#### WELCOME TO OUR CHURCH

# We hope you find God's presence in the service today.

Please remember to scan in or add your details on the attendance sheet and show your vaccine passport.

**Red Light!** We are now back to Red Light Covid19 regulations. Communion will be with a wafer only, and the offering won't be taken up during the service, the Peace will be a smile and wave, and the offering bowls will be on a table by the door.

#### Tonga Appeal - Update

Rev. Talu advises that for the recovery process, the Tongan people need gardening and building tools, including nails, screws, etc (they don't have to be new). Also masks, fishing hooks, weights, etc, and kitchen utensils. These can be left in St Paul's vestry, brought to Christ the King Church or given to Maralynne Latu.



**Mini-Market Result** - Many thanks to everyone who was able to contribute to the mini-market fundraiser. We raised the awesome amount of **\$1,062.20**, with further amounts to come from the trading table and raffle. (The raffle basket of goodies will be at St Paul's this Sunday for those who would like to buy tickets).

### **Church Library**

Books on the library shelves at Christ the King, Mangawhai are now available to borrow. If borrowing a book, write your details in the notebook provided. There is no return time, but please don't keep the books at home for more than a month or two. As you will see, we have a way to go to fill the shelves. Donations will be very welcome.





## Morning Tea Roster at Christ the King Church

We are setting up a new roster for serving morning tea. This would involve coming a little earlier to set up cups, refreshments and bring a bottle of milk. A plate of cake or biscuits would be very welcome, though not necessary as we will have a supply of biscuits in the fridge. **We would also like a volunteer to look after the roster!** Please contact Fay in the office if you can help. We will start the roster from March.

## **Prayer Cycle (continued)**

The Rt Rev Arthur Abui - Bishop of Hanuato'o, The Rt Rev Samuel Sahu – Bishop of Malaita, The Rt Rev Rickson Maomaoru – Assistant Bishop of Malaita, The Rt Rev Willie Tungdale – Bishop of Temotu, The Rt Rev James Tama – Bishop of Vanuatu/New Caledonia, The Rt Rev Ellison Quity – Bishop of Ysabel, The Rt Rev Patteson Worek – Bishop of Banks & Torres, The Diocese of Central Melanesia which is consecrating its first assistant bishop in early 2022.

## Harvey's Word

When the Bishop invited me to be your Priest in Charge, I was to live in Auckland and the end date for this ministry was to be Christmas day, 2021. At the time I thought that that date would unduly complicate matters for the Wardens as clergy are hard to find in the summer holidays so I suggested an end date of January 31, 2022. That was accepted as was the idea that we would be better placed living in the Wellsford Vicarage in Mangawhai. Various things happened and now the date for the ending of my ministry is February 27<sup>th</sup>, 2022. This is the date that the Bishop and I have agreed will be my last Sunday as Priest in Charge of the three Mission Districts. At Christmas, Tony Stroobant, Bronwyn Emson, Christine and I had a very pleasant meal together. It was such a good meal that Tony offered, very generously, to assist in the taking of more services than those for which he is normally rostered. This has happened and is still happening and for this I am very grateful. It is with regret that I note that my levels of exhaustion have badly affected my memory and Tony has had to bear the brunt of the effects of my memory loss in many of his duties. This he has done with charm and equanimity.

Once we leave here Chris and I will be returning to Northcote Point to admire the installation of our lift. Before, during or after that little escapade we intend to visit the Wairere Boulders, travel from Cape Egmont to Cape Kidnappers, spend several nights on Kapiti Island and visit again the beautiful natural sanctuary of Tiritiri Matangi Island. And a glass will be raised in your direction from wherever we are.

The Wellsford Vicarage in Mangawhai has been a wonderful home which we have thoroughly enjoyed. It will be a great pleasure for us if parishioners of all three Mission Districts could join us at the Vicarage for one last meal on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> February at 6pm.

Best wishes,

Harvey





#### Please keep in your prayers:

Anne Connolly-Munt, Isa, Pam Murphy, Gus Holgate-Simpson, Lynne & Eddie, Rosie, Ian, Amanda, Brendon Kidd, Paul Brom, Jan W, Carol, Judith, Jonathan and Jocelyn.

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 mangawhaichristking@xtra.co.nz

What's on: 07 - 13 Feb

Tues. 08 Feb. Governing Body Christ the King 1.00 pm

Sun. 13 Feb. Holy Communion Christ the King 9.00 am

Next week

Readings Next Week 13 February 2022

1st Reading: Isaiah 62: 1-5 2nd Reading: John 2: 1-11

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## Theme & Readings

# Pew News

## St Paul's, Kaiwaka

**06 February 2022** 

1st Reading: Isaiah 42: 1-9 2nd Reading: Eph. 2: 13-18 3rd Reading: Luke 2: 9-14



# Scripture for the Week (Sentence

Our Scripture Sentence for

Waitangi Day is from the Book of Psalms where we read: "How good and pleasant a thing it is when God's people live together in unity." *Psalm 133: 1* 

# Prayer for the Week (Collect)

God, the sovereign of all, your word is law in every quarter.

Speak your words again; hold

before us the words of Waitangi, signed by Maori and Pakeha alike to seal their covenant; make the treaty they established in Aotearoa a beacon light for the days ahead; through Christ, our guide, our way. Amen.

Prayer Cycle

We pray for Bishop Ross and those involved with our appointments process. We pray for the people of Tonga and all involved in the relief work in all the islands. In our Diocese

our prayers are asked for the churches in Onehunga, Royal Oak and Hillsborough. The Board of Missions asks our prayers for the Province of Melanesia . Melanesia was evangelised by Bishop George Selwyn followed by Bishop John Coleridge Paterson, Martyr. The Province was established in the 1970's as a separate entity and we remain as a partner diocese to those in Melanesia. Our prayers are asked for: The bishops, clergy and people of the nine dioceses: The Most Rev Leonard Dawea – Archbishop of Melanesia and Bishop of Central Melanesia, The Rt Rev Benedict Loe – Bishop of Guadalcanal, The Diocese of Central Solomons which will be consecrating a new diocesan bishop during the first half of 2022. Cont'd, over ...

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