



CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL NELSON

SUNDAY BULLETIN

Passion Sunday 18th March 2018

WELCOME TO CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL

Children are welcome at our services.

There are toys in the playpen to the left of the main entrance.

PLEASE FEEL FREE TO TAKE THIS PUBLICATION AWAY WITH YOU.

Dear Cathedralites

I can't remember the actual country Church somewhere in the middle of the North Island, but I know it had a great impact on me as I entered and saw on the cross beams above the Sanctuary these words "Sir we want to see Jesus". It is this phrase I want to explore today.

What a joy it has been this week to have our Bethlehem friends staying with us. Jiries and his wife Marcelle both born in Bethlehem but living in Auckland for the last 30 years joined in with Angele presently living in Bethlehem. The highlight was taking them on the launch trip right up through the Abel Tasman, as far as Totaranui. They spoke at our 5.30 and 7pm services as well as our Lenten Study group on Wednesday. Jiries presented everyone at the Bible study with a cross that he had made. I am sure those crosses will be treasured.

Jocelyn Smith and Margie Marshall will be two of the 25 pilgrims coming with Patsy and me to Jordan, the Holy Land and Greece in May, who will make a personal visit to Angele's family workshop in Manger Square in Bethlehem. It will be great to catch up with her again.

Life is pretty hard for Christians all around the world but to be a Palestinian Christian in Bethlehem would be one of the harder places. While we feel under the pump in New Zealand as Christians with the rise of secularism, they are always on the defensive from both Israelis and Muslims.

Reverend Martin Roff is celebrating this morning at our 8 'o clock service. He hails from Britain and makes regular visits to New Zealand.

One of my catch cries is to get everyone involved at the Cathedral using their gifts. If you have a gift of reading, of leading prayers, of welcoming, then make sure you sign the sign-up sheet that will be going around the services today.

Joe Currie reminded me the other day that when he was in the choir at Nelson College and the Cathedral, the then conductor Ralf Lilly would organise an annual picnic at Pellorus Bridge to which the boys would bike there and back in the one day. Wow wee, imagine that happening today. Ticking the boxes to get permission through Health and Safety would run into dozens of pages, I'm sure.

Yesterday, Archdeacon Andy Joseph was honoured to be a subject of one chapter of a book written by George Bryant. We celebrated that last night. Certainly Andy is a treasure for all of us. He had a mayoral reception in his honour on Friday for his 90th birthday.

On Tuesday at 11.45am John Laing and I will be at the Loaves and Fishes providing a bit of singing entertainment. Come and join us.

Next week is Palm Sunday. The years in my childhood memories have been receiving a palm cross to mark the occasion. Maureen Wagg has had a great many years of making these crosses and invites others to join her on Friday at 10 'o clock to make the hundreds we need for this special day.

Next weekend I have been invited by the Willows Cricket Club lead by Mike Dormer, a Nelson College old boy and patron to meet at a special function with the Governor General over a weekend that will involve New Zealand cricket teams. The Governor General will be there as part of the special celebrations.

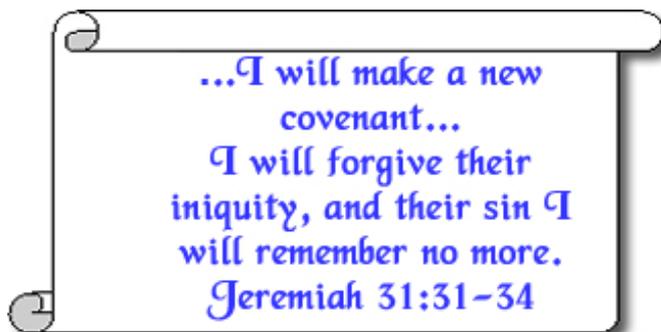
Last Monday I flew to Christchurch to lead the service of an amazing man Gordon Sparrow. How about this, even at the age of 85 Gordon was teaching 12 Bible School classes every week. That's incredible. Gordon and Anne headed up Child Evangelism Fellowship in New Zealand for many years. They never lost their passion connecting children to Jesus. Interestingly Anne wanted the ashes to be buried before the actual funeral service took place. She preferred the idea of a memorial service, so 10am the immediate family walked to Bromley Cemetery and we buried the ashes. Later in the afternoon we had a memorial service. I am use to doing it the other way around.

Meanwhile, have a great week.

