



# ORDER OF SERVICE

17 July 2022

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## Pentecost 6



Mary and Martha

## WELCOME TO ST ANDREW'S ON THE TERRACE

Wherever you are on your faith journey,  
wherever you have come from and wherever you are going to,  
whatever you believe, whatever you do not believe, you are welcome here.

Please join in the congregational responses printed in ***bold italics***, and stand if you are able, for the hymns and the offering prayer. We usually sing the hymns without announcement. To use the ***loop system*** in the church, turn your hearing aids on to the appropriate setting.

*Please note your nearest fire exit.*

*The church and hall have been earthquake strengthened. In an earthquake: drop, cover and hold.*

### Today's service is led by the Rev. Dr Fei Taule'ale'ausumai

#### PRELUDE

#### Ave Maria

Charles Gounod, Johann Sebastian Bach

#### CALL TO WORSHIP

Creator God, Your story has unfolded through time,  
from far-flung stars to intimate relationship.

Help us, as we gather today to know and see You in new ways,  
in our song and in our silence,  
give us the courage to face our vulnerabilities and sit with You,  
confident in Your presence and love for us.

Amen

#### SILENCE

#### PROCESSIONAL HYMN

#### AA8 'Brother, Sister, Let Me Serve You'

Words and Music: Richard Gillard

Tune: Servant Song

1. 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.
2. We are pilgrims on a journey,  
we are travellers on the road.  
We are here to help each other  
walk the mile, and bear the load.
3. 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.

4. 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.
5. 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.
6. Sister, brother, 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.

## GATHERING

### WELCOME

E te whānau a Te Karaiti  
ngā mihi aroha ki a tātou katoa.

***Kia ora tātou.***

Talofa lava,  
***Talofa.***

### PRAYER

We pray for those parts of the world where there is war and unrest.  
For those in Ukraine, Afghanistan, Yemen, Palestine,  
and so many other places where there is no peace.  
Hear the cries of those who are frightened,  
strengthen and inspire those who work for peace.  
And help us to be people of peace ourselves.

***Loving Lord, help us to bring our needs to You.***

We pray for justice,  
that in our country and across the world leaders will be inspired by the Spirit  
to act fairly and wisely for the common good,  
and that our institutions would be guided and renewed  
by those seeking to hear Your voice.

***Loving Lord, help us to bring our needs to You.***

We pray for families,  
in particular families struggling with rising living costs  
and the extra struggles that the school holidays bring.

Help them to know of Your peace and encouragement;  
and help us to form communities which nurture and support families of all kinds.

***Loving Lord, help us to bring our needs to You.***

We pray for our Church, that at times of change and uncertainty we will be a place of refuge, silence and peace in our communities, that in a busy and troubled world we will have wisdom and compassion to support people in their pain;  
and guide them to find rest at Jesus' feet.

*(Sally Fraser, Edinburgh City Centre Chaplain for Workplace Chaplaincy Church of Scotland)*

## **JESUS' PRAYER**

**Jim Cotter paraphrase**

***Eternal Spirit***

***Life-Giver, Pain-Bearer, Love-Maker,  
source of all that is and that shall be,***

***Father and Mother of us all,  
loving God, in whom is heaven:***

***the hallowing of your name  
echo through the universe!***

***The way of your justice be followed  
by the peoples of the world!***

***Your heavenly will be done  
by all created beings!***

***Your commonwealth of peace and freedom  
sustain our hope and come on earth.***

***With the bread we need for today, feed us.***

***In the hurts we absorb from one another, forgive us.***

***In times of temptation and test,  
strengthen us.***

***From trials too great to endure, spare us.***

***From the grip of all that is evil, free us.***

***For you reign in the glory  
of the power that is love, now and for ever.***

***Amen.***

## **LIGHTING THE RAINBOW CANDLE**

The rainbow candle represents the inclusive nature of our church where all are welcome and also celebrates our children.

