

Welcome to
**CHRIST CHURCH
CATHEDRAL, NELSON**

SUNDAY 2 FEBRUARY 2025

The Fourth Sunday in Ordinary time / Te Rātapu Tuawhā o He Wā Noa

Kia ora Cathedral Whānau,

As schools return there is a real sense that 2025 is well underway.

As I said in last week's sermon, we are going to keep following Luke's Gospel and his portrayal of Jesus as we explore the focus of the Gospels - that Jesus is the promised Messiah, a prophetic Messiah, the Son of God. Written in the mid-60's and closely related to the book of Acts as two volumes, the significance of Luke's portrayal of Jesus is that Luke has written it specifically for us. In a sense this is our Gospel, written to tell non-Jews the story of Jesus, that we too are included in the "embrace of God's overpowering love" (Luttenberger). Jesus is not only the fulfilment of Israel's history as Messiah, but also the centre of human history - our history - the gift of grace to us all.

In the Church's calendar, Feb 2 is also the Sunday to commemorate the Anglican Association of Women (AAW), where we give thanks for the important ministry that women have in the life of the Church since its very beginning. This includes the role of women in our Cathedral and Diocese, and so today we celebrate that role by welcoming AAW members from the joint Cathedral - All Saints AAW group this morning.

Over the coming two Sundays, the Diocese welcomes two new Vicars to the Diocese. First Rev Paul & Rita Nzimbi and family from Kenya are joining the Victory Parish today (Feb 2) and Rev Mark Johnson & Kirsty Resink from the Wellington Diocese joining the Golden Bay Parish on Feb 9. Please pray for these new ministers to our Diocese and their families and parishes as they settle into their new communities.

As we approach Waitangi Day it is important to look beyond the political rhetoric surrounding Te Tiriti o Waitangi and to celebrate the importance of this document for us as a nation and to the Christian context from which it came. This quote from Archbishop Sir David Moxon for me is a great summary for why Te Tiriti o Waitangi is so important:

The Anglican church in these Islands has an historic, moral and spiritual responsibility to see that the covenantal theology in the Treaty signing process continues to be honoured, enacted and lived.

(Jay Ruka, Huia Come Home, pg 73)

Finally, I will be on leave over the coming week, so please contact the Office or Rev Steve for any needs.

God bless,

Graham



WELCOME TO YOUR CATHEDRAL!

We are delighted to have families with children worship with us. Our CathedralKids Programme for ages 5-ish to 12 runs during term time. Toys and activities are available for children, please ask the sidespeople. Toilets can be found outside by exiting the main door and turning right.

SERVICE INFORMATION:

- ◆ Hearing Assistance technology is available. Please see the 'Contacts' page in the end of the Bulletin for more details.
- ◆ Ramp for access to the Sanctuary (on the right side).
- ◆ Special chairs available from Pulpit side for those with disabilities / back problems.

HEALTH ADVISORY NOTICE:

Worshippers experiencing cold or flu-like illnesses or associated symptoms are advised to stay home.

EMERGENCY RESPONSE PROCEDURES:

In the event of a fire please follow the directions of the wardens and assemble at the nearest Assembly Point (top of the Church steps, or in the car park by the notice board). In the event of an earthquake Drop, Cover and Hold. If you are unable to get under a pew, please adopt the emergency brace position and cover your head and neck with your arms. Do not attempt to run outside once shaking has started. Once shaking has stopped please follow the directions of the wardens in evacuating the building. If you notice someone in need of assistance during the evacuation please provide help if you are able, or notify a warden.

