HOLY TRINITY CATHEDRAL

15 · 11 · 2026
THE THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
TE RĀTAPU TORU TEKAU MĀ TORU O HE WĀ NOA

PĀNUI NEWSLETTER

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



HOLY SILENCE; HOLY NOISE: A PRE-ADVENT SERIES

SESSION THREE:
7pm Monday 16 November
Bishop Selwyn Chapel
In the third and concluding session, we hear from some of the Cathedral's 'noise-makers,' members of the **Cathedral Choir**.

We will consider their understanding of the music they sing, its place in worship, and the selection of music for Advent and Christmas. This will pair with the introduction of a listening calendar for Advent.





GREETINGS · *NGĀ MIHI NUI*

As we approach Christmas, we are reminded that this season is about more than the gifts we give to family and friends. It is also a time to look beyond our own homes and consider those in our community who may be struggling.

Since 2020, Holy Trinity Cathedral, together with The Friends of Holy Trinity Cathedral, has collected thousands of food items for the Auckland City Mission through our annual Christmas Can Tree Appeal.

This year, with the rising cost of living placing increasing pressure on households and demand for support continuing to grow, the appeal is more important than ever.

At the heart of Christmas is the message of love, generosity and hope. A simple tin of food may seem a small offering, but together our contributions can make a real difference to someone in need.

Our Christmas Can Tree will be ready to receive donations of non-perishable food from Sunday 29 November and throughout Advent and Christmas.

I warmly encourage you to bring something along when you visit the Cathedral. Perhaps one of the most meaningful gifts we can give this Christmas is one that brings comfort and nourishment to someone we may never meet.

With every blessing,

ANNE MILLS
DEAN

UPCOMING LIVE STREAMS





ALL ONLINE SERVICES

WHAT'S ON *THIS WEEK?*

TOY LIBRARY
Cathedral Undercroft
9am Saturdays, Mondays and Thursdays in term time

AUCKLAND ORATORIO CHORAL: MESSIAH
Holy Trinity Cathedral
7pm Saturday 14 November

CATHEDRAL KIDS' SUNDAY SCHOOL
Holy Trinity Cathedral
during 10am Eucharists in term time

MOTHERS' UNION MEETING
Friends' Room
2pm Sunday 15 November

MAINLY MUSIC
Cathedral Undercroft
9:30am Mondays in term time

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Cathedral Undercroft
7pm Mondays

HOLY SILENCE; HOLY NOISE
PRE-ADVENT SERIES 2026
Bishop Selwyn Chapel
7pm Monday 16 November

KING'S COLLEGE PRIZEGIVING
Holy Trinity Cathedral
Thursday 19 November

**Please check the Cathedral website for all details of upcoming services and events.*

CATHEDRAL SERVICES

SUNDAY 15 NOVEMBER
THE THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
TE RĀTAPU TORU TEKAU MĀ TORU O HE WĀ NOA

8AM **EUCHARIST**
Bishop Selwyn Chapel

9AM **HOLY COMMUNION**
St Stephen's Chapel, Judges Bay

10AM **CHORAL EUCHARIST***
Holy Trinity Cathedral Nave
READINGS **Zephaniah 1:7,12-18** **Psalm 90:1-8,12**
1 Thessalonians 5:1-11 **Matthew 25:14-30**
MUSIC **Introit:** God be in my head - Rutter
Mass: Communion Service in D minor - Vaughan Williams
Motet: Cantique de Jean Racine - Fauré

***CATHEDRAL KIDS' SUNDAY SCHOOL**
during 10am Eucharists in term time

5PM **CHORAL EVENSONG** ***LIVE STREAM***
Holy Trinity Cathedral Chancel
READINGS **1 Kings 1:15-40** **Revelation 1:4-18**
MUSIC **Introit:** God be in my head - Rutter
Responses: Ayleward
Psalm: 89:19-36
Canticles: Evening Service in G - Sumsion
Anthem: Save us, O Lord - Bairstow

WEDNESDAY 18 NOVEMBER

6PM **CHORAL EVENSONG**
Holy Trinity Cathedral Chancel
READINGS **Isaiah 10:20-32** **Matthew 8:1-13**
MUSIC **Responses:** Ayleward
Psalm: 73
Canticles: Evening Service in A minor - Harris
Anthem: Almighty and everlasting God - Gibbons

WEEKDAY EUCHARISTS

12:15PM **MONDAY TO THURSDAY**
Marsden Chapel

** Please be sure to check the Cathedral website for up to date service times and closures.*

SUNDAY SERVICES HOSPITALITY

Don't forget to pick up your name badge this Sunday!



We are inviting everyone to wear a name badge at our services and to join us for morning tea afterwards. A name badge might seem like a small thing, but it can make it easier to introduce ourselves, begin a conversation and welcome someone we don't yet know.



