

PARISH DIRECTORY for Linwood - Aranui

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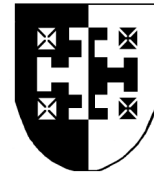


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**"How many 'Talk to God' minutes
does our family plan allow?"**



**Anglican Parish of
Linwood - Aranui**



PEW NEWS Sunday 18th 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 - 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Genesis 18: 1-15

Romans 5: 1-8

Matthew 9: 35—10: 8

INTRODUCTION

We have many opportunities to spread the good news in our daily lives; by offering a helping hand to someone in need and then sharing how we have been helped through the power of God. When someone asks us to pray for them, we can share a moment of faith as we do so. We can also invite someone to come to church, sharing the joy of our faith and our community of faith. However, in order to spread the light of Christ to others, we must first be able to see it shining in our own lives. We must aim to live our lives in a way that reflects the love, compassion, and mercy of Christ, so that others may be drawn to him through us.

Call to Worship

Leader: Raise your voices in response to God's goodness.

All: **We praise you, O Lord, for all the blessings you have given us.**

Leader: Lift your hearts in sweet surrender to God's mercy.

All: **We thank you, O Lord, for hearing the prayers of our hearts.**

Leader: God is good; Praise be to God!

All: **The love and mercy of God never fails. Amen.**

Sentence

The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest.

Matthew 9:37–38

Collect

**Almighty God,
by your grace alone
we are accepted and called to your service;
strengthen us by your Holy Spirit
and empower our calling;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Notices

Next Sunday (25th June) is our joint worship service. We meet at St Ambrose at 10am.

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

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 — 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Genesis 21: 8-21

Romans 6: 1b-11

Matthew 10: 24-39