



**Holy Trinity Cathedral
AUCKLAND**

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THE HOLY TRINITY CATHEDRAL NEWSLETTER

THE FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT
TE RĀTAPU TUATAHI O TE HAERENGA MAI
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GREETINGS! NGĀ MIHI!

NOURISHING COMMUNITY - NAME TAGS ON SUNDAYS

This Cathedral's mission statement affirms that we are a place where we live God's love by welcoming all, worshipping God, nourishing community, and empowering action. As part of our commitment to this statement we will begin to use name tags on Sunday mornings during Advent (Sunday 27 November) as a sign of hospitality and welcome.

Stick on name tags will be available as you enter the Cathedral each Sunday morning, and I would encourage you to wear a name tag each week. This will enable all of us to welcome each other by name and will, we hope, better facilitate connection and conversation even between the more regular attendees to our services. It will also encourage each of us to get to know people we don't recognise by sight and to help them feel included in our community after the service or at morning tea.

Knowing one another in a community of faith and being able to meaningfully and purposefully share and care for each other is the first step in 'building up the Body of Christ,' offering ministry to one another, where we are welcoming and intentional about nourishing this community which we are so fortunate to share in.

THE ADVENT PROCESSION

From Darkness to Light

8:30pm Sunday 27 November

Join us as we mark the beginning of the season of Advent at Holy Trinity Cathedral. This unique service of wonderful music and liturgy is not to be missed.

If you are unable to join us for this service in person, we invite you to be part of the festivity online. This service will be live streamed on the Cathedral YouTube Channel by clicking the image opposite.

Many blessings,
Dean Anne



CHORAL EUCHARIST

10am Sunday 27 November

The First Sunday of Advent

Te Rātapu Tuatahi o te Haerenga Mai

All are invited to join us for this service.

Our 10am Sunday services are live streamed on the first Sunday of the month.

READINGS **Isaiah 2:1-5** **Psalm 122**
 Romans 13:11-14 **Matthew 24:36-44**

[See All Services](#)



CATHEDRAL ARTIST IN RESIDENCE

Visit Karen Sewell's art display in the Marsden Chapel

Karen Sewell, our artist in residence, is displaying three lumen prints in the Marsden Chapel until mid-December. These lumen prints were exhibited at the Venice Biennale and on the NZ churches tour this year. Karen has had an incredibly busy year and we are delighted that she is now showing these works at the Cathedral.

A copy of the project publication is displayed in front of the lumens on a small table. Interested visitors can flick through it or buy one online if they wish to. It has all the images of the Venice project, a statement about the work and four art essays.

Click here for more information about Karne's projects.

[Learn More](#)



VISIO LECTIO - A VISUAL LECTIONARY

Gospel reading for the First Sunday of Advent

Matthew 24:36-44

Each week, we include an artwork based on our gospel reading taken from Visio Lectio, a Diocesan project by The Reverend Sarah West.

Visio Lectio 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.

[See More](#)

[View 2022 Lectionary](#)



CHAMPAGNE AND STRAWBS AT THE DEANERY

12pm Sunday 4 December

The Deanery

You are invited to the Deanery after the 10am Choral Eucharist on Sunday 4 December to share a glass of bubbles with Dean Anne and her family. All are welcome as part of the Cathedral community and this event is always a nice way to relax before the busy Christmas season truly takes hold.

Let's keep our fingers crossed for a warm, sunny day!

TRINITY LIFE

New edition available at Holy Trinity Cathedral and online now

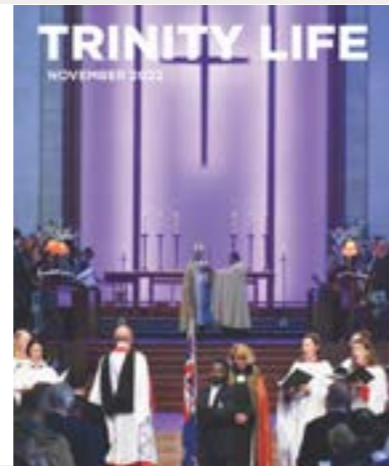
The new edition of Trinity Life is viewable online via our website and hard copies may be found at the back of the Cathedral.

Remember, if you are a member of the Friends of Holy Trinity Cathedral, you will have the magazine mailed to you as part of your membership.

For more information about joining the Friends, please click below.

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CONFIRMATION EUCHARIST

5pm Sunday 4 December

Bishop Ross will administer Confirmation to candidates from ministry units and parishes across the Auckland Diocese at a Eucharist service held here in the Cathedral at 5pm on the Second Sunday of Advent. Please come along to support this year's candidates and pray for them as they take this next step on their faith journey.