THE ADVENT PROCESSION

8:30pm Sunday 29 November
Holy Trinity Cathedral

Begin your Advent observances with *The Advent Procession: From Darkness to Light*. This evocative service takes us on a journey from the stillness and darkness of the Cathedral to a gathering place transformed by light and music. Through scripture, prayer and the gradual illumination of the Cathedral, the service offers a powerful expression of our longing to turn towards the light of God as we prepare for the coming of Christ.

Whether you join us in person or from home, you are warmly invited to share in this special beginning to the Advent season. Join the service in person or via our livestream.

Find out more about our Advent and Christmas services on the Cathedral website.



TRINITY LIFE — NOVEMBER 2026 EDITION

The latest edition of the Cathedral magazine is now available online. Printed copies are now also available from Holy Trinity Cathedral.

READ NOW



LIGHTING UP PURPLE

for Prematurity Awareness Week

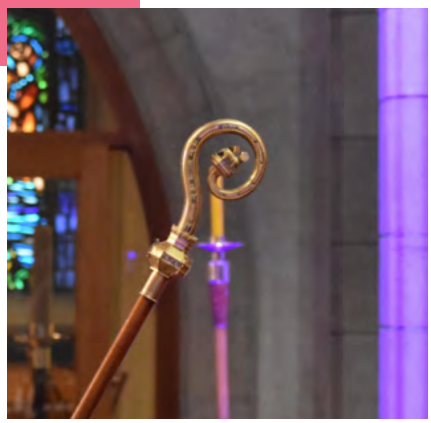
6:30pm - midnight Thursday 12 - Wednesday 18 November
Extended lighting will follow Sunday Evensong through to 6am on Monday.

This week, Holy Trinity Cathedral will be illuminated in purple as we show our support for Prematurity Awareness Week and help raise awareness of the experiences of premature babies and their families.

For many families, the arrival of a baby earlier than expected brings an unexpected and often challenging journey. By lighting the Cathedral purple, we stand alongside those families, honouring their strength and recognising the care and support they need.

Look out for the Cathedral illuminated in purple:

We are proud to help shine a light on this important cause and the families it touches.



CELEBRATING GENE DILLMAN'S ORDINATION

We are delighted to share that Gene Dillman, from our St Stephen's Chapel congregation, will be ordained to the Diaconate at the Diocesan Ordination Service on Saturday 28 November.

We offer Gene our warmest congratulations and prayers as he takes this important next step in his ministry.

All are welcome to support Gene and the other ordinands at the service at 10am.



BAPTISM AT HOLY TRINITY CATHEDRAL

Are you considering baptism for yourself or your child? Whether you are an adult seeking baptism or a parent exploring baptism for your child, you are warmly invited to get in touch.

Baptism is a significant step in the Christian journey and an opportunity to explore faith, belonging and life within the Church. To find out more, please contact Dean Anne by clicking below.

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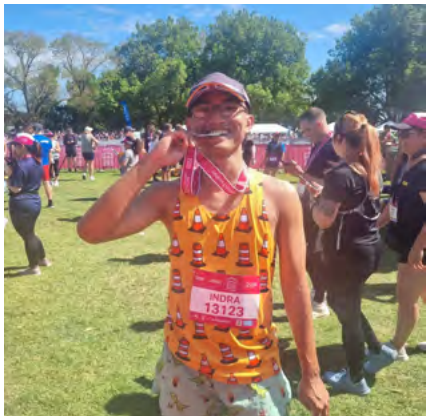
STONEFIELDS CHOIR: SING FOR THE CITY

4pm Saturday 5 December
Diocesan School Arts Centre

Celebrate the spirit of Christmas with Stonefields Choir at their annual Christmas fundraising concert, Sing for the City.

Featuring special guests: the Auckland Young at Heart Chorus, Stonefields School Choir and Nathan Imboden, all profits from the concert will go to Auckland City Mission, helping support those in need in our community. Come along, enjoy the music and help make a difference this Christmas.

LEARN MORE



A NOTE OF THANKS FROM INDRA

Kia ora team,
I made it to the finish line, survived the marathon, and we raised over $1,500! A huge thank you for the donations and support along the way. If you've been meaning to contribute, there's still time. The link will stay open for the next couple of weeks.

Indra Yudhipratama

P.s. Special thanks to Denham for the post-race picture.

LEARN MORE



CATHEDRAL CHRISTMAS MARKET

5pm Friday 27 November
Cathedral Forecourt

Join us for a fantastic night of festive food and fun!

Celebrate the approach of the Advent Season with a wonderful night market at the iconic Holy Trinity Cathedral. Indulge in some of the finest street food Auckland has to offer, and wash it down with a cold beverage from the Food Truck Collective's mobile bar.

