



# WELCOME TO HOLY TRINITY CATHEDRAL

Living God's Love

Welcoming - Worshipping - Nourishing - Empowering

A very warm welcome to the community of Holy Trinity Cathedral.

If you would like to join our Cathedral Community, know more about Cathedral programmes or receive regular information, please complete one of the orange cards at the rear of the Cathedral or Chapel and give it to a sides-person or to one of the clergy.

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28 April 2019

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

TE RĀTAPU TUARUA O TE ARANGA

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## FROM THE CURATE



Today we find ourselves one week from Easter Sunday, a day we celebrate the hope, joy and promise of Christ's resurrection life. Yet, one week into Eastertide, we share the pain and sorrow of our Christian Sri Lankan sisters and brothers who were targeted during their Easter services.

Another act of terrorism feels almost too much to bear as we are still reeling after the attacks on Christchurch mosques last month. However, these attacks present an opportunity for all of us to grasp more tightly to the radical teachings that ultimately led Jesus to the cross but also that point us to the participation in the establishment of God's peace on earth.

“Teacher, which is the greatest commandment in the Law?”

Jesus replied: “‘Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.’ This is the first and greatest commandment. And the second is like it: ‘Love your neighbour as yourself.’”

In the midst of such hatred in our world right now, how can we follow Jesus' way of love? Acts of extremism follow the same pattern of evil all around the world, regardless of one's personal conviction or belief. As neighbours, be it Christians, Muslims, Jews or people of any other or no faith, we can affirm in the act of friendship and our common humanity, to choose love over the perpetuation of hatred. Where acts of terror have sought to divide us, let us instead be bold witnesses to God's peace and in God's love that has the power to overcome death.

Love demands more than tolerance. It calls us to embrace the other, in spite of our differences. If we do not understand this, we will not only miss an engagement with people of other faiths, but we will also miss the deeper meaning of the message of reconciliation and witness for the common good.

In the days after Easter, many of our Muslim friends called us to express their sorrow and sympathy – let us share in those sentiments and journey together.

Kia tau te rangimārie – peace be upon you,  
Reverend Sarah West

## SERVICES THIS EVENING

### 5pm CHORAL EVENSONG

Sung by St Mary's Singers

President:

The Reverend Ivica Gregurec

*Precentor*

Homilist:

The Reverend Richard Girdwood

*Priest Assistant*

Readings: Isaiah 52:13-53:12;

Luke 24:13-35

8pm No TAIZÉ PRAYER

## FOR OUR PRAYERS

### PRAYERS FOR THE CHURCH:

We pray for Bishop Ross as he leads the Diocese, and for Bishop Kito in Te Tai Tokerau.

We continue to hold Bishop Jim and his family in our prayers as he undergoes treatment due to ill health. We also pray for our Archbishops Don, Philip and Fereimi.

In our own Cathedral faith community, help us to affirm the Easter message in our daily lives, to follow Christ's example of servanthood and to be a witness to others of His redeeming love.

### PRAYERS FOR NZ:

- We pray for all in NZ who walk in fear and who have lost hope
- We pray for the Auckland City Mission's new build and the Homeground project to raise funds.

### PRAYERS FOR THE WORLD

- We pray for the people of Sri Lanka, for all who mourn the loss of loved ones following the terrorist attacks. For the

many injured and for those who are caring for them.

- We pray for all who are persecuted for their faith and for those who are tormented by fear and mistrust.
- We pray for those living on the East Coast of Africa whose lives have been devastated by Hurricane Kenneth.

We pray for those who have died especially Peter Cartwright and remember those whose anniversaries occur at this time especially Bernie Haines. Eternal rest grant to them, O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon them.

*THE CATHEDRAL PRAYER CHAIN is a group of parishioners committed to respond promptly to any requests for confidential prayer.*

Contact: Lynette Wright 09 845 0260 or Kerry Olsen, [kerry.olsen@gmail.com](mailto:kerry.olsen@gmail.com)

## CATHEDRAL NEWS

**Important Notice**  
Wednesday Choral Evensong time change!  
Term two will resume on 8 May at **6pm** instead of 5.45pm.



### CATHEDRAL CHOIR

The choir will take a well-earned break after Easter and will return to Evensong on Wed 8 May. We extend a warm welcome to the St Mary's singers who join us today for the 10am service and Evensong.