## **TIME WITH CHILDREN**

**Frank Cook**

## **BLESSING THE CHILDREN (*All stand*)**

Children you may return to sit with your family or find some do activities to do from the cupboard at the back of the church.

***We bless you. Amen.***

## **PASSING THE PEACE**

*Traditionally we shake hands to pass the peace and say "peace be with you." Now that COVID-19 is here we ask that you pass the peace without shaking hands.*

## **THE WORD IN TEXTS**

**John Harper**

**Hebrew Bible**

**Amos 8:1-12**

**Gospel/New Testament**

**Luke 10:38-42**

**Contemporary reading**

**'From the Prayer of the Frog'**

by Anthony De Mello

The great Gensha once invited a court official to tea. After the customary greetings the official said, "I do not wish to squander this opportunity of spending some time in the presence of so great a Master. Tell me, what does it mean when they say that in spite of our having it in our daily life we do not see it?"

Gensha offered the man a piece of cake. Then he served him his tea. After eating and drinking, the official, thinking that the Master had not heard his first sentence, repeated the question. "Yes, of course," said the Master. "This is what it means: that we do not see it even though we have it in our daily life."

*Those who know, do not say*

*those who say, do not know.*

*The wise are therefore silent.*

*The clever speak – the stupid argue.*

## RESPONSE

For the Word in scripture,  
for the Word among us,  
for the Word within us,  
***we give thanks.***

## REFLECTION “Am I a Mary or a Martha?”

Rev. Dr Fei Taule’ale’ausumai

## HYMN

### AA 158 ‘Who is my mother?’

Words © 1992 Shirley Erena Murray  
Music © 1993 Ian Render

1. Who is my mother?  
    who is my brother?  
All those who gather around Jesus Christ:  
    spirit blown people  
    born from the Gospel  
sit at the table, round Jesus Christ.
2. Differently abled,  
    differently labelled  
widen the circle round Jesus Christ,  
    crutches and stigmas,  
    cultures’ enigmas  
all come together round Jesus Christ.
3. Love will relate us  
    colour or status  
can’t segregate us round Jesus Christ:  
    family failings,  
    human derailings,  
all are accepted, round Jesus Christ.
4. Bound by one vision,  
    met for one mission  
we claim each other, round Jesus Christ.  
    here is my mother,  
    here is my brother  
Kindred in Spirit, round Jesus Christ.

## OFFERTORY MUSIC

**Гімн України**  
National Anthem of Ukraine

## OFFERING HYMN

### **'Give thanks for life'**

Words © Shirley Murray (AA 45)

Music: SINE NOMINE, Ralph Vaughan Williams (CH4 736&WOV 384)

Give thanks for life,  
the measure of our days,  
mortal, we pass  
through beauty that decays,  
yet sing to God  
our hope, our love, our praise,  
Alleluia! Alleluia!

## OFFERING PRAYER

Faithful God, you ask us to be faithful people.

***In this community, you ask us to be people of justice.***

***In this community, you ask us to be people of mercy.***

***In this community, you ask us to be people of peace.***

***Be with us as we try to be faithful***

***in large ways and in small ways***

***so your eternal community may come in every way.***

***Amen.***

## HYMN

### **In Every Corner Sing 11 'Come Celebrate The Women'**

Words © 1992 Shirley Erena Murray

Music: Ellacombe WOV 277

1. Come, celebrate the women  
who brought the Church to birth!  
the gentle revolution  
that shall transform the earth:  
whose faith was salt and leaven,  
whose hearts and minds were free,  
and this was their direction --  
to peace and unity.

2. The teachers, saints and mothers  
who lived and died unsung  
kept safe the gospel story  
and taught it to the young;  
the Christ child Mary cradled,  
the living Word to be,  
was crucified for pleading  
this peace and unity.
3. Daughters of the disciples,  
you weave the story still,  
the fabric of the future  
with warmth and love and skill,  
you make the bread of wholeness,  
the wine of harmony --  
and all shall share your feasting  
in peace and unity!

