

**PARISH DIRECTORY for Linwood - Aranui**

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*St Chad's Church is at the corner of Carnarvon Street and Buckleys Road*

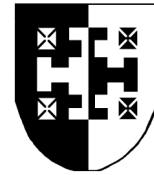
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*If you want to make a donation to the Parish, our bank account is:  
03-1700-0214522-00 Add your name and "donation" as references.*

**Humour:**



*Anglican Parish of  
Linwood - Aranui*



**PEW NEWS Sunday 15th May 2022**

*Living out the love of Christ in our worship and service to all people.*

*Welcome*

A warm welcome to everyone. We are glad you have joined us in this celebration of our life of faith in God. There is a special church area to help children feel at home here, and we hope you will join us for morning tea after the Service.

**The Bible Readings for today - 5th Sunday of Easter**

Acts 11: 1-18

Revelation 21: 1-6

John 13: 31-35

**INTRODUCTION**

'I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another' are the words from today's Gospel. Love enables us to be instruments of God's providence in the lives of others. Our love becomes the channel through which they will experience the love of God. Edward Schillebeeckx puts it like this 'The lamp of God's love burns in the world only with the oil of our lives.'

**Call to Worship:**

Leader: God is loving and full of kindness.

All: **God is at home in us.**

Leader: God is welcoming and full of beauty.

All: **God is at home in us.**

Leader: God is forgiving and full of justice.

All: **God is at home in us.**

Leader: God is with us: we are God's people.

All: **God is at home in us. Amen.**

**Sentence:**

I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. As I have loved you, you also should love one another. *John 13: 34*

**Collect:**

**Alleluia, God Eternal;  
love marks your presence.  
Plant in us your love,  
nurture in us your likeness,  
and let us reflect your glory.  
For you are alive and reign with the Father  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever. Amen.**

**Notices:**

The next joint parish worship is on Sunday 29th May at 10am at St Ambrose.

**Assistance needed:** Autumn has arrived and our two Oak trees at the St Chad's site are shedding their leaves. Each week Max, James & Carole work in the garden and cleaning in the halls and Church with their priority at this time of year raking up leaves and then the problem of disposing of them. Some go into the site compost bin and the three diligent volunteers take many sacks home into their red and green bins. Last Wednesday they raked up 14 sacks and have disposed of most but leaving some at the Carnarvon St fence entrance.

If anybody can help by taking one or more sacks home, it would be of great assistance; just see Max, James or Carole, they will help loading them into your vehicle. The sacks are NOT heavy and are easily tipped into your red or green bins but please remember to return the sacks.

Each week we will show a running total of the number of sacks they have filled. To date this year, 31 sacks.

**At St Ambrose Church** we have a good supply of low cost dry firewood for people in need. Please see or contact Chris Goodyer or contact Deacon Anne to arrange pick up. The Foodbank welcomes clean dry jars for its work. Thank you.

**Weekly activities at both Church sites & bookshop**

Day	Activity	Time
<i>At St Chad's site</i>		
Tuesday	Morning Prayer	10am
Wednesday	Op Shop	9am to 12 noon
	Eucharist	10am
Friday	Op Shop	9am to 12 noon
	Te Reo Service	11am
	Community Lunch - cost of meal \$3.00	12 noon
Sunday	Eucharist	8.15am
	Eucharist	10.00am
<i>At St Ambrose's site</i>		
Monday	Mainly Music	<b>Not being held at present</b>
Tuesday	Morning Prayer	9:45am
	Food Bank Cafe	10am—12 Noon
	Handiscope	1-3 pm
Wednesday	Food Bank	10am—12 Noon
	Communion Service	1.00pm
Thursday	Elder Care Group	9:30am—1pm
Friday	Food Bank Cafe	10am—12 Noon
Sunday	Communion Service	10.00am
<i>At the Barnabas Bookshop site</i>		
Days open	Tuesday through Saturday inclusive (excludes Public Holidays)	10am to 4pm

**Next Week's Bible Readings— 6th Sunday of Easter**

Acts 16: 9-15

Revelation 21: 10, 22; 22: 5

John 14: 23-29