Please keep in your prayers:

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

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.

Next Week

Thurs 3 Aug Rhythm & Riggle Christ the King 9.30am
Sun 6 Aug Holy Communion Christ the King 9.00am
Sun 6th Aug Holy Communion St Paul's, Kaiwaka 9.00am

Next Week

Readings 6th Aug

1 Pet 1: 16-21 Luke 9: 28-36 Ps : 97

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Christ the King, Mangawhai Date 30th July 2023 Working From Within

Readings

Gen 29: 15-28 Matt 13: 31-33, 44-52

SCRIPTURE SENTENCE

Jesus said, "The Kingdom of God is

like a woman who takes yeast and mixes it with a large measure of flour until the whole batch of dough rises."

Matthew 13:33

COLLECT

Lord Jesus Christ, hidden within us, raise and transform our lives that the whole world might be fed with the bread of life which is your Word and your Body. Amen.

PRAYER CYCLE:

This morning we continue to pray for Bishop Ross, for our Vicar General, Carole Hughes and for our Archdeacon Jonathan Gale. In the Diocese our prayers are asked for the Cathedral and its three churches of Holy Trinity, St Mary's and St Stephen's in Judges Bay. Our Prayers are asked for the Diocese of Polynesia, particularly for the ministry of Anglicare Polynesia as it ministers to people as they cope with the massive impact of Covid 19. In our community we continue to pray for our mission partners stretching from All Saints Wellsford to Christ the King Mangawhai, to St Paul's Kaiwaka, Holy Trinity Maungaturoto,

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

WELCOME TO CHURCH AT ST MICHAEL'S

We welcome Rev. Dr. Tony Stroobant who will be offering Holy Communion for us today.

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

Please join us for refreshments following the service

Disappointingly for us at Christ the King, Bishop Ross has decreed that Archdeacon Jonathan Gale, take an extra few days to recover from his recent illness, which means there is no Prayer Meeting as advertised on 1st August. I actually watched the short video by N.T. Wright [How to Pray For the World | Psalm 70:1-2] in preparation for the 1st of August Prayer Meeting and found it really interesting. Mind, I have several of his books at home and really enjoy his teaching.

https://youtu.be/IOTObY7pKwQ

PHOTOS

A request for everyone at all Mangawhai Mission District churches from the Governing Body.

As Fay is no longer here to offer her expertise, we ask that anyone who can, will take photos of all and any events at church. Email to admin@mangawhaianglican.com



Bronwyn's Word

What is it we would ask God for if we had the sense to recognise our deepest longings? What is it we yearn for so deeply that we can hardly identify it, except to know that without it we are incomplete? It is the hidden treasure, the pearl of great price: the deep knowing that we are loved, completely and forever.

The field where the treasure is hidden is our own soul. It cannot be seen or touched, but there it is. We have not bought it with our good deeds, inherited it from the Church, still less do we deserve it. It is Gift. It is the unconditional love that God offers us.

The man who finds the treasure in the field and the merchant are already quite wealthy and sell *all that they have* in order to possess what they know is most valuable.

We, too, are quite wealthy. We too can give all that we have to possess the Kingdom of Heaven. All it costs is everything.

In praise of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ and the little poor man Francis

