



CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL NELSON
SUNDAY BULLETIN – Suffrage Sunday
30th September – 18th Sunday after Trinity

WELCOME TO CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL

Children are welcome at our services. There are toys in the playpen located at the west transept. (front left) Please feel free to take this publication away with you.

Dear Cathedralites,

Welcome everyone to today's special pet service as we remember Francis of Assisi and our very own pets. Father Steve is disappointed not to be here as he has had to have a quick trip overseas. However, his dog Miss Bridie Jordan is attending in her master's absence. Apparently she is wearing her white dog collar. And of course a special welcome to our guest preacher Chris Welland who is senior veterinary surgeon at the Halifax Street Practise, the first veterinary practise in New Zealand to receiver the top hospital's standard accreditation. Reverend Jenny Wilkins is assisting with the blessing of the animals this morning.

Nels from Nelson Museum has organised for people to have an opportunity of having a photograph taken with their pets after this service. Thanks to Melanie and the choir for the special music this morning. Tonight at 7pm Matt Gray is teaching. Matt was heavily involved with Nelson Diocesan youth in the years gone by and in fact was the youth leader of Melanie Carruthers, our Choir Director.

John and Kae Fitchett are back time away with family overseas and attended a number of Orthodox Services and Churches. It is nice that their eldest daughter Lizzy, son in law Phil and grandson James are with us for the next few days as it's the school holidays.

And the following week of the holidays John Laing will be running the holiday program for children. This is a wonderful ministry that John does on behalf of the Cathedral. Not only do the children benefit but so do the parents and grandparents and broader family. I'm really appreciative of all he does. Give him a call and see how you can help. His phone number will be in the service sheet.

We will meet up with the Cathedral Clergy on Thursday morning. How fortunate we are to have such a great team, which ensures that we can have Eucharistic services every day of the week here in Nelson cathedral. Then on Friday morning the music team will be meeting to look at Christmas music. Yes, Christmas is just around the corner.

Thank you so much to everyone who helped make our Suffrage Service last week such a success. Wasn't it wonderful to have the two mayors there as well as various politicians including Nick Smith and the aspiring Rachel Boyack. I'm impressed at the number of folk who dressed up in period costume. On top of all that Jenny Wilkens preached a wonderful sermon and reminded us of the Christian impact made by Kate Sheppard and her team.

Parents and grandparents, great uncles and aunts and godparents as school holidays start, may you have a wonderful week if not a restful one!

Nice to have Geoff Lawes back with us after a few months away following the fast cars and bikes. We used to call them petrol heads!!
Have a great week.

In His service,
Mike

PILGRIMS PROGRESS



Well done to the Junior Cast Members for your outstanding performance in Pilgrim's Progress. Great job all!!! ☺

SUFFRAGE SERVICE



Almost 200 at Suffrage Service at Nelson Cathedral. Pictured with Dean Mike Hawke are Mayors Rachel Reese, Richard Kempthorne, Hon Nick Smith and Dame Alison Roxburgh.

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
- 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.

HEALTH ADVISORY NOTICE

Worshippers experiencing Cold or Influenza-like illnesses or associated symptoms are advised to refrain from partaking of the practice of "Intinction" with the wafer or using the "Common Cup" during the communion ceremony. Clearly labelled wine and fruit juice alternatives are provided utilising the small thimble glasses. This recommendation is an important personal and public health issue which conforms with the Cathedral's Health and Safety requirements.

8.00am

Celebrant
Preacher
Readings

HOLY COMMUNION*(Yellow book)*

Dean Mike Hawke
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Esther 7:1-6, 9-10, 9: 20-22; James 5:13-20;
Mark 9:38-50

10.00am*Preacher***PET SERVICE** *(Booklet)**Christopher Welland***5.30pm**

Officiant
Preacher
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

CHORAL EVENSONG

Dean Mike Hawke
Reverend Murray Campbell

CP594 – The Lord's my Shepherd

121

Exodus 24 (John White)

Matthew 9:1-8 (Jenny Wells)

CP581 – Take my life**Reverend Murray Campbell****CP22 – The day Thou gavest****7.00pm****WORD & WORSHIP***(Informal charismatic style worship)*

Sung Evensong 5.30pm next week 7th October, will be a special service, as we will be joined by a Taizē Group. Come and experience this beautiful music.

