

Christ Church Cathedral Nelson

Sunday Bulletin

Sunday 14th January 2018

2nd Sunday of Epiphany

Welcome to Christ Church Cathedral

Children are welcome at our services. There are toys in the quiet room which is the room at the front of the Cathedral on the left hand side.

PLEASE FEEL FREE TO TAKE THIS PUBLICATION AWAY WITH YOU.

Dear Cathedralites

I made myself do it. It was not logical. Patsy warned me against it, warning me that I'm 64, not 24 and to stop trying to prove things to myself. In spite of the warnings I did it. After all I watched 8 year old kids do it, so why couldn't I. So I jumped off the Tempting bridge into the river way up in the Aniseed Valley last Monday. It was a great feeling of accomplishment. Sometimes the only way of overcoming fear is to plunge into it. This week I started mini-series on Nathaniel. He was a reluctant jumper but when he finally got going he jumped in boots and all. But it took a while.

One of the many things I love about being Dean at this Cathedral is the variety of people I meet, be it on a Sunday outside the Cathedral as people leave, or just walking around the place. Earlier this week I met up with John Fairbrother. John was once a curate here at the Cathedral, he was then head hunted to go to Wanganui Collegiate. He has spent time working at Hanmer, amongst those with drug dependency issues. He has fond memories of his time at the Cathedral.

This week I had a great meeting with Helen MacKenzie, Liz Roberts, and Angela Shaw. They are building up a team to work in the Sanctuary. To prepare the elements needed for communion and to make repairs of linen when necessary. I want to thank Alan Parry who has been part of this team for a while but who is stepping down. He did a sterling job. Now we need to increase the team. If you have a passion for this, then make sure you contact any of the aforementioned folk. A lot of work goes behind the scenes and this is one good example.

This week Patsy and I head to Christchurch later on Sunday to catch up with family and friends. The Christmas Tree Festival is going great guns and there are many people coming into the Cathedral. If you've got a spare hour or two in welcoming and babysitting, then contact Patsy. She is thrilled at the response she's had so far.

The choir made a brief cameo return last week but will now be on holiday until February. So, we, the Cathedralites sitting in the pews, we are the choir today, so sing with great gusto, intent and praise.

Yours in His service,
Mike



Sentence: We call to mind your steadfast love, O God, in the midst of your temple. As your name is great O God, so is your praise to the ends of the earth. *Psalm 48:9,10*

Collect: **Holy and eternal God,
Your son Jesus Christ has taught us
to learn from the simple trust of children;
Give us pure hearts and steadfast faith to worship you in
Spirit and in truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

8.00am

*Celebrant
Preacher
Readings*

Holy Communion

(Yellow book)

Dean Mike Hawke
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*1 Samuel 3:1-10; 1 Corinthians 6:12-20;
John 1:43-46*

10.00am

*Celebrant
Preacher
Organist*

Family Eucharist

(Booklet)

The Reverend Steve Jordan
Dean Mike Hawke
Paul Johnstone

5.30pm

*Celebrant
Preacher
Organist*

Choral Evensong

The Reverend Murray Campbell
The Reverend Steve Jordan
Jane Mitchell

*Introduction
Opening hymn*

609 To God be the glory

*Old Testament Reading
New Testament Reading
Magnificat
Nunc Dimittis
Apostles' Creed
Hymn
Sermon
Anthem
Prayers
Notices
Offertory Hymn
Blessing
Sung Amen
Organ Voluntary*

Isaiah 60:9-22
Hebrews 6:17-7:10
Tell out my soul CP362

308 Just as I am
The Reverend Steve Jordan
Melanie Carruthers

CP22 The Day Thou Gavest

For our prayers

Church - *Pray for our mission partners in Australia

*Parish of Kaikoura - Pastoral Ministry and the Pastoral Care Team

World

* Jolene – Refugee Support, Middle East

*Pray for peace in Jerusalem

Community

*Pray for visitors to our region

*Pray for safety on the roads

* Sick

Shirley Miles, Barbara Pownall, John, James, Andrew, Jean Crockett, Lachlan, Tim Hurd, Elizabeth, Catriona, Roger Williams, Marianne.

St. Barnabas Prayer

Father in Heaven, we pray today for our Christian brothers and sisters in North Korea, who live daily in extreme danger because of their love for the Lord Jesus Christ. Fill each one with a peace that passes understanding that they trust in You. For those in brutal prison labour camps, we ask that You will give them grace to endure, that their patience, love and fortitude may be a witness that draws others to You. We ask this in the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ and for His glory.

Amen

Please pray for Tory Snape who recently lost his sister, Val Smith.