In His service,
Mike

Sentence: 'Sir we want to see Jesus.' John 12:21

Collect: Jesus, they hung you on a cross because you love sinners. Save us from our self-righteousness and from our contempt for those who differ from us. Amen



8.00am

*Celebrant
Preacher
Readings*

HOLY COMMUNION

(Yellow book)

**Reverend Martin Roff
Dean Mike Hawke**
*Jeremiah 31:31-34, Hebrews 5:5-10,
John 12:20-26*

10.00am

Preacher

CHORAL EUCHARIST

(Booklet)

Dean Mike Hawke

5.30pm

*Officiant
Preacher*

CHORAL EVENSONG

**Dean Mike Hawke
Reverend Nigel Whinney**

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

112 My song is love unknown (omit v4 & 5)

34:1-8

Hosea 11:1-9 (Melanie Carruthers)

Morley

Luke 2:41-52 (Jenny Wells)

Morley

542 O Love that will not let me go

Reverend Nigel Whinney

628 Ye that know

7.00pm

*Praise
Sermon
Adoration
Testimony/Notice
Final Hymn*

WORD & WORSHIP *(Informal charismatic style worship)*

7PM SERVICE

PRAISE GOD FROM WHOM ALL BLESSINGS FLOW

Chorus

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow

*Praise Him all creatures here below
Praise Him above you heavenly host
Praise Father Son and Holy Ghost*

Verse

Give glory to the Father
Give glory to the Son
Give glory to the Spirit
While endless ages run
Worthy the Lamb all heaven cries
To be exalted thus
Worthy the Lamb our hearts reply
For He was slain for us

Chorus

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow

*Praise Him all creatures here below
Praise Him above you heavenly host
Praise Father Son and Holy Ghost
Praise Father Son and Holy Ghost
Praise Father Son and Holy Ghost*

O COME LET US WORSHIP THE LORD

O, come let us worship the Lord,
The One who made heaven and earth,
All things that were, all things that are,
All things that were will be.

Chorus

He's worthy, He's worthy,
worthy of all praise

O, come let us worship the Lord,
The One who suffered and died,
Endured the Cross, despised the shame,
In one great act of grace. *Chorus*

O, come let us worship the Lord,
The One who rose from the dead,
Flung death aside, and broke its bonds,
And ever lives to save. *Chorus*

O, come let us worship the Lord,
The One who is coming again,
With the angels shout, the trump of God.
And every eye shall see. *Chorus*

O, come let us worship the Lord,
The One who is true to His word,
Gracious and kind, holy and good,
Righteous in all His ways. *Chorus*

10,000 REASONS

Bless the Lord O my soul
O my soul
Worship His holy name.
Sing like never before
O my soul
I'll worship Your holy name.

1

The sun comes up,
it's a new day dawning
It's time to sing
Your song again.
Whatever may pass
And whatever lies before me
Let me still be singing
when the evening comes.

2

You're rich in love and
You're slow to anger
Your name is great
and Your heart is kind.
For all Your goodness
I will keep on singing
Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find.

3

And on that day
when my strength is failing
The end draws near
and my time has come.
Still my soul
will sing Your praise unending
Ten thousand years and then for evermore.

4

Jeremiah 31: 31-34

³¹ The days are surely coming, says the LORD, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and the house of Judah. ³² It will not be like the covenant that I made with their ancestors when I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt—a covenant that they broke, though I was their husband, says the LORD. ³³ But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel

after those days, says the LORD: I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts; and I will be their God, and they shall be my people. ³⁴ No longer shall they teach one another, or say to each other, 'Know the LORD', for they shall all know me, from the least of them to the greatest, says the LORD; for I will forgive their iniquity, and remember their sin no more.

Hebrew 5:5-10

⁵ So also Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high priest, but was appointed by the one who said to him, 'You are my Son, today I have begotten you'; ⁶ as he says also in another place, 'You are a priest for ever, according to the order of Melchizedek.'⁷ In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save

him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. ⁸ Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered; ⁹ and having been made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him, ¹⁰ having been designated by God a high priest according to the order of Melchizedek.

John 12:20-26

²⁰ Now among those who went up to worship at the festival were some Greeks. ²¹ They came to Philip, who was from Bethsaida in Galilee, and said to him, 'Sir, we wish to see Jesus.' ²² Philip went and told Andrew; then Andrew and Philip went and told Jesus. ²³ Jesus answered them, 'The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. ²⁴ Very truly, I tell you, unless

a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains just a single grain; but if it dies, it bears much fruit. ²⁵ Those who love their life lose it, and those who hate their life in this world will keep it for eternal life. ²⁶ Whoever serves me must follow me, and where I am, there will my servant be also. Whoever serves me, the Father will honour.

Psalm 34:1-8

¹ I will bless the LORD at all times;
his praise shall continually be in my mouth.

² My soul makes its boast in the LORD;
let the humble hear and be glad.

³ O magnify the LORD with me,
and let us exalt his name together.

⁴ I sought the LORD, and he answered me,
and delivered me from all my fears.