### **LIFE IN THE COMMUNITY OF ST ANDREW'S**

People share notices and visitors are welcomed. If you have a notice, please move to the front row, ready to speak **briefly** from the lectern.

**For the benefit of newcomers, please introduce yourself before you begin.**

### **PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

**Pat Booth**

### **CIRCLE OF PRAYER**

We think today of the people of Senegal and the Muslim people in Senegal and throughout the world. We hold all refugees in our hearts. We pray in particular for those detained for many years in Papua New Guinea & Nauru. We give thanks for progress that has been made and pray that their calls for justice might yet find a compassionate response. In New Zealand, we remember those in Parliament, and today we name Ginny Andersen (Hutt South) and the Rt Hon Jacinda Ardern (Mt Albert). Here in the Central Presbytery, we pray for the leaders and people of North Presbyterian Church (Ahuriri/Putorino), Napier.



## PRAYER FOR ST ANDREW'S

*Renew your people, God,  
And renew our life in this place.  
Give us a new spirit of unity  
with all who follow the Way of Jesus  
and new bonds of love  
with people of other faiths.*

*Bless the city in which we live  
that it may be a place  
where honest dealing,  
good government,  
the desire for beauty,  
and the care for others flourish.*

*Bless this church  
that what we know of your will  
may become what we do,  
and what we believe  
the strong impulse  
of our worship and work.  
Amen*

## HYMN

### FFS 63 'These Hills'

Words and music by Colin Gibson

Words and music © 1998 Hope Publishing Company

1. These hills where the hawk flies lonely,  
beaches where the long surf rolls,  
mountains where the snows meet heaven,  
*these are our care.*  
Pastures where the sheep graze calmly,  
orchards where the apples grow,  
gardens where the roses cluster,  
*these are our prayer.*
2. Forests where the tree ferns tower,  
rivers running strong and clear,  
oceans where the great whales wander,  
*these are our care.*

Race meeting race as equals,  
justice for age-old wrong,  
worth for every man and woman,  
*these are our prayer.*

3. Cities where the young roam restless,  
lives brought to deep despair,  
homeless and powerless people,  
*these are our care.*

Places where the Word is spoken,  
hands held in serving love,  
faiths of our many cultures,  
*these are our prayer.*

4. All that the old world gave us,  
all that the new world brings,  
language, ideas, customs,  
*these are our care.*  
Life finding joy and value,  
faith seeking truth and light,  
God heard and seen in all things,  
*this be our prayer.*

### **SUNG BLESSING**

May the God of new beginnings, start with you and me.  
May the God of continuing story, speak through you and me.  
May the God of infinite wisdom, shine in you and me,  
May the God of safe homecomings welcome you and me.

### **SUNG AMEN**

### **POSTLUDE**

**Hornpipe**

G.F. Handel 1685 – 1759

### **THANK YOU**

**Peter Franklin**

our musician today

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acknowledged.



### **AUDIO REFLECTIONS**

Sunday reflections are usually available on our website.

<http://www.standrews.org.nz/category/sunday-gathering>

**We welcome all visitors and invite you to stay for morning tea or coffee.**

Please sign the visitors' book at the back of the church.

We hope you enjoyed worshipping with us. At St Andrew's we want you to feel at home—to join in with the activities of our community of faith, or to come and find your own spiritual place in your own time. If you would like more information about St Andrew's or to explore becoming a member or associate member, please fill in one of the welcome leaflets (at the back of the church) and hand it to a minister or a welcoming team member.

*Wellington City Council has introduced a COVID response package which includes some temporary changes to street parking in the city. On Saturday and Sunday the time limit for most metered parks has been extended to 180 minutes, 8am-8pm (compared to weekdays 8am-5pm when it is 120 minutes but extends to 180 minutes 5-8pm). The weekend charge had been reduced to \$1/hour. This change is set to run from 21 March to 30 June 2022. If you have parked on the street initially and are staying for an after-church activity, it may be possible to move your car into the St Andrew's/Braemar car park but please be careful that you do not block anyone in.*

**GENEROUS GIVING**

St Andrew's depends on the generous giving of members and friends. If you would like to make a donation or support our work through planned giving, please contact our Parish Office or Treasurer. Bank account for donations is: St Andrews on The Terrace, BNZ Lambton Qy, 02-0534-0004022-02

**ST ANDREW'S COMMUNITY NOTICES**

**ROSTERS FOR AUGUST TO SEPTEMBER**

Please let us know if you are interested in helping with the weekly services e.g. Welcoming, Offering and Morning tea.