SERVICES

8:00am

HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant

Dean Graham O'Brien

Preacher

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Readings

Isaiah 42:5-9, Acts 13:44-49, Luke 4:14-30

10:00am

CHORAL COMMUNION

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Reverend Lois Hurd-McKee

Preacher

Dean Graham O'Brien

Readings

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Hymns

I, The Lord of Sea and Sky (p4)

Arise To Greet The Lord Of Light (p10)

Lead Us, Heavenly Father, Lead Us (p15)

Love Divine All Loves Excelling (p20)

Psalm

Psalm 19:7-14

Choir Anthems

'All Things Bright and Beautiful' by Rutter

5:30 PM

EVENING PRAYER WITH HYMNS

Minister of Liturgy

Dean Graham O'Brien

Reflection

Reverend Steve Jordan

Readings

1 Samuel 3:1-12, Ephesians 4:1-7, 11-12 (p22)

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CathedralKids will return on February 9th

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL, NELSON



CHORAL COMMUNION

Sunday 2 February 2025

Order of Service

<i>Celebrant</i>	Reverend Lois Hurd-McKee
<i>Preacher</i>	Dean Graham O'Brien
<i>Minister of Liturgy</i>	Jocelyn Smith
<i>Cathedral Organist</i>	Paul Chan
<i>Choral Director</i>	Nigel Weeks
<i>Music Setting</i>	Rutter

Please stand as we sing

I, THE LORD OF SEA AND SKY (CA332)

(HERE I AM, LORD)

I **I, the Lord of sea and sky,
I have heard my people cry.
All who dwell in dark and sin my hand will save.
I who made the stars of night,
I will make their darkness bright.
Who will bear my light to them?
Whom shall I send?**

***Here I am, Lord
Is it I, Lord?
I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go, Lord,
If you lead me.
I will hold your people in my heart.***

2 I, the Lord of snow and rain,
I have borne my people's pain,
I have wept for love of them.
They turn away.
I will break their hearts of stone,
give them hearts for love alone,
I will speak my word to them.
Whom shall I send?

*Here I am, Lord
Is it I, Lord?
I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go, Lord,
If you lead me.
I will hold your people in my heart.*

3 I, the Lord of wind and flame,
I will tend the poor and lame,
I will set a feast for them.
My hand will save.
Finest bread I will provide
till their hearts be satisfied,
I will give my life to them.
Whom shall I send?

Here I am, Lord....

Dan Schutte b.1947

Welcome

Dean Graham O'Brien

Dean Grace and peace to you from God.
All God fill you with truth and joy.

Dean The Lord be with you.
All The Lord bless you.

Dean This is the day which the Lord has made.
All Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

Minister of Liturgy Let us pray

Please be seated

We say the Collect for Purity together

**Almighty God,
to whom all hearts are open,
all desires known,
and from whom no secrets are hidden;
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,
so that we may truly love you
and worthily praise your holy name;
through our Saviour, Jesus Christ.
Amen.**

New Commandment

Minister of Liturgy Hear the teaching of Christ: "A new commandment
I give to you, that you love one another as I have
loved you."

All Spirit of God, search our hearts.

The choir sings the Kyrie

*Lord have mercy
Christ have mercy
Lord have mercy*

The Invitation and the Confession

Minister of Liturgy Hear God's word to all who turn to Christ:
Jesus said: "Come to me all who labour and are heavy
laden and I will give you rest." (*Matthew 11:28*)

God has promised forgiveness to all who truly repent,
turn to Christ in faith and are themselves forgiving.
In silence we call to mind our sins.

(Silence)

Let us confess our sins.

All

**Merciful God,
we have sinned
in what we have thought and said,
in the wrong we have done
and in the good we have not done.
We have sinned in ignorance:
we have sinned in weakness:
we have sinned through
our own deliberate fault.
We are truly sorry.
We repent and turn to you.
Forgive us, for our Saviour Christ's sake,
and renew our lives to the glory of your name.
Amen.**

The Absolution is pronounced by the Celebrant

Celebrant

Through the cross of Christ,
God have mercy on you,
pardon you and set you free.
Know that you are forgiven and be at peace.
God strengthen you in all goodness
and keep you in life eternal.

All

Amen.

The choir sings the Gloria

*Glory to God in the highest,
and peace to his people on earth.
Lord God, heav'nly King,
almighty God and Father,
we worship you,
we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glory.*

*Lord Jesus Christ,
only Son of the Father,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world:
have mercy on us;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:
receive our prayer.*

*For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father.
Amen.*

Minister of Liturgy The peace of Christ rule in our hearts.