The Sentence and Collects for the day

Sentence: Therefore confess your sins to one another, and pray for one another, so that you may be healed. The prayer of the righteous is powerful and effective. James 5:16

Collect: **Almighty and merciful God, more ready to hear than we to pray,
 Giving more than either we desire or deserve;
 Pour down upon us the abundance of your mercy; give us those
 things of which our conscience is afraid, and give us those good
 things which we are not worthy to ask, except though your Son
 our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen**

Esther 7:1-6, 9-10, 9: 20-22

¹ So the king and Haman went in to feast with Queen Esther. ² On the second day, as they were drinking wine, the king again said to Esther, 'What is your petition, Queen Esther? It shall be granted you. And what is your request? Even to the half of my kingdom, it shall be fulfilled.' ³ Then Queen Esther answered, 'If I have won your favour, O king, and if it pleases the king, let my life be given me—that is my petition—and the lives of my people—that is my request. ⁴ For we have been sold, I and my people, to be destroyed, to be killed, and to be annihilated. If we had been sold merely as slaves, men and women, I would have held my peace; but no enemy can compensate for this damage to the king.' ⁵ Then King Ahasuerus said to Queen Esther, 'Who is he, and where is he, who has presumed to do this?' ⁶ Esther said, 'A foe and enemy, this wicked Haman!' Then Haman was terrified before the king and the queen. ⁹ Then Harbona,

one of the eunuchs in attendance on the king, said, 'Look, the very gallows that Haman has prepared for Mordecai, whose word saved the king, stands at Haman's house, fifty cubits high.' And the king said, 'Hang him on that.' ¹⁰ So they hanged Haman on the gallows that he had prepared for Mordecai. Then the anger of the king abated. ²⁰ Mordecai recorded these things, and sent letters to all the Jews who were in all the provinces of King Ahasuerus, both near and far, ²¹ enjoining them that they should keep the fourteenth day of the month Adar and also the fifteenth day of the same month, year by year, ²² as the days on which the Jews gained relief from their enemies, and as the month that had been turned for them from sorrow into gladness and from mourning into a holiday; that they should make them days of feasting and gladness, days for sending gifts of food to one another and presents to the poor.

James 5:13-20

¹³ Are any among you suffering? They should pray. Are any cheerful? They should sing songs of praise. ¹⁴ Are any among you sick? They should call for the elders of the church and have them pray over them, anointing them with oil in the name of the Lord. ¹⁵ The prayer of faith will save the sick, and the Lord will raise them up; and anyone who has committed sins will be forgiven. ¹⁶ Therefore confess your sins to one another, and pray for one another, so that you may be healed. The prayer of the righteous is powerful

and effective. ¹⁷ Elijah was a human being like us, and he prayed fervently that it might not rain, and for three years and six months it did not rain on the earth. ¹⁸ Then he prayed again, and the heaven gave rain and the earth yielded its harvest. ¹⁹ My brothers and sisters, if anyone among you wanders from the truth and is brought back by another, ²⁰ you should know that whoever brings back a sinner from wandering will save the sinner's soul from death and will cover a multitude of sins.

Mark 9:38-50

³⁸ John said to him, 'Teacher, we saw someone casting out demons in your name, and we tried to stop him, because he was not following us.' ³⁹ But Jesus said, 'Do not stop him; for no one who does a deed of power in my name will be able soon afterwards to speak evil of me. ⁴⁰ Whoever is not against us is for us. ⁴¹ For truly I tell you, whoever gives you a cup of water to drink because you bear the name of Christ will by no means lose the reward. ⁴² 'If any of you put a stumbling-block before one of these little ones who believe in me, it would be better for you if a great millstone were hung around your neck and you were thrown into the sea. ⁴³ If your hand

causes you to stumble, cut it off; it is better for you to enter life maimed than to have two hands and to go to hell, to the unquenchable fire. ⁴⁵ And if your foot causes you to stumble, cut it off; it is better for you to enter life lame than to have two feet and to be thrown into hell. ⁴⁷ And if your eye causes you to stumble, tear it out; it is better for you to enter the kingdom of God with one eye than to have two eyes and to be thrown into hell, ⁴⁸ where their worm never dies, and the fire is never quenched. ⁴⁹ 'For everyone will be salted with fire. ⁵⁰ Salt is good; but if salt has lost its saltiness, how can you season it? Have salt in yourselves, and be at peace with one another.'

