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The Pebble

Sunday August 7, 2022

Ordinary 19



Almighty and everlasting God,
by your Spirit the whole body of the church
is governed and sanctified;
hear the prayers we offer
for all your faithful people,
that in the ministry to which you have called
us

we may serve you in holiness and truth; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

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

461 There's a wideness in God's mercy We sing the Alleluia at the Gospel procession.

443 Rejoice! The Lord is King

313 Wherefore, O Father

408 Love Divine

READINGS FOR TODAY

Wisdom 18: 6-9

<u>Psalm 33</u>. *Response*: Happy the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.

Hebrews 11: 1-2, 8-19

Luke 12: 32-48

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

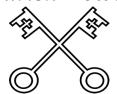
Jeremiah 38: 1-2, 4-6, 8-10

Psalm 40 Response: Lord, come to my aid!

Hebrews 12: 1-4

Luke 12: 49-53

Parish News



<u>Thank you</u> to Margaret Murphy who has stepped in at short notice to play at the 10.30 Sung Eucharist today. Our organist, David Hoskins has had to travel to the North Island due to a family bereavement.

Morning Tea. Everyone is warmly invited to share in morning tea after the 10.30am service today.

<u>Evensong</u> Due to the absence of our Director of Music, there will be no Evensong and Benediction this evening.

Morning Prayer Wednesday at 9am in the Lady Chapel.

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

<u>Food Bank Basket</u> Please remember the St Vincent de Paul Food Bank, which we support, when you are shopping. Why not buy an extra grocery item to place in the basket at the back of church. The need is very real.

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

Pray for those whose memorial occurs at this time

Aland Gale, Gaynor Newbould, Jennifer Fraser, and Ronald Preston.

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

From the Vicar...

I've been sitting in the kitchen with my back to the sunshine enjoying the warmth and promise that spring is on its way. The green bulb tips are standing up straight and tall. I've even found a small violet plant growing up through the pavers at the back. In the promise there is also uncertainty. Where will the big daffodils bloom and where did I put all those tulips. What colour will the violet be? Violet, white or maybe even pink?

I pray that this week brings certainty and an assurance that our Almighty Father knows our hearts desires but also enjoys giving beautiful surprises, if we look.



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