HE HOLY TRINITY CATHEORAL NEWSLETTER

THE SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME/TE RĂTAPU TEKAU MĂ ONO O HE WĂ NOA IHO 17 · 07 · 2022

GREETINGS! NGĀ MIHI!

Last week, news went around the world that the deep space James Webb telescope has, after almost eight months of travelling through the space, sent back what are considered to be some the deepest and sharpest infrared images of the distant universe so far. These images magnify more far-off galaxies, including some observed when the universe was less than a billion years old—closer to the 'Big Bang' than ever before.

My personal fascination with deep space photos that show us galaxies from billions of years ago began in Dunedin, where one of the great storytellers of our Church, Bishop Kelvin Wright, retired bishop of Dunedin, used to describe fantastic photos taken by the Hubble telescope, the predecessor of the James Webb telescope. These new images have brought us even more detail in which we see thousands and millions of galaxies, many of which are already gone.

I always stand in awe when scientists show us such discoveries and, while science isn't generally preoccupied with metaphysical questions about God, I am excited that our narrative of creation—the view that the beauty of creation reveals its Creator—in my opinion, does not stand in opposition with newest scientific discoveries. Quite the reverse. This beauty is one of the attributes of God.

So, thank you to these scientists for showing us beauty of our universe, whose distances, space and its multitude of galaxies, stars and planets are something I can never completely understand. How much greater is the One beyond it!



Many blessings, **Fr Ivica**

CHORAL EUCHARIST

10am Sunday 17 July

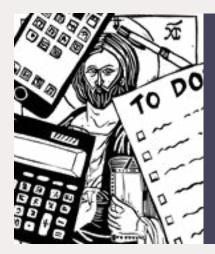
16th Sunday in Ordinary Time/Te Rātapu Rima mā ono o He wā noa iho All are invited to join us for this service.

From this Sunday, we will revert to the normal practice of communion in both kinds which you are welcome to partake in at your own discretion.

READINGS Genesis 18:1-10a Colossians 1:15-28 Luke 10:38-42

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VISIO LECTIO - A VISUAL LECTIONARY

Gospel reading for the 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time Luke 10:38-42

Each week, we will be including an artwork based on our gospel reading taken from Visio Lectio, a Diocesan project by The Reverend Sarah West. <u>Visio Lectio</u> is based on gospel readings for each Sunday taken from Revised Common Lectionary, a three-year cycle that follows the liturgical calendar and is shared with Christians across the world. For past images, please click below.

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JOIN OUR LITURGICAL TEAM

Are you interested in volunteering?

Here at the Cathedral, we have a dedicated liturgical team and we are looking to replenish our liturgical roles for all services.

We are asking for expressions of interest from any in our community who might be willing to be readers, acolytes, vergers, liturgists, and/or sidespeople.

Full training will be provided. Please contact Fr Ivica Gregurec for more information or to register your interest.



Contact Ivica



WELCOMERS' EUCHARIST AND SHARED LUNCH

from 12:15pm Monday 18 July Bishop Selwyn Chapel* We invite all Cathedral welcomers, past and present, to a welcomers' Eucharist followed by a shared lunch in the Visitors' Centre. Please bring a plate to share. If you are interested in becoming a welcomer and would like to know

If you are interested in becoming a welcomer and would like to know what it's all about, do come along!

To RSVP for this event or for more information about welcoming at Holy Trinity Cathedral, please email our welcomers' coordinator, Geoff Styles by clicking below.

*Please note change of venue for Eucharist

Contact Geoff

OPEN4EM

7pm Monday 18 July Bishop Monteith Visitors' Centre

OPEN4EM gathers from 7pm for a 7:30pm start. At this month's meeting, the Reverend Carolin Telford will talk about the saints recognised in the Anglican Church, focusing particularly on St Cuthbert.

For more information please contact: Margaret Malan | 022 600 4367 Mariana Nordmark | 027 490 9248

THURSDAY CLUB

10:30am Thursday 28 July

The Thursday Club is held on the last Thursday of the month and all are welcome to attend.

Each meeting will present the opportunity to hear from a guest speaker and to engage in conversation over morning tea with other members of the Cathedral community.