Psalms 121

1. I lift up my eyes to the hills: but where shall I find help?
2. My help comes from the Lord: who has made heaven and earth.
3. He will not suffer your foot to stumble: and he watches over you will not sleep.
4. Be sure he who has charge of Israel: will neither slumber nor sleep.
5. The Lord himself is your keeper: the Lord is your defence upon your right hand.
6. The sun shall not strike you by day: nor shall the moon by night.
7. The Lord will defend you from all evil: it is He will guard your life.
8. The Lord will defend your going out and your coming in: from this time forward for evermore.

Exodus 24

¹ Then he said to Moses, 'Come up to the LORD, you and Aaron, Nadab, and Abihu, and seventy of the elders of Israel, and worship at a distance. ² Moses alone shall come near the LORD; but the others shall not come near, and the people shall not come up with him.' ³ Moses came and

told the people all the words of the LORD and all the ordinances; and all the people answered with one voice, and said, 'All the words that the LORD has spoken we will do.' ⁴ And Moses wrote down all the words of the LORD. He rose early in the morning, and built an altar at the

foot of the mountain, and set up twelve pillars, corresponding to the twelve tribes of Israel. ⁵He sent young men of the people of Israel, who offered burnt-offerings and sacrificed oxen as offerings of well-being to the LORD. ⁶Moses took half of the blood and put it in basins, and half of the blood he dashed against the altar. ⁷Then he took the book of the covenant, and read it in the hearing of the people; and they said, 'All that the LORD has spoken we will do, and we will be obedient.' ⁸Moses took the blood and dashed it on the people, and said, 'See the blood of the covenant that the LORD has made with you in accordance with all these words.' ⁹Then Moses and Aaron, Nadab, and Abihu, and seventy of the elders of Israel went up, ¹⁰and they saw the God of Israel. Under his feet there was something like a pavement of sapphire stone, like the very heaven for clearness. ¹¹God^[a] did not lay his hand on the chief men of the people of Israel; also they beheld

God, and they ate and drank. ¹²The LORD said to Moses, 'Come up to me on the mountain, and wait there; and I will give you the tablets of stone, with the law and the commandment, which I have written for their instruction.' ¹³So Moses set out with his assistant Joshua, and Moses went up into the mountain of God. ¹⁴To the elders he had said, 'Wait here for us, until we come to you again; for Aaron and Hur are with you; whoever has a dispute may go to them.' ¹⁵Then Moses went up on the mountain, and the cloud covered the mountain. ¹⁶The glory of the LORD settled on Mount Sinai, and the cloud covered it for six days; on the seventh day he called to Moses out of the cloud. ¹⁷Now the appearance of the glory of the LORD was like a devouring fire on the top of the mountain in the sight of the people of Israel. ¹⁸Moses entered the cloud, and went up on the mountain. Moses was on the mountain for forty days and forty nights.

Matthew 9:1-8

¹And after getting into a boat he crossed the water and came to his own town. ²And just then some people were carrying a paralysed man lying on a bed. When Jesus saw their faith, he said to the paralytic, 'Take heart, son; your sins are forgiven.' ³Then some of the scribes said to themselves, 'This man is blaspheming.' ⁴But Jesus, perceiving their thoughts, said, 'Why do you think evil in your hearts? ⁵For which is

easier, to say, "Your sins are forgiven", or to say, "Stand up and walk"? ⁶But so that you may know that the Son of Man has authority on earth to forgive sins'—he then said to the paralytic—'Stand up, take your bed and go to your home.' ⁷And he stood up and went to his home. ⁸When the crowds saw it, they were filled with awe, and they glorified God, who had given such authority to human beings.

NOTICES

FLOWERS FOR 2018



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

*Flowers today were donated by
Bruce & Sally Astridge
'Remembering Rachel and
giving thanks for our family.'*

Cost: \$50.00 from 2019

WEEKLY CATHEDRAL ATTENDANCE

17 - 23 September 2018 =350

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: \$2370.00

*Payments can be made into BNZ Bank
Acc: For the Churchwardens of the
Parish of Christ Church/Acc #: 020704:
0028423: 00 or by cheques made payable
to the Churchwardens of the Parish.*

ATTENTION: **DISTRIBUTORS OF WITNESS MAGAZINE**

The Witness Magazines are in the green folders ready for distribution. There are still some Cathedral News September in the folders for distribution.

