

THE PEBBLE

The Anglican Church of Caversham Saint Peter

Trinity 8

Ordinary 18

2nd August 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.

Dear Clergy and People of the Diocese of Dunedin, please do not use intinction [dipping the consecrated Host in the Chalice] at all until further notice. ✠GEORGE.

SERVICES TODAY

8am Holy Eucharist according to the Liturgy of 1662.

10.30am Solemn Eucharist.

Hymns. Introit 395. Gradual 234. Offertory 345. Communion *Clear Vault of Heav'n*. Postcommunion 455 [*Dunedin*].

The Ministry of Prayer for Healing and Wholeness is held in the Lady Chapel at the back of the Church during the Communion.

Readings. Michael Forrest.

Intercessions. Raewyn Stedman.

Oblations. Lorraine Mitchell and Gay Webb.

5pm Sung Evensong followed by a Sermon, Benediction, and Shrine Prayers.

Hymns. First 395. Second 455 [*Dunedin*]. Third *Clear Vault of Heav'n*.

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

MONDAY CLUB meets from 10am in the Hall.

LATER LEARNING on Tuesday at 7.30pm in the Vicarage, followed by Supper.

MEDITATION GROUP after the Eucharist on Thursday.

GAMES NIGHT from 7pm on Thursday in the Hall.

MATERIAL for the August edition of *The Rock* is due *today*.

The magazine will be collated on Friday at 2pm in the Lounge.

POT LUCK LUNCH next Sunday after the Solemn Eucharist.

WE PRAY for those in any need or distress, for the sick and infirm, for Fr Ilyan Eades, Rita Marlow, Louis Hourlier, Jinny Cottle, Bruce Robbins, Nell van Laar, Claire Johnson, Diana Halloran, John Petersen, Claire Brown, Bill Isaac, Lil Bedford, Beryl Barclay, Kath Holmes, Adrienne and Owie Garrod.

WE PRAY for the Departed, for those who have died recently, and for all those whose anniversaries occur at this time, especially Leah Palmer, Dorothy Winifred Lanham, Robert James Stephen, Jan McPhee, William Dawson, and Cecil Palmer.

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

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

Clear vault of heav'n, serenely blue,
How many stars came shining through
Thy azure depths?

*Beyond all count are they,
Beyond all count are they,
Praised be our Holy Blessed Lord
As many times a day!*

Fair world, the work of God's right hand,
How many are the grains of sand
In all thy frame?

Green meadow, wide as eye can see,
How many o'er thy sward may be
The blades of grass?

O groves and gardens rich and fair,
What bounteous harvests do ye bear
Of fruits and flowers?

Great ocean, boundless, uncontrolled,
How many do thy waters hold
Of briny drops?

High sun, of all things centre bright,
How many are the rays of light
That from thee dart?

Eternity, O vast sublime!
How many moments of our time
Are in thy lengths?