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Humour





Anglican Parish of Linwood - Aranui



PEW NEWS Sunday 23rd July 2023

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 - 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Genesis 28: 10-19a Romans 8: 12-25 Matthew 13: 24-30, 36-43

INTRODUCTION

Through the parable of the weeds among the wheat, Jesus reminds us that we live in a hostile world, that good and bad are intermingled, that we must live cooperatively for the good of all, and that we ought to leave judgment to God. We are to live in awe in the presence of a just God who meets us where we are, who is with us and will keep us, wherever we go.

Call to Worship

Leader: We look at this world, focusing on the pain and confusion, the

fears and hatred which seem to abound.

All: For what can we hope?

Leader: We wait breathlessly for the goodness of creation to be made

manifest in all the world, for this is the promise of God.

All: God is always with us, guiding, rescuing, healing, restoring us.

Leader: Get ready, dear friends, the promises of God are true.

All: Lord, quiet our spirits and open our hearts. Bring us hope and

peace. Amen.

Sentence

You, O Lord, are a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness.

Psalm 86:15

Collect

God of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things, graft in our hearts the love of your name, increase in us all goodness, and of your great mercy keep us in the same; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Notices

The Mission Implementation Group meets on Tuesday at 3pm at St Chads.

The Parish Prayer Group has had another change of time to 6pm each Tuesday evening. All are welcome to come and say Evening Prayer with us as we pray for the growth of our parish.

There has been a change of preacher for our joint service on 30th July at 10am at St Chad's. This is our celebration for the feast day of St Chad and the Inner City Chaplain, the Revd Chris Orczy, will be our preacher. If you want to go to the lunch at the Richmond Club you must put you name down today.

The next meeting of AAW will be held on Thursday, August 3rd at 1.30pm in the St Oswald Lounge at St Chads. Our speaker will be Chris Goodyear who will speak of his life; Chris will tell of his journey from South Africa to New Zealand. Come along and hear about his experiences and enjoy a time of fellowship, all welcome.

Weekly activities at both Church sites & bookshop		
Day	Activity	Time
At St Chad's site		
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 \$4.00	12 noon
Sunday	Eucharist	8.15am
	Eucharist	10.00am
At St Ambrose's site		
Tuesday	Morning Prayer	9.45am
	Food Bank Cafe	10am—12 Noon
	Handiscope	1-3 pm
	Parish Prayer Group	5pm
Wednesday	Food Bank	10am—12 Noon
Thursday	Elder Care Group	10am—12.30pm
Friday	Food Bank Cafe	10am—12 Noon
Sunday	Communion Service	10.00am
At the Barnabas Bookshop site		
Days open	Tuesday through Saturday inclusive (excludes Public Holidays)	10am to 4pm

Next Week's Bible Readings — St Chad's Feast Day

Sirach 3: 17-24 1 Corinthians 9: 16-23 Matthew 11: 25-30