Thank you.

MEDITATION

Meditation in the Cathedral Chapel takes place for the winter months on MON-DAYS at 4-5PM.

All welcome

CONFIRMATION is a time when you renew your baptismal vows. A number of folk in the Cathedral intend to be confirmed this year. If you are interested in being confirmed please let Father Steve Jordan know. He will be running some group sessions for preparation in the forthcoming weeks.

steve@nelsoncathedral.org

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

FAMILY FUN NIGHT

31st of
October
5pm – 7pm
NELSON
CATHEDRAL

Helpers
Needed

Adult leaders are needed to man game stations with junior leaders assisting them for the family fun night *Wednesday 31st October* from 4pm. Can you help? Calling all Sausage sizzling experts, can you help to feed the visitors? Please contact *John Laing* on *0272959261* for further information
A meeting of interested folk is planned for Sunday the 21st of October strait after the 11.30 am service in the teaching room of the cathedral.

BISHOPDALE CHAPEL

Monthly Services
at
BISHOPDALE
CHAPEL
on the
**1st Thursday
of the month**

at 11:15am-
Celtic Communion

All welcome

NOTICES

LOAVES & FISHES AT ALL SAINT'S CHURCH

Come and join us on a **Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday @ 12pm** for a midday meal.

We are located in the hall behind All Saint Church at 30 Vanguard Street.

Cost: **ALL WELCOME**
\$3 cash/meal, \$5 = 2 meals, or \$10 = 5 meals.



NEXT AAW MEETING
16th October
CHAPEL COMMUNION
AND AGM

SUNDAY TEA/COFFEE **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**



If you are keen to help
please call Lori Brudvik-Lindner on
0210 279 3563 / lpowwow@msn.com

LOST PAPERS IN THE CHAPEL

June Craighead left some papers about family history in the Chapel. Has anyone seen them? If so, please contact the Office on 03-548 1008 or email office@nelsoncathedral.org.

Thank you.

KEEN TO JOIN AN **OIKOS GROUP?**



Several people have expressed interest in joining an OIKOS group but the notice boards at the entrance and quiet Room are curiously empty. If you're still interested, and I have not called you, please give me a nudge, or (better) be sure to let me have your contact details.
Ever, Sally Astridge

URGENT REQUEST FOR FOSTER PARENTS

Open Home Foundation in Nelson & Tasman are seeking Christian foster parents for all age groups. However currently there are two urgent and high needs that we have:

- A young man 16-18, needing a supportive living arrangement to learn how to look after himself and live independently
- Young boys in 7-12 year age group who are looking for permanent homes.

If you feel that this is something that you may be able to provide, please get in touch with us. Or, if you are interested in being part of the support team around these young people we are keen to hear from you as well. We have great support and training resources for our foster parents and support people. You can contact us on **03 545 9172**, ask for **Cat Ward** our foster parent social worker or **Juliana Croukamp**, our Practice Manager, or email Juliana.croukamp@ohf.org.nz and we will arrange to contact you.

MADAGASCAR @ **Theatre Royal**



Madagascar – A Musical Adventure Jr
Theatre Royal Sun 30 Sep - Fri 5 Oct
(including 6 matinees).

Tickets available through TicketDirect or the Theatre Royal.

Join Alex the Lion, Marty the Zebra, Melman the Giraffe, Gloria the hip hip Hippo and, of course, those hilarious, plotting penguins as they bound onto your stage in the musical adventure of a lifetime.

The storyline bounces along with a pace that leaves no room for distraction or boredom, even in the most restless of children!"



PRAYERS

CHURCH:

- * Pray for The NZ Dioceses: Archbishops and Rt Revd's
- * Pray for Bellringers

WORLD:

- * Pray for persecuted Christians in world.
- * Pray for Kachin Christians facing genocide in Myanmar (Burma)
- * Hunger crisis in South Sudan.
- * A STOP to child kidnapping.
- * Pray for Southern India – recent flooding.

