

PARISH DIRECTORY for Linwood - Aranui

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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



"WE'RE THE MEEKS AND WE'RE HERE TO
SEE ABOUT OUR INHERITANCE OF THE EARTH."



PEW NEWS
Sunday 20th October 2024

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 - 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Job 38: 1-7 Hebrews 5: 1-10 Mark 10: 35-45

INTRODUCTION

This week we look at James and John, two disciples of Jesus who asked if Jesus would have them sit beside him in his glory, or his Kingdom. Perhaps a bit presumptuous? Especially when the other disciples realised what they were asking of Jesus. What are our expectations of God? What do we want God to do for us? Are our expectations reasonable? Jesus goes on to say to the twelve disciples, that he came to serve rather than have a high position; he came to sacrifice himself for everyone. What does God expect of us? Does God expect us to serve? We are to serve one another and to love one another just as Jesus did. That is what God wants; and that is what we are, to want, to do and be also.

Call to Worship

Leader: God has been gracious to us, God has blessed us,
All: **God has made his face to shine upon us.**

Leader: God reveals his way to all peoples,
All: **God guides all the nations on the earth.**

Leader: God judges everyone with equity.
All: **God shows his saving power everywhere.**

Leader: Let all the nations praise you, O God,
All: **Let us, your people, praise you.**

Sentence

The Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many. *Mark 10:45*

Collect

**Eternal God,
you have given us one baptism
for the remission of sins;
grant that we who are born of water and the Spirit
and made members of Christ,
may be one in inward faith and outward service;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Notices

Worship Services - we are combining our All-age Service and the annual Pet Service together on the **fourth Sunday of this month, Sunday 27th**. Then we will continue having the all-age services on the fourth Sundays thereafter.

Bible Reading Group - Thursday each week until December —a ten-week Bible reading group. We'll be meeting to read and discuss passages from the Bible over tea and biscuits. We'll meet on Thursday evenings at 6pm at Ruth Baker's home at 19 Lenton Street, Aranui (Off Breezes Road, near St Ambrose Church). You can contact Billy at 022 618 8420 or email at toupili.pamatangi@gmail.com if you'd like to know more.

As part of our Mission Action Plan, we will be trialling some interior furniture placement changes at St Chad's site in Linwood. We NEED your input. Please pass any comments, requests or suggestions to Rev Jan, or to the wardens Max and Martz.

Market – at St Chads on Saturday 23rd November 10.00 -2.00 pm. A wonderful mixture of stalls, sausage sizzle, refreshments, live music by Anna N Emma & Claire. A Bouncy castle for the children. If anyone has items they would like to donate to the white elephant stall. they would be gratefully accepted. Or if anyone has anything they would like to donate towards a Raffle, it would also be much appreciated. So please tell your families and friends about our upcoming fund raiser and join in on this wonderful day. Please contact Julie on 027 451 8796 or Menna, community worker, here at St Chads.

Weekly activities at both Church sites & bookshop

Day	Activity	Time
At St Chad's site		
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 \$5.00	12 noon
Sunday	Eucharist	10am
At St Ambrose's site		
Tuesday	Morning Prayer	9.45am
	Food Bank and Cafe	10am—12 Noon
	Handiscope	1-3 pm
	Parish Prayer Group	Ceased until further notice
Thursday	Elder Care Group	10am—12.30pm
	Bible Reading Group—held at Ruth Baker's house	6pm
Friday	Morning Prayer	9.45 am
	Food Bank , Café and Firewood	10am—12 Noon
Saturday	Messy Church ***	1st Saturday of the month
At the Barnabas Bookshop site		
Days open	Tuesday through Saturday inclusive (excludes Public Holidays)	10am to 4pm

Next Week's Bible Readings — 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Job 42: 1-6, 10-17

Hebrews 7: 23-28

Mark 10: 46-52