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Name : Parish of Linwood — Aranui; No: 03-1700-0214522-00.
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PEW NEWS

Sunday 31st 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 - 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jeremiah 2: 4-13 Hebrews 13: 1-8, 15-16 Luke 14: 1, 7-14

INTRODUCTION

Jeremiah 2:4-13 “Israel Forsakes The Lord” – Jeremiah was a prophet in the nation of Judah from the thirteenth year of King Josiah (627 BCE) until the Babylonian exile in 580 BCE. In today's reading Jeremiah invites all the families of Israel to remember that they are a people of the exodus, of wilderness wanderings, and of a land flowing with milk and honey. Why? Because the LORD says that his people ‘have forsaken’ him, ‘the fountain of living water, and dug out cisterns for themselves, cracked cisterns that can hold no water’ (Jer. 2:13).

Hebrews 13:1-8, 15-16 “God Is With Us” – The author of Hebrews encourages believers to act on the basis of mutual love, remembering those in prison, or those being tortured, and offering strangers in their midst hospitality. Their love for others, however, is not based on what they might gain but on the assurance of God's faithfulness and the example of Christ's self-giving and sacrificial love for them.

Luke 14:1, 7-14 “Invite The Poor To Your Banquet” – In this passage Jesus teaches about the nature of true hospitality. He urged dinner guests not to trouble themselves with vying for places of honour. He also told his listeners that when they host dinners, they were not to invite guests who can reciprocate their invitation. Instead, he encouraged them to invite those who cannot pay them back. Then as now, Jesus' teaching calls for radical changes not only in what we do but also in how we think of others and ourselves.

Sentence

'All who exalt themselves will be humbled, and those who humble themselves will be exalted.'
Luke 14:11

Collect

**Lord, help us to see:
to see what is eternally good and true,
and having seen, to go on searching
until we come to the joys of heaven;
for the glory of your holy name. Amen.**

Notices

Messy Church—our family church— meets on Saturday 6th September at 3.00pm at St Ambrose Church. All Welcome.

There is to be a Memorial Service for the late Anita Dale on Monday 15th September at St Chads at 2.00 pm. There is a list at the back of the church, please put your names on in it if you are intending to attend it— this is so the family can organise catering. Thank you.

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 - at 121 Seaview Road, New Brighton, in the mall there behind the Happy Feet shop.</u>			
Days open	Tuesday through Saturday inclusive (excludes Public Holidays)		Tuesday 10am to 4pm

Next Week's Bible Readings — 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jeremiah 18: 1-11

Philemon 1-21

Luke 14: 25-33