All **The Word of Christ dwell in us richly.**

The Sentence and Collect

Sentence Because if you confess with your lips
that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart
that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved.
For, 'Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord
shall be saved.' *Romans 10:9,13*

Collect **God of all mercy,
your Son brought good news to the despairing,
freedom to the oppressed and joy to the sad;
fill us with your spirit
that the people of our day
may see in us his likeness and glorify your name.
This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.**

The Proclamation of the Word

The Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 42:5-9

Read by Noeline Curtis, AAW

⁵ Thus says God, the LORD, who created the heavens and stretched them out, who spread out the earth and what comes from it, who gives breath to the people upon it and spirit to those who walk in it: ⁶ I am the LORD, I have called you in righteousness, I have taken you by the hand and kept you; I have given you as a covenant to the people, a light to the nations, ⁷ to open the eyes that are blind, to bring out the prisoners from the dungeon, from the prison those

who sit in darkness. ⁸ I am the LORD, that is my name; my glory I give to no other, nor my praise to idols. ⁹ See, the former things have come to pass, and new things I now declare; before they spring forth, I tell you of them.

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church
All Thanks be to God

We remain seated as the choir sings Psalm 119:7-14

- 7 *The law of the Lord is perfect, reviving the soul :
the command of the Lord is true, and makes wise the simple.*
- 8 *The precepts of the Lord are right, and rejoice the heart :
the commandment of the Lord is pure,
and gives light to the eyes.*
- 9 *The fear of the Lord is clean, and endures for ever :
the judgements of the Lord are unchanging,
and righteous every one.*
- 10 *More to be desired are they than gold, even much fine gold :
sweeter also than honey,
than the honey that drips from the comb.*
- 11 *Moreover, by them is your servant taught :
and in keeping them there is great reward.*
- 12 *Who can know his own unwitting sins? :
O cleanse me from my secret faults.*
- 13 *Keep your servant also from presumptuous sins,
lest they get the mastery over me :
so I shall be clean, and innocent of great offence.*
- 14 *May the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart
be acceptable in your sight :
O Lord, my strength and my redeemer.*

*Glory to the Father and to the Son
and to the Holy Spirit;
as it was in the beginning is now
and shall be for ever. Amen.*

The New Testament Reading

Acts 13:44-49

Read by Kathleen Cuthbert, AAW

⁴⁴ The next sabbath almost the whole city gathered to hear the word of the Lord. ⁴⁵ But when the Jews saw the crowds, they were filled with jealousy; and blaspheming, they contradicted what was spoken by Paul. ⁴⁶ Then both Paul and Barnabas spoke out boldly, saying, 'It was necessary that the word of God should be spoken first to you. Since you reject it and judge yourselves to be unworthy of eternal life, we are now turning to the Gentiles.

⁴⁷ For so the Lord has commanded us, saying,
"I have set you to be a light for the Gentiles,
so that you may bring salvation to the ends of the earth."

⁴⁸ When the Gentiles heard this, they were glad and praised the word of the Lord; and as many as had been destined for eternal life became believers.

⁴⁹ Thus the word of the Lord spread throughout the region.

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All Thanks be to God

Please stand to sing the Gradual Hymn

ARISE TO GREET THE LORD OF LIGHT (CA40)

**1 Arise to greet the Lord of light,
 you people of his choice.
 In uncreated glory bright,
 he bursts upon our inward sight,
 and bids the heart rejoice,
 and bids the heart rejoice!**

**2 Towards his light shall kings be drawn
 this majesty to see;
 and in the brightness of the dawn
 shall see the world in hope reborn,
 in justice full and free,
 in justice full and free.**

3 **The holy light in Judah's skies
call sages from afar.
The hope of kings they recognize
which, in the virgin mother's eyes,
outshines the guiding star,
outshines the guiding star.**

4 **This majesty for long concealed
from longing human sight,
in Jesus Christ is now revealed,
and God's eternal promise sealed
in love's unending light,
in love's unending light.**

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Please remain standing for the Gospel reading

The Holy Gospel Reading

Luke 4:14-30

Read by Lee-ann O'Brien

After the announcement

All sing Praise and glory to God

¹⁴ Then Jesus, filled with the power of the Spirit, returned to Galilee, and a report about him spread through all the surrounding country. ¹⁵ He began to teach in their synagogues and was praised by everyone. ¹⁶ When he came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, he went to the synagogue on the sabbath day, as was his custom. He stood up to read, ¹⁷ and the scroll of the prophet Isaiah was given to him. He unrolled the scroll and found the place where it was written:

¹⁸ 'The Spirit of the Lord is upon me,
because he has anointed me to bring good news to the poor.
He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives
and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free,
¹⁹ to proclaim the year of the Lord's favour.'

