THE PEBBLE The Anglican Church of Caversham Saint Peter

Rogation Sunday [6th in Eastertide] 17th May 2009

A VERY WARM WELCOME to everybody in Church today as we meet together to worship God the Holy Trinity: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit; our Creator, Redeemer, and Sanctifier.

To all those who enter here: be thoughtful, be silent, be reverent. Before the Service, speak to God. During the Service, let God speak to you. After the Service, speak to others.

THE ARCHBISHOPS have asked us at the Eucharist "to intinct by placing the consecrated bread wafer very lightly in the consecrated wine contained in the chalice during the time that the 'flu virus is active." Please note that – for the present – you will not be given the chalice to drink from.

SERVICES TODAY

8am Holy Eucharist.

10.30am Solemn Eucharist.

Hymns. Introit 433 omitting the starred verses. Gradual 456. Offertory 351. [No Communion Hymn.] Postcommunion 368. The Ministry of Prayer for Healing and Wholeness is held in the Lady Chapel at the back of the Church during the Communion. *Readings.* Arnold Bachop.

Intercessions. Kate Paterson.

Oblations. Jim Menzies.

THE RED CROSS CHOIR will be singing Anthems between the first two Readings and after the Communion.

7pm Sung Evensong followed by a Sermon, Benediction, and Shrine Prayers.

Hymns. First 433 omit verses 2 and 3. Second 351 omit verses 2 and 3. Third 456.

YOU ARE warmly invited to tea or coffee in the Parish Lounge after the Solemn Eucharist today.

TODAY we welcome the *Red Cross Choir* to St Peter's Church for the Solemn Eucharist.

OUR WEBSITE address is *www.stpeterscaversham.org.nz*

THE PROCEEDS from the Market Day have reached \$1800. A wonderful result, and many, many thanks to all who made it happen. And a special thanks for many generous donations.

RAFFLE RESULTS: *Market Day:* 1. Hamper #297 S. Kerr; 2. Winter Warmers #324 B. Crayston. 3. Jigsaw Puzzle #169 L. Hughes. *Mothers' Day:* Sweets – the Vicar (who promptly put them into the Anglican Family Care Basket!).

THE ROCK for May has been published. Please remember to get your copy (or copies) from the back of the Church or from the Link.

MONDAY CLUB meets from 10am in the Hall.

LATER LEARNING on Tuesday at 7.30pm in the Vicarage.

VESTRY meets on Wednesday at 7.30pm in the Lounge.

ASCENSION DAY falls on Thursday this week. The Eucharist will be celebrated at 10am as usual.

MEDITATION GROUP after the Eucharist on Thursday.

GAMES NIGHT from 7pm on Thursday in the Hall.

VOLUNTEER DRIVERS are needed to help deliver *Meals on Wheels* from St Barnabas' Home . Could you help for just one <u>hour</u> a month? Please ring *Age Concern Otago* 477 1040 Ext. 1 for details. Thank you very much.

WE PRAY for the sick and infirm, for Fr Ilyan Eades, Rita Marlow, Jinny Cottle, Bruce Robbins, Nell van Laar, Claire Johnson, Diana Halloran, Harry Brown, John Petersen, Claire Brown, Bill Isaac, Beryl Barclay, Kath Holmes, Adrienne and Owie Garrod.

WE PRAY for the Departed, for those who have died recently, especially Kevin Marlow, and for all those whose anniversaries occur at this time, especially John Allen, Harriet Annie Hamer, and Rena Goodwillie.

TELEPHONE 455 3961 for Father Carl Somers Edgar, Parish Priest, and 479 0754 for Ms Rita-May Brown, Hall Secretary.