⁵ Look to him, and be radiant;
so your faces shall never be ashamed.

⁶ This poor soul cried, and was heard by the LORD,
and was saved from every trouble.

⁷ The angel of the LORD encamps
around those who fear him, and delivers them.

⁸ O taste and see that the LORD is good;
happy are those who take refuge in him.

Hosea 11:1-9

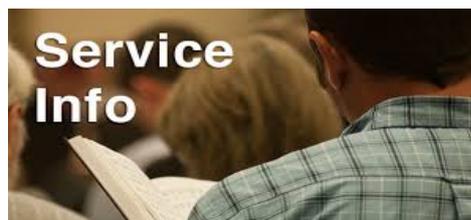
¹ When Israel was a child, I loved him,
and out of Egypt I called my son. ² The
more I called them, the more they went
from me; they kept sacrificing to the
Baals, and offering incense to idols.
³ Yet it was I who taught Ephraim to
walk, I took them up in my arms; but
they did not know that I healed them. ⁴ I
led them with cords of human kindness,
with bands of love. I was to them like
those who lift infants to their cheeks. I
bent down to them and fed them. ⁵ They
shall return to the land of Egypt, and
Assyria shall be their king, because
they have refused to return to me. ⁶ The
sword rages in their cities, it consumes

their oracle-priests, and devours be-
cause of their schemes. ⁷ My people
are bent on turning away from me. To
the Most High they call, but he does not
raise them up at all. ⁸ How can I give
you up, Ephraim? How can I hand you
over, O Israel? How can I make you like
Admah? How can I treat you like
Zeboiim? My heart recoils within me;
my compassion grows warm and ten-
der. ⁹ I will not execute my fierce anger;
I will not again destroy Ephraim; for I
am God and no mortal, the Holy One in
your midst, and I will not come in wrath.

Luke 2: 41-52

⁴¹ Now every year his parents went to Jerusalem for the festival of the Passover. ⁴² And when he was twelve years old, they went up as usual for the festival. ⁴³ When the festival was ended and they started to return, the boy Jesus stayed behind in Jerusalem, but his parents did not know it. ⁴⁴ Assuming that he was in the group of travellers, they went a day's journey. Then they started to look for him among their relatives and friends. ⁴⁵ When they did not find him, they returned to Jerusalem to search for him. ⁴⁶ After three days they found him in the temple, sitting among the teachers, listening to them and asking them questions. ⁴⁷ And all who heard him were amazed at his understanding and his answers. ⁴⁸ When

his parents saw him they were astonished; and his mother said to him, 'Child, why have you treated us like this? Look, your father and I have been searching for you in great anxiety.' ⁴⁹ He said to them, 'Why were you searching for me? Did you not know that I must be in my Father's house?' ⁵⁰ But they did not understand what he said to them. ⁵¹ Then he went down with them and came to Nazareth, and was obedient to them. His mother treasured all these things in her heart. ⁵² And Jesus increased in wisdom and in years, and in divine and human favour.



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.

NOTICES

Make a
joyful noise
to the LORD
Psalm 100:1

THE CATHEDRAL CHOIR



New members are very welcome, whether for the 10.00am choir, Evensong choir, or for both. New Junior Choristers (from 8yrs/older) also very welcome.

Practices are on Thursdays from 4pm for Juniors, 5.10pm for 10am Choir and 6-7pm for Evensong Choir.

EASTER DAY CHOIR



Anyone who enjoys singing is welcome to join with the Cathedral Choir to sing at our Easter Day Celebration Services.

Practices at 5.15 pm Thursday 22nd and 29 March.

Any queries see Melanie Carruthers or Patsy Hawke



FLOWERS FOR 2018



If you would like to donate towards the flowers for 2018 please fill in the folder at the main entrance. **Cost: \$45.00**

WEEKLY CATHEDRAL ATTENDANCE

5 March – 11 March 2018 = 353
The Cathedral needs to receive \$5115.00 p/w in giving from all sources in order to meet this year's budget.
Last week we received \$3547.00

VOLUNTEERS WANTED

Could you volunteer to help support your Cathedral? We are looking for:



**SIDESPERSONS,
VISITORS WELCOMERS,
PEOPLE WHO WOULD BE HAPPY TO READ
LESSONS, OR BE LITURGICAL ASSISTANT.**

Training will be given, and you can volunteer for anything from occasional duties to several a month!