COMMUNITY:

- * Ongoing mental health issues in NZ.
- * NZ Prime Minister & Cabinet

SICK:

Rosemary Crow, John, James, Andrew, Jake, Carol, Jean Crockett, Lachlan, Tim Hurd, Roger Williams, Elizabeth, Catriona, Sean Eichstadt, Rebecca, Russell Dickson, Robyn Robertson, Anja, Rayner, Shirley Eichstadt, Mary Frank, Joshua & family, James, Andy, Lois and Thomas Ashley, Letisha & Tyler, Sarah & daughter, James, Denise Collignon, Ray, Rebecca Brunning, Sophie, Charlotte, Paul, Douglas Chillington, , Ashleigh (9) Ian & Barbara Chillington - prayers for health & recovery.

PRAY FOR MUSIC & MUSICIANS

Pray for the growth of our Cathedral Choir;

* **Pray for numerical growth:** for new members to join and use their voices for God's glory.

-**Pray for spiritual growth:** that as they sing Your praises, they may grow in Christ more & more.

Update for little Lucy (1, Australia) Adrian, father, possible donor for bone marrow transplant. To be confirmed mid October. Thanks for your prayers. Bless you all.

ST BARNABAS PRAYER

Lord Jesus Christ, across the world many of Your people face increasing restrictions, persecution and pressure. We think of our brothers and sisters in regions where they are a disadvantaged minority, despised by the majority religion, in countries where they are displaced by conflict and war and in Western contexts where intolerance is growing. We ask for them and for us grace to obey Your command to love our enemies and to pray for those who persecute us. Help us to walk in Your ways and glorify Your peerless Name, blessing those that curse us and repaying good for evil. (Matthew 5:44; Luke 6:27) In Jesus' name we pray,
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. **Rev Steve Jordan**
steve@nelsoncathedral.org



For prayer requests please contact Rev Tapita Ching on
027 255 3013.

UPCOMING EVENTS

CHILDREN'S HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

9th - 12th October
9.30am - 12 Midday

NELSON CATHEDRAL
THE WILD WEST RIDERS
OF NELSON CATHEDRAL

FOR MORE INFO:
CONTACT THE OFFICE ON...
548 1008
office@nelsoncathedral.org



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Contact the office
For more info:
Ph. 548 1008

Free Admission and Activities.

family FUN night

 **No Halloween Costumes Please!**

31st October 2018
5.30 - 7.30pm

Pet Service Sunday 30th September

08.00am - Holy Communion

10.00am – PET SERVICE

12.30-3.30pm - Whakatu Maori Mission Community Service

5.30pm – Choral Evensong

7.00pm - Word & Worship

Monday 1st October

08.00-09.00am - House of Prayer & Healing in the Chapel

12.15pm – Holy Communion

4.00-5.00pm – Meditation at the Cathedral Chapel

Tuesday 2nd October

08.00-09.00am - House of Prayer & Healing in the Chapel

09.00am – Walking Group with morning tea afterwards

12.15pm – Holy Communion

Wednesday 3rd October

9.00am-12.00pm - House of Prayer & Healing in the Chapel

*** Last Wednesday of every month we all meet in the Chapel
for combined prayer – 1.00pm-2.00pm***

10.00 – Holy Communion

11.00 – Exercise for Health (Quiet Room)

1.30pm – Flax Group (Quiet Room)

Thursday 4th October

9.00am-12.00pm - House of Prayer & Healing in the Chapel

12.15pm – Holy Communion

Friday 5th October

08.00-09.00am - House of Prayer & Healing in the Chapel

12.15pm– Holy Communion

Saturday 6th October

08.00am – Holy Communion

Sunday 7th October

08.00am - Holy Communion

10.00am – Family Eucharist

12.30-3.30pm - Whakatu Maori Mission Community Service

5.30pm – Sung Evensong – joined by Taize Group

7.00pm - Word & Worship

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.

