

### St Peter's Caversham

July 31 2016

# The Pebble

**Ordinary 18** 

Take my life and let it be consecrated, Lord, to thee. Take my moments and my days; let them flow in endless praise.

Take my hands and let them move at the impulse of thy love. Take my feet and let them be swift and beautiful for thee.

Take my voice and let me sing always, only, for my King. Take my lips and let them be filled with messages from thee.

Take my silver and my gold; not a mite would I withhold. Take my intellect and use every power as thou shalt choose.

Take my will and make it thine; it shall be no longer mine. Take my heart it is thine own; it shall be thy royal throne.

Take my love; my Lord, I pour at thy feet its treasure store. Take myself, and I will be ever, only, all for thee.

Frances Ridley Havergal (1836-1879)

## 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) 10:30 am Solemn Sung Eucharist

#### **HYMNS:**

366 God of Mercy, God of Grace

499 Thy Kingdom come, O God

205 Christ is made the sure foundation

Communion: *In Heavenly Love Abiding*. Soloist: Arnold Bachop.

Take my life and let it be (front of *Pebble*)

#### **READINGS FOR TODAY**

Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2: 21-23

The response to Psalm 90: In every age, O Lord, you have been our refuge.

Colossians 3: 1-5, 9-11

Luke 12: 13-21

### **READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY**

Wisdom 18: 6-9

Psalm 33

Hebrews 11: 1-2, 8-12

Luke 12: 32-48

ORGAN POSTLUDE: Elegy Charles. H. Lloyd (1849-1919)

#### **PARISH NEWS**

Welcome to Alec We welcome the Revd Alec Clark, our ministry educator, as the celebrant and preacher this morning.

<u>Vicar on leave</u> The Vicar is on leave until next Sunday. Funeral cover will be provided by the Vicar of Roslyn, the Revd Eric Kyte ph 464 0240.

<u>Pray for the Sick and Infirm</u> Claire Johnson, Cherry Gordon, Jun Miyagi, Margaret Sterling, Anita Stephens, Mahlia and Sheree Napier, Joan Ferguson, Jonathan Gillies and Denise Walker.

<u>Pray for those who have died recently</u> especially Joyce McQuarrie and Elsie Baird.

<u>Pray for those whose memorial occurs at this time</u> Leah Palmer, Dorothy Lanham, Robert Stephen, Jan McPhee and William Dawson.

## The stained glass windows of Holy Cross St Kilda

St Peter's has been offered the opportunity to consider relocating some of the stained glass windows from the now closed Holy Cross St Kilda in St Peter's. The Vestry will visit Holy Cross Church in early August to view the windows.

**Rock** Copies of the latest edition of the Rock are available in the Link and at the back of the Church.

<u>David Hoskins at St Paul's Cathedral</u> Our Director of Music has been invited to play a recital in the weekly Tuesday concerts at St Paul's Cathedral. Entitled 'The Art of Improvisation', the recital is on Tuesday August 9 from 12.50pm to 1.10pm. It would be good to see St Peter's folk there.

# Sunday Serenade

A programme of art songs, including the song cycle *Songs of Travel* (Vaughan Williams), organised by Arnold Bachop. St Peter's Church, **Sunday 14 August 2.00** *pm*. Entry fee \$10 with proceeds going to St Peter's running costs

# 2016 Caversham lectures

The lectures confirmed so far are:

**Tuesday November 1,** 7.30pm, Parish Lounge. *What makes for a good doctor*: Dr Stephen Tripp

**Tuesday November 8**, 7.30pm, Parish Lounge. *Child Welfare – Can we deliver and how will we know?*: Len Cook (New Zealand's Families Commissioner and Chairman of the Social Policy Research and Evaluation Unit)

**Tuesday November 15,** 7.30pm, Parish Lounge. *Practical end of life issues* - A panel discussion featuring Dr Tony Fitchett, Keith Gillion, Professor Peter Skegg, and a palliative care nurse.

**Tuesday November 22,** 7.30pm, Parish Lounge. *The New Zealand Youth Justice System: leading the world:* Brian Kilkelly.

It may be possible to add another lecture to the line-up on contemporary medical research and treatment dilemmas in the field of Bio-ethics.

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