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The Pebble

July 25, 2021.

Ordinary 17

Collect. Almighty God, your word is a lamp for our feet and a light upon our path; grant that by patient study of the scriptures we may follow more closely the way you have set before us, through Jesus Christ who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. AMEN.

Welcome

to all who are sharing in worship with us today and those who read the Pebble on-line. The Pebble assists those who are participants in our Services and also shares news and views of interest to parishioners.

The Liturgy for Today

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

HYMNS FOR TODAY

336 Angel voices, ever singingWe sing the 3-fold *Alleluia* before and after the gospel.297 Lord Jesus Christ276 Bread of heaven, on thee we feed357 Father, hear the prayer we offer

READINGS FOR THIS SUNDAY

2 Kings 4:42-44 Psalm 145: 8-21 Response: You open your hand to feed us, O Lord, you answer all our needs. Ephesians 4:1-6

John 6: 1-15

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Exodus 16: 2-4, 12-15, 31.

<u>Psalm 78</u> 1 Corinthians 15: 20-26

Luke 1: 39-56

PARISH NEWS

Welcome We welcome Fr James Harding as Celebrant and Preacher at our 8am and 10.30am services today. <u>Morning Tea</u> Morning tea is served in the Parish Lounge after the 10.30am service today. All welcome. <u>Midweek Eucharist</u> The Holy Eucharist will be celebrated in the Parish Lounge on Thursday at 10am. <u>June Steele</u> Jo Steele has moved to the Chalet, Roxburgh. She was farewelled in grand style at both the Monday Club and the St Peter's Fellowship meetings recently. We wish her well in her new surroundings nearer family.

Lorraine Mitchell RIP After a long illness, Lorraine Mitchell died this week. Lorraine, a much loved and active member of the St Peter's family, will have a memorial service in St Peter's on Tuesday August 3 at 2pm. Our prayers are with the family at this time.

<u>Madge Gaudin</u>. Madge Gaudin was an active member of the St Peter the Less congregation throughout the 1960's and 1970's. She acted as recorder and led the Mother's Union for a time. Her family service was at St Peter's last Friday and led by Fr Bernard Wilkinson who knew Madge when he was curate in the parish.

Pray for those who have died recently Lorraine Mitchel and Madge Gaudin.

<u>**Pray for the Sick and Infirm**</u> Claire Christie, Paul Hill, Rosemary Stott, Joy Henderson, Greta Barton, Anne Bowker and James Bunker

Hospital Bed Pushers Needed.

Volunteers are still needed to help with bed-pushing at Dunedin Hospital in order that those who wish to can take part in the Chapel worship on Sunday August 15. Talk to Di if you can help.

Pray for those whose memorial occurs at this time

Martha Allen, Marie Brown, Alice Hopkins, Beryl Heazlewood.

Food Bank. The very real need for contributions to the St Vincent de Paul Foodbank is ongoing and all contributions of canned and packaged food can be placed in the basket by the font at the back of the church.

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