

## WELCOME TO OUR CHURCH

We hope you find God's presence in the service today. Please join us for a cuppa after the service and share our hospitality and fellowship

### Happy Birthday!

We extend our best birthday wishes to **David Hargreaves**, celebrating his birthday on **Saturday 11th May**.



### Bible Study - Wednesday 1st May

Have you ever done a spiritual pilgrimage? Come join us as I share the journey Jenny and I experienced.

Note: Due to the power cut last Wednesday, the Bible study was postponed, so this Wednesday will commence with the first session:

Week 1: Santiago de Compostela  
10am, Christ the King lounge.  
Rev. John Blundell

### Pastoral Care Workshop

Are you involved in visiting and pastoral care in the Parish? If so I recommend this workshop to you. Blessings John

### Boundaries Workshop - Foundation Boundaries: Lay and Ordained

Any person – lay or ordained – in active ministry who hasn't attended a Boundaries Course in the last three years should enrol in this workshop. Facilitated by the **The Reverend Sarah Park** Diocesan Ministry Educator and responsible for Boundaries workshops throughout the Diocese.



**Thursday 23 May, Warkworth Parish Hall 10.30am – 3pm**  
**BYO lunch (tea and coffee available from 10am)**

To register for this workshop please email Liz Williams:  
reception@aucklandanglican.org.nz  
**Note: change of email address**

### Rhythm 'n' Riggle - Christ the King

We made a gentle start last Tuesday with 16 children attending. Managed to cope with our leader's absence with Gwen manning the computer. Thank you to Sue, Gwen, Margaret W, Maralynne and Pamela for running this group—you do an awesome job!!

**Craft Group** - continue to meet on Thursdays at Christ the King, 9.30 am—noon.

## John's Reflection

### Easter 3

In John's Gospel account of the resurrection Peter has remained silent until now. As request by Jesus the disciple had travelled to Galilee where they met Jesus, the risen Christ. The triple question posed by Jesus to Peter is reminiscent of Peter's triple denial. Here Jesus commissions him. First to take on a leadership role responsible for the flock. Second to feed the flock and thirdly to follow the way of Jesus.

This is the role of being a disciple of Jesus. It leads us to a life of action in the world in which we live. To offer hope, support and encouragement to those around us. In discipleship with God's help we can only be ourselves. Anna Johnstone in her book *The God Walk* offers this prayer:

To be myself, Lord.  
To walk the path  
you give me.  
Not trying to follow  
in the footsteps of others  
but content  
to tread  
new ground  
unafraid  
alone  
if need be

To follow you  
in my own way  
To savour  
the unexpected  
free to dance sunbeams of joy  
To delight in silence  
eyes wide  
to your beauty

Heart craves  
your nearness  
longs for your bushes  
burning with gold.

Blessings on the discipleship journey  
John





**Please keep in your prayers:**

Trewby and Rosemary; Terry Bardwell, George Skelton, Tevita, Bishop Jim, Carol, Celia McCaw, Marjorie Blake, Jean and Brian, Bernard Chivers, Rev. Edith McCarthy; Tony and Jo; Bev. Jaques; Diana and Grant; Jocelyn Cullen; Judith Brown; Jonathan; Sibyl Canning, Elspeth Cooze and Petronella and Jac.

**Visiting:** If you are aware of people you think need or would appreciate a visit from our pastoral team, please let Fay know. Also if there are people who would appreciate Home Communion.

**What's on: 06 - 12 May**

Tues.	07 May	Rhythm 'n' Riggle	Christ the King	10.00 am
Wed.	08 May	Holy Communion Bible Study Governing Body	Christ the King Christ the King Christ the King	9.00 am 10.00 am 2.30 pm
Thurs	09 May	Craft Group	Christ the King	9.30 am
Sun.	12 May	Holy Communion	Christ the King	9.00 am

**Next week**

**12 May Service at 9 am**  
**Theme: Easter 4: Jesus' Sheep**  
**Readings:** Psalm 23  
John 10: 22-30  
Mothers Day

**MISSION DISTRICT CONTACTS**

**Priest in Charge:** Reverend John Blundell, 431 4122  
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**Assisting Clergy:**

Rev Derek Christensen, Rev Edith McCarthy, Rev John McClean,  
Rev Dr Tony Stroobant

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# Pew News

**Christ the King, Mangawhai**

**05 May 2019**

**Easter 3:  
Jesus and Peter**

OT: Psalm 30  
Gospel: John 21: 15-19



**Theme & Readings**

Prayer Book P. 476

**Scripture for the Week (Sentence)**

To the one seated on the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honour and glory and might for ever and ever. *Revelation 5: 13*

**Prayer for the Week (Collect)**

**Alleluia, King Eternal; Jesus restored disheartened friends at breakfast on the beach: alert us to your presence; restore us when we falter or despair; and let us always hope in you; through Jesus Christ our Lord; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.**

**Prayer Cycle**

In our Mission District we pray for Worship Leaders, Liturgists, and Musicians at Sunday services, Bible readers and intercessors, sound and technology operators. In our community we pray for all churches, their ministers and elders, and their people.

**Office Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 9am-12 noon**  
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**Christ the King Mangawhai, St Michael & All Angels Hakaru, St Paul's Kaiwaka**