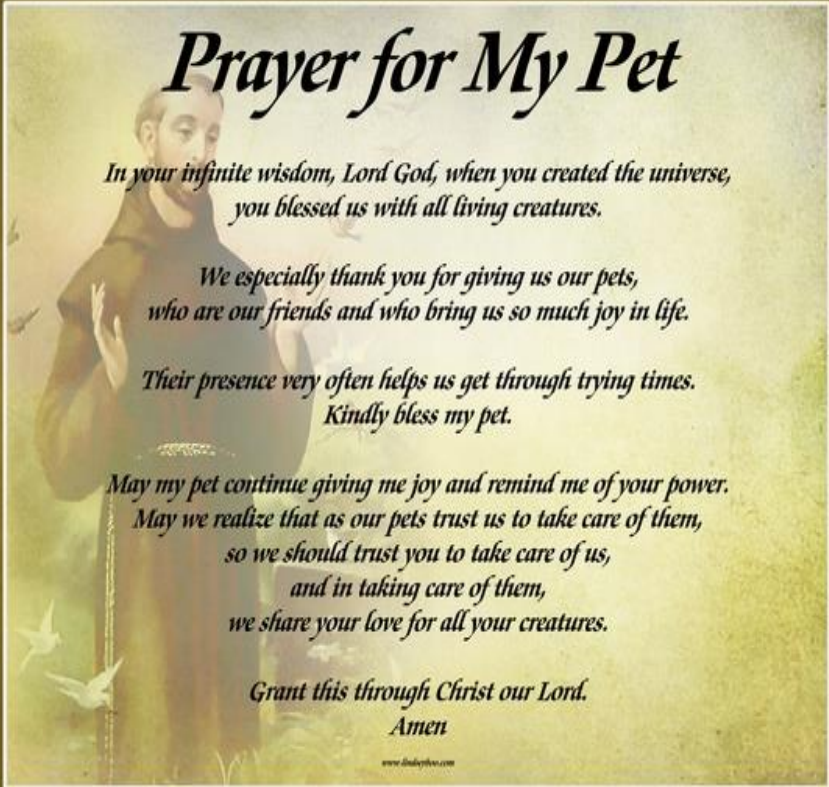
I would like to know more about:

- ☐ 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: _____



Prayer for My Pet

*In your infinite wisdom, Lord God, when you created the universe,
you blessed us with all living creatures.*

*We especially thank you for giving us our pets,
who are our friends and who bring us so much joy in life.*

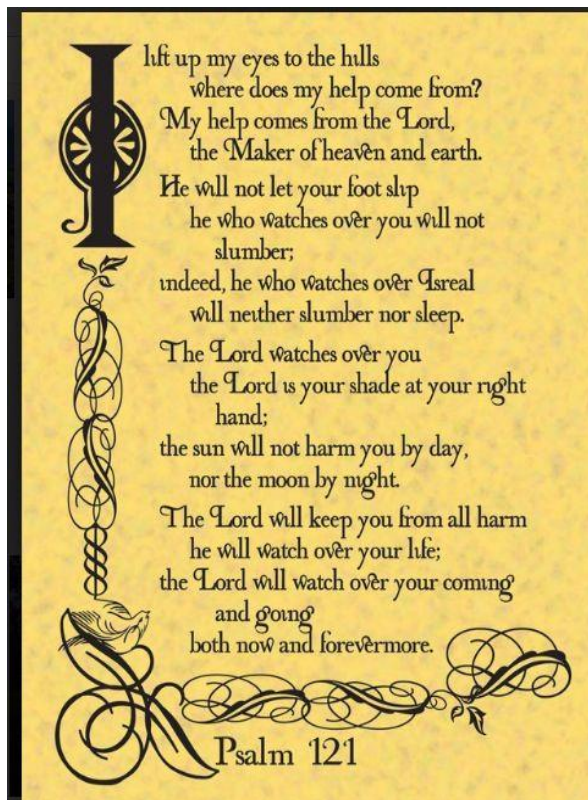
*Their presence very often helps us get through trying times.
Kindly bless my pet.*

*May my pet continue giving me joy and remind me of your power.
May we realize that as our pets trust us to take care of them,
so we should trust you to take care of us,
and in taking care of them,
we share your love for all your creatures.*

Grant this through Christ our Lord.

Amen

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FOR GOD
 SO LOVED
THE
WORLD
 THAT HE GAVE HIS ONE AND ONLY SON,
 THAT WHOEVER BELIEVES IN HIM
SHALL
NOT
PERISH
BUT
HAVE
 ETERNAL
LIFE.
JOHN
3:16



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SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY 7th October

08.00am HOLY COMMUNION
10.00am FAMILY EUCHARIST
12.30pm WHAKATU MAORI MISSION
COMMUNITY SERVICE
5.30pm SUNG EVENSONG -
featuring music Taize
7.00pm WORD & WORSHIP

BIBLE READINGS 7th October

8am + 10am	Job 1: 1, 2: 1-10 Hebrews 2: 5-12 Mark 10: 2-9
5.30pm	Joshua 3: 1 -11 Matthew: 10: 1-15