## HOW YOU CAN HELP THE CHRISTCHURCH VICTIMS

Supermarket vouchers can be placed in the collection bag to be dispersed to people directly affected by the recent attack.

## BUILDING ON COMPASSION. HOMEGROUND – AUCKLAND CITY



**MISSION'S BIGGEST PROJECT YET!** For more information on this exciting venture, and how you can become involved, please pick up a booklet on your way out or visit: [www.aucklandcitymission.org.nz/homeworld](http://www.aucklandcitymission.org.nz/homeworld)

**OPEN4EM** meets tomorrow, Monday, 29 April, at 7 pm at the home of Margaret and Ted Malan for a shared meal and discussion. We shall be continuing our study of early missionary work south of Auckland. Please call Frank Wright (ph. 845 0260) or Margaret Malan (ph. 529 4003) for more information.

### “IN DIALOGUE WITH...”

in the Bishop Selwyn Chapel HTC presents a series that deals with art, music, poetry, religion and society on the following dates: 13 May, 10 June, 15 July, 19 August, 3 October.

The first in this series is called *Poetry and the Question of Belief with Dr Greg Olsen* and will be on 13 May at 7pm. Greg has been teaching language and literature since 2002 and studying the interaction between literature and ideology somewhat longer than that. Mark

your diary now!



## FRIENDS OF THE CATHEDRAL

The AGM and Dinner for the Friends of HTC

will be held on Sunday 26 May at 6.15pm in the Bishop Selwyn Chapel following Choral Evensong. **Speaker:** Sir Ray Avery GNZM Pharmaceutical scientist, inventor, author and social entrepreneur.

Dinner Tickets: \$65/pp, members; \$75/pp non-members.

email: [friends@holy-trinity.org.nz](mailto:friends@holy-trinity.org.nz)

Bank account:

060 257 0079025 00 or post cheque to PO Box 37-148, Parnell.

## UPCOMING MUSICAL EVENTS AT HTC



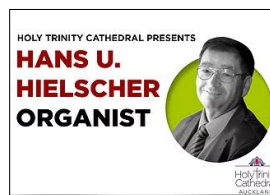
**HAYDN NELSON MASS: MASS FOR TROUBLED TIMES**  
Saturday 4 May  
Nave at 7.30pm

Uwe Grodd: conductor

Organ: Dr Philip Smith

[www.ticketmaster.co.nz](http://www.ticketmaster.co.nz) or 09 970 9700

## HANS U. HIELSCHER



**Saturday 18 May**  
Nave at 7pm  
Programme includes Tambling, Bridge, Nevin, and more!

Tickets on sale soon

## COMMUNITY NOTICES

For Sale:



Joel McFadyen is selling his orange 2006 Nissan March. It is in great working order and has a current WoF and rego. Please email [joelmcfadyen@gmail.com](mailto:joelmcfadyen@gmail.com) for more information!

**WORSHIP AT HOLY TRINITY CATHEDRAL**

**WEEKDAY EUCHARIST: Mon to Fri at 12.15pm**

**CHORAL EVENSONG: Weekday Evensong resumes on 8 May at 6pm**

**5 MAY 2019**

**8am EUCHARIST – Bishop Selwyn Chapel**

**Presider & Preacher:**

The Venerable Michael Berry, *Archdeacon (Southern Region)*

**Readings:** Acts 9:1-6, (7-20); Revelations 5:11-14; John 21:1-19

**10am SUNG EUCHARIST- Nave**

**Presider:** The Very Reverend Anne Mills, *Dean of Auckland*

**Preacher:** The Venerable Michael Berry, *Archdeacon (Southern Region)*

**Readings:** Acts 9:1-6, (7-20); Revelations 5:11-14; John 21:1-19

**1.30pm ORGAN DONOR SERVICE - Nave**

**NO EVENSONG**

**8pm TAIZÉ PRAYER – Bishop Selwyn Chapel**

***ST STEPHEN'S CHAPEL, JUDGE STREET***

**9am HOLY COMMUNION**

**Presiding Priest:** The Reverend Dr Kenneth Bennett

**Readings:** Acts 5:27-32; Revelations 1:4-8

**Cathedral Office Hours: Monday to Friday 9.00am to 5pm**

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