



St Peter's Caversham
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The Pebble

11 September 2016

Holy Cross

Entrance Hymn.

Refrain:

Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim,
Till all the world adore his sacred name.

1. Come, brethren follow where our Savior trod, Our
King victorious, Christ, the Son of God. (*Refrain*)
2. Led on their way by this triumphant sign,
The hosts of God in conqu'ring ranks combine
(*Refrain*)
3. O Lord, once lifted on the glorious tree,
As thou hast promised, draw men unto thee.
(*Refrain*)
4. Thy kingdom come, that earth's despair may
cease
Beneath the shadow of its healing peace. (*Refrain*)
5. For thy blest cross which doth for us atone,
creation's praises rise before thy throne. (*Refrain*)

*Words: George W. Kitchin, rev. Michael R. Newbolt
Music: Sydney H. Nicholso*

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:

Lift high the cross (front of Pebble)
379 In the Cross of Christ I glory
86 My song is love unknown
Communion: *In heavenly love abiding.* Soloist: Arnold Bachop.
439 Praise to the holiest

READINGS FOR TODAY

[Numbers 21: 4-9](#)

The response to [Psalm 78](#) is:

Do not forget the works of the Lord!

[Philippians 2: 6-11](#)

[John 3: 13-17](#)

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

[Amos 8: 4-7](#)

[Psalm 113: 1-8](#)

[1 Timothy 2: 1-7](#)

[Luke 16: 10-13](#)

ORGAN POSTLUDE: *In Paradisum* Theodore Dubois
(1844-1937)

PARISH NEWS

Church Working Bee Thank you to Warwick Harris and all those who helped with yesterday's working bee around the church grounds.

Pot Luck Lunch Everyone is invited to the monthly pot luck lunch in the Parish Lounge after the 10.30 am service today.

Frances Hodgkins The Anglican Frances Hodgkins house group will meet on Monday 12 September at 2 pm in the Garden Lounge.

Wardens' meeting The Vicar will meet with the Wardens in the coming week. Please mention to Tubby Hopkins or Kate Paterson any matters you want raised at that meeting.

Teschemakers expedition A 45 seater bus has been booked for our Saturday 1 October outing to Teschemakers and Oamaru thus bringing the travel costs for the expedition down to \$15 a head. The lunch cost is \$25 bringing the total costs for the outing to \$40, a very reasonable price for a day's entertainment. The outing will include the celebration of a Eucharist in the Chapel on arrival as we keep the feast of St Therese of Lisieux, and time in the Victorian heritage Harbour St precinct in Oamaru. At present we have 33 people signed up for the outing. Please could you reach out to friends, family and members of neighbouring parishes to find the extra people we need to make up the numbers for what promises to be a most enjoyable day.

Pray for those who have recently died particularly Fr Evan Ardley, a New Zealand born San Francisco Hospice Chaplain who was influential in shaping the Vicar's priestly vocation. Evan visited the parish late last year.

Pray for the Sick and Infirm Claire Johnson, Cherry Gordon, Jun Miyagi, Margaret Sterling, Anita Stephens, Mahlia and Sheree Napier, Joan Ferguson, Jonathan Gillies, Ian Gordon, Katie Bowron and Denise Walker.

Pray for those whose memorial occurs at this time William Peterson.

Garage Sale

Our next parish garage sale is scheduled for **Saturday 24 September**. It would be helpful if parishioners could be looking out items suitable for inclusion on our display tables. Any queries to David Hoskins 453-4621.

Crowd funding the Bishopric So far 36 people have taken up Dr Tony Fitchett's challenge to contribute \$3 a week to fund the next Bishop of Dunedin. This will contribute \$12,000 per

annum. A motion will be brought to Synod to encourage widespread participation in this fund raising scheme. Those who wish to contribute now can do so through the Fund our Bishop account at Diocese of Dunedin 06-0901-0015680-00. Please quote 1200 200 200 as a reference. Alternatively cheques can be sent to Dominique Aitcheson, The Accounts Clerk, Peter Mann House, P O Box 13170, Green Island, Dunedin 9052. Please include your address details and specify what the cheque is for so you can receive a tax claim receipt.

Gleanings from the past Background reading in secondary sources for the parish history has resolved a puzzling incident to do with the origins of St Peters the Less in St Clair in the 1920s. The St Clair instigators of the purchase of land in Hargest Crescent and the subsequent moving on site of the redundant Catholic Apostolic Church from central Dunedin then applied to have the parish boundaries moved so the new Church could come under the jurisdiction of Holy Cross St Kilda. The present sociology of St Kilda and St Clair makes this an apparently anomalous request but back then St Kilda had a higher proportion of skilled working class employees and white collar workers than Caversham. St Clair and St Kilda had more in common than the rest of South Dunedin. St Kilda as an attractively priced new residential suburb also had many young families with children - it was very much a going concern. This boundary change request was of course fiercely and successfully opposed by St Peter's Caversham.

Mid-Week Eucharist The Holy Eucharist is celebrated each Thursday at 10 am in the Parish Lounge.

Parish Priest: Fr Hugh Bowron - 455- 3961

Vicar's Warden: Tubby Hopkins - 454-2399

People's Warden: Kate Paterson - 455-5384

Director of Music: David Hoskins 453-4621

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