

Nelson Cathedral Sunday Bulletin



Sunday 16th October 2011
Pentecost 18

*Refreshing life, transforming faith,
at the heart of the community*

WELCOME to Nelson Cathedral. If you are a visitor, please make yourself known to us. All Christians are welcome to receive the sacraments here.

Alpha Celebration Service tonight at 6pm

A service of modern songs,
praise and worship .

Prayer ministry available. Everyone
welcome. Supper afterwards.
Everyone welcome.



Next Sunday at 10am

All Age Service

**Family Fun Night is coming !
Monday October 31st 5pm to 7pm.**

Can you help?

This year we would like to have enough
helpers to allow those running activities to
have a break for a cuppa.

Please contact the office or Maureen
and we will talk with you about what you
would like to do. Maybe supervising an
activity, making cups of tea, helping with
pony rides or balloon designs. There are
many ways in which you can be involved.

To help you

- *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 when it is offered to you.
- *Grape juice is available at communion for those who do not wish to receive communion wine.
- *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.
- *Ramps for access to the Sanctuary (on the Font side)
- *Large print versions of all Services - please ask sidesperson
- *Gluten free wafers are available for those who need them.
Please ask the clergy before the service.
- *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.

Sentence and Collect

Sentence: Give to Caesar the things that are Caesars, and to God the things that are God's. *St. Matthew 22:21*

Collect: Almighty and everlasting God, in Christ you have revealed your glory among the nations: grant that your Church throughout the world may persevere with steadfast faith in proclaiming the cross to be the way that leads to life eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*Everyone is invited to enjoy fellowship over tea, coffee or juice
after the 8am and 10am services*

8.00am Holy Communion & Healing Ministry *Orange booklets*

Celebrant: The Reverend Yvonne McLean
Preacher: Dean Nick Kirk

*Prayer for Healing is available in the Chapel after you have received
Holy Communion at both 8am and 10am services*

10.00am Holy Communion & Healing Ministry *NZPB p476*

Celebrant: The Reverend Yvonne McLean
Minister of the Liturgy: Joy Wright

Hymn: 474 Immortal, invisible God only wise

OT Reading: Exodus 33: 12-23

Reader: Joe Currie

Psalm: 99 *said (please see page 5)*

Epistle: 1 Thessalonians 1: 1-10

Reader: Marcia Goodall

Gradual Hymn: 490 Jesus shall reign

Holy Gospel: St. Matthew 22: 15-22

Reader: The Reverend Philip Dyer
Please turn to face the reader)

Sermon: Dean Nick Kirk

Creed: *NZPB page 481*

Intercessions: Barbara Lane

The Peace: *NZPB page 485*

Offertory Hymn: 165 Christ is the King

Great Thanksgiving: *NZPB page 485*

Final Hymn: 453 Great is thy faithfulness

6.00pm

Alpha Celebration Service

Welcome:

Dean Nick Kirk

Hymn:

Holy, Holy, Holy

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

Time of Confession:

Absolution:

Dean Nick Kirk

Lord's Prayer:

First Reading:

Ezekiel 47: 1-6, 12 *Reader: Jim Wiseman*

Song:

Down the Mountain the River flows

Second Reading:

James 5: 13-19 *Reader: Ian McLean*

Sermon:

The Reverend Yvonne McLean

Testimonies:

Worship Songs:

Power of your love

I believe in Jesus (creed)

Be still for the Presence of the Lord

Songs during Prayer Ministry:

Jesus be the centre

Be still and know that I am God

Jesus name above all names

Closing Prayer and Blessing:

Dean Nick Kirk

Final Song:

Shout to the North and the South

For our Prayers

The Church

*Rt. Reverend John Douglas Harrower, Tasmania.

*Parish of Buller, the Revd Steve & Glenda Wockner & their people.

*Dean Nick, Kim & family.

*For a new Cathedral AAW leader.

The World

* Victims of the plane crash in Papua New Guinea, earthquake in Bali and flooding in Thailand.

The Community

*For salvage work being carried out on the stricken cargo ship in Tauranga.

*For students & teachers beginning their second week of holidays.

The Sick

*Jim (Wales),Michelle (UK), Pam, Helen, Carrie, Val, Genevieve, Anne-Marie, Robert, Claire, Kathryn, Shelley, Malcolm, Rebecca, Michael, Bishop Peter, Joyce, Margaret, Kevin, Ivan, Ruben, JoAnn, Keith, (Aust), Lyn, Moira & Penny (UK),Paul, Jared, Nicky & family, & others known to us.

