What's on 3rd —9th June

Thurs 6th June Rhythm'n'Riggle Christ the King. 9.30am

Sat 8th June Pot Luck Supper The Vicarage 6.00pm

Sun 9th June Holy Communion Christ the King 9.00am No service at St Paul's.

READINGS

1 Sam 8: 4-20

2 Cor 4:13-5:1

Mark 3:20-35

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Christ the King 2nd June 2024

Theme: Te Pouhere Sunday

Readings: Isa 42: 10-20 Acts 10: 34-43

Matt 7: 24-29

SENTENCE

There is no longer Jew nor Greek, there is no longer slave or free, there no longer is male and female; for all of you are one in Christ Jesus. Galatians 3: 28

COLLECT

God of the southern sea and of these islands, God of Norfolk Pine and Lofty Totara, God of spindle and sail, You brought us to this land of plenty and bound us here in sacred trust. Make us worthy of our covenant with You: Create in us a deeper belonging by Your grace, That we may partner Your ways together And serve Your purpose in each other. In the name of Christ our guide. Amen

PRAYER CYCLE

In our diocese we pray for Bishop Ross Bay (Jacquie) and Archdeacon Jonathan Gale.

Please keep in your prayers: Kevin, Helga & Terry Trewby & Rosie, Lynne & Eddie, Gus Holgate-Simpson, Amanda, Nigel, Paul Brom, Jan W, Judith and Jonathan., Lindsay, Rodger Winton, Christine and Ann.

If you would like to add people or situations, and having made sure the people would like to be on our list, please phone 431 4122, or email admin@mangawhaianglican.co.nz

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WELCOME TO CHRIST THE KING

We welcome Rev. Stan Pilbrow who will be leading Holy Communion today.

We hope you find God's presence in the service this morning. Please join us for a refreshment after the service.



BIRTHDAY

Vivienne Linnell 3rd June

NOTICES

There will be a Pot Luck Dinner on Saturday 8th June. This will be held at the Vicarage, 8 Makutu Place, Mangawhai, at 6.00pm. The dinner is to farewell Lynda and Jim Wintle and Lindsay and Celia McCaw. BYO. Please let either Jo or Bronwyn know if you wish to attend.

There will be a Patronal Service at St Alban's, Whakapirau, on <u>Sunday 23rd June</u>, at <u>11.30am</u>. It would be wonderful for folk from Christ the King to celebrate this day with the people of the Paparoa Mission District.

Rev Stan Pilbrow will be the celebrant.



Te Pouhere Sunday

Reflection

Have you ever wondered about the pattern that flows through the Eucharistic services in our wonderful New Zealand Prayer Book? Encounter, Praise, Confession, Forgiveness, God's Word and Call, and our Response are the elements of our worship that follow on one after the other.

Did you notice the same pattern in the reading from Isaiah 6:1-8 last Sunday?

Isaiah enters the Temple and encounters God, as we do when we attend church and turn our minds and hearts to God.

Like the angels that Isaiah hears, we sing praises; "Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of Hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory."

With Isaiah, we confess that we are sinners, imperfect people who fall short of the glory of the Lord.

Isaiah cries out "Woe is me! I am lost, for I am a man of unclean lips..."

We too confess our sins; "We have sinned in what we have thought and said..."

With Isaiah, we hear the inexpressibly comforting words of God's forgiveness; "Your guilt has departed and your sin is blotted out." Isaiah is not lost, and neither are we.

Now that he has confessed and been forgiven, Isaiah is freed from the burden of sin and open to hear God's voice. He is not commanded, he is called. He is free to respond to God's call.

Now that we have confessed and been forgiven, we are freed from the burden of sin and open to hearing God's word. We are not commanded, we are called. We are free to respond to God's call.

May we, with Isaiah, say "Here I am, send me!"

Peace and Blessings, Bronwyn.