

NON VACCINE SERVICE

The Leadership Team is considering holding a Non Vaccine Service, and have asked Helene Young to lead this. Please contact either Helene (757 8700) or Marion Adams (758 6093) if you know anyone who would like to attend.

PARKING FOR DISABLED

Just a reminder – please leave these spaces free for those who need them!

**PARISH AGM – SUNDAY, 27 MARCH 2022,
In the hall after Eucharist**



NEXT WEEK: SUNDAY 6TH MARCH
1ST SUNDAY IN LENT

Preacher and Presider: Rev. Rodney Dunlop

Readings:

Deuteronomy 26: 1-11, Psalm 91: 1-2, 9-16
Romans 10: 8b-13, Luke 4: 1-13

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Holy Trinity Anglican Church Fitzroy



8th Sunday in Ordinary Time.

27th February 2022

Presider & Preacher: Rev. Oliver Roberts



We stand and sing

*The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases.
His mercies never come to an end.
They are new every morning,
new every morning.
Great is your faithfulness, O Lord,
Great is your faithfulness.*

The Lord is my portion says my soul.
Therefore I will hope in Him.

The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases....

The Lord is good to those who wait for Him
to the soul that seeks him.
It is good that we should wait quietly
for the salvation of the Lord.

The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases...

The Lord will not cast off for ever
but will have compassion.
For He does not willingly afflict
or grieve the sons of men.

The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases...

So let us examine all our ways
and return to the Lord.
let us lift up our hearts and hands
to God in heaven.

The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases...

The Sentence

Be merciful to me O Lord, for I call to you all the day long; for you Lord are good and forgiving, and of great mercy to all who call upon you.

Psalm 86: 3-5

The Collect

God our rock, the solid ground of our being; help us dig deeply into your rich soil, graft us into Christ the good tree, so that we bear fruit that will last; through Jesus Christ our Liberator, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Amen

A reading from Isaiah 55: 10-13

¹⁰For as the rain and the snow come down from heaven, and do not return there until they have watered the earth, making it bring forth and sprout, giving seed to the sower and bread to the eater, ¹¹so shall my word be that goes out from my mouth; it shall not return to me empty, but it shall accomplish that which I purpose, and succeed in the thing for which I sent it. ¹²For you shall go out in joy, and be led back in peace; the mountains and the hills before you shall burst into song, and all the trees of the field shall clap their hands. ¹³Instead of the thorn shall come up the cypress; instead of the brier shall come up the myrtle; and it shall be to the LORD for a memorial, for an everlasting sign that shall not be cut off.

A reading from 1 Corinthians 15: 51-58

⁵¹Listen, I will tell you a mystery! We will not all die, but we will all be changed, ⁵²in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet. For the trumpet will sound, and the dead will be raised imperishable, and we will be changed. ⁵³For this perishable body must put on imperishability, and this mortal body must put on immortality. ⁵⁴When this perishable body puts on imperishability, and this mortal body puts on immortality, then the saying that is written will be fulfilled: "Death has been swallowed up in victory." ⁵⁵"Where, O death, is your victory? Where, O death, is your sting?" ⁵⁶The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law. ⁵⁷But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. ⁵⁸Therefore, my beloved, be steadfast, immovable, always excelling in the work of the Lord, because you know that in the Lord your labour is not in vain.

What's on this week

Today	27.2.22	9.45am	Eucharist
Tuesday		9.30am	Tuesday Study Group
Wednesday			Ash Wednesday
Thursday		1.30pm	Pastoral Care Meeting
		4.30-5.30pm	On the House
Friday		10.00am	World Day of Prayer
		5.30pm	Mosaic Youth - Youth@Fitzroy
Sunday	6.3.22	9.45am	Eucharist

TUESDAY STUDY GROUP

This group meets again on **Tuesday, 1 March 2022**, at 9.45am at Norma Benton's home. Please call Gill Rawson (753 3012) with any queries.

ASH WEDNESDAY

For those who would like to attend a service on Wednesday, they are available at the Cathedral of St Mary at the following times -

7.00am	Morning Prayer
10.00am	BCP Eucharist
7.00pm	Evening Service

PASTORAL CARE

A meeting of Pastoral Carers is being held on **Thursday, 3 March 2022**, at 1.30pm at Jimmy and Judy Williamson's home. Please ring one of them (758 9991) if you would like to be part of this special pastoral care ministry.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

Because of Covid restrictions, there will not be one combined interdenominational service for New Plymouth this year. As our numbers are usually quite low, we have decided to join with the Cathedral Church of St Mary at 10.00am **Friday, 4 March 2022**. All very welcome to this unique service, this year prepared by England, Wales and Northern Ireland.