LEARN MORE



Help make everyone feel welcome

Become a Cathedral Welcomer

A friendly face can make all the difference.

We're looking for volunteers to help the thousands of people who visit Holy Trinity Cathedral each year feel at home. You'll help visitors discover the Cathedral's rich spirituality, history, art and architecture, and make their visit all the more meaningful.

WHAT DOES IT INVOLVE?

- Greeting people as they arrive
- Helping visitors find their way
- Offering a friendly welcome and a helping hand

COULD THIS BE YOU?
Whether you're a regular at the Cathedral or simply enjoy connecting with new people, we'd love to hear from you. Contact the Cathedral Welcomers' Coordinator, Geoff at care@holy-trinity.org.nz for more information.



WORLD VISION GIFT CATALOGUE

Give a gift that makes a difference this Christmas**

Looking for a meaningful alternative to traditional Christmas presents? World Vision's Christmas Gift Catalogue offers the chance to give a gift that can make a real difference to families and communities around the world.

From chickens and goats to healthcare for mothers and babies, there are plenty of thoughtful ways to celebrate someone special while helping others in need. You can dedicate a gift in a loved one's name.

Take a look at the catalogue and consider giving a gift that keeps on giving this Christmas.

GIFT CATALOGUE



WEEKLY PRAYERS

COLLECT FOR THE DAY

Everliving God, conform our wills freely to yours, and direct our hearts to share your glory by our undivided service; through Jesus Christ, who is alive with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.
Amen



St Luke's Church, Manurewa

THIS WEEK, WE PRAY FOR:

OUR PROVINCE

ARCHDEACONRY OF MANUKAU
Parish of Manurewa; Parish of Clendon; Parish of Papakura

TE PĪHOPATANGA O TE TAI TOKERAU
South Auckland Maori Mission

DIOCESE OF POLYNESIA
St Teresa Agelikana Aukilani Congregation
worshipping at St David's Wiri

CLERGY WITH PERMISSION TO OFFICIATE

THE ANGLICAN COMMUNION
Iglesia Anglicana de Chile

THE WORLD COUNCIL OF CHURCHES
Aotearoa New Zealand and Australia.



THE ANGLICAN MISSIONS

As New Zealand votes alongside many other countries, each ballot cast will shape the lives of the most vulnerable.

In a year of elections from Washington to Wellington, the ballot box is also a humanitarian question: about who is cared for, who is heard, and whether societies hold together.

We pray for New Zealand as it went to the polls on Saturday — for a fair, peaceful and well-run election, for all who are weighing their vote, and for those who will be elected to serve, that they would govern with wisdom, honesty and care for the most vulnerable.

We pray for the many nations voting this year — for free and honest elections where they are under threat, for calm where tensions run high, and for all who are denied a voice by conflict, repression or fear.

We pray that elections everywhere would serve the common good — that they would protect the poor, the displaced and the forgotten rather than deepen division, and that communities would hold together across their differences in a spirit of respect and hope.

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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.

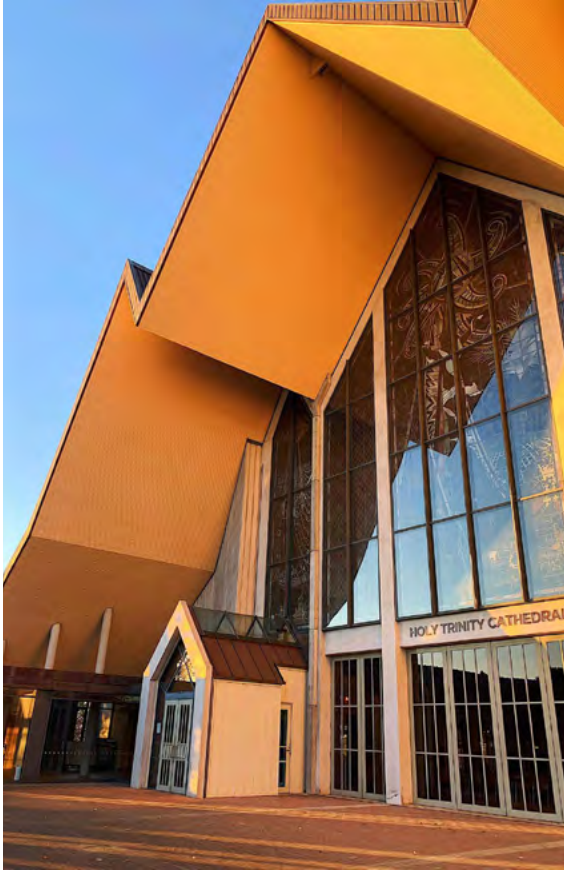
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