

WELCOME TO CHURCH AT CHRIST THE KING

We welcome Rev. Richard Hancock who will be offering Holy Communion today.

We hope you find God's presence in his service this morning.

Birthdays

Ian McKenzie	Wednesday 3rd May
David Ellery	Thursday 4th May
David Hargreaves	Thursday 11th May

Prayer Meetings with Archdeacon Jonathan

Happily these will be starting this coming

Tuesday 9th May at 10.00am.

Our Catholic friends thanked us very much for the use of our church last Sunday, while we were worshipping at St Michael's. They certainly enjoyed using our facilities and said how nice it was to be able to worship in a church.

Lovely photo of Fay's new church. Anyone game for a visit to Oxford?

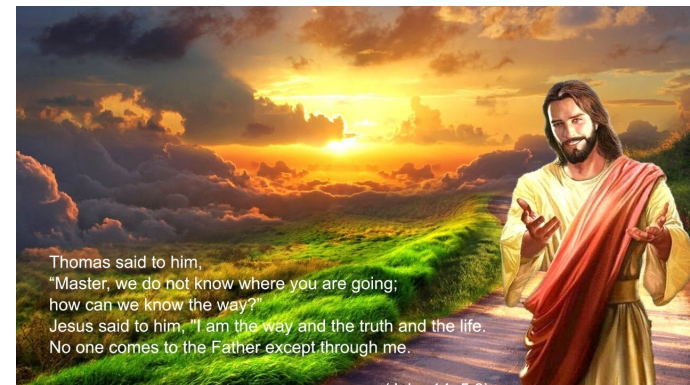


Richard's Word

Before Christians were called Christians, they were known as "followers of the Way."

An ancient document, some scholars think was written before any of the Gospels, known as *The Didache* sets out to help those earliest Christians understand that there were two "Ways", a "Way of life," and a "Way of death." This was largely to help new converts, pagans, and to a lesser extent Jews, understand that in Jesus, God had shown us the "Way of life."

It is the ever-practical Thomas who asks, "Hang on a minute, Jesus, we do not know where you are going. How can we know the way?" It's a relief for us that Jesus doesn't ignore Thomas or gloss over his question. He simply tells Thomas and all the disciples present, (which includes us) "I am the way and the truth and the life."





Please keep in your prayers:

Kevin, Helga & Terry, Trewby & Rosie, Lynne & Eddie, Gus Holgate-Simpson, Jocelyn, Amanda, Brendon Kidd, Nigel, Paul Brom, Jan W, Judith and Jonathan. Margaret Haverfield, Lindsay, Jim Wintle, Daniel Twinn, Nathan Sarah, Sandie, Phillip.

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 admin@mangawhaianglican.co.nz

Next week

Sun 14th May	Family Service	Christ the King	9.00 am
Thurs 18th May	Rhythm & Riggle	Christ the King	9.30 am

Next week

Readings

14h May

Acts 17: 22-31
John 14: 15-21

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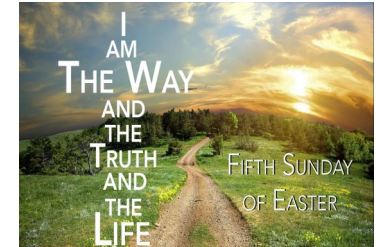
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5th Sunday of Easter

Readings:

Acts 7:55-60
John 14: 1-14



SCRIPTURE SENTENCE

["Do not let your hearts be troubled. Believe in God, believe also in me." John 14:1

COLLECT

Eternal God, your son Jesus Christ is the way, the truth, and the life for all creation; Grant us grace to walk in his way, to rejoice in his truth, and to share his risen life; Who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, One God, now and forever.

PRAYER CYCLE:

In our Diocese, In our Mission District we pray for our Clergy team, Communion assistants, welcomers, morning tea helpers, all involved in hospitality and home Communions. In our community we pray for all involved in the legal sector

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Christ the King Mangawhai, St Michael & all Angels Hakaru, St Pauls Kaiwaka.