Services for Sunday 23rd October

8am & 10am Holy Communion

1 Thessalonians 1:2: 1-8;

St. Matthew 22: 34-46

6pm Evening Prayer

1 Peter 1: 1-12; St. John 6: 60-68

Parish Notices

The flowers today are donated by Jenny Dickie in commemoration of the completion of the Alpha Course. *1 Corinthians 2: 9 & 10*

Walks for health Tuesday at 9am. Meet at the cathedral for a 1 hour walk.

Flax craft on Tuesday at 10.30am.

AAW Communion and AGM meeting on Tuesday 18th October, 2pm at the Cathedral.

Meditation group meets Tuesday 7pm in the Chapel.

Exercises on Wednesday at 11.00am.

Cathedral Welcomers meeting after the 10 am service on Wednesday 19th October in the Quiet Room. If you are not such a person now please do come and volunteer. If you can't come then please let us know of your availability or otherwise (if you have been one last season). Daily welcoming in two hour shifts from 9 am until 5 pm will commence on Monday 31 October, until Easter. Rosters are made out monthly, and if you work during the week, there are the weekends! A full position description is available from the Parish Office.
Roger Williams 548 0170; Elizabeth McKee-Benbow 547 2211; Roger Chapple 546 7531.

ATTENTION EVERYONE IN SENIORS' MINISTRY! You are invited to a workshop on Saturday 12th November 2011 at St Barnabas, Stoke, Nelson from 9.30am to 3pm. Further information will be sent out shortly but expect a day of learning, fun, resources, prayer and opportunities for support and networking. Any queries to Gerrie Mead, Diocesan Social Services Enabler, 035483124 or email gerrie@nelsonanglican.org.nz

Christmas Tree Festival – application forms have been sent to organisations wanting to be involved in the festival. If you know of anyone who might want a form please contact the Office.

Missions Sales Table Bring and donate. Each Sunday we will be having a missions table at the morning services. If you have something to donate (cake, craft, ??) please leave in the office this week or bring on Sunday. Don't forget to bring your purse or wallet.

Bell ringing - A lot of interest is expressed to us after services as to how the Cathedral's eight bells are rung. Therefore we would like to give you the opportunity to view this happening. On Saturday November 5 we will be in the bell tower between 3pm and 4pm and you are cordially invited to come and watch us ringing. Any questions will be answered.

Surveys – On the 16th, 23rd and 30th October a survey from Vestry will be available so that parishioners can give feedback on our aspects of our worship. Please complete one form at church and place in the survey box on the sidesperson's trolley.

Children & Youth Corner

During School Holidays there will be no Sunday School or youth group. Colouring in available.

October 23rd, 10am All age service

From the Parish Nurse

“What is a Green Prescription” Would you like to find out more then come and hear Leigh Dalzell, the Green Prescription Co-ordinator speak at the Cathedral on Wednesday 26th October at 11am. Please contact Jane Wulff, Parish Nurse on 547 9977 for further details.

Emergency Food - our emergency food supply is low. We are looking for meals for individuals and families. Are you able to help out. All food needs to be dated and labelled. Thank you. Contact Jane Wulff 547 9977 for more information

Psalm 99

1. You are king O Lord, and the people tremble:
you sit enthroned upon the cherubim,
and the earth is quaking.
2. You O Lord are great upon your holy mountain:
you are exalted over all the nations.
3. Let them praise your great and terrible name:
holy are you and mighty,
a king who delights in justice.
4. You have established equity:
you have dealt justice and righteousness in Jacob.
5. We proclaim your greatness O Lord our God:
we bow down before your footstool; for you are holy.
6. Moses and Aaron among your priests,
and Samuel among those who called on your name:
these called to you O Lord and you answered.
7. You spoke to them out of the pillar of cloud:
they kept your teachings
and the law that you gave them.
8. You answered them O Lord our God:
to them you were a God who forgives,
though you punished their offences.
9. We proclaim your greatness O Lord our God:
we bow down towards your holy hill,
for you O Lord our God are holy.

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.

