

WELCOME TO OUR CHURCH

This morning, we welcome Rev John McClean who will be preaching at St Paul's this week.

We hope you find God's presence in the service today.
Please join us for refreshments following the service.

Birthday

Birthday greetings to Terry Bardwell Wednesday 21st September



We are happy to announce that, thanks to Peter Lyne, who wrote this beautiful love story from the Old Testament, and our own Fay Burnett, who purchased a copy for our pleasure, that we can all enjoy reading this.

Down Memory Lane
*An organ concert of old favourites at
St. Paul's church Kaiwaka
Date: Sunday 25 Sept
Time: 2.00pm*

Featuring Denis McCombe

Denis was previously the organist at First Church, Dunedin
This is a fundraising community concert organised by Anne Connolly-Munt to raise funds for the new electric piano.
Tickets \$15 per head, under 14's free
Refreshments will be served after the concert

Advance Notice – Christ the King, Mini-market Saturday 22nd October, Labour Weekend

We will have baking, produce, garden plants, books, bric a brac, clothing etc. Watch this space.

New Zealand Census, March –November 2023

They have 321 full time temporary positions, hiring field operations, team leaders to manage roster and support a team of census field collectors.
Apply to Persolkelly.co.nz/census jobs. Full details on notice board.

Bronwyn's Word

The Gospel reading today is about money and faithfulness. Money is not a possession, it's a trust. God entrusts property to his people and expects it to be used for his glory, and for the welfare of His children.

In this passage, we are asked to look beyond money to the 'true riches' which await us in the life to come. What they are, we cannot know, but there are 'true riches' that really will belong to us in a way that money doesn't, if we learn faithfulness here and now.

If we don't, we will be torn between two masters.

We are challenged to be faithful in our use of money, faithful to God rather than money, faithful in our hearts, and to the Kingdom which is now begun in Jesus, and faithful to our friends and family.

As soon as we begin to think of money, or land, or other people, as commodities we might own or exploit, we take a step away from our vocation to be God's true children, and towards the other master, who is always ready to accept new servants.



(The Theologian N.T.Wright is my guide on this reflection)



Please keep in your prayers:

Helga & Terry, Trewby & Rosie, Anne Connolly-Munt, Allan King, Lynne & Eddie, Gus Holgate-Simpson, Jocelyn, Amanda, Brendon Kidd, Nigel & Carol, Paul Brom, Jan W, Judith and Jonathan.

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: 19 Sept to 25 Sept

Tues. 20 Sept	Rhythm 'n' Riggle	Christ the King	9.00 am
Sun 25 Sept	Holy Communion	Christ the King	9.00 am
Sun 25 Sept	Down Memory Lane Concert	St. Paul's Kaiwaka	2.00 pm

Next week

Readings

Next Week 25 September:

OT Reading: Amos 6: 1a, 4-7

Psalms : 146

NT Reading: Luke 16: 19-31

MISSION DISTRICT CONTACTS

Priest in Charge: Position currently vacant

Priest's Warden: Lindsay McCaw 022 032 6360 09 601 6169

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Pew News

St. Paul's Kaiwaka

18 September 2022

God hears our every prayer

Readings:

OT: Jeremiah 8:18-9: 1

NT: Luke 16:1-13



SCRIPTURE SENTENCE:

Help us, O God of our salvation, for the glory of your name; deliver us, and forgive our sins, for your name's sake. *Ps 79:9*

COLLECT:

Loving and compassionate God, you never change, you are always here for us. When we rejoice, you rejoice with us. When we are lonely or helpless you watch over us. Always and everywhere you will hear us and be with us, as you were with your Son on the Cross. In whose name we pray.

Amen.

PRAYER CYCLE:

In our Diocese, we pray for the Mission District of Albany-Greenhithe, Massey University Albany Campus, the Parish of Northcote, the Mission District of Glenfield, the Parish of Birkenhead, the Parish of Birkdale-Beachhaven and the Church Army of New Zealand. In our community 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.

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Christ the King Mangawhai, St Michael & All Angels Hakaru, St Paul's Kaiwaka