



St Peter's Caversham
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The Pebble

Sunday May 28, 2023

The Day of Pentecost

The Collect



Father,
you have filled your people with the
Spirit
who rested first on your Son
And united us in your Church;
open the channels for your Spirit
that we may freely work together,
and your kingdom and your rule
increase;
for the glory of your holy name.

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WELCOME

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

The Liturgy for Today.

8.00 am Holy Eucharist (1662)

10.30 am Solemn Sung Eucharist

HYMNS FOR TODAY

139 Come thou Holy Spirit, come

We sing the three-fold Alleluia at the Gospel

137 Come down, O love divine

342 Breathe on me, breath of God

352 Crown him with many crowns

READINGS FOR TODAY

[Acts 2: 1-110](#)

[Psalm 104](#) *Response:* 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 WEEK

[Exodus 34:4-6, 8-9](#)

Responsorial Canticle: Daniel 3 *Response:* Glory and praise
forever!

[2 Corinthians 13: 11-13](#)

[John 3: 16-18](#)

Parish News



SERVICES THIS WEEK:

Wednesday 9 am : Morning Prayer in the Lady Chapel.

Thursday 10 am Holy Eucharist in the Lady Chapel.

Healing Ministry Prayer for Healing is offered to all in the Lady Chapel during communion at the 10.30 am Solemn Sung Eucharist.

Thank you! To everyone who made yesterday's Garage Sale a success. The final financial total will be in next week's Pebble.

The Rock Copies of the latest edition of the Parish magazine, the Rock, are available today at the back of church and the Link.

Receipts for donations. If you haven't received a receipt, please let me know (021 202 1343) 'A gremlin crept into the donation receipts' - new ones at back of church.

Bishop's Companions Programme meets on Thursday in the Lady Chapel at 10.30 am.

Pray for the Sick and Infirm Claire Christie, Paul Hill, Joy Henderson, Kristian, Glenda Stephenson, Jim Menzies, Michael Forrest, Steven Lighton, and Harry Brown.

Pray for those whose memorials occur at this time

Michael Cottle, William Monteith, Kenneth Prail, Rhona Welsh, Wilfried Ebbinghaus, and Betty Wyatt.

From the Vicar.

During my three days at the Ministry school we had a session discussing the nature of Christ. It began with each of us selecting an image of Christ, as represented by artists from different countries and cultures. Some pictures were quite confronting, some thought provoking and others very traditional. All the pictures represented an aspect of Christ's nature but none could possibly encompass who Christ really is. Ultimately the image of Christ is irrelevant, it is the nature of Christ that is life changing.

Just as people influence us, so Christ our Lord and Saviour should influence every aspect of our lives. There was a saying a few years ago, 'What would Jesus do?' (WWJD) and it is an important adage. Would knowing that Jesus Christ is beside you change your behaviour, how you speak and think? The Holy Spirit assists us in navigating our way through the myriad of choices that life provides and helps us model Jesus Christ.

Jesus promised he would always be with us through the Holy Spirit, our Advocate and Guide, to support us in faith. I pray that we continue to explore what this incredible gift means to the life of the Church. Natalie

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