

WELCOME TO OUR CHURCH

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

Please remember to scan in or add your details on the attendance sheet.

“Live-stream” Church Service:

Sunday 28 February 9am, from Christ the King Mangawhai

All you need to do is click on this link: <https://youtu.be/IDbcDmHfujM>

or copy and paste into your internet browser. You can do this before 9am, but it becomes “live” at 9am Sunday, and may be viewed from then onwards.



World Leprosy Day

This morning we will be observing World Leprosy Day and welcome Gillian Whitley who will be our speaker. Gillian is Executive Director of The Leprosy Mission NZ. A special offering will be taken for the NZ Leprosy Mission.

Happy Birthday! We extend our best birthday wishes to **Fay Burnett**, celebrating on **Thursday 4th March**



Bible Study – continuing Wednesdays during Lent

For Lent we are undertaking a series of Bible studies based around the familiar hymn “There is a green hill far away”. Copies of the studies are available on the entry table at Christ the King, or on the website under the “Bible Studies” tab. March 3,10,17 and 24 at 10am in the church at Christ the King.

Wednesday Morning Communion

Our Wednesday communions are back! 9 am at Christ the King. All welcome.

Coffee Morning

Our next coffee morning will be held on **Thursday 4th March** and will be hosted by Maralynne and Tevita Latu at **2 Thelma Road South, Mangawhai. All welcome!**



Calendars - Our Mission District calendar looks great and was an excellent fundraiser. Thank you to all involved. We have just a few calendars remaining which we are letting go for the **bargain price of \$8**. Please see Fay, Jo or Wayne to take advantage of this great offer.

Craft Group

Our ‘C+K’ craft group meets on Thursday mornings at Christ the King Church, 9.30 am – 12 noon.

Trading Table

Don't forget to check out the trading table for baking, preserves, books, magazines, craftwork etc. All donations welcome.

Wayne's Word

A weekly column by our Priest in Charge

A Different Kind of Fast for Lent?

During this season of Lent we are encouraged to “fast” in some way: to identify with Jesus going through trials in the desert; to help us focus on what it means to be a faithful follower of Jesus; to be reminded that although God's grace in Jesus is free, there is a cost. So we might stop eating chocolate, refrain from watching a favourite TV programme, not go to the cafe for the duration of Lent.

Not exactly easy perhaps, but manageable. And perhaps really with no long term gain or benefit. So how about the following – a rather different and potentially more difficult kind of “fasting” that is likely to produce good fruit long after Lent is over. These are the words of Pope Francis:

Fast from hurting words and say kind words

Fast from sadness and be filled with gratitude

Fast from anger and be filled with patience

Fast from pessimism and be filled with hope

Fast from worries and have trust in God

Fast from complaints; contemplate simplicity

Fast from pressures and be prayerful

Fast from bitterness; fill your heart with joy

Fast from selfishness and be compassionate

Fast from grudges and be reconciled

Fast from words; be silent and listen.

Shalom, Wayne





Please keep in your prayers:

Ian, Bevan Lawrence, Paul Brom, Rosie, Jan W, Carol, Judith, Mary Hitchcock, Tevita, Jonathan and Jocelyn.

We ask God's blessing on Jordan Maea and Isaac Mataia who were married at St Michael's yesterday.

Prayers: Please continue to pray for those on our prayer list in your prayer time. If you would like to add people or situations please phone 431 4122, or email mangawhaichristking@xtra.co.nz

What's on: 01 - 07 March

Tues	02 Mar.	Rhythm 'n' Riggle	Christ the King	10.00 am
Wed.	03 Mar.	Holy Communion Bible Study	Christ the King Christ the King	9.00 am 10.00 am
Thurs.	04 Mar.	C + K Craft Group Coffee Morning	Christ the King 2 Thelma Rd Sth Mangawhai	9.30am—12 10.00 am
Sun.	07 Mar	Morning Prayer Holy Communion	Christ the King St Paul's, Kaiwaka	9.00 am 9.00 am

Next week

Next Week 07 March 2021

Theme: Lent 3: Mark and Miracles

**Readings: OT: Psalm 19: 1-8
Gospel: Mark 6: 45-51**

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Pew News

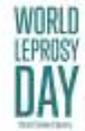
Christ the King, Mangawhai

28 February 2021

Lent 2

World Leprosy Sunday

OT: Psalm 22: 23-31
Gospel: Mark 1: 40-45



Theme & Readings

Prayer Book P.404, 732

Scripture for the Week (Sentence)

You know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sake he became poor, so that by his poverty you might become rich. *(2 Corinthians 8:9)*

Prayer for the Week (Collect)

Almighty Father, the giver of life and health, look mercifully on those who suffer from leprosy. Stretch out your hand to touch and heal them as Jesus did during his earthly life. Grant wisdom and insight to those who are seeking the prevention and cure of the disease; give skill and sympathy to those who minister to the patients; reunite the separated with their families and friends; and inspire your people with the task set before The Leprosy Mission, that it may never lack either the staff or the means to carry on its healing work, in accordance with your will, and to the glory of your holy name. We ask this for the sake of Jesus Christ your son, our Lord. Amen.

Prayer Cycle

In our Diocese, we pray for the School Chaplaincies at King's College, King's School, Dilworth School, the Diocesan School for Girls and the Anglican Schools Office. In our Mission District we pray for Overseas mission and stamps for mission, and the groups who use our facilities. In our community we pray for our local businesses and enterprises.

**Office Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 9am-12 noon
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