



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 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.

THE PRESENTATION OF JESUS IN THE TEMPLE

TE TAPAENGA O TE KARAITI I TE TEMEPARA

(with St Mary's Singers)

3 FEBRUARY 2019

FROM THE DEAN

A very warm welcome to Reverend Dr Maggie Dawn our guest Preacher at the 10am service. Maggie is an ordained priest in the Church of England, Associate Professor of Theology and Literature, and Dean of Marquand Chapel, Yale Divinity School, New Haven, USA. She is also the author of a number of books and articles in various journals and periodicals. She has composed and published many contemporary songs and hymns and serves on the advisory board for the Royal School of Church Music.

Today we celebrate Candlemas. Candlemas commemorates the ritual purification of Mary, 40 days after the birth of her son Jesus. This day also marks the ritual presentation of the baby Jesus to God in the Temple at Jerusalem.

The Gospel of Luke says that Jesus was met by Anna and Simeon. Simeon held the baby Jesus and called him a Light to the World.

Ritual purification stems back to a Jewish tradition that women were considered unclean after the birth of a child. For 40 days for a boy, and 60 days for a girl, women weren't allowed to worship in the temple. At the end of this time, women were brought to the Temple or Synagogue to be purified. After the ceremony women were allowed to take part in religious services again.

The festival is called Candlemas because this is the day that the Church's candles for the year are blessed with holy water and incense as representations of Christ the Light.

On Candlemas night, many people place lighted candles in their windows at home.

Blessings Dean Anne



SERVICES TODAY

8am - EUCHARIST

The Bishop Selwyn Chapel

Presider and Preacher:

The Very Rev Anne Mills, *Dean*

Readings: Malachi 3:1-4;

Hebrews 2:14-18; Luke 2:22-40

Muffins and Coffee in the Friends Room afterwards.



10am

FESTAL CHORAL EUCHARIST

sung by St Mary's Singers

The Nave

Presider:

The Rev Ivica Gregurec, *Precentor*

Preacher:

The Rev Dr Maggi Dawn

Readings: Malachi 3:1-4;

Hebrews 2:14-18 Luke 2:22-40

5pm EVENSONG

sung by St Mary's Singers

Officiant: The Rev Ivica Gregurec

Homilist: The Very Rev Anne Mills

Readings: Haggai 2:1-9; John 2:18-22

TAIZÉ PRAYER

will resume on 10 February

ST STEPHEN'S CHAPEL

12 Judge Street, Parnell

9am - HOLY COMMUNION

Presiding Priest & Preacher:

The Rev Dr Noel Derbyshire

Readings: Hebrews 2:14-18;

Luke 2:22-40

FOR OUR PRAYERS

PRAYERS FOR THE CHURCH:

We pray for our Bishops Ross and Jim as they lead the diocese, and for Bishop Kito in Te Tai Tokerau.

For Dean Anne, Fr Ivica, Philip, Rowan and the planning and preparation of services and liturgical events that will take place in this Cathedral this year.

PRAYERS FOR NZ:

- A satisfactory resolution to the junior doctor strikes & the impact on patients seeking treatment and having surgery delayed
- For all children beginning school for the first time

PRAYERS FOR THE WORLD

- The heatwave and resulting bushfires in Australia

We pray for those who have died especially Alan Towers and remember those whose anniversaries occur at this time. Eternal rest grant to them, O Lord, and may light perpetual shine upon them.

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

*Contact: Lynette Wright
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CATHEDRAL NEWS

WELCOME to Anita Banbury and the St Mary's Singers who join us in worship at the 10am service this morning and at 5pm Evensong tonight.

THANK YOU to all the parishioners who kindly donated towards the tailoring of scapulae for the Eucharist and serving teams.

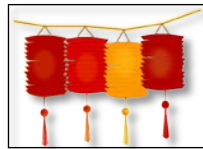


PALM CROSSES for Ashes – There is a container under the Nave Bell for you to place last year's Palm Crosses. As is the custom, these will be burnt and used for 6 March – Ash Wednesday.

WASTING TIME WITH GOD

This year we will be running a series to deepen our spiritual life. 13, 20 & 27 February we are having a series on 'Lectio Divina' – an ancient Christian practice of contemplative reading of the Scriptures, starting each evening at 7.30pm. For all the details contact the Cathedral Office.

CAN YOU HELP?



We are hiring out parking to people attending the Lantern Festival for the nights of 15, 16 & 17 Feb. If you are able and willing to help from 5pm at the gate to collect money on any of these evenings, please contact Merle on 09 3039500.

FOR YOUR DIARY

Open4EM reconvenes on Monday 11 February, at 7 pm, for a shared meal and discussion at the home of Margaret and Ted Malan. We shall be preparing for our visit to sites of early missionary activity in the region around the lower Waikato River. For more info please contact Nola (6265531) or Margaret (5294003).

NOTICE OF COMBINED CATHEDRAL RESOURCES BOARD AND CATHEDRAL COUNCIL MEETING

26 February at 6.15pm
HTC Office.

COMMONWEALTH DAY SERVICE 10 March at 5pm

The Queens Commonwealth Day Message will be read at this special service. All welcome.



CATHEDRAL AGM
24 March 2019
12pm

Bishop Selwyn Chapel

Please diarise this important date in the life of our Cathedral.

JOHAN VEXO (French Organist) & DAMIEN RIVIÉRE (French Tenor)

Organ and Song
Saturday 23 February
Holy Trinity Cathedral,
7pm

Don't miss this exciting event! Book now!

Tickets: \$40; \$30

<http://www.iticket.co.nz/event/s/2019/feb/vexo-and-riviere>

COMMUNITY NEWS



Awaken Conference
15-17 Feb 2019
Ponsonby Baptist

Church, Auckland.

The aim of this conference is to gather together people who love God and who either support or are a part of the LGBTIQ & community to share, worship and strengthen faith, in a space for people to connect with God in an inclusive and safe environment.

It is an ecumenical conference, with Anglicans being the main local speakers.

Register at

diversechurch.co.nz/awaken2019
www.diversechurch.co.nz/awaken2019

**WORSHIP AT HOLY TRINITY CATHEDRAL
4 FEBRUARY TO 10 FEBRUARY**

**WEEKDAY EUCHARIST Resumes Thursday 7 February at 12.15pm
WEEKDAY EVENSONG Resumes Wed 20 Feb at 5.45pm**

10 FEBRUARY 2019

8am EUCHARIST

Bishop Selwyn Chapel

Presider & Preacher:

The Very Reverend Anne Mills

Readings: Isaiah 6:1-8; 1 Corinthians 15:1-11; Luke 5:1-11

10am CHORAL EUCHARIST - Cathedral Choir

Presider:

The Reverend Ivica Gregurec, *Precentor*

Preacher:

The Very Reverend Anne Mills, *Dean*

Readings: Isaiah 6:1-8; 1 Corinthians 15:1-11; Luke 5:1-11

NO EVENSONG - resumes 17 February at 5pm

8pm TAIZÉ PRAYER

9am HOLY COMMUNION

St Stephen's Chapel, Judge Street

Presiding Priest:

The Reverend Diane Miller-Keeley

Readings: 1 Corinthians 15:1-11; Luke 5:1-11

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