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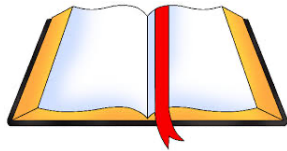
The earth shall be full of the knowledge of the glory of the Lord, as the waters cover the sea.

Habakkuk 2:14

Collect

Ever loving God,
your Son was revealed that he might overcome evil
and make us heirs of eternal life;
grant that we who have this hope in us
may purify ourselves as he is pure,
that when he appears in power and great glory,
we may be made like him,
to the honour of your name;
for he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God now and forever.
Amen.

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Readings

2 Kings 5:1-14
1 Corinthians 9:24-27
Mark 1:40-45

Prayers

This Sunday in the Diocesan cycle of prayer, we pray for Bishop Steven and Lorraine. We pray for the Southern Coastal Deanery - Saint Mary, Mornington; Holy Cross, Saint Kilda; Saint Mark, Green Island; and Saint Margaret, Brighton, for Jan Clark (Regional Dean) and Sandra Baird (Priest Assistant). We pray also for the Diocesan Council, and for the Diocese of Waikato and Taranaki - Most Rev'd Philip Richardson.

"Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven."

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All Saints' Church

The open door

The Sixth Sunday after Epiphany 11 February, 2024

This week coming we once again acknowledge and celebrate the arrival of Lent with the Imposition of Ashes on Ash Wednesday. This year we will be holding two of these services so that those not able to make it to the 10.30am service might make it to a 5.30pm service instead.

As is also traditional during Lent, All Saints' will once again offer a Lenten Study which will be held at the church on a Wednesday evening from 7.00pm to approximately 8.30pm. The dates for these sessions will be: 21 February, 28 February, 13 March and 20 March. There will be a pause on 6 March for Pizza & Prayer. Easter Sunday is 31 March, 2024.

The topic for our study this year will be The Disciple's Journey and over the four sessions we'll be exploring sub-topics of Jesus as our message and model; the process of spiritual maturity; actively abiding; and your identity, our identity - we are his body. These will be interactive and participatory sessions and are open to all. So come along and be challenged this Lenten season.

Blessings, Rev'd Richard.



Service at 9.30am: Thanksgiving and Praise, ANZPB p.404

Opening	346	Christ is the World's Light
<i>Gloria</i>		<i>Lourdes Gloria - see separate sheet</i>
Gradual	441	Christ Upon the Mountain Peak
Offertory		Eternal Light, Eternal Light
<i>Sanctus</i>		<i>Holy, holy, holy - see separate sheet</i>
<i>Agnus Dei</i>		<i>Jesus, Lamb of God - see separate sheet</i>
Post Communion	318	'Tis Good, Lord to be Here
Closing	117	Praise to the Holiest in the Height

Your organist this week is Alan Menzies.

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H. K. Morley (1830–1916)



Eternal Light

Eternal light, eternal light!
 how pure the soul must be
 when, placed within your searching
 sight,
 it does not fear, but with delight
 can face such majesty.

The spirits who surround your throne
 may bear that burning bliss;
 but that is surely theirs alone,
 since they have never, never known
 a fallen world like this.

There is a way for us to rise
 to that sublime abode:
 an offering and a sacrifice,
 a Holy Spirit's energies,
 an advocate with God.

Such grace prepares us for the sight
 of holiness above;
 the child of ignorance and night
 may dwell in the eternal light
 through the eternal love.

Calendar...

<u>11 February</u>	Sunday
Said Eucharist	8.00am
Holy Communion	9.30am
<u>13 February</u>	Tuesday
Vestry Meeting	7.30pm
<u>14 February</u>	Wednesday
Imposition of Ashes	10.30am
	5.30pm
<u>16 February</u>	Friday
Rowena Jackson Service	11.00am
<u>18 February</u>	Sunday
Said Eucharist	8.00am
Holy Communion	9.30am

Roster...

This Sunday		
8.00am	Reader	J Trotter
9.30am	Sidesperson	S Pratt
	Worship Leader	J French
	Message	R Aitken
	Reader	D French
		D Horrell
	Chalice	M Gratton
	Morning Tea	G Donaghy
Next Sunday		
8.00am	Reader	J Trotter
9.30am	Sidesperson	L Te Au
	Worship Leader	J Murphy
	Message	R Aitken
	Reader	P Thomas
		C Aitken
	Chalice	S Carter
	Morning Tea	V Broughton

Giving at All Saints

As a Parish we are very lucky and extremely grateful for the wonderful generosity of our Parishioners. We celebrate and thank you for your contribution to the running of the Parish, Missions, various appeals and the organisations we support.

There are different ways that you can give or contribute to the Parish.

- **Internet Banking:** Gifts given in this way still count towards your annual gifting receipt for IRD purposes. Our account is with the **ANZ, account number - 06 0925 0171362 00**. Please use your **name** as the reference so the Parish Recorder can issue a receipt for tax purposes at the end of March each year.
- **Envelopes:** These are available through the Parish Recorder and you can make a donation using your envelopes. The amount you give remains entirely confidential and you will receive a receipt for tax purposes at the end of March each year.
- **Cash:** This can be put in the collection plate as it circulates during the Offertory Hymn. Cash is not able to be receipted.
- **Bequest:** Please speak with your advisor or trustee about leaving a bequest to the Parish.