²⁰ And he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant, and sat down. The eyes of all in the synagogue were fixed on him. ²¹ Then he began to say to them, 'Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing.' ²² All spoke well of him and were amazed at the gracious words that came from his mouth. They said, 'Is not this Joseph's son?' ²³ He said to them, 'Doubtless you will

quote to me this proverb, “Doctor, cure yourself!” And you will say, “ Do here also in your home town the things that we have heard you did at Capernaum.”²⁴ And he said, ‘Truly I tell you, no prophet is accepted in the prophet’s home town.²⁵ But the truth is, there were many widows in Israel in the time of Elijah, when the heaven was shut up for three years and six months, and there was a severe famine over all the land;²⁶ yet Elijah was sent to none of them except to a widow at Zarephath in Sidon.²⁷ There were also many lepers in Israel in the time of the prophet Elisha, and none of them was cleansed except Naaman the Syrian.’²⁸ When they heard this, all in the synagogue were filled with rage.²⁹ They got up, drove him out of the town, and led him to the brow of the hill on which their town was built, so that they might hurl him off the cliff.³⁰ But he passed through the midst of them and went on his way.

Reader: This is the Gospel of Christ
All sing Praise to Christ, the Word

The Sermon

Dean Graham O’Brien

Minister of Liturgy We stand to affirm our faith
in the words of the Nicene Creed

**All We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is,
seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one being with the Father;
through him all things were made.**

**For us and for our salvation,
he came down from heaven,
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit
and the Virgin Mary,
and became fully human.**

**For our sake he was crucified
under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into Heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

**He will come again in glory
to judge the living and the dead,
and His kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who in unity with the Father and the Son
is worshipped and glorified,
and has spoken through the prophets.**

**We believe in one holy catholic
and apostolic church.**

**We acknowledge one baptism
for the forgiveness of sins.**

**We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come.**

Amen.

Let us pray (*Please kneel or be seated*)

Intercessions

Reverend Lois Hurd-McKee

AAW Prayer

**O God our Father,
whose love for all people
is proclaimed in Jesus Christ.**

**We thank you for uniting us
in prayer and fellowship.**

**Use us now in the mission of Your Church.
Help us to realise that everything we do and say
reflects our love for You.**

**Bless homes and families throughout the world,
especially those unhappy or in need.**

**Show us how, by our example and concern,
we can take Your peace and love
wherever your Spirit may lead us
- today and all our days.**

Amen.

We conclude our prayers by saying the Lord's Prayer

**Our Father in Heaven,
hallowed be your name, your kingdom come,
your will be done on earth as in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread,
forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours,
now and forever.**

Amen.

The Peace

Please stand

Celebrant The peace of Christ be always with you.

All And also with you.

Celebrant E te whānau, we are the body of Christ.

All By one Spirit we were baptised into one body.

Celebrant Keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.

All Amen. We are bound by the love of Christ.

*Please remain standing to sing the Offertory hymn, which is the opportunity to worship God with our gifts of tithes and offerings. (The collection is received.)
We also offer up the prayers that people have written during the week.*

LEAD US, HEAVENLY FATHER, LEAD US (CA379)

- 1** **Lead us, heavenly Father, lead us
o'er the world's tempestuous sea;
guard us, guide us, keep us, feed us,
for we have no help but thee;
yet possessing every blessing
if our God our Father be.**
- 2** **Saviour, breathe forgiveness o'er us;
all our weakness thou dost know;
thou didst tread this earth before us,
thou didst feel its keenest woe;
lone and dreary, faint and weary,
through the desert thou didst go.**
- 3** **Spirit of our God, descending,
fill our hearts with heav'nly joy,
love with ev'ry passion blending,
pleasure that can never cloy:
thus provided, pardoned, guided,
nothing can our peace destroy.**

James Edmeston / Friedrich Filitz

Celebrant **Blessed are you, God of all creation;
through your goodness we have these gifts to share.
Accept and use our offerings given in any form
for your glory and for the service of your kingdom.
Accept these prayers written in the Cathedral over the
week, in the name of your Son.**

All **Blessed be God for ever.**



Celebrant
All

Kei konei te Ariki. The Lord is here.
God's Spirit is with us.

