

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.

Daylight Saving - this weekend! Don't forget to put your clocks back one hour, Saturday night 3rd April!!



“Live-stream” Church Service:

Sunday 04 April 9am, from Christ the King, Mangawhai

All you need to do is click on this link: <https://youtu.be/btHUpQKqb9w> 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.



Last Sunday it was announced that our Priest in Charge, Wayne Thornton, has been appointed as Vicar of Manurewa Parish. Details are still being worked out but he will be with us for a couple of months yet. While we are sad to see him go we have appreciated his time with us and wish Wayne and Kim well in this new ministry.

Happy Birthday! We extend our best birthday wishes to **Alan Whitaker**, who celebrated his 90th birthday yesterday, **2nd April**, and to **Bill Bygrave**, also on **2nd April**, **Robin Morgans** on **Monday 5th April**, and **Trewby Bull** on **Wednesday 7th April**.



Coffee Morning

This month our coffee morning is being held on **Thursday 8th April, 10 am at 402 King Road, Mangawhai** (off Cove Road). Your hosts will be Sylvia and Brian Money. All welcome!

Thank you

A heartfelt thank you and well done to all those who helped with our Holy Week and Easter services. Your contributions enabled us to mark the significance of Jesus' life and death, and to celebrate his resurrection with real joy and excitement.

Bible Study – our next series begins on April 7: Copies of the studies will be available on the entry table at Christ the King, or on the website under the “Bible study” tab. 10am in the church at Christ the King.



Mangawhai Mission District AGM: To be held on **Sunday 18th April at Archie Bull Hall, Kaiwaka, 11 am**. Nomination forms for Governing Body available on the entry table.

Wayne's Word

A weekly column by our Priest in Charge

A BEGINNING?

By now most of you will be aware that this is going to be my last Easter with you as your Priest in Charge. There is a tinge of sadness as I write this and the realisation strikes home. But one thing Easter reminds us is that what looks like the end of something, actually contains within it the beginning of something new and exciting. Something perhaps even beyond our expectations or imagining. There is life, real life, after Easter. For me there is new life, a new beginning, in the Parish of Manurewa. For you there is a new beginning as God's spirit breathes new life into what is coming next.

I have to confess I don't know what people make of Easter if they are not Christian, or at least know the story. For as long as I can remember I have marked the significance of Good Friday and Easter Sunday; it has never been “just a holiday”. Sure people can have a well-deserved break, enjoy some time off and time out; celebrate even – because behind it all is:

A God who promises to keep promises ...

... and does.

A God who says we will not be lost or alone even in the worst possible place ...

... and we are not.

A God who says light will overcome any darkness and make something new grow ...

... and it does.

It has been a joy and a privilege to celebrate all that with you over our past shared Lents, Good Fridays and Easter Sundays. My challenge to us all is to make a real effort, guided by the Holy Spirit, to share something of the Easter story with a family member, neighbour, colleague – so that the light may dawn for them of just what Easter is all about.

Christ is risen! A new opportunity dawns.

Shalom, Wayne





Please keep in your prayers:

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

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: 05 - 11 April

Tues	06 April	Rhythm 'n' Riggle	On holiday	
Wed.	07 April	Holy Communion Bible Study	Christ the King	9.00 am 10.00 am
Thurs.	08 April	C + K Craft Group	Christ the King	9.30am-Noon
Sun.	11 April	Holy Communion	Christ the King	9.00 am

Next week

Next Week 11 April 2021

Theme: Seeing and Believing
1st Reading: Isaiah 53: 6-12
Gospel: John 20: 19-31

MISSION DISTRICT CONTACTS

Priest in Charge: Wayne Thornton 431 4122
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Christ the King, Mangawhai

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**EASTER:
The Story Continues**

1st Reading: Acts 10: 34-43
Gospel: Mark 16: 1-8



Theme & Readings

Power Point Holy Communion

Scripture for the Week (Sentence)

The Lord is risen indeed, alleluia! (Luke 24:34)

Prayer for the Week (Collect)

**Living Christ, you are risen from the dead! Love reigns!
You are life stronger than death; raise our eyes to see you as the
new day dawns; for the glory of your holy name.
Amen.**

Prayer Cycle

In our Diocese, we pray for the Parish of St Mark, Remuera, the Parish of St Aidan, Remuera, the Parish of St George, Epsom, and the Diocesan Council. In our Mission District we pray for Sunday children's ministry and Rhythm 'n' Riggle. In our community we pray for all schools, colleges and places of learning.

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