



St Peter's Caversham
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The Pebble

4 June 2017

Pentecost

God of surprises, your Spirit brooded over the waters
at creation
and lived among your chosen people
in wilderness, exile and promised land.
Your Spirit filled Mary's womb at the moment of
Jesus' conception
and came upon him like a dove at his baptism.
When Christ died on the cross
your power raised him from the tomb on the third day
and that same evening he breathed your forgiving
grace on those who had deserted him.
On the day of Pentecost you sent your Spirit
upon the fearful disciples,
filling them with fire, with power, with wonder and
joy, and making them your church...
God of comfort and strength, we look to your Holy
Spirit to be with us in sorrow and contentment, in
crisis and in abiding stillness.
Come among us now through the power of your
Spirit,
that we may be transformed into your image
Joining the Angels Song, Eucharistic Prayers for Sundays and Holy Days

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 after the Solemn Sung
Eucharist

THE LITURGY FOR TODAY

8.00 am Holy Eucharist (1662)
10.30 am Solemn Sung Eucharist

HYMNS:

139 Come, thou Holy Spirit, come
Be still, for the presence of the Lord (see insert sheet)
137 Come down, O Love divine
Communion: Spirit of the living God (see insert sheet)
342 Breathe on me breath of God

READINGS FOR TODAY

Acts 2: 1-11
The response to Psalm 104 is
Lord send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth
1 Corinthians 12: 3-7, 12-13
John 20: 19-23

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Exodus 34: 4-6, 8-9
2 Corinthians 13: 11-13
John 3: 16-18

PARISH NEWS

Procession This morning's 10.30 am Service begins with a procession around the Church. Do join in.

Evensong and Benediction this evening at 5 pm followed by a social gathering in the lounge.

The arrangements The Vicar begins his 30 day retreat tomorrow and will be resident in the Port Chalmers

Presbytery. The celebrants and preachers for the next three Sundays will be Fr Alec Clark, Fr James Harding and Fr Bernard Wilkinson. The Thursday morning Service will continue as usual with Michael Forrest leading communion from the reserved sacrament. Items for the Pebble should be forwarded to David Hoskins. Fr Hugh will continue to be available for funerals. Please ring the Wardens for any parish administrative matters.

Sunday Serenade

There will be a recital of British Art Songs and Arias here at St Peter's on Sunday 11 June at 2 pm. The Sunday Serenade will feature some of Dunedin's leading singers including Arnold Bachop, Sarah Oliver, Helen Scott, Kaye Smith, Justin Scott, and Nicola Steel. The organist will be David Hoskins, pianist Mike Crowl and the special guest star will be cornetist Ralph Miller. The door charge will be \$10 with proceeds helping to meet the costs of the cleaning and installation of the Woodhouse memorial window in the Link. Can you take one of our attractive posters or hand bills for this event to request its display in a prominent public place?

Book now for Patronal Festival lunch St Peter's will celebrate its Patronal Festival on Sunday 2 July. After our usual Sunday morning Services we will adjourn to the Wharf Hotel, as we did last year, for lunch. We need to book in for this at the earliest opportunity. Please sign up on the noticeboard in the Link for this important and enjoyable parish gathering.

Mid-week Service The Thursday 10 am Eucharist will be celebrated in the parish lounge until the late spring.

Pray for the Sick and Infirm Claire Johnston, Cherry Gordon, Margaret Sterling, Mahlia and Sheree Napier and Jonathan Gillies

Pray for those who recently died Rae Read, and the Coptic Christians recently massacred in Egypt.

Pray for those whose anniversary occurs at this time Amy Hore, Elma Coxon, Winifred Murray, and Mary Brown.

2017 St Peter's Organ recital The third of our annual organ recitals will take place on Saturday 15 July at 1.00 pm when we host John Linker, organist and music director of the Christchurch Transitional Cathedral. The programme will begin with Bach's Prelude and Fugue A-moll, BWV 543 and then his *O Mensch, bewein dein Sunde gross* from the Little Organ Book. Two 19th century pieces then follow, Felix Mendelssohn's Sonata 3, Opus 65, Number 3 and Robert Schumann's Fugue 1 on B-A-C-H. The second half of the programme is taken up with 20th century works Jan Nieland's *Prelude, Choral and Variations*, Dan Locklair's *The Peace may be exchanged* (from the Rubrics of the American Episcopal Prayer Book), Leo Sowerby's *Carillion* and two movements from Louis Vierne's *Organ Symphony number 3*. The programme thus includes German, Dutch, French and American composers for the organ. Can you take a poster and/or hand bills to advertise this recital? They are available at the back of the Church.

Christian Meditation afternoon Saturday 10 June 2 pm - 4 pm at St Peter Chanel Church, 242B Main South Rd, Green Island. All welcome.

Can you spare an hour for the homeless? Volunteers needed. The Dunedin Night Shelter are holding their annual appeal from Tuesday 25 July to Saturday 29 July. Collections are at supermarkets, on the street and at the Farmers Market. If you are able to help please call Carol on 477 0546.

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