Today's readings

Exodus 33: 12-23

Moses said to the LORD, 'See, you have said to me, "Bring up this people"; but you have not let me know whom you will send with me. Yet you have said, "I know you by name, and you have also found favour in my sight." Now if I have found favour in your sight, show me your ways, so that I may know you and find favour in your sight. Consider too that this nation is your people.' He said, 'My presence will go with you, and I will give you rest.' And he said to him, 'If your presence will not go, do not carry us up from here. For how shall it be known that I have found favour in your sight, I and your people, unless you go with us? In this way, we shall be distinct, I and your people, from every people on the face of the earth.'

The LORD said to Moses, 'I will do the very thing that you have asked; for you have found favour in my sight, and I know you by name.' Moses said, 'Show me your glory, I pray.' And he said, 'I will make all my goodness pass before you, and will proclaim before you the name, "TheLORD"; and I will be gracious to whom I will be gracious, and will show mercy on whom I will show mercy. But', he said, 'you cannot see my face; for no one shall see me and live.' And the LORD continued, 'See, there is a place by me where you shall stand on the rock; and while my glory passes by I will put you in a cleft of the rock, and I will cover you with my hand until I have passed by; then I will take away my hand, and you shall see my back; but my face shall not be seen.'

1Thessalonians 1: 1-10

Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy, To the church of the Thessalonians in God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ:

Grace to you and peace.

We always give thanks to God for all of you and mention you in our prayers, constantly remembering before our God and Father your work of faith and labour of love and steadfastness of hope in our Lord Jesus Christ. For we know, brothers and sisters beloved by God, that he has chosen you, because our message of the gospel came to you not in word only, but also in power and in the Holy Spirit and with full conviction; just as you know what kind of people we proved to be among you for your sake. And you became imitators of us and of the Lord, for in spite of persecution you received the word with joy inspired by the Holy Spirit, so that you became an example to all the believers in Macedonia and in Achaia. For the word of the Lord has sounded forth from you not only in Macedonia and Achaia, but in every place where your faith in God has become known, so that we have no need to speak about it. For the people of those regions report about us what kind of welcome we had among you, and how you turned to God from idols, to serve a living and true God, and to wait for his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead—Jesus, who rescues us from the wrath that is coming.

St. Matthew 22: 15-22

Then the Pharisees went and plotted to entrap him in what he said. So they sent their disciples to him, along with the Herodians, saying, 'Teacher, we know that you are sincere, and teach the way of God in accordance with truth, and show deference to no one; for you do not regard people with partiality. Tell us, then, what you think. Is it lawful to pay taxes to the emperor, or not?' But Jesus, aware of their malice, said, 'Why are you putting me to the test, you hypocrites? Show me the coin used for the tax.' And they brought him a denarius. Then he said to them, 'Whose head is this, and whose title?' They answered, 'The emperor's.' Then he said to them, 'Give therefore to the emperor the things that are the emperor's, and to God the things that are God's.' When they heard this, they were amazed; and they left him and went away.

6pm

Ezekiel 47: 1-6, 12

Then he brought me back to the entrance of the temple; there, water was flowing from below the threshold of the temple towards the east (for the temple faced east); and the water was flowing down from below the south end of the threshold of the temple, south of the altar. Then he brought me out by way of the north gate, and led me round on the outside to the outer gate that faces towards the east; and the water was coming out on the south side.

Going on eastwards with a cord in his hand, the man measured one thousand cubits, and then led me through the water; and it was ankle-deep. Again he measured one thousand, and led me through the water; and it was knee-deep. Again he measured one thousand, and led me through the water; and it was up to the waist. Again he measured one thousand, and it was a river that I could not cross, for the water had risen; it was deep enough to swim in, a river that could not be crossed. He said to me, 'Mortal, have you seen this?'

Then he led me back along the bank of the river. On the banks, on both sides of the river, there will grow all kinds of trees for food. Their leaves will not wither nor their fruit fail, but they will bear fresh fruit every month, because the water for them flows from the sanctuary. Their fruit will be for food, and their leaves for healing.'

James 5: 13-19

Are any among you suffering? They should pray. Are any cheerful? They should sing songs of praise. 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. The prayer of faith will save the sick, and the Lord will raise them up;

and anyone who has committed sins will be forgiven. 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. 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. Then he prayed again, and the heaven gave rain and the earth yielded its harvest.

My brothers and sisters, if anyone among you wanders from the truth and is brought back by another

Have you looked at the Missions Sales Table?

For your diary

A virtual evening with the Sussex family in
Cambodia on Friday 4th November 7pm

Tickets \$20

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