2022 Confirmation Candidates from Holy Trinity Cathedral

Martyn Chalmers
Janessa Chalmers
Isaac Chisholm
Neorah Langi
Indra Yudhipratama



CHRISTMAS CAN TREE

The most important gift you'll give this Christmas

Two years ago, you helped the Friends of Holy Trinity Cathedral collect over 4,000 food items for the Auckland City Mission to give aid to those in desperate need, especially at Christmas.

This year, the Christmas Can Tree is back and you can help once again by dropping off you cans and approved food items to Holy Trinity Cathedral during Advent and Christmas.

We love to watch our can tree grow during the festive season. It is a wonderful reminder of the generosity in our community to those less fortunate than ourselves.

[The Friends](#)



WELCOMERS' EUCHARIST AND SHARED LUNCH

12:15pm Monday 12 December

Bishop Selwyn Chapel and Visitors' Centre

Please join the welcoming team for the annual get-together before Christmas. Please BYO plate.

All are welcome whether you are a past, present or possibly future welcomer. We value these opportunities to come together as a community especially at this time of year.

Please contact Welcomers' Coordinator, Geoff Styles, for further information.

[Contact Geoff](#)

JOIN THE CATHEDRAL CHOIR

Holy Trinity Cathedral is forming a new Children's Choir!

We are looking for children between 8 and 14 years of age who want to grow their talent for music.

The Cathedral choristers will learn to perform some of the greatest music ever written and develop their musical skills in a friendly and supportive environment.

Now is the chance to be part of this exciting new group of young singers. Please contact Cathedral Organist, Dr Philip Smith to apply.

Contact Philip



THE CATHEDRAL TRUST

Supporting and growing our ministry, music and mission

The Holy Trinity Cathedral Trust for Ministry, Music and Mission has been launched to provide an enduring source of revenue to support the "core business" of our Cathedral - being its ministry, music and mission. Your prayerful consideration of support for this new venture is welcomed, as it will provide a source of income to support the work of the Cathedral that will outlast us all.

To learn more about the Cathedral Trust, please visit our website below.

Learn More

GIFTING TO BLOSSOM

Holy Trinity Cathedral is supporting Blossom this Advent.

Blossom is a local charity collecting new and preloved games, education resources and children's toys and giving them a new home with those in need in the Auckland community. After 8 years of teaching in decile one schools, the creators of Blossom want to support families in need, by providing educational resources to use at home.

Drop off to the Cathedral office during opening hours.

Please contact the Cathedral office below if you can help in this important ministry.

Learn More

Contact Us



RUTH PRETTY CHRISTMAS CAKES

Get organised for Christmas and support the ATWC!

As Christmas gets ever closer, the Anglican Trust for Women and Children still have Ruth Pretty Christmas cakes and puddings for the taking! Whether you treat yourself, surprise a loved one or a family member you can do so knowing that your purchase supports us to help give whānau and tamariki in need of support a Christmas they will remember with laughter and smiles. Get them while they last!

To order a Christmas cake, please fill in the form below and follow the instruction to submit.

Order Form

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Holy Trinity Cathedral ADVENT & CHRISTMAS

SUNDAY 27 NOVEMBER | ADVENT 1

10am Choral Eucharist

Cathedral Nave

8:30pm The Advent Procession:

From Darkness to Light

Cathedral Nave

SUNDAY 18 DECEMBER | ADVENT 4

10am Choral Eucharist

Cathedral Nave

7:30pm A Festival of Nine Lessons and Carols

Cathedral Nave

SUNDAY 4 DECEMBER | ADVENT 2

10am Choral Eucharist

Cathedral Nave

5pm Confirmation Eucharist

Cathedral Nave

SATURDAY 24 DECEMBER | CHRISTMAS EVE

6pm Christingle Service*

Cathedral Nave

*Please bring an unwrapped gift for the Anglican Trust for Women and Children

11:30pm Midnight Mass *Festal

Cathedral Nave

SUNDAY 11 DECEMBER | ADVENT 3

10am Choral Eucharist

with Christmas Pageant

Cathedral Nave

5pm Choral Evensong Cathedral

Chancel

SUNDAY 25 DECEMBER | CHRISTMAS DAY

8am Eucharist with Carols

St Mary's-in-Holy Trinity

9am Holy Communion

St Stephen's Chapel, Judges Bay

10am Choral Eucharist

Cathedral Nave

FIND OUT MORE
www.holy-trinity.org.nz/spiritual-life



SCAN ME



WEEKLY PRAYERS

A prayer for the week

We praise and thank you, Creator God,
for you have not left us alone.
Each year you come to us, Emmanuel,
God with us in a manger.
Each time you come to us
in the broken bread and the cup we share.
In time or out of time you will be revealed
and we shall see you face to face.
Amen.

We pray for those who have died and those who mourn.
May the souls of all 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.

YOUR SUPPORT COUNTS

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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 whaipanga ana te iwi whānui*

EMPOWERING ACTION - *Mahi whakamana*

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