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Welcome to All Saints Church. It is wonderful to see you here today.

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## VICAR'S VERBIAGE

Hi Everyone

It feels like things are back in rhythm after the strangest of times! Our attendance is encouraging, some new energy is surfacing, winter is slowly passing...

I am so very grateful to our Thursday and '8am' congregations as they have been resettled at St Oswalds. Not only has this change been positive for the worship and community of these congregations but it has strengthened our awareness that we are a parish, that we are not All Saints-centric. It leads to a question as to what we call each of our congregations – our 8am is now 9am and the 10am, well that is really messed up! I mooted that we call each after a saint (after all we are All Saints), if you have a better idea let us know!

Please put in a building submission. The deadline is August 12 and if we show little interest we are less likely to get a positive outcome. This is a 15 minute job and is not arduous so get to it (please!) – we only get one shot at this.

We are seeking to strengthen our pastoral life. If you are interested in supporting/coordinating a small group of some kind let Andy or I know. Over the lockdown we sought to keep in contact through phoning, but it revealed we need to have more regular meals and gatherings and be more friendship centred and prayerful. If you want to help let us know.

We are looking forward to the parishes first Alpha in quite a while. Soon we will begin to talk about how you can help, how you can invite people to this. Vicar's warden Dan Pitchforth is leading this with support from really solid team. So please pray for this - there is nothing more exciting than people discovering God for the first time!

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Lastly, prayer is crucial to all we do. Would love to see you at one of our prayer rhythm slots that occur over the week. If we are to be an inner city monastery we must be a house of prayer and this involves us all. So risk praying with us this week.

God bless you, Nigel

### ALL SAINTS FOOD BANK



The All Saints Food Bank supports people and families in need. They need your help with donations of food. Cereals, canned food, rice and pasta are all things they give out regularly. Thank you so much to all of you who donate to the Food Bank. It is very much appreciated!

### DRIVERS NEEDED

The City Mission is looking for drivers who can pick up elderly people to take them to the Friendship Centre at All Saints and drop them off back home. Please contact Andrew in the office or call Judy Gibb on 06 355 1204. Thanks.



### SERMONS ONLINE

The sermons from the 9.30am, 11.15am and 5pm services are recorded and posted on the All Saints website for you to listen to. Go to <https://www.allsaintspn.org.nz>. They are listed under the sermons tab at the top of the page.

### BAPTISMS

If you are interested in being baptised please register your interest with Andrew in the office or talk to Nigel or Tim.

### ALL SAINTS GLORY GANG YOUTH GROUP

Youth is back! So far this term we have had a games night and had Ben Anaki share about Elijah in our Iso-Chronicles series. In the coming weeks we will be continuing our Iso-Chronicles series, doing some volunteering in the community whilst having fun and learning more about being a family of followers of Christ. We meet on Friday evenings from 7.00 - 9.00pm. If you or someone you know has a person in Year 8 - Year 13 that may want to come and join in or benefit from having a safe space on a Friday night then they are most welcome to come along. For more information please contact Davis Sione at [davis@allsaintsnz.com](mailto:davis@allsaintsnz.com)

## ALL SAINTS BUILDING PROJECT

The All Saints Building Project has been notified. If you would like to make a submission in support of our plan please use the form from our website and refer directly to the plans at the PNCC website. <https://www.pncc.govt.nz/get-involved/have-your-say/all-saints-church-additions-and-alterations/>

These need to be in by **4pm Wednesday 12 August**. If you have any further questions please ask Andrew in the office.

## SERVICES

As of last week we have started our newest service. So we thought we would just reiterate what our services are to hopefully ease any confusion and find a service that suits you and your family.

**Sunday 9.00am @ St Oswald's** - Traditional Communion Service

**Sunday 9.30am @ All Saints** - Family Service Celebration

**Sunday 9.30am @ St Columba's** - 1st & 3rd Sundays - Informal Service  
- 2nd & 4th Sundays - Communion Service

**Sunday 11.15am @ All Saints** - Discipleship Service

**Sunday 5.00pm @ All Saints** - Evening Worship

**Thursday 10.00am @ All Saints** - Eucharist and Prayer Book Service

We are so p to be part of a parish that has so many different amazing expressions of worship!



## PROPERTY MANAGEMENT

Do you have experience in property management or project management? We have some exciting projects on the horizon that require skills in this area that are not to do with the building restrengthening project.

Please talk to Andrew to see if this is a space you might be able to fill either pop into the office or send him an email at [andrew@allsaintsnz.com](mailto:andrew@allsaintsnz.com)

## FEEDBACK FROM SGM

Regarding the question raised at the SGM regarding the finance reports, the dates in question of the maturing term deposits were typos and have been checked and corrected. Thanks

## TECH SKILLS

Are you a person to whom technology comes easy? A computer genius? An IT ninja? Someone that enjoys working on computers and IT? We may have a space for you to express yourself here at All Saints. Talk to Andrew in the office.



## PRAYER RHYTHMS: @ ALLSAINTS

Come and join us for half and hour of prayer as we seek God and offer Him our petitions for our families, friends, church, city, nation and world. Choose a time from our regular schedule and join us this week:

- Monday** 8.30 - 9.00 am -@All Saints' on the Square  
12 noon - 1pm Silent Contemplation @ St Peters
- Tuesday** 8.00 - 8.30 am @ All Saints' on the Square  
3.30 - 4.00pm @ All Saints' on the Square
- Wednesday** 8.00 - 8.30am via Zoom (link on our Facebook Page)  
6.00 - 6.30pm @ All Saints on the Square
- Thursday** 8.00 - 8.30 am @ All Saints' on the Square  
12.30 - 1.00 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  
9.30 - 10.00 am @ St Oswald's



Everyone is welcome. Any queries please contact Andy Hickman on 021 987 737.

## NOTICES

If you would like to put a notice in our weekly newsletter please email [odette@allsaintsnz.com](mailto:odette@allsaintsnz.com) by Wednesday 9am. Please note editing is sometimes necessary due to space restrictions.

## MONTHLY HAPPENINGS

### MESSY CHURCH

Bring the kids, grandkids, neighbours and join us from 4.30 - 6.30pm on the first Friday of every month for crazy cool activities, awesome drama and delicious dinner. The next Messy Church is on 7 August!



### DISABILITY SERVICE

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

### PARISH MEALS

Parish Meals are back! Everyone is welcome to share a meal together on Monday 24 August from 6.00pm at John and Jenny's (36 Langston Ave). Please bring food to share. The evening will end with a simple Evening Prayer service.

### MISSION PRAYER

The next Mission Prayer is Wednesday 12 August from 7.00 - 8.30pm at **7 Huata Place**. All are welcome to come and share God's heart for the wider world.

## ALL SAINTS OFFICE HOURS

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