



The Anglican Parish of
Burnside-Harewood



NEWS SHEET

26th November 2023

A warm welcome to St Timothy's and St James' Churches
Making lifelong disciples of Jesus

SENTENCE & PRAYER

O shout to the Lord in triumph all the
earth. Serve the Lord with gladness and
come before his face with songs of joy.

Psalms 100:1-2

Almighty God,
the Redeemer of all who trust in you;
give heed to the cry of your people,
deliver us from the bondage of sin
that we may serve you in perfect freedom
and rejoice in your unfailing love;
through Jesus Christ our Saviour.
Amen.

Prayer Times

St James'

Thursdays at 9am

St Timothy's

1st & 3rd Saturday
of each month
4.30pm

Sundays at 9.45am

All Welcome

NOTICES

Memorial Wall - St James'

If you have recently booked a place on the memorial wall and would like to help out, one month a year, to keep the ground around the memorial wall clean and tidy, please contact Dorothy. Ph: 359 6577

We have two months vacant at present so we need two families willing to take on the task. All that is required is to check the wall twice during your month to dispose of any dead flowers and remove rubbish or leaves from around the two walls.



CHRISTCHURCH
City Mission
TE WHARE MĪHANA KI ŌTAUHAHI
"Our City at Heart"

This month our focus is on Christmas Yummies and/or unwrapped gifts for children.



The deadline for Christmas goodies is Sun 10th Dec
Please give if you are able.

THIS WEEK'S SERVICES

Theme: Open Our Eyes Lord

Sun 8.45am Holy Communion at St James'

Chris Ponniah

Ephesians 1: 15-23 (p1815) Matthew 25: 31-46 (p1545)

Sun 10.15am Family Service at St Timothy's

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Sun 5.00pm Evening Service at St Timothy's

Starts with a meal - Kids programme

Wed 11.00am Holy Communion Service at St Tim's

Fiona Johns

Pop in for a cuppa at 10.30am before the service.

FOR ALL PASTORAL NEEDS, please contact Rev Victoria Askin (022 126 7885)
or the parish office during office hours (03 358 8174)

VICTORIA'S SABBATICAL/STUDY LEAVE

From the 26th December 2023 to 26th March 2024 I will be on sabbatical/study Leave. The timing of this is to minimize the time away from both of my roles and particularly to fit with the Lincoln University down time over summer.



For those who aren't familiar with the sabbatical process for Anglican ministers, every seven years after ordination, ministers are to take a 3 month sabbatical. The idea is that ministers are to use this time to follow a course of study as well as have some time out for refreshment. I was ordained 9 October 2014 and so am a bit overdue for a sabbatical.

For my study leave I will be focusing on Emotional Health and Leadership Development. I will first consider what Emotional Health is and why it's important for leaders. Then I will look at how to find healing in this area and then lastly, look at how leaders can build an emotionally healthy lifestyle. I have been able to get some funding from the St John's/Te Kotahitanga Scholarships to do a course from a Church Leadership Trainer from Canada called Carey Nieuwhof. I will write a report, which will be available for anyone who's interested to read when I get back at the end of March.

Blessings

Victoria

CRAFT FAIR & MARKET

St Christopher's Church is holding a Craft Fair & Market on Saturday 16th December. 9.30am-2.00pm.

Gold coin entry, Under 12's free. Perfect opportunity for gift shopping. Handcrafted items and recycled craft supplies available.

Enquiries or to book a stall call Anne on 020 4118 4414.

NEXT FORTNIGHT AT A GLANCE

November

- Mon 27th - Tea and Tots | St Tim's | 10am
- Tues 28th - Vestry | St Tim's | 7.30pm
- Wed 29th - Cuppa, Chat & Communion | St Tim's | 10.30am
- Thurs 30th - Study & Prayer | St James' | 9am
 - Gold Card Club | 10am | St Tim's
 - Te Reo Course | 6-7pm | St Tim's