A reminder for those who help on our rosters that we will be putting together a new roster for the period August to September to shortly. If you have any dates during this period that you know you will be away please notify the office at [office@standrews.org.nz](mailto:office@standrews.org.nz) as soon as possible. Thank you. Pam and Jillene

**SPIRITED CONVERSATIONS ON TUESDAY 19 JULY AT 7 PM**

Our evening is going to be about mental health issues. Heather-Rose will lead a panel discussion. She describes herself as born and raised on Gadigal-Eora country, parent, grandparent, interplayer, peace-dancer; public health system worker in perinatal, child and adolescent health for quite a long time.

She will be joined by Vivienne Mountier, a recently retired Child and Adolescent psychiatrist who spent most of her career working in mental health in New Zealand.

Katrina Harper has agreed to contribute a GP's perspective.

For those who would like a meal before, we will have another go at meeting at Little Penang, but this time we will ask for names (to Pat Booth email [patriciabooth@xtra.co.nz](mailto:patriciabooth@xtra.co.nz) or text 027 476 0427).

## **JULY SOCIAL JUSTICE EDUCATION GROUP**

**Is housing more than the roof over your head?** The July Social Justice Education Group will return to the theme the DCM Director approached in 2021. No invited guest this time.

I hope we can have a discussion among ourselves about what housing is, what our home is. What we as a society, community, state and as individuals can do to enhance how we meet the needs of those in need. How those in need are involved, Being neighbourly. How do we provide schools, parks, medical care. transport , palces of worship for those we provide Emergency Housing, social housing, transition housingr.

Graham Howell, Convenor"

## **PIECE FROM THE WADESTOWN'S NEWSLETTER**

Cuppa n' Chat meet every Wednesday morning in the Rainbow Room. Last Wednesday Gillian shared this piece from the Wadestown's newsletter –

*Consider this remarkable fact:*

*In the sermon on the Mount there is not a single word about what to believe. Only words about what to do and how to be.*

*By the time the Nicene Creed is written only 3 centuries later there is not a single word in it about what to do and how to be -*

*only words about what to believe.*

From the book "Saving Jesus from the Church" written by Robin Meyers. Gillian brought along her copy of the book and we are passing it around the group to read. Lois Robertson

## **FINISHED A LOAF OF BREAD OR BOTTLE OF MILK?!!!**

Please save the bread bag and the clip (plastic only)/tie and milk bottle tops. The bags are used at the Compassion Soup Kitchen for "takeaway" lunches and the tags and milk bottle tops get recycled. **Please fold the bags and pack separately.** There is a collection box on the North Vestry table. Thanks– Kath, Trish and Brian.

## **SUPPORT FOR DCM (DOWNTOWN COMMUNITY MINISTRY)**

We are grateful for the many services provided by the DCM and one way we can offer our support is to FILL the food baskets at the back of the church each Sunday. They are collected every Monday by a DCM worker.

***Suggested items:***

*Tinned - soup, fish, baked beans, stews and fruit  
pasta and curry sauces*

*Jam, honey Marmite/Vegemite and peanut butter  
porridge, biscuits and muesli bars*

*instant coffee and tea bags*

*soap, toilet paper, toothpaste and tooth brushes*

***(Please no fresh fruit/vegetables)***

DCM has been working in the city of Wellington since 1969 with a mission to "focus on the needs of, and to help empower those marginalised in the city, with a current focus on people experiencing homelessness, or at risk of homelessness."

