

The Dismissal of the Community

We stand for The Blessing

We remain standing and sing:

**The light of Christ has come into the world
The light of Christ has come into the world
All of us must be born again
to see the kingdom of God
The water and the spirit bring new life in God's love**

**The light of Christ has come into the world
The light of Christ has come into the world**

**God gave up his only Son out of love for the world
so that all those who believe in him will live forever.**

**The light of Christ has come into the world
The light of Christ has come into the world**

**The light of God has come to us
So that we might have salvation
From the darkness of our sins we walk
into glory with Christ Jesus.**

**The light of Christ has come into the world
The light of Christ has come into the world**

Go now to love and serve the Lord. Go in peace.

Amen. We go in the name of Christ.

***Thank you for worshipping with us
this morning. You are welcome
to stay to share refreshments with us!***

Events and Happenings

PRAYER CHAIN

The Prayer Chain is up and running, on Tuesday and Friday mornings, for 2017. If you have any prayer requests, please contact Pam McAuliffe (758 3272) with your request.

TUESDAY STUDY GROUP

This group commences for the year at 9.45am on **Tuesday, 7 February 2017**, at Margaret Maechler's home. If you would like to join the group, you would be very welcome. Please call Gill Rawson (phone 753 3012) for details.

LAY MINISTRY As we do not yet have an Archdeacon overseeing our collaborating parishes, I am wondering if there is interest in renewing the Lay Ministers' group and/or creating a group of parishioners who are willing to read the scriptures, pray and discuss etc. This year is crucial to building our community ties and dreams you have for Holy Trinity. If you are available to meet either monthly or bi-monthly. All are welcome! Please ring Helene Young (757 8700) or Oliver Roberts (758 0770.)

Julia Grace will be in New Plymouth Friday 10th until Sunday 12th February; as guest speaker at a Churches Education Commission (CEC) dinner the evening Friday 10th. Please contact Vicky Deone, on 06 762 8577 or 027 3383 433 if you are interested.

PARISH VACANCIES

Fund Raising Convenor

Someone to oversee the fund raising, is required - not to necessarily to do all the fund raising, but to check that it is being done. Please speak to one of the Wardens -Norma Benton (758 6783) or Don Young (757 8700)

General - Lawn Mowing & Cleaners

Hall and church cleaners are still required, as are people to do lawn mowing, to free up some of our older parishioners. Please speak with Don Young or Jim Newlove (755 4707)

40 Days of Community— Please contact Rodney on 7536098 if you are interested in this study

House for Sale—Gladys Bilkey's town house in Kellyville Heights Merrilands, is up for Private Sale, if you know of anyone who would be interested please contact Erena Roberts on 06 7580770

Magazine Time— Please email your magazine input to ndoadmin@taranakianglican.org.nz. Input is most welcome from any person on any topic (as long as it can be edited) Close off date is Monday 12th February with distribution set for 5th March.

NEXT WEEK: 12 FEBRUARY — 6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

PRESIDER AND PREACHER: REV. HELENE YOUNG

READINGS: DEUTERONOMY 30: 15-20—1 CORINTHIANS 3: 1-9—MATTHEW 5: 21-37

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Holy Trinity Anglican Church Fitzroy

Salt and Light

5 February
2017

A Welcome

Grace and Peace to You from God.

God fill you with truth and joy

The Lord be with you.

The Lord Bless you.

This is the day which the Lord has made.

Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

We stand and sing...

**Enter, rejoice and come in
enter, rejoice and come in
today will be a joyful day
enter, rejoice and come in.**

**Open your hearts to the Lord
open your hearts to the Lord
today will be a joyful day
enter, rejoice and come in.**

**Sing Alleluia, sing Alleluia
today will be a joyful day
enter, rejoice and come in.**

**Open your ears to His word
open your ears to His word
today he speaks his message to you
open your ears to His word**

**We'll open our hearts to the Lord
sing Alleluia
today is such a joyful day
we've opened our hearts to the Lord.**

Remain standing as we pray...

**Almighty God, To whom all hearts are open,
all desires known, and from whom no secrets
are hidden; cleanse the thoughts of our hearts
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, so that
we may truly love you and worthily praise your
holy name; through our Saviour, Jesus Christ.
Amen.**

Remain standing for the Gloria ...

**Glory to God in the Highest,
and peace to God's people on earth.
Lord God, heavenly King,
almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glory.
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of God,
you take away the sin of the world:
have mercy on us;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:**

receive our prayer.

**For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen**

*Let us, in silence, remember our need
for God's forgiveness:*

Hear the teaching of Christ:
you shall love the Lord your God
with all your heart and with all your soul and with
all your mind and with all your strength.
This is the first commandment.
And a second is this:
You shall love your neighbour as yourself.

Spirit of God, search our hearts.

Hear God's word to all who turn to Christ:
God so loved the world that he gave his only Son,
that whoever believes in him should not perish but
have eternal life.

God has promised forgiveness to all who truly repent,
turn to Christ in faith and are themselves forgiving.
In silence we call to mind our sins.

Silence

Let us confess our sins.

**Merciful God, we have sinned in what we have
thought and said, in the wrong we have done and
in the good we have not done. We have sinned in
ignorance: we have sinned in weakness: we have
sinned through our own deliberate fault. We are
truly sorry. We repent and turn to you. Forgive us,
for our Saviour Christ's sake, and renew our lives
to the glory of your name. Amen.**

Through the cross of Christ, God have mercy on you,
pardon you, and set you free. Know that you are
forgiven and be at peace. God strengthen you in all
goodness and keep you in life eternal.
Amen.

The peace of Christ rule in our hearts.
The word of Christ dwell in us richly.

