

PARISH DIRECTORY for Linwood - Aranui

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*Anglican Parish of
Linwood - Aranui*



PEW NEWS Sunday 20th November 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 - 34th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jeremiah 23: 1-6

Colossians 1: 11-20

Luke 23: 33-43

INTRODUCTION

Today, on the last day of our Church year, we end it on a note of celebration. We have followed Jesus' life through the last year from the expectation of his birth at Bethlehem to the reality of his life on earth by teaching people, calling disciples, challenging injustice, and healing those who opened themselves to his power – and then to his crucifixion and resurrection. On Christ the King Sunday we celebrate his inheriting the Kingdom of God. Pope Pius XI said 'Jesus Christ reigns over the minds of individuals by his teachings, in their hearts by his love, in each one's life by the living according to His law and the imitating of his example.'

Call to Worship:

Leader: Christ the King, you became poor that many might become rich;
All: You emptied yourself of all power that we might be empowered to choose.

Leader: You show us God's kingdom in our midst and invite us to kneel with you,
All: To humble ourselves, to serve those in need, to find you here with us now.

Leader: As we gather in your name, fill us with your Spirit;
All: Open our hearts to worship you, Jesus the Servant King.

Sentence:

Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion! Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem! Lo, your king comes to you; triumphant and victorious is he, humble and riding on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey.

Zechariah 9:9

Collect:

**Majestic God,
ruler of all creation,
your kingdom is not of this world.
Christ revealed a new truth.
Raise up truth in our lives,
that as your people we may see your glory,
sing your praises, and live a new way.
Through Jesus Christ our Liberator,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. Amen**

Notices:

Brenda is exploring what interest there is for a coffee group for the women of the parish. She invites women from St Ambrose and St Chad's to meet at the Eastgate Food Court this Thursday (November 24th) at 2pm to talk about interest, form, time and day for such a group. For this time she is buying the coffees. If you can't come to this meeting but are interested please speak to Brenda.

Next Sunday we begin the season of Advent and your Vestry has designated this a time of intentional prayer for growth in our parish. Each person will be given a copy of our Parish Growth Prayer and asked to pray it every day. There will also be a service of Evening Prayer each Tuesday during Advent, beginning on the 29th November at 7:30pm at St Ambrose. All are welcome to come and join in this service.

This Wednesday evening (23 November), at 5:30pm at the Transitional Cathedral, Edmund Bohan launches his book 'Heart of the City: The Story of Christchurch's Controversial Cathedral'. All are welcome.

Vestry meets next Sunday at St Ambrose at 11:45am.

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	Not being held at present
Tuesday	Morning Prayer	9:45am
	Food Bank Cafe	10am—12 Noon
	Handiscope	1-3 pm
Wednesday	Food Bank	10am—12 Noon
	Communion Service	Not being held at present
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— 1st Sunday of Advent

Isaiah 2: 1-5

Romans 13: 11-14

Matthew 24: 36-44