**Sincere condolences
from all at
Nelson Cathedral.**

Pray for music and musicians

Eternal Lord God, source of all beauty and harmony, we praise you for the gift of music: for the inspiration given to those who compose it, for the skill and devotion of those who perform it, for the faculties and powers which enable us to enjoy it; and we pray that as by this gift our lives are enriched and renewed, so we may glorify you in a fuller dedication of ourselves. Guide the team charged to lead the music in our Cathedral giving thanks for all things in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

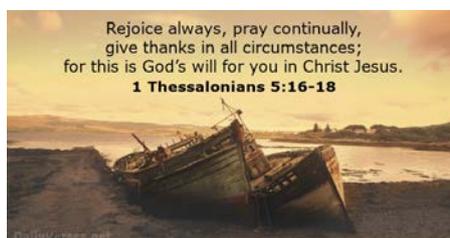
Amen.

HERE TO HELP

If you know of someone who is in need of prayer, a visit, home communion, or other support, please let Steve know, and the pastoral committee will respond as best it can. This includes telling us of recent bereavements of parishioners, congregants or families. Don't assume we know, please tell us! We would rather have had ten notifications than none. Help us to help our friends and families!

Steve Jordan

steve@nelsoncathedral.org



WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

Meditation on Tuesday evening takes a break until February 2018.

People are welcome to visit the Chapel for a quiet time of meditation anytime in January 2018.

There will not be a walking group during the month of January 2018.

There will be no flax group or Exercises for health during December and January.

Services Next Sunday 21st January 2018

8.00am	Holy Communion
10.00am	Family Eucharist
12.30-3.30pm	Whakatu Maori Mission Community Service
5.30pm	Evensong

Dean Mike preaching at 8am & 10 am services and Rev Murray Campbell preaching at 5.30pm

Word and Worship starts again on 4th February

Flowers for this year



If you would like to donate towards flowers for 2018 please fill in the folder at the main entrance.

Cost: \$45.00

CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL Welcomers needed from Boxing Day to end January

Please contact Patsy Hawke at patriciamhawke@gmail.com or 021 269 0455 / 548 1443 if you have a couple of hours to spare, and are able to fill a slot on the Welcomers' Roster.

CAN YOU HELP WITH TAKING THE CHRISTMAS TREES DOWN?

The Christmas Tree Festival has been a successful event again this year and at the end of the month it has to be taken down and the Cathedral set back to normal. One of the problems we have is that the group set to do this are getting a little bit older and so we are asking for some younger volunteers to help on the day to get the Cathedral reset. It will involve some lifting, so if you are able to help please contact the office at 548 1008 or office@nelsoncathedral.org

Time: 10am-12pm on Saturday 27th January

Thank you, Jim Wiseman

Total attendance for Sunday 7 January 2018

8am = 33

10am = 97

5.30pm = 41

Total for Sunday = 171

Week 7 Jan – 11 Jan = 197

House of Prayer and Healing in the Chapel

Monday, Tuesday, Friday Mornings: 8-9am

Wednesday & Thursdays: 9am-12pm

Feel free to contact Tapita on 021 255 3013 for prayer requests or for further details.

WE NEED YOU!

Presently we are blessed with two amazingly faithful ladies who assist in support positions within our Children's church from Sunday to Sunday. But we want to grow our team for the upcoming new year.

Could you spare one Sunday a month and don't mind playing a support role in the children's church then I want to talk to you. Please contact John Laing on 544-6075



L.E.A.P. Children's Church 2018

1 Samuel 3:1-10

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. At that time Eli, whose eyesight had begun to grow dim so that he could not see, was lying down in his room; 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. Then the LORD called, 'Samuel! Samuel!' and he said, 'Here I am!' 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. 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.' Now Samuel did not yet know the LORD, and the word of the LORD had not yet been revealed to him. 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. 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. Now the LORD came and stood there, calling as before, 'Samuel! Samuel!' And Samuel said, 'Speak, for your servant is listening.'

1 Corinthians 6:12-20

'All things are lawful for me', but not all things are beneficial. 'All things are lawful for me', but I will not be dominated by anything. 'Food is meant for the stomach and the stomach for food', and God will destroy both one and the other. The body is meant not for fornication but for the Lord, and the Lord for the body. And God raised the Lord and will also raise us by his power. Do you not know that your bodies are members of Christ? Should I therefore take the members of Christ and make them members of a prostitute? Never! Do

you not know that whoever is united to a prostitute becomes one body with her? For it is said, 'The two shall be one flesh.' But anyone united to the Lord becomes one spirit with him. Shun fornication! Every sin that a person commits is outside the body; but the fornicator sins against the body itself. Or do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you, which you have from God, and that you are not your own? For you were bought with a price; therefore glorify God in your body.

John 1:43-46

The next day Jesus decided to go to Galilee. He found Philip and said to him, 'Follow me.' Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city of Andrew and Peter. Philip found Nathanael and said to him, 'We have found him

about whom Moses in the law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus son of Joseph from Nazareth.' Nathanael said to him, 'Can anything good come out of Nazareth?' Philip said to him, 'Come and see.'