The Sentence:

No eye has seen, no ear has heard, no mind has
conceived what God has prepared for those who love
him

The Collect:
Great and loving God, you call your people to be salt of the earth and light to the world. Empower us to live in such a way that people may see our good works and give glory to you. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one god, now and for ever. Amen.

The Proclamation

Readings from 1 Corinthians, chapter 2
Beginning at verse 1 (- 12)

...Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.
Thanks be to God.

We sing:

**O God our Father accept now we pray
our praises and prayers which we offer today
your love for all people is seen in your Son
O grant us your Grace,
Lord, our God, Three in One**

**Thank you for fellowship, your gift of joy,
the prayers that unite us, the words we employ;
Your church’s true mission to foster we pray,
reflecting your love in all we do and say.**

**Bless homes and fam’lies of your people, Lord,
the sad and the needy, at home or abroad:
And strengthened by faith, Lord,
may we never cease to show in our living
your love and your peace.**

Remain standing for the Gospel

The Holy Gospel according to Saint Matthew
chapter 5 beginning at verse 13 (-20)

Praise and glory to God....

...This is the Gospel of Christ.
Praise to Christ, the Word.

We sit

***The Sermon:*
The Rev. Titia Broekhuizen**

We stand and affirm our faith

We are not alone, we live in God’s world, we believe in God who has created and is creating. Who has come in Jesus, the word made flesh to reconcile and make new. Who works in us and in others by the spirit. We trust in God. We are called to be the church, to celebrate God’s presence, to love and serve others, to seek justice and resist evil, to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen our judge and our hope in life and death, and in life beyond death. God is with us. We are not alone. Thanks be to God.

Please be seated for the commissioning of the AAW officers, president and committee come forward.

God our Father, we ask that you will give these women a sense of your presence and the knowledge of your constant love. Grant them your guidance and the humble wisdom to accept it. May they be conscious always of your support and encouragement for this ministry which is inspired by the love of Jesus Christ our Lord.

The priest speaks to president and committee

**O God, whose love for all people is proclaimed in Jesus Christ
We thank you for uniting us in prayer and fellowship.
Use us now in the mission of your Church;
Help us to realise that everything we do and say reflects our love for you.
Bless homes and families throughout the world- especially those unhappy or in need.
Show us how by our example and concern, we can take your peace and love wherever your Spirit may lead us - today and all our days.
Amen**

Let us pray for the Church and for the world, giving thanks for God’s goodness

We are seated for the Prayers of the People

We sing the Lords Prayer together
**Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come, your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory
are yours now and forever. Amen.**

The Ministry of the Sacrament

We stand for The Peace
The peace of Christ be always with you.
And also with you.

E te whanau, we are the body of Christ.
By one Spirit we were baptised into one body.
Keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.
Amen. We are bound by the love of Christ

We remain standing and sing our Offertory Hymn:

**Brother, Sister, let me serve you
Let me be as Christ to you
Pray that I may have the grace
To let you be my servant too.**

**We are pilgrims on a journey
We are travellers on the road
We are here to help each other
Walk the mile and share the load..**

**I will hold the Christ light for you
In the night time of your fear
I will hold my hand out to you
Speak the peace you long to hear.**

**I will weep when you are weeping
When you laugh, I’ll laugh with you
I will share your joy and sorrow
Till we’ve seen this journey through.**

**When we sing to God in heaven
We shall find such harmony
Born of all we’ve known together
Of Christ’s love and agony**

**Brother, sister, let me serve you
Let me be as Christ to you
Pray that I might have the grace
To let you be my servant too**

Our offerings are presented.
Blessed are you, God of all creation...
... and for the service of your kingdom.
Blessed be God forever.

We remain standing or are seated for
The Great Thanksgiving

The Lord is here.
God’s Spirit is with us.
Lift up your hearts.
We lift them to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to offer thanks and praise.

It is right indeed...
...for ever praising you and saying:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power
and might, heaven and earth are full
of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name
of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

All glory and thanksgiving to you, holy Father;..
...do this as often as you drink it, to remember me.

**Glory to you, Lord Christ;
your death we show forth;
your resurrection we proclaim;
your coming we await;
Amen! Come, Lord Jesus.**

Therefore loving God,...
...We worship you, O God, in songs of everlasting praise.
**Blessing, honour and glory be yours,
here and everywhere,
now and forever. Amen.**

We break this bread to share ion the body of Christ
We who are many are one body, for we all share the one bread.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world.
Have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world,
have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world,
grant us your peace.

The Invitation

Draw near, and receive the precious body and blood of our Saviour Jesus Christ in remembrance that he died for us. let us feed on him in our hearts, by faith with thanksgiving.

The Communion

**Lord I come to you
Let my heart be changed, renewed
Flowing from the grace that I’ve found in you.
And Lord I’ve come to know
The weaknesses I see in me
Will be stripped away by the power of Your love.
Hold me close let Your love surround me
Bring me near, draw me to Your side
And as I wait I’ll rise up like the eagle
And I will soar with you,
Your Spirit leads me on In the power of Your love.**

**Lord unveil my eyes, let me see you face to face
The knowledge of your love as you live in me
Lord renew my mind
As your will unfolds in my life
In living every day in the power of your love.
Hold me close, let your love surround me
Bring me near, draw me to Your side
And as I wait I’ll rise up like the eagle
And I will soar with you
Your Spirit leads me on in the power of Your love.**

Prayer after Communion

Father of all, we give you thanks and praise, that when we were still far off you met us in your Son and brought us home. Dying and living, he declared your love, gave us grace and opened the gate of glory,
**May we who share Christ’s body live his risen life;
we who drink his cup bring life to others; we whom the Spirit lights give light to the world.Keep us firm in the hope you have set before us, so we and all your children shall be free, and the whole earth live to praise your name.
Amen**