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The Pebble

Sunday February 20, 2022

Ordinary 7

Lord God, you have taught us that anything we do without love is worth nothing, for whoever lives without love is counted dead before you; send your Holy Spirit, and pour into our hearts that most excellent gift of love, the true bond of peace and of all virtues; grant this for the sake of your Son Jesus Christ Amen.

(Collect for Ordinary Sunday 7, A New Zealand Prayer Book.)

WELCOME to all who are sharing in worship with us today and those who read the Pebble on-line.

The Liturgy for Today.

8.00am Holy Eucharist (1662)(Fr David Crooke)10.30am Solemn Sung Eucharist (Fr David Crooke)5.00pm Evensong and Benediction (Bishop Steven)

HYMNS FOR TODAY

341 Blest are the pure in heart
We sing the 3-fold Alleluia at the Gospel
436 Praise, my soul, the King of Heaven
294 Just as I am
391 King of Glory, king of peace

READINGS FOR TODAY

<u>1 Samuel 26: 2, 7-9</u> <u>Psalm 103</u> *Response:* The Lord is kind and Merciful <u>1 Corinthians 15: 45-50</u> <u>Luke 6: 27-38</u>

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK. Bishop Kelvin

<u>Sirach 27: 4-7</u> <u>Psalm 92</u> <u>1 Corinthians 15: 54-58</u> <u>Luke 6: 39-45</u>

Parish News

Evensong and Benediction today at 5pm. There is a shared meal afterward. Please bring a plate, cheese, biscuits, fruit. Thank you. Everyone welcome.

<u>Morning Prayer</u> Wednesdays at 9 am in church.

<u>Mid-week Eucharist</u> Thursday at 10 am in the Parish Lounge. (Fr James Harding)

Vestry Meeting The Parish Vestry meets on Thursday 24th. Please let the wardens know today if you would like an item raised at the meeting.

<u>Pray for the Sick and Infirm</u> Claire Christie, Paul Hill, Rosemary Stott, Joy Henderson, Glenda Stephenson, Greta Barton, Steven Lighton and Jim Menzies

Pray for those whose memorial occurs at this time

Cyril Tourelle, Rosemary Simons, Marjorie Booker, Douglas Gordon and Christian Hansen.

Fellowship News The St Peter's Fellowship will meet at Glenfalloch *THIS WEDNESDAY* February 23 at 2pm. If you would like a ride please phone Raylene on 455-2389. If you plan to come, let Gay Webb know on 476-1613.

<u>Ash Wednesday</u> Lent commences on Ash Wednesday, March 2, with the Holy Eucharist and Imposition of Ashes in church at 5pm.

Fridays in Lent

The Bishop will lead the St Peter's tradition of the Holy Eucharist, including a study of The Apostle's Creed, followed by a Fish and Chip supper in the Parish Lounge on Fridays during the Lenten season this year, beginning Friday, March 4 at 5.30pm. Everyone is welcome.

Covid Traffic Lights and Diocesan Recommendations.

Now that there are cases in the South all attending the 8 am, 10.30 am and 5 pm services on Sundays and 10 am on Thursdays need to show, or have shown previously, a vaccination pass or an exemption pass. Wearing masks, distancing and signing in is needed. Refreshments after services are available.

All Saints holds a mass for those without passes at 5.30 pm on Wednesdays and a Taize service on Sundays at 5 pm.



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