Celebrant
All

Kia ara o koutou ngakau. Lift up your hearts.
We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant
All

Kia whakapai tatou ki to tatou Ariki ki te Atua.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to offer thanks and praise.

Celebrant

It is right indeed, it is our joy and our salvation,
holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God,
at all times and in all places to give you thanks and praise
through Christ your only Son.

You are the source of all life and goodness;
through your eternal Word
you have created all things from the beginning
and formed us in your own image;
male and female you created us.

When we sinned and turned away
you called us back to yourself
and gave your Son to share our human nature.

By his death on the cross,
he made the one perfect sacrifice for the sin of the world
and freed us from the bondage of sin.

You raised him to life triumphant over death;
you exalted him in glory.
In him you have made us a holy people
by sending upon us your holy and lifegiving Spirit.

Therefore, with the faithful who rest in him,
with angels and archangels and all the company of heaven,
we proclaim your great and glorious name,
for ever praising you and singing:

Choir

*Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of power and might,
Heav'n and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.*



*Blessed is He who comes in the
the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.*

Please kneel or be seated

Celebrant

All glory and thanksgiving to you, Holy Father,
on the night before he died
your Son, Jesus Christ, took bread;
when he had given you thanks, he broke it,
gave it to his disciples, and said:
Take, eat, this is my body which is given for you;
do this to remember me.
After supper he took the cup;
when he had given you thanks,
he gave it to them and said:
Drink this, all of you,
for this is my blood of the new covenant
which is shed for you and for many
for the forgiveness of sins;
do this as often as you drink it, to remember me.

All sing

**Glory to you Lord Christ,
your death we show forth,
your resurrection we proclaim,
your coming we await.
Amen! Come Lord Jesus.**

Celebrant

Therefore, loving God,
recalling your great goodness to us in Christ,
his suffering and death, his resurrection and ascension,
and looking for his coming in glory,
we celebrate our redemption with this bread of life
and this cup of salvation.
Accept our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving
which we offer through Christ our great high priest.

Send your Holy Spirit
that these gifts of bread and wine which we receive
may be to us the body and blood of Christ,
and that we, filled with the Spirit's grace and power
may be renewed for the service of your kingdom.

United in Christ
with all who stand before you in earth and heaven,
we worship you, O God,
in songs of everlasting praise.

All sing

**Blessing, honour and glory be yours,
here and everywhere, now and forever. Amen.**

The Communion

Celebrant

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

All

**We who are many are one body, for we all
share the one bread.**



All

**We do not presume to come to your holy table,
merciful Lord,
trusting in our own righteousness,
but in your great mercy.**

**We are not worthy even to gather the crumbs
from under your table.**

**But you are the same Lord whose nature is
always to have mercy.**

**Grant us therefore, gracious Lord,
so to eat the body of your dear Son,
Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood,
that we may evermore dwell in him
and he in us.**

Amen.

Choir

*Jesus, Lamb of God,
have mercy on us.*

*Jesus, bearer of our sins:
have mercy on us.*

*Jesus, redeemer of the world:
give us your peace.*

The Invitation

Celebrant Draw near and receive the body and blood of our Saviour Jesus Christ in remembrance that he died for us. Let us feed on him in our hearts by faith with thanksgiving.

The congregation is invited to receive communion by coming up the side aisles and returning down the centre aisle. Wafers will be offered and gluten free wafers available on request. Wine is available in the common cup (no intinction/dipping) and both wine and juice are offered in individual cups.

The Choir sings the communion anthem 'All Things Bright and Beautiful' by Rutter

Prayer after Communion

Celebrant Father of all,
we give you thanks and praise,
that when we were still far off
you met us in your Son and brought us home.
Dying and living,
he declared your love,
gave us grace
and opened the gate of glory.