This month, we welcome Bonnie Kennedy-Grant who will be sharing 'The Joy and Benefits of Embroidery.'

For any further information, please contact: Lynette Wright | 09 845 0260

SUNDAY SCHOOL - TERM 3

10am Sunday 31 July

Last Sunday was the last of the term for the Cathedral Kids' Sunday School.

Thank you to 'Ofa and the team for a wonderful term!

Term 3 will begin on Sunday 31 July and we welcome all families with children to attend 10am Sunday Eucharist during which Sunday School takes place.

All are welcome to attend!



CONTINUING DIALOGUE - INTERFAITH MEAL

6pm Monday 15 August Holy Trinity Cathedral expresses manaakitanga to our friends from Auckland's multifaith community by hosting this annual interfaith meal. This year we are sharing in the celebration of the upcoming Jewish holidays. We welcome our Jewish friends as well as our partners from diverse faith backgrounds to share a meal and learn about the rich traditions of the High Holy Days. Please RSVP to Fr Ivica below.

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RSVP







CATHEDRAL GARDENING TEAM

Join the Cathedral Gardening Team

A heartfelt thank you to the few faithful hands keeping our Cathedral precinct in such good order.

We are looking for green-fingered people to join our gardening team. Any time you can offer to this ministry would be much appreciated and where possible, we can try to accommodate most schedules.

If you are interested, please email Dean Anne by clicking the link below.







COME AND WORK AT THE CATHEDRAL

Do you know anyone who would be perfect for our Events Team? We are looking for enthusiastic crew members to join our Events Team as Events Assistants or as part of the Events Set Up Team. Event Assistants are responsible for looking after the attendees, the clients, and the venue for the wide range of events held at the Cathedral. The Event Set Up team are responsible for setting up the Cathedral according to the event floor plans and are required to shift furniture into place.

Click below for more information on each job.

Event Assistant

Set Up Team

CATHEDRAL MUSIC EVENTS

Find out about July events at Holy Trinity Cathedral We're looking forward to hosting a wide variety of concerts in both Holy Trinity Cathedral and St Mary's-in-Holy Trinity during July. Details of all events can be found by clicking below. If you would like news of upcoming events straight to your inbox, you are invited to subscribe to our monthly Music Matters mailing list.

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DONATIONS FOR THE AUCKLAND CITY MISSION

Please consider donating food items as we head into winter As many of you know, each week, the Cathedral collects food items to donate to the Auckland City Mission which cares for the many Aucklanders who go homeless or hungry throughout the year. As we enter the cold winter months, we encourage our community to bring what you can to place in our Auckland City Mission collection baskets. Non-perishable goods only, please. Thank you for supporting this important ministry.

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WEEKLY PRAYERS A prayer for the week

God our home, in Christ you are always with us; in all our daily activities help us not to be so worried and distracted by many things that we forget the one thing we need, and lose the better part, which will be ours forever; 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.

We pray for those who have died, remembering especially Marjorie Glasgow and Hilary Reid, longtime supporters of our Cathedral. May the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace and rise in glory.

CATHEDRAL PRAYER CHAIN

The Cathedral Prayer Chain is a group of parishioners committed to respond promptly to any requests for prayer. If you would like to be in contact with someone about a prayer, please contact: Lynette Wright | 09 845 0260 All prayers are treated as confidential.

SUBMIT A PRAYER

Join our rhythm of prayer **ONLINE** The Cathedral clergy maintain a pattern of daily prayer for our parish, diocese, nation, and world.

If you have something particular on your heart, we invite you submit a short prayer to be included in our intercessions.

You can do this from the Spiritual Life page of the Cathedral website. *All prayers are treated as confidential.*

Submit a Prayer

SUPPORT US

Regular gifting significantly supports this Cathedral's life and mission. Every donation, irrespective of size, will support the ongoing life of Holy Trinity Cathedral and will be gratefully appreciated by the many who visit and enjoy our place.

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KEEP IN TOUCH:



LIVING GOD'S LOVE - Kia noho tātou i te Atua aroha WELCOMING ALL - Manaakitanga te katoa WORSHIPPING GOD - Koropikōria te Atua NOURISHING COMMUNITY - E whaipainga ana te iwi whānui EMPOWERING ACTION - Mahi whakamana

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