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The Pebble

Sunday May 29, 2022

Ascension of the Lord



Eternal God,
by raising Jesus from the dead
you proclaimed his victory,
and by his ascension
you declared him king.
Lift up our hearts to heaven
that we may live and reign with him
Amen.

(Collect from 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) **10.30am** Solemn Sung Eucharist

HYMNS FOR TODAY

134 The head that once was crowned with thorns *We sing the Alleluia at the Gospel procession.*

130 Hail the day that sees him rise

131 O King most high (t.457)

476 Ye servants of God

READINGS FOR TODAY

Acts 1: 1-11

<u>Psalm 47</u> *Response:* God mounts the throne to shouts of joy: a blare of trumpets for the Lord

Hebrews 9: 24-28, 10: 19-23

Luke 24: 46-53

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

Acts 2: 1-11

<u>Psalm 104</u> *Response:* Lord send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth.

Romans 8: 8-17

John 14: 15-16, 23-26

Parish News

Morning Prayer Wednesday at 9 am in church.

<u>Mid-week Eucharist</u> The Holy Eucharist is celebrated on Thursday at 10am in the Parish Lounge.

<u>The Rock</u> A new edition of our parish magazine is available at the back of church and in the Link.

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

Pray for those who have died recently: Elizabeth Moore.

Pray for those whose memorial occurs at this time

Kenneth Praill, Rhona Welsh, Wilfried Ebbinghaus, Betty Wyatt, and Amy Hore.

Come, Holy Spirit, come.



Mary, you stayed with the disciples in the ten long days between Ascension and Pentecost, still patient, still pondering, still trusting in your son, Jesus. We remember how Jesus was taken from your sight. We remember his call for us to share his faith. We now wait anew for his Holy Spirit to fill the Church.

(from 'A Journey with Mary')

Covid-19

People do not need a vaccination pass to attend a service but it is strongly advised that you to continue to wear a mask. Communion is now offered in two kinds to those would like to do so. The elements will still be received standing as we have been doing. Research shows there is very little risk of getting Covid-19 from sharing a cup.



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