All **May we who share Christ's body**
Live his risen life;
We who drink his cup
Bring life to others;
We whom the Spirit lights
Give light to the world.
Keep us firm in the hope you have set before us,
So we and all your children shall be free,
And the whole earth live to praise your name.
Amen.

Notices and Blessing

Dean Graham O'Brien

Please stand to sing our final Hymn

LOVE DIVINE, ALL LOVES EXCELLING (CA428ii)

- 1** Love divine all loves excelling,
joy of heav'n, to earth come down,
fix in us thy humble dwelling,
all thy faithful mercies crown.
- Jesu, thou art all compassion,
pure unbounded love thou art;
visit us with thy salvation,
enter ev'ry trembling heart.
- 2** Breathe, O breathe thy loving Spirit
Into ev'ry troubled breast;
Let us all in thee inherit,
Let us find thy promised rest.
- Take away the love of sinning,
Alpha and Omega be;
end of faith, as its beginning,
set our hearts at liberty.
- 3** Come, almighty to deliver,
let us all thy grace receive;
suddenly return, and never,
never more thy temples leave.
- Thee we would be always blessing
serve thee as thy hosts above;
pray, and praise thee, without ceasing,
glory in thy perfect love.
- 4** Finish then thy new creation:
pure and spotless let us be;
let us see thy great salvation
perfectly restored in thee;
- Changed from glory into glory,
till in heav'n we take our place,
till we cast our crowns before thee,
lost in wonder, love, and praise.

Charles Wesley / W.P. Rowlands

The Dismissal of the Community

Dean

*Haere i runga i te rangimarie i runga i te aroha
me te ngakau hihiko ki te mahi ki te Ariki.
Go now to love and serve the Lord. Go in peace.*

All

Amen. We go in the name of Christ.



Organ Voluntary

Marche sur "Lift up your Heads" op. 15 - Alexandre Guilmant



The Reverend Denis and Rosemary Mellsop would like to thank the Cathedral clergy, staff and parishioners for their continued support and prayers over his continuing lengthy illness.



Readings for Evening Prayer with Hymns:

First Reading

I Samuel 3:1-12

¹ Now the boy Samuel was ministering to the LORD under Eli. The word of the LORD was rare in those days; visions were not widespread. ² At that time Eli, whose eyesight had begun to grow dim so that he could not see, was lying down in his room; ³ the lamp of God had not yet gone out, and Samuel was lying down in the temple of the LORD, where the ark of God was. ⁴ Then the LORD called, 'Samuel! Samuel!' and he said, 'Here I am!' ⁵ and ran to Eli, and said, 'Here I am, for you called me.' But he said, 'I did not call; lie down again.' So he went and lay down. ⁶ The LORD called again, 'Samuel!' Samuel got up and went to Eli, and said, 'Here I am, for you called me.' But he said, 'I did not call, my son; lie down again.' ⁷ Now Samuel did not yet know the LORD, and the word of the LORD had not yet been revealed to him. ⁸ The LORD called Samuel again, a third time. And he got up and went to Eli, and said, 'Here I am, for you called me.' Then Eli perceived that the LORD was calling the boy. ⁹ Therefore Eli said to Samuel, 'Go, lie down; and if he calls you, you shall say, "Speak, LORD, for your servant is listening."' So Samuel went and lay down in his place. ¹⁰ Now the LORD came and stood there, calling as before, 'Samuel! Samuel!' And Samuel said, 'Speak, for your servant is listening.' ¹¹ Then the LORD said to Samuel, 'See, I am about to do something in Israel that will make both ears of anyone who hears of it tingle. ¹² On that day I will fulfil against Eli all that I have spoken concerning his house, from beginning to end.

Second Reading

Ephesians 4:1-7, 11-12

¹ I therefore, the prisoner in the Lord, beg you to lead a life worthy of the calling to which you have been called, ² with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, ³ making every effort to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. ⁴ There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to the one hope of your calling, ⁵ one Lord, one faith, one baptism, ⁶ one God and Father of all, who is above all and through all and in all.

⁷ But each of us was given grace according to the measure of Christ's gift.

