

THE PEBBLE

The Anglican Church of Caversham Saint Peter

The Assumption of Our Lady

16th 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 181. Gradual 182 [250]. Offertory 185.

Communion 305. Processional (please turn to face the Shrine as the Priest goes by) 183 [*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. Joy Henderson.

Intercessions. Coral Paris.

Oblations. Alex Chisholm.

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

Hymns. First 381 omitting verses 2 and 3. Second 182 [250]. Third 184.

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

THE ROCK for August has been published. Please get your copy from the back of the Church or from the Link.

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*

YOUR MISSION BOXES should be returned to the Church this month please!

MONDAY CLUB meets from 10am in the Hall.

THE LADIES' GUILD meets on Tuesday at 2pm in the Lounge.

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

VESTRY meets on Wednesday at 7.30pm in the Lounge.

MEDITATION GROUP after the Eucharist on Thursday.

GAMES NIGHT from 7pm on Thursday in the Hall.

AAW meets at 11am on Saturday 22nd August in the Parish Centre for lunch and discussion of the NCW remits.

WE PRAY for those in any need or distress, for the sick and infirm, for Father Ilyan Eades, Rita Marlow, Louis Hourlier, Jinny Cottle, Bruce Robbins, Nell van Laar, Claire Johnson, Diana Halloran, Elaine Snell, John Petersen, Mother Claire Brown, Bill Isaac, Lil Bedford, Hannah Scott, 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 Mavis Wilkinson, and Molly Scrivener.

According to a mediaeval mystical text Our Lord says:—
“Love all my saints. Seek the help of your holy patrons. I love to glorify them by giving you much through them. Love above all my own dear glorious Mother – she is your mother also. Love her, speak to her often, and she will bring you to me, and for her sake I will bless you more each day.”

Remember, O most gracious Virgin, that never was it known that any who fled to thy protection, implored thy help and sought thy intercession, was left unaided. Inspired with this confidence, we fly to thee, O Virgin of virgins, our Mother. To thee we come, before thee we stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the incarnate Word, despise not our petitions, but in thy mercy, hear and answer us. Amen. [Prayer of St Bernard]