For other ways to support the work of the DCM visit <https://www.dcm.org.nz>. Brian Burrell

## **WIDER CHURCH AND COMMUNITY NOTICES**

### **CONCERT**

Our Youngest Star - The Glamaphones celebrate Matariki

**POSTPONED TO Saturday 23 July 7:00pm** (due to COVID related circumstances)

St Andrew's on The Terrace

At the centre of this programme is the premiere of our new commission for the occasion: Our Youngest Star - composed by the talented Takerei Komene with text by Stacey Teague. It is an ode to Hiwa-i-te-Rangi, the Carrier of Wishes. Tickets from Eventfinda

### **RELIGIOUS STUDIES 50TH ANNIVERSARY PUBLIC LECTURE + CELEBRATION**

Kia ora all and thank you for your support to SATRS over the years.

I've received this invitation which Geoff Troughton has asked that I share with you, Thanks to a great deal of work by Jan Rivers the SATRS archives have made it down to Knox well packed and indexed and gratefully received by the staff there, Pam Fuller

I am delighted to invite you as friends of the Programme to an evening celebrating 50 years of Religious Studies at Te Herenga Waka—Victoria University of Wellington. The event will take place on **Wednesday 27 July at 6pm** in the Hunter Council Chamber at the Kelburn Campus.

We will begin with a public lecture by Emeritus Professor Paul Morris on 'Religion and Government in Aotearoa New Zealand.' Paul was Professor in Religious Studies from 1994 to 2018 and will be known to many of you.

Responding to Paul's provocations, Fa'anānā Efeso Collins (Councillor on Auckland Council), Māmari Stephens (Reader in Law) and Kate Hunter (Professor of History) will open up a broader conversation on a topic urgently in need of a fresh and imaginative reassessment.

At 7:30pm we will cut a celebratory cake. There will be plenty of food and drink to sustain an evening of good conversation and reminiscence.

Register before 14 July at this link [<https://bit.ly/3kiVL3a>]. You can also register at the same link to watch the lecture afterwards.

The Religious Studies Programme greatly looks forward to celebrating this notable milestone with you.

Ngā mihi nui, A/Prof Geoff Troughton

Programme Director, Religious Studies, School of Social and Cultural Studies

### **WELLINGTON WINTER LECTURES IN SCIENCE AND CHRISTIAN FAITH**

Presented by New Zealand Christians in Science (NZCIS)

The relationship of contemporary science and faith can be both intriguing and challenging – especially in an Age of Misinformation.

You are invited to an exciting day of lectures and discussion on topics related to Physics and Ethics.

Saturday August 6, 9am to 3pm

at St Johns Presbyterian Church, Willis St, Wellington

Cost is just \$10 and that includes lunch!

*Science and Faith in an Age of Misinformation*

**Speakers:**

Prof. Jeff Tallon, 'Seeing the Invisible – black holes, the universe and our place in it'

Dr. Greg Liston, 'Spirit, Time and Transformation'

Dr. Gray Manicom, 'What the Mysteries of Mathematics Reveal About the Creator'

Plus the NZCIS director Nicola Hoggard-Creegan will be there, speaking on the importance of ethical reflection, 'From Hiroshima to Recombinant DNA'.

To register, go to the NZCIS website or visit *Eventbrite* and search "Science and Faith in an Age of Misinformation", Facebook event <https://fb.me/e/3CgwX8RYH>.

**RAINBOW WELLINGTON 25TH BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION**

ONLY A FEW TICKETS LEFT

In July we will celebrate 25 years of connecting Wellington's Rainbow Community.

Join us at Docksider on Sunday 24 July 2022 from 6pm

Special Guests - Deputy Prime Minister Hon. Grant Robertson and Mayor Andy Foster.

Tickets include a three-course dinner and arrival drink.

These are very limited.

<https://www.eventbrite.co.nz/e/rainbow-wellington-25th-birthday-celebration-tickets-344493217487>

If there is significant demand, we may be able to move into a larger space, but this isn't guaranteed!