Clipboards will be circulating after the services today. **Steve**

OFFICE CLEANER WANTED: OPEN HOME FOUNDATION

We need a cleaner for our Nelson office of the Open Home Foundation, to start work in the week beginning 25 March for our upstairs office is at 10D Kotua Place, Stoke. The work will be 2 hours a week, paid at \$20 an hour before tax. We require the work to be done *out* of office hours. If you are interested, please contact Julana 545 9172 / julana.croukamp@ohf.org.nz

ANOTHER THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

"To learn to follow Jesus is the training necessary to become a human being". Stanley Hauerwas

FOR OUR PRAYERS

CHURCH

- *Pray for our mission partners in Australia
- * Pray for the Parish of Reefton & Grey Valley
- *The Honorary Clergy and their families

WORLD

- *Pray for peace in Jerusalem
- *Pray for rain in Cape Town

COMMUNITY

- * Pray for Jacinda Ardern & NZ parliament

SICK - Shirley Miles, John, James, Andrew, Jean Crockett, Lachlan, Tim Hurd, Jake, Elizabeth, Catriona, Roger Williams, Marianne, Sean, Russell Dickson, Robyn Robertson, Shirley Eichstadt, Mary Frank, Jennifer, Joshua & family, Chris, Ania, Verena.

ST BARNABAS PRAYER

Lord Jesus Christ, we bring to you in prayer all the Christian women and girls living in contexts of marginalisation, poverty and persecution. Many are doubly despised – for being Christians and for being female – and are at risk of abuse and violence. Be their shield and their glory, and lift up their heads. We pray especially for widows, whose husbands died the Your name sake. Comfort their broken hearts and enable them to provide for themselves and their children. (Psalm 3:3)

Amen

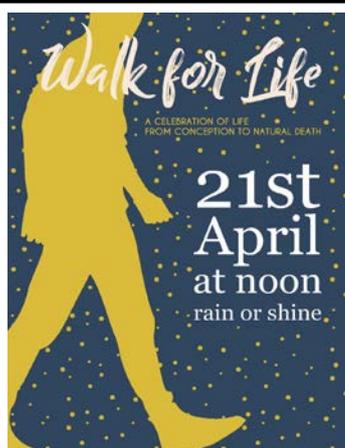
PRAY FOR MUSIC & MUSICIANS

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

UPCOMING EVENTS



You're invited to the 2018 Nelson Walk For Life!

This is a celebration of life from conception to natural death. It is a peaceful, non-judgmental statement that life is precious and worth living. It opposes abortion and euthanasia by making a positive case for life (rather than being a protest march).

It is a family-friendly event.

It starts at the top of the cathedral steps on Trafalgar Street and walks to Halifax St and back (return via Rutherford Street).

All welcome to join us in making a great statement.

Mark the date 21 April at 12:00–13:30

Marie: 021 1085 988 / walkforlife2018@gmail.com

Newcomers

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: _____



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Week days 9.30am – 12.30pm

SERVICES THIS WEEK

Monday 19 th March	12.15pm
Tuesday 20 th March	12.15pm
Wednesday 21 st March	10.00am
Thursday 22 nd March	12.15pm
Friday 23 rd March	12.15pm
Saturday 24 th March	08.00am

SERVICES PALM SUNDAY 25 MARCH

08.00am	Holy Communion
10.00am	Choral Eucharist (with Children's Church Programme)
12.30pm	Whakatu Maori Mission Community Service (12.30-3.30pm)
5.30pm	Choral Evensong
7.00pm	Word & Worship



BIBLE READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY 25TH MARCH

8am:	Luke 19:28-40; Luke 19: 41-44
10am:	Isaiah 50:4-9a; Psalm 118: 1-2, 19-29; Philippians 2:5-11; Mark 11: 1-11
5.30pm:	Psalm 22:23-29; Isaiah 5:1-7; Mark 12:1-12



Wednesday 28th March 7.00pm Service of Shadows "Tenebrae"

Candles are extinguished as we move through the Passion Story.

"Maundy Thursday" 29th March 12.00pm

Clergy reaffirm their ordination vows, and are anointed and prayed for. A free lunch follows.

Institution of the Last Supper 7.00pm

We hear the biblical account of Jesus washing the disciple's feet. The clergy wash the feet of worshippers while the choir sings special music.

At the close of the service the Cathedral is stripped of everything.

Good Friday 30th March

Special Good Friday Liturgy 10am

The culmination of this 45 minute service is the carrying of the shrouded body of Christ from the Cathedral to the bottom of the steps in Trafalgar Street.

People will be invited to "hammer" on the cross.

Good Friday 12noon – 3pm

The 3 hour vigil led by the Cathedral clergy and the Bishop.

Saturday Outdoor Service 31st March 11.00-12.00pm

Maitai Valley Road

Easter Sunday 1st April

08.00am	Easter Eucharist
10.00am	Family Eucharist with Easter Eggs
5.30pm	Easter Evensong
7.00pm	Easter Festival – Word & Worship