

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.**

Notices (con't)

AAW meeting – on Thursday 2nd Nov in the parish hall at 1.30pm the annual general meeting will be held—it is hoped for a good attendance of members and interested ladies. There will also be a time for fellowship.

Humour



Anglican Parish of Linwood - Aranui



PEW NEWS Sunday 29th October 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 - 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Deuteronomy 34: 1-12 1 Thessalonians 2: 1-8 Matthew 22: 34-46

INTRODUCTION

Although in the New Testament "saints" refers to all Christians, the church soon gave special honour to the heroes of the faith, especially martyrs. In the early church, a feast commemorating all martyrs seems to have been observed in association with Pentecost. The extension of the feast to include all the saints and its observance on 1 November emerged some time in the eighth century. The feast allows us to express our sense of communion with all those who have gone before us, whether known or unknown, who have witnessed to their faith in Christ.

Call to Worship

Leader: On our pilgrimage of faith, in a changing and uncertain world –
All: **we do not walk alone: the Lord is with us.**

Leader: We remember all those who taught us faith –
All: **that cloud of martyrs whose example burns bright in our memory.**

Leader: God of grace, by whose love the world exists –
All: **show us your face once again and reveal to us your glory.**

Sentence

Know what is the hope to which God has called you, what are the riches of the glorious inheritance in the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of God's power in us who believe.

Ephesians 1: 18-19

Collect

**Eternal God,
you have always taken men and women
of every nation, age and colour
and made them saints;
like them, transformed,
like them, baptised in Jesus' name,
take us to share your glory;
where you reign one God for ever. Amen.**

Notices

Welcome to our joint worship at St Ambrose today as we join in a café church and remember the saints.

In the 10am service on Wednesday 1st November at St Chad's we will have a time to give thank for the life and witness of Mollie Metcalfe, who died recently. All who would like to remember Mollie are invited to join us at this service.

On Saturday 4th November there will a Market at St Chads between 9am to noon, cash only and easy access to stalls. There will be the usual Fair type stalls. Come along, bring friends and enjoy yourselves.

On Sunday 5th November we will celebrate All Souls at St Chad's and we will remember with thanksgiving those who have died and who we remember with love and gratitude. If you would like someone's name added to the list please write it down and give it to Brenda.

The Anglican Missions Board (AMB) is running an appeal called the AL AHLI HOSPITAL EMERGENCY APPEAL. This appeal is not about supporting a side or taking a position. It's about supporting the preservation of human life and dignity through access to emergency healthcare. Now that this Anglican hospital in Gaza has been hit by a missile, there is even more need for funds for the resulting humanitarian crisis. If you wish to donate, you can do so via the AMB website, or put your donation in an envelope, mark it clearly "Anglican Missions Gaza", show your name or envelope number and put it in the Sunday collection plate. We will ensure it gets to the AMB.
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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	10am
At St Ambrose's site		
Tuesday	Morning Prayer	9.45am
	Food Bank Cafe	10am—12 Noon
	Handiscope	1-3 pm
	Parish Prayer Group	6pm
Wednesday	Food Bank	10am—12 Noon
Thursday	Elder Care Group	10am—12.30pm
Friday	Food Bank Cafe	10am—12 Noon
Sunday	Communion Service	10am
At the Barnabas Bookshop site		
Days open	Tuesday through Saturday inclusive (excludes Public Holidays)	10am to 4pm

Next Week's Bible Readings — 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 25: 6-9

1 Peter 1: 3-9

John 11: 21-27