MOSAIC YOUTH - YOUTH@FITZROY

This group of young people meet again on **Friday, 4 March 2022**, 5.30pm in the Hall Basement. If you know of anyone in Years 9-13 (high school) who would like to join up with this fun group, they would be very welcome. Please contact Kim Wright (0211663234) for more information.

Final song:

You shall go out with joy
and be led forth with peace.
And the mountains and the hills
shall break forth before you;
There'll be shouts of joy,
and all the trees of the field
shall clap, shall clap their hands.

And the trees of the field
shall clap their hands.
the trees of the field
shall clap their hands
the trees of the field
shall clap their hands,
and you'll go out with joy

A reading from Psalm 92: 1-4, 12-15

- ¹ It is good to give thanks to the LORD,
to sing praises to your name, O Most High;
² to declare your steadfast love in the morning,
and your faithfulness by night,
³ to the music of the lute and the harp,
to the melody of the lyre.
⁴ For you, O LORD, have made me glad by your work;
at the works of your hands I sing for joy.
- ¹² The righteous flourish like the palm tree,
and grow like a cedar in Lebanon.
¹³ They are planted in the house of the LORD;
they flourish in the courts of our God.
¹⁴ In old age they still produce fruit;
they are always green and full of sap,
¹⁵ showing that the LORD is upright;
he is my rock, and there is no unrighteousness in him.

We sing

My hope is built on nothing less
than Jesus' blood and righteousness:
No merit of my own I claim,
but wholly trust in Jesus' Name.
*On Christ, the solid rock, I stand –
all other ground is sinking sand,
all other ground is sinking sand.*

When weary in this earthly race,
I rest on His unchanging grace;
in every wild and stormy gale
my anchor holds and will not fail.
On Christ . . .

His vow, His covenant and blood
are my defense against the flood;
when earthly hopes are swept away
He will uphold me on that day.
On Christ . . .

When the last trumpets voice shall sound,
O may I then in Him be found!
Clothed in his righteousness alone,
faultless to stand before His throne.
On Christ . . .

The Holy Gospel according to St Luke chapter 6, verse 39-49

³⁹ He also told them a parable: "Can a blind person guide a blind person? Will not both fall into a pit? ⁴⁰ A disciple is not above the teacher, but everyone who is fully qualified will be like the teacher. ⁴¹ Why do you see the speck in your neighbour's eye, but do not notice the log in your own eye? ⁴² Or how can you say to your neighbour, 'Friend, let me take out the speck in your eye,' when you yourself do not see the log in your own eye? You hypocrite, first take the log out of your own eye, and then you will see clearly to take the speck out of your neighbour's eye. ⁴³ "No good tree bears bad fruit, nor again does a bad tree bear good fruit; ⁴⁴ for each tree is known by its own fruit. Figs are not gathered from thorns, nor are grapes picked from a bramble bush. ⁴⁵ The good person out of the good treasure of the heart produces good, and the evil person out of evil treasure produces evil; for it is out of the abundance of the heart that the mouth speaks. ⁴⁶ "Why do you call me 'Lord, Lord,' and do not do what I tell you? ⁴⁷ I will show you what someone is like who comes to me, hears my words, and acts on them. ⁴⁸ That one is like a man building a house, who dug deeply and laid the foundation on rock; when a flood arose, the river burst against that house but could not shake it, because it had been well built. ⁴⁹ But the one who hears and does not act is like a man who built a house on the ground without a foundation. When the river burst against it, immediately it fell, and great was the ruin of that house."

We remain standing and sing our Offertory Hymn:

I am the bread of life
He who comes to me will not hunger
He who believes in me shall not thirst
No one can come to me
Unless the father draws him

And I will raise Him up, and I will raise Him up
And I will raise Him up on the last day

The bread that I will give
is my flesh for the life of the world
and he who eats of this bread
He shall live forever, he shall live forever

And I will raise Him up, and I will raise Him up
And I will raise Him up on the last day

Unless you eat of the flesh of the Son of Man
and drink of His blood, and drink of His blood
You shall not have life within you

And I will raise Him up, and I will raise Him up
And I will raise Him up on the last day

I am the resurrection, I am the Life
He who believes in me, even if he die
He shall live forever

And I will raise Him up, and I will raise Him up
And I will raise Him up on the last day

Yes Lord we believe that you are the Christ
The Son of God who has come into the world

And I will raise Him up, and I will raise Him up
And I will raise Him up on the last day

We sing

I will give thanks to Thee
O Lord, among the people
I will sing praises to Thee
Among the nations.

For thy steadfast love is great
Is great to the heavens,
And thy faithfulness
Thy faithfulness to the clouds.

Be exalted, O God, above the heavens
Let thy glory be over all the earth.
Be exalted, O God, above the heavens
Let thy glory be over all the earth

I will give thanks to thee
O Lord, among the people
I will sing praises to thee
Among the nations.

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