**MUSIC FUTURES**

presents the sound of

**WELLINGTON YOUTH MUSIC**

**Saturday 30 July 3 pm**  
**St Andrew's on The Terrace**  
**Entry by koha**

Featuring: Benjamin Carter, piano

Blue Notes, Tawa College auditioned choir  
National finalists in the Big Sing

Ensembles include: Schnittke's Snickers, Hillbillies,  
and The 5 Blessings

*Music Futures is generously supported by  
TG Macarthy Trust, Mokoia Masonic Trust and  
St Andrew's on The Terrace*

### SUNDAY ROSTERS

A folder with an outline of each duty is now kept on the back table. If you are unable to do your rostered duty please arrange a swap/substitute and inform the office. Thank you.

#### Thanks to this week's volunteers

Welcoming	Lynette and Brian Burrell
Sound	Tony Cowdry
Laptop	Cam Smart
Offering	Graham Howell, Kath Kerr
Coffee/tea	Maxine and Jim Cunningham, Marilyn Wallace
Time with the Children	Frank Cook
Readings	John Harper
Prayers of the People	Pat Booth
Library	Ann Barrie
Musician	Peter Franklin

#### On duty Sunday 24 July

Welcoming	Jeni Bryant, Sandra Kirby
Sound and Laptop	Sue Hirst
Offering	Bridget Martin, Fiona McDougal
Coffee/tea	Jenny and Gavin Watson, Lois Robertson
Time with the Children	Graham Howell
Readings	Margaret Rushbrook
Prayers of the People	Catriona Cairns
Library	Catriona Cairns
Musician	Judy Dumbleton

#### This Week and Coming Events at St Andrew's

**Sunday 17 July 10am** Sunday Gathering led by Rev Dr Fei Taule'ale'ausumai followed by congregational conversation

**Tuesday 19 July 7pm** Spirited Conversations in Conference Rooms 1 and 2  
(see Community Notices)

#### Wednesday 20 July:

**10.30am** - Cuppa and a Chat in the Centre

**12:15pm** - Wednesday Lunchtime Concert - Family concert: Carnival of the Animals by Saint-Saëns

**Sunday 24 July 10am** Sunday Gathering led by Rev Dr Fei Taule'ale'ausumai followed by Social Justice Education Group

#### STANDARD MONTHLY SUNDAY CYCLE OF ACTIVITIES AFTER SERVICE

1st Sunday Communion service followed by Exploring Faith.

2nd Sunday Congregational Brunch on even months Feb, April, June, Aug, Oct, Dec  
and Younger members' (Y) group meets after morning tea/brunch.

3rd Sunday Congregational Conversation

4th Sunday Social Justice Education Group

5th Sunday if there is one - nothing planned

# MISSION STATEMENT OF ST ANDREW'S ON THE TERRACE

To create a lively, open Christian faith community,  
to act for a just and peaceful world, and to be catalysts for discovery,  
compassion and celebration in the capital.

## MINISTRY AT ST ANDREW'S – THE TEAM

<b>Minister</b>	Rev Dr Fei Taule'ale'ausumai
<b>Parish Council Convenor</b>	Lynne Dovey
<b>Treasurer</b>	Paul Barber
<b>Facilities Management Group</b>	Sandra Kirby
<b>Pastoral Care Team</b>	Pat Booth, Brian Burrell, Maxine Cunningham, Katrina Harper, Lois Robertson
<b>Church Music Coordinator</b>	Mark Stamper
<b>Theologian in Residence</b>	Lloyd Geering
<b>Presbytery Representative</b>	Lois Robertson
<b>Concert Coordinator</b>	Kristina Zuelicke
<b>Faith in Action Co-ordinator</b>	Margaret Rushbrook
<b>Rainbow Room Coordinator</b>	Vacant
<b>Centre Manager</b>	Adelina Reis
<b>Office Administrator</b>	Jillene Everett
<b>Facilities Assistant(s)</b>	Hayes Francis and Amy de Bruin
<b>Roster Coordinator</b>	Pam Fuller

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