¹¹ The gifts he gave were that some would be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, some pastors and teachers, ¹² to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ.

PRAYERS

CHURCH

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL

- ✠ Dean The Very Rev Dr Graham & Lee-ann O'Brien
- ✠ Honorary Priest Rev Steve & Karen Jordan
- ✠ Wardens David Lucas & Jocelyn Smith
- ✠ Cathedral Ministry and Ministry Leaders listed in the Bulletin
- ✠ New Diocesan clergy and families Rev Paul & Rita Nzimbi and family (Victory Parish) and Rev Mark Johnson & Kirsty Resink (Golden Bay Parish).

COMMUNITY

- ✠ Pray for the social housing completed on Waimea Road and the stability that it will provide in so many lives.
- ✠ Teachers and students as they return to school

BARNABAS PRAYER **Sunday 2 February, 2025**

O Lord God, please hear our prayer on behalf of our brothers and sisters around the world who suffer due to natural disasters. We ask that You protect them and stay close to them, so that their hearts will remain hopeful and full of love for You even when everything else is lost. We know that You – the One who created the world – can command the oceans and move the mountains, and we cry out to You to provide for Your people and maintain the hope of those who would otherwise be hopeless. We ask this in the Name of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

WORLD

- ✠ Pray for peace especially in Ukraine
- ✠ Prayer for a lasting ceasefire between Israel and Gaza, for the release of hostages & prisoners and humanitarian aid relief
- ✠ Pray for safety for people during the unrest in Congo
- ✠ Recovery from natural disasters

THOSE SICK / IN NEED OF PRAYER

Judy Campbell, Rev Denis Mellsop, Ian McLean, Andrew, Mary Toll, Paul, James, Lindsey, Joseph Clark, Wendi & Stann, Lynnley Capell, Christine, Doreen, Lachlan, Taranaki Dean Jay and Erin Ruka as Erin goes through chemotherapy

CATHEDRAL CARE TEAM

The team are a group of parishioners who are willing to help others if and when they would appreciate some form of help. We are prepared to offer a friendly, listening ear, the occasional meal or perhaps transport for things like hospital appointments, trips to the doctor or Cathedral events such as CAMEO. If you know of someone who needs prayer, a visit, home Communion, or any other Cathedral family, please contact

Reverend Nigel Whinney
021 118 9985

SERVICES AND ACTIVITIES IN FEBRUARY:

Tuesday 4 February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Walking Group 9am
Wednesday 5 February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Holy Communion 11am • Emmaus Discussion Group 12 - 1pm
Sunday 9 February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Holy Communion 8am • Choral Communion 10am (with Cathedral Kids) • Whakatū Anglican Māori Mission 12:30pm • Evensong 5:30pm
Tuesday 11 February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Walking Group 9am • Christian Meditation group 5pm
Wednesday 12 February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Holy Communion Service 11am • Emmaus Discussion Group 12 - 1pm
Sunday 16 February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Holy Communion 8am • Choral Communion 10am • Whakatū Anglican Māori Mission 12:30pm • Evensong 5:30pm

EVENTS COMING UP:

February 14 CAMEO Afternoon Tea, Friday 2pm

The Beautiful World of Baroque Music
BAROQUE MUSIC COMMUNITY AND EDUCATIONAL TRUST OF NEW ZEALAND
presents
BEAUTY JOY PASSION INTENSITY COLOUR
BOHEMIAN BAROQUE
2025 CONCERT TOUR

Edita Keglerova
Harpichord
Czech Rep.

Sara Kades
Baroque Viola
NZ

Rakuto Kurano
Baroque Violin
NZ

Szabolcs Illés
Baroque Violin
Hungary

Tomas Hurnik
Baroque Cello
NZ

Bohemian Baroque 2025 Concert Tour

will perform on **Wednesday February 19, 7pm** at Nelson Cathedral. Tickets will be available at the door on the night of the concert and on Eventfinda, please visit www.barquemusic.co.nz

General Admission \$45.00
Gold Card and CSC \$35.00
Students \$20.00
Children \$5.00

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The Cathedral's 10 am and 5:30 pm services are available for viewing on YouTube. Our livestream link is below and is available on our website <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCwg-Hxdb7caA2MiHgPxThAw/live>

**Any payments to the Cathedral can be made into
BNZ Bank Account Number: 020704 0028423 00**

HEARING ASSISTANCE



To link into our hearing assistance system, please connect to our **Wi-Fi** and download the blue **Listen WiFi app** onto your phone and then link your hearing aid by **Bluetooth**.