Isaiah 60:9-22

For the coastlands shall wait for me, the ships of Tarshish first, to bring your children from far away, their silver and gold with them, for the name of the LORD your God, and for the Holy One of Israel, because he has glorified you. Foreigners shall build up your walls, and their kings shall minister to you; for in my wrath I struck you down, but in my favour I have had mercy on you. Your gates shall always be open; day and night they shall not be shut, so that nations shall bring you their wealth, with their kings led in procession. For the nation and

kingdom that will not serve you shall perish; those nations shall be utterly laid waste. The glory of Lebanon shall come to you, the cypress, the plane, and the pine, to beautify the place of my sanctuary; and I will glorify where my feet rest. The descendants of those who oppressed you shall come bending low to you, and all who despised you shall bow down at your feet; they shall call you the City of the LORD, the Zion of the Holy One of Israel. Whereas you have been forsaken and hated, with no one passing through, I will make you majestic for ever, a joy from age to

age. You shall suck the milk of nations, you shall suck the breasts of kings; and you shall know that I, the LORD, am your Saviour and your Redeemer, the Mighty One of Jacob. Instead of bronze I will bring gold, instead of iron I will bring silver; instead of wood, bronze, instead of stones, iron. I will appoint Peace as your overseer and Righteousness as your taskmaster. Violence shall no more be heard in your land, devastation or destruction within your borders; you shall call your walls Salvation, and your gates Praise. The sun shall no longer be your light by day

nor for brightness shall the moon give light to you by night; but the Lord will be your everlasting light, and your God will be your glory. Your sun shall no more go down, or your moon withdraw itself; for the Lord will be your everlasting light, and your days of mourning shall be ended. Your people shall all be righteous; they shall possess the land for ever. They are the shoot that I planted, the work of my hands, so that I might be glorified. The least of them shall become a clan, and the smallest one a mighty nation; I am the Lord; in its time I will accomplish it quickly.

Hebrews 6:17-7:10

In the same way, when God desired to show even more clearly to the heirs of the promise the unchangeable character of his purpose, he guaranteed it by an oath, so that through two unchangeable things, in which it is impossible that God would prove false, we who have taken refuge might be strongly encouraged to seize the hope set before us. We have this hope, a sure and steadfast anchor of the soul, a hope that enters the inner shrine behind the curtain, where Jesus, a forerunner on our behalf, has entered, having become a high priest for ever according to the order of Melchizedek. This 'King Melchizedek of Salem, priest of the Most High God, met Abraham as he was returning from defeating the kings and blessed him'; and to him Abraham apportioned 'one-tenth of everything'. His name, in the first place, means 'king of righteousness'; next he is also king of Salem, that is, 'king of peace'. Without father, with-

out mother, without genealogy, having neither beginning of days nor end of life, but resembling the Son of God, he remains a priest for ever. See how great he is! Even Abraham the patriarch gave him a tenth of the spoils. And those descendants of Levi who receive the priestly office have a commandment in the law to collect tithes from the people, that is, from their kindred, though these also are descended from Abraham. But this man, who does not belong to their ancestry, collected tithes from Abraham and blessed him who had received the promises. It is beyond dispute that the inferior is blessed by the superior. In the one case, tithes are received by those who are mortal; in the other, by one of whom it is testified that he lives. One might even say that Levi himself, who receives tithes, paid tithes through Abraham, for he was still in the loins of his ancestor when Melchizedek met him.

Pledge form

I/We wish to support the vision of the Cathedral to grow in

Liveliness Functionality Godliness

By Staying
 Praying
And Paying

And so commit to giving \$ per week/month

Name

Address

Email

Phone Date

Signature

We wish to give by

On line banking

Name of Account: Churchwardens of the Parish of Christ Church

Bank of New Zealand 020704 0028423 00

Or

▪ Envelope system – envelopes will be provided by the Cathedral Office
Please bring this form back next Sunday in an envelope and place in the offertory basket. The information on this form is confidential and only seen by the Treasurer and Envelope Recorder.

HELLO
MY NAME IS

I'm New!

I would like to know more about:

Kids Church

Choir

AAW

Prayer

Meditation

Exercise groups

Parish Nurse

I would like to go on the cathedral emailing / postal list

I would like to go on the Parish Roll.

I would like to have a visit from the clergy

Name: _____

Contact Number: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____



Service information

Those receiving Holy Communion are invited to do so EITHER by intinction, i.e. retaining the wafer when it is given to you and then dipping it in the cup of wine before consuming it OR by consuming the wafer when it is given to you and then drinking from the common cup.

- Grape juice is available at communion.
- Gluten free wafers are available.
- Hearing Aid Loop available - please turn to the T position on your hearing aid.

ALSO

- Three individual speakers on the Pulpit side in rows 4 and 5.
- Ramp for access to the Sanctuary (on the right side)
- Special chairs are available from the Pulpit side for those with disabilities or back problems. Note that the leg height can be adjusted to suit.

Newcomers



We warmly welcome you to the Cathedral today. We are delighted to have families with children worship with us. During term time we have a children's ministry during the service. We have clipboards with activity sheets available for children during the month of January 2018.

Toilets can be found outside down the path to the left or if it is raining there are toilets off the Teaching Room.

