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Name : Parish of Linwood — Aranui; No: 03-1700-0214522-00.
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PEW NEWS
Sunday 13th April 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 - 6th Sunday in Lent (Palm Sunday)

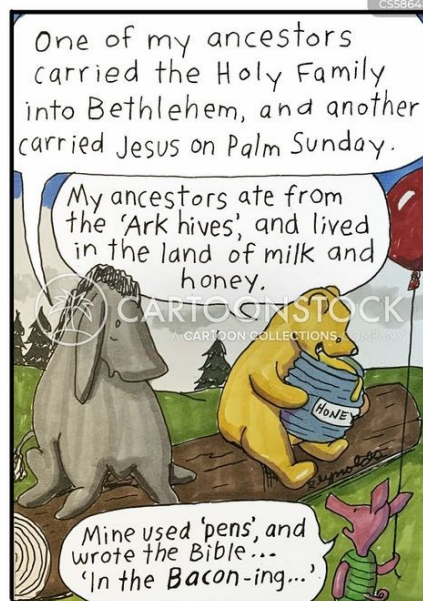
Responsive Psalm 118:1-2,19-29. Liturgy of the Palms - Luke 19: 28

INTRODUCTION

As Christians around the world look forward to Easter celebrations, today we celebrate Palm Sunday which marks the commencement of Holy Week. At the beginning of our **10am Palm Sunday Eucharist at St Chad's**, we will gather outside the church building and enter the worship space joyfully singing our *hosannas*. Regarding the Scripture reading(s) for the day, we will all participate in a *responsive reading* of **Psalm 118;1-2, 19-29**, before also participating in a *narrated reading* based on **Luke 19:28-40**, which is an account of Jesus' entrance into Jerusalem during his final days.

On Thursday evening you are invited to come and participate in our **7pm Maundy Thursday Eucharist and Foot-washing Ceremony at St Chad's**. The Scriptures for this service include: (1) **Exodus 12:1-4, 11-14**, a passage describing the institution of the Feast of Passover as a memorial of the Lord's deliverance of the people from Egypt; (2) **1 Corinthians 11:23-29**, a passage in which Paul reminds the Christians of Corinth of the ancient tradition he had received concerning the institution of the Eucharist, the celebration of which is to be a living sermon; and (3) **John 13:1-17, 31b-35**, a passage about Jesus' last supper in which he washes the feet of his disciples to demonstrate that the essence of his relationship with his father is love, and that the disciples are now to be the embodiment of that love. That's why he gave his disciples a *new commandment* (John 13:34).

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Then on Friday, you are encouraged to attend our **10am Good Friday *Tenebrae* Service at St Chad's**, which will be followed by morning tea in the lounge. In this Service we will remember the arrest, trial, torture, crucifixion, and death of our Lord and Saviour Jesus, the Anointed One. This sombre Service called *Tenebrae*, means *darkness* or *shadows*. The purpose of *Tenebrae* is to read a selection of Scriptures from **Matthew 26, Mark 15:12-20, and Luke 23:33-46** to recreate the betrayal, abandonment, and pain of the events around about the time of Jesus' crucifixion. The story is left unfinished because it is not complete until Easter Day.

Sentence

"... at the name of Jesus, every knee should bend, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father"

Philippians 2:10-11

Collect

**Jesus, when you rode into Jerusalem
the people waved palms
with shouts of acclamation.
Grant that when the shouting dies
we may still walk beside you even to a cross.
We ask this for the glory of your holy name. Amen.**

Notices

The Women's Coffee Group meets on **Thursday 17th April** at 2pm in the Eastgate Mall food court. All welcome. Contact Carole on 0210504811.

Services on Maundy Thursday and Good Friday — details of these services are set out in the Introduction—please check there.

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
	Parish Prayer Group	(A)	Ceased until further notice
Wednesday	Op Shop	(C)	9am to 12 noon
	Eucharist	(C)	10am
Thursday	Elder Care Group	(A)	10am—12.30pm
Friday	Op Shop	(C)	Closed—Good Friday
	Morning Prayer	(A)	Closed—Good Friday
	Food Bank , Café and Fire-wood	(A)	Closed—Good Friday
	Te Reo Service	(C)	Closed—Good Friday
	Community Lunch - cost of meal \$5.00	(C)	Closed—Good Friday
Saturday	Messy Church	(A)	1st Saturday of the month — 3pm to 4.30pm
Sunday	Eucharist	(C)	10am
<i>At the Barnabas Bookshop site - at 121 Seaview Road, New Brighton, in the mall there behind the Happy Feet shop.</i>			
Days open	Tuesday through Saturday inclusive (excludes Public Holidays)		Tuesday 10am to 4pm

Next Week's Bible Readings — Easter Day

Acts 10: 34-43

1 Corinthians 15: 19-26

John 20: 1-18