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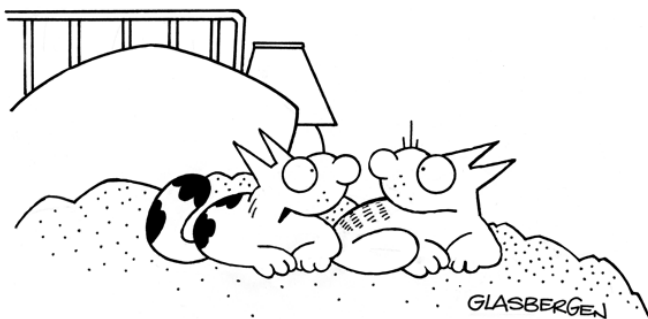
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*If you want to make a donation to the Parish, our bank account is:
Name : Parish of Linwood — Aranui; No: 03-1700-0214522-00.
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Humour

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“Personally, I wouldn’t mind at all if God sent a plague of mice to rain down upon the sinners of the modern world.”



PEW NEWS

Sunday 10th August 2025

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 - 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 1: 1, 10-20 Hebrews 11: 1-3, 8-16 Luke 12: 32-40

INTRODUCTION

Isaiah 1:1, 10-20 “Learn to do Good” – This passage was written before the Babylonian exile and is part of a series of oracles against Judah and Jerusalem. God, through Isaiah, points out an unacceptable disconnect between worship in the Temple and the people’s daily lives.

Hebrews 11:1-3, 8-16 “Abraham and Sarah’s Faith” – In this passage the writer recalls the faith of Abraham and Sarah who received God’s word to them by *faith*, which is ‘the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen’ (Heb. 11:1). This passage was written within fifty years of Jesus’ resurrection to reassure new believers that they could draw inspiration from Abraham and Sarah’s example.

Luke 12:32-40 “The Treasure of the Kingdom” - This passage brings together the themes of trusting the future to God and being ready for Jesus’ *Parousia* or return, at the end of this age. Meanwhile, Jesus asks believers to trade certainty for uncertainty and to live life as participants in the kingdom of God - a kingdom or realm that God takes pleasure in giving to us (Lk. 12:32).

Sentence

'Watch and be ready, for you do not know on what day our Lord is coming'
Matthew 24:42, 44

Collect

Almighty and everlasting God,
by your Spirit the whole body of the
Church is governed and sanctified.
Hear the prayers we offer for all
your faithful people, that in the ministry
to which you have called us we may
serve you in holiness and truth.
We ask this through our Lord and Saviour
Jesus, the Christ. Amen.

Notices

St Chad's day - I would like to thank Susanne Unwin for arranging and booking the meal at the Richmond Club. Everyone I spoke to had a lovely time—thank you very much Susanne.

St Chads "SPRING MARKET": Saturday 13th September

10.00am - 2.00pm. Book this on your calendar. We will be holding a white elephant stall and plant stalls, so if you have anything you would like to donate, please let us know. We will need helpers on the day and if your keen to help out on the day, just let me know. More details will come closer to the day. Thank you. Julie (ph 027 451 7896).

Weekly activities at both Church sites & bookshop			
Day	Activity	Time	
(A) = St Ambrose site		(C) = St Chad's site	
Tuesday	Morning Prayer	(A)	9.45am
	Food Bank and Cafe	(A)	10am—12 Noon
	Handiscope	(A)	1-3 pm
	Foot Clinic	(C)	2nd Tues of the month - Contact Menna re time
Wednesday	Op Shop	(C)	9am to 12 noon
	Eucharist	(C)	10am
	Parish Prayer Group		Temporarily in abeyance
Thursday	Elder Care Group	(A)	10am—12.30pm
Friday	Op Shop	(C)	9am to 12 noon
	Morning Prayer	(A)	9.45 am
	Food Bank , Café and Fire-wood	(A)	10am—12 Noon
	Te Reo Service	(C)	11am
	Community Lunch - cost of meal \$5.00	(C)	12 noon
Saturday	Messy Church	(A)	1st Saturday of the month — 3pm to 4.30pm
Sunday	Eucharist	(C)	10am
<u>At the Barnabas Bookshop site</u> - at 121 Seaview Road, New Brighton, in the mall there behind the Happy Feet shop.			
Days open	Tuesday through Saturday inclusive (excludes Public Holidays)		Tuesday 10am to 4pm

Next Week's Bible Readings — 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 5: 1-7

Hebrews 11: 29, - 12: 2,

Luke 12: 49-56