- 1. Connect to Cathedral AP or Hearing Assist Wi-Fi in your settings**
- 2. Download and open the ListenWiFi App, click on Audio LGTD**
- 3. Bluetooth link to hearing aid must be on**

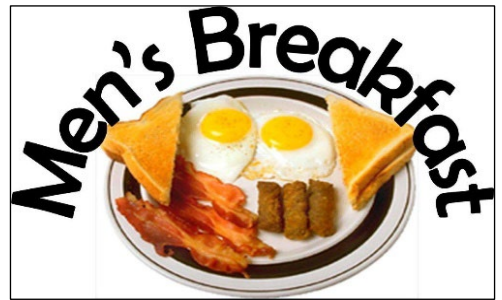


Morning Prayer

We have Parish Prayer each morning for 15 minutes at **9 am, Monday to Saturday**. You can join in via zoom using this link: Graham O'Brien's Personal Meeting Room, <https://anglicanchurch-nz.zoom.us/j/7448540777>

NOTICES

There is a Men's Breakfast here at 9am on Saturday the 29th of March, Brigadier Sean Trengrove will be the speaker.



Ripple Effect

Nelson
Waimea

Learn practical ways to share your faith. Led by Julie-anne Laird, these sessions will help you:

- How to share your faith with confidence
- How to connect with your local community
- How to pray with purpose for your whānau
- Embrace a lifestyle of mission and service.



Nelson
Anglicans

Haere Mai

Saturday 8 March | 9 AM - 12 PM

All Saints, 30 Vanguard Street

www.nelsonanglican.nz/events



NELSON CATHEDRAL INVITES YOU & YOUR FRIENDS TOO

Cameo at the Cathedral

An opportunity for a chat, sing-along and afternoon tea.

FRIDAY 14TH FEBRUARY
FROM 2.00- 3.30PM

CONTACT:
OUTREACH CO-ORDINATOR -
BERYL SHATFORD-BANKS
03 548 1008



Cathedral Kids will resume on February 9th

Come &
have fun!
Age 5+

CATHEDRAL
kids



In term time our 10am Sunday service offers the biblically themed CATHEDRAL kids
Based on the Anglican Bible Reading Cycle we learn
about the world around us and how God wants us to behave
Activities and discussion relate to the theme of the Sunday Service

NOTICES

CHRISTMAS CARDS NEEDED!!!!

The Christmas Tree Festival needs **more Christmas Cards** to recycle into decorations for the Memory Trees. Please leave in the **gold box** at the Cathedral entrance if you have any to donate.



◆ Fast-Dealing Property Trading Game ◆

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Save the Date: MONOPOLY Launch Event

When: Friday 14th February, 12.00pm-2.00pm
Where: Top of Trafalgar St, 1903 Stage, Nelson
Christ Church Cathedral, Nelson is on the board! 🎲

View the games and pre-order link here:
<https://www.commerce.org.nz/games/>



AAW (Association of Anglican Women) Afternoon Gathering

Thursday, 13th February,
2pm. Meet at Samuels
Rose Garden, Broadgreen
(276 Nayland Road, Stoke)
for a walk through the
roses, followed by a cuppa
in the Le Cren Room,
Broadgreen.

If wet: meet at the Le
Cren Room at 2pm.
All welcome.

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WELCOME NEWCOMERS



We are delighted to have you join us for today's service. Please fill out the form, tear off, and place in the Newcomers Box at the main entrance. By filling out this form, you will go on our Parish Roll and emailing list.

I would like to know more about:

- Kids Church
- Choir
- KidSing
- AAW
- Prayer
- Outreach
- Meditation
- Events at the Cathedral
- I would like to have a visit from the clergy
- I would like to help with

Name

Contact Number

Address

Email

