



St. Peter's Caversham

The Pebble

24 March 2013

Palm Sunday

Holy Sonnet 7

At the round earths imagined corners, blow
Your trumpets, Angels, and arise, arise
From death, you numberless infinities
Of souls, and to your scattered bodies go,
All whom the flood did, and fire shall overthrow,
All whom war, dearth, age, agues, tyrannies,
Despair, law, chance, hath slain, and you whose
eyes,
Shall behold God, and never tastes death's woe.
But let them sleep, Lord, a ne me mourn a space,
For, if above all these, my sins abound,
'Tis late to ask abundance of thy grace,
When we are there; here on this lowly ground,
Teach me how to repent; for that's as good
As if thou hadst sealed my pardon, with thy blood.

John Donne

A Warm Welcome

to all who are sharing with us in worship today. The Ministry of Healing and Wholeness is offered in the Lady Chapel during Communion. Everyone is warmly invited to Morning Tea in the Parish Lounge after the Solemn Eucharist.

The Liturgy for Today:

8:00 am Holy Eucharist (1662 Book of Common Prayer)

10:30 am Solemn Sung Eucharist

HYMNS:

All glory, laud and honour (see inset sheet)

83 Glory be to Jesus

86 My song is love unknown

Were you there? (Solo: Arnold Bachop)

94 We sing the prise of him who died

READINGS FOR TODAY

[Isaiah 50:4-7](#)

[Philippians 2:6-11](#)

[Luke 22:14-23:56](#)

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY:

[Acts 10:34,37-43](#)

[Colossians 3:1-4](#)

[John 20:1-9](#)

Organ Postlude: *Prelude on 'Victory'* Healy Willan (1880-1968)

Parish News

Palm Sunday procession The 10.30 am liturgy will begin with a procession into the Church. We will gather for this under the hall veranda just outside the link main doors. Please bring your inset sheet and Palm cross with you. At the conclusion of the entry procession the collect will be sung, and we will sit for the readings. Luke's Passion narrative will be read dramatically, with the congregation

taking the crowd's part. This is marked in bold black type in the text provided for you. Please speak out boldly and in unison at these points in the reading.

Today's Sermon This morning's sermon is entitled, "Appropriating Jerusalem."

Rehearsing the Gloria At a convenient time during morning tea we will gather in the Church to rehearse the Lourdes Gloria, which we will be using in a week's time on Easter Sunday.

Easter Vigil readings The Vicar would be most grateful if volunteers could sign up to the notice on the noticeboard to read a lesson at the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday night.

Easter Vigil This is the most central and wonderful liturgy of the year. Please bring a torch with you, as the Church will be in candlelit darkness for a portion of the Service. It would also be very helpful if you could bring a bell with you to ring during the singing of the Gloria, as we celebrate the gospel proclamation of Luke's resurrection narrative at the conclusion of the Vigil of Readings.

St Barnabas Services in Holy Week Good Friday 10 am, Holy Saturday 6 pm.

Holy Week Services

Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday: 7 pm. Holy Eucharist

Maundy Thursday: 7 pm Commemoration of the Institution of the Lord's Supper

Good Friday: 12 noon Celebration of the Lord's Passion

Holy Saturday: 8 pm Easter Vigil, Service of Light, and first Mass of Easter

Easter Sunday: 8 am Holy Communion 10.30 am Solemn Sung Eucharist and procession.

Parish outing to Maheno, Oamaru, Kakanui and Moeraki Saturday, April 20.

Fr Bernard Wilkinson will be our tour guide on a parish bus tour outing to Maheno Anglican Church, St Luke's Oamaru for lunch, Kakanui, and then the Maori Church at Moeraki. Cost \$20 each, bring your own lunch. Please book in by signing the list on the noticeboard.

Away for Easter? Then locate the nearest Anglican Church, find out when the Maundy Thursday, Good Friday and Easter Sunday Service is, and plan to be there. If there is no Anglican liturgy available then go to the local Catholic Service.

Next Thursday There will not be a celebration of the Eucharist at 10 am as parishioners are encouraged to attend the 7 pm Service, which begins the Paschal Tridium.

Roster The roster of support duties for the 10.30 am Service for the next three months is available for collection in the link if you haven't already received one by e-mail.

Confession Holy Week is a good time to make your confession. This can be arranged by making a time with the Vicar.

The Rock The March edition of the Rock is available for collection at the back of the Church.

Pray for the Sick and Infirm Rita Marlow, Claire Johnson, John Peterson, Hannah Scott, Cherry Gordon, Juen Miyagi, Eileen Pratt, Heather Robertson, and Denise Walker.

Pray for those who have died especially those whose memorial occurs at this time: Alexander Wood and Evelyn Edmondson

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