

PARISH DIRECTORY for Linwood - Aranui

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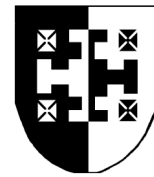
**If you want to make a donation to the Parish, our bank account is:
03-1700-0214522-00 Add your name and "donation" as references.**

Humour

The Back Pew – Jeff Larson



FOR SALE – Single owner tomb. Only used three days, and still has that new tomb smell. Reason for sale.. resident was resurrected.



*Anglican Parish of
Linwood - Aranui*



PEW NEWS Sunday 25th June 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 - 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Genesis 21: 8-21

Romans 6: 1b-11

Matthew 10: 24-39

INTRODUCTION

Jesus boldly proclaims that with his coming the ultimate age of peace has not yet dawned. Instead his coming will bring about altercations and conflicts within the closest circles of a family. Because his message of the kingdom of God is at odds with family ties, and takes priority and precedence over loyalty and devotion. No human relationship must be allowed to come between the follower and Jesus Christ, not even the love of son and daughter or father and mother. His coming calls forth decisions every day of our lives as to whom we will serve. The struggle is not an easy burden to bear, so every day we must find ourselves praying earnestly to God.

Call to Worship

Leader: Welcome! This is a time to celebrate and worship God who loves us.

All: We are grateful and thankful for all God's blessings in our lives.

Leader: We gather to remember that Christ gave his life for us.

All: We humbly praise God for such a gift!

Leader: Come, friends! Come and worship the God of love and hope.

All: Praise be to God at all times and in all places! Amen.

Sentence

Those who find their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for Jesus' sake will find it.

Matthew 10:39

Collect

**Holy God, grant us the beginning of wisdom
and love to cast out every fear:
that we may grow more brave,
more ready to hear,
more ready to obey;
through Jesus Christ our Redeemer. Amen.**

Notices

Vestry meets today at 11:45am at St Ambrose.

Anne and Brenda are at Clergy Conference this week. If you are unable to contact them please contact either one of the Wardens or Patty.

Each Sunday during communion at St Chad's there is an opportunity for anyone who wishes to receive prayers of healing for themselves or someone close to them in the Chapel at the back of the church. If you wish to be prayed for you are invited to go to the Chapel after you have received communion.

The Parish Prayer Group has changed its' meeting time to 5pm each Tuesday evening. All are welcome to come and say Evening Prayer with us as we pray for the growth of our parish.

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 — 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Genesis 22: 1-14

Romans 6: 12-23

Matthew 10: 40-42