30 - 9.00 am All Saints' on the Square 12 noon - 1pm Silent Contemplation @ All Saints' on the Square
Tuesday	8.00 - 8.30 am All Saints' on the Square
Wednesday	12noon - 12.30pm @ All Saints' on the Square
Thursday	8.00 - 8.30 am All Saints' on the Square 1.00 - 1.30 pm All Saints' on the Square 6.30 pm stop what you are doing and pray
Friday	8.30 - 9.00 am All Saints' on the Square



Come and join us for half hour of prayer as we seek God and offer Him our petitions for our families, friends, church, city, nation and world.



ALL SAINTS OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday - Friday 8.30 - 3pm

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