December

- Sat 2nd - Worship & Prayer | 4.30 - 5.30pm | St Tim's
 - Nexus Community Potluck Dinner | 6-8pm | St Tim's
- Sun 3rd - **1st Sunday of Advent**
 - Book of Common Prayer Service | 9.30am | St James'
 - St James' Potluck Lunch
 - Family Communion Service | 10.15am | St Tim's
 - Christmas Play rehearsal
 - Sundays @ 5 | St Tim's
- Wed 6th - Cuppa, Chat & Communion | St Tim's | 10.30am
 - Knitting Group | 1.00 - 2.30pm | St James' Hall
- Thurs 7th - Study & Prayer | St James' | 9am
 - Gold Card Club | 10am | St Tim's
 - Te Reo Course | 6-7pm | St Tim's | Final Night
- Sat 9th - Christmas Play Rehearsal | St Tim's | 9.30am
- Sun 10th - **2nd Sunday of Advent**
 - 8.45am | Holy Communion Service | St James'
 - 10.15am | Family Service at St Tim's | Christmas Play Followed by JOY FACTORY | 11.30am
 - Sundays @ 5 | St Tim's



Children's Christmas play, St Tim's, Sun 10th December, 10.15 Service

Parents please note: Rehearsals are on
Sun 26th November & 3rd December.
Full dress rehearsal on
Saturday 9th December at 9.30am

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS ADVENT SEASON

Let the True Light of Christmas Shine



Celebrate Christmas with us

at St Timothy's, 46 Kendal Ave, Burnside
and St James', 750 Harewood Rd, Harewood

Sunday 10th December

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| 8.45am at St James' | Communion Service |
| 10.15am at St Tim's | Children's Christmas Play |
| 11.30am at St Tim's | Joy Factory Community Event |

Sunday 17th December

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| 8.45am at St James' | Seven Lessons and Carols |
| 10.15am at St Tim's | Family Communion Service |

Sunday 24th December

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| 8.45am at St James' | Communion Service |
| 10.15am at St Tim's | Family Service |
| 5.00pm at St Tim's | Family Fun on Christmas Eve |

Monday 25th December

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| 8.45am at St James' | Christmas Day Communion Service |
| 9.30am at St Tim's | Family Christmas Service |

DAY OF GENEROSITY

Last Sunday we outlined the focus of this years Day of Generosity. The focus is solely on being able to install four heat pumps into the main auditorium at St Timothy's. Anybody attending a church event over the recent winter period clearly knows that our existing heaters have become totally inadequate from every viewpoint.



Comprehensive research has been completed by Richard Rendle and Rob Orange across many months on this matter. The cost to be able do this is just over \$20,000. We have an existing source within our finances for just over \$5000. A further \$15000 is therefore required to take this project forward.

If you are able to contribute, please credit the below bank account and use **DoG** (Day of Generosity) as the reference. Named gifts will be included within the donation tax credit system.

Blessings,

Adrian Brunt (Warden)

Account: Parish of Burnside -Harewood

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Book Sale of Bible Commentaries

Angela Brighton will be hosting a book sale on Sunday 26th November after the 10.15am service to raise funds for Anglican Missions fundraising for the Al Ahli Arab Anglican Hospital based in Gaza. So bring along some gold coins if you think you may be interested. If the books don't all go then it may flow over into the 3rd of December.



Handel's Messiah

If you are keen to attend please feel free to contact Lyn Wain, who is a choir member, for the promo code for friends and family. This will give you a small discount. Her contact no is 021 376 321.



Christchurch City Choir returns to the Christchurch Town Hall with its annual performance of Handel's Messiah, joined by friends and whānau, conducted by Dr John Linker and accompanied by the CSO.

A perennial favourite in the concert calendar, Messiah heralds that Christmas is on its way.

WORSHIP & VOLUNTEER ROSTER

Worship	26th November		Next Week: 3rd December	
Roster	8.45am	10.15am	9.30am	10.15am
Theme	Open Our Eyes Lord		Sleepers Awake!	Advent 1 - Hope
Leader	D Huddle	S Clancey	P Sundstrum	J Ponniah
Preacher	C Ponniah	C Ponniah	D Huddle	V Askin
Celebrant	V Askin	C Ponniah	C Ponniah	V Askin
Chalices	C Lee	No HC	C Lee	Child
Intercessors	J Garza	S Rathayake	P Sundstrum	D Mudu
1 Reader	M Saysell	S Rathayake	S Steele	W Clarke
2 Reader	C Scobie	D Byrne	A Jackson	D Clarke

PARISH CONTACT DETAILS

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3rd Dec

Sidesperson

P & L Nelson

Cleaning

D Andrew

Hall Cleaning

D Andrew

Hospitality

N/A

Memorial Wall

Philip Walker

3rd Dec

ST TIMOTHY'S

Ushers

S Byrne/W Clarke

Welcomers

D Byrne/D Clarke

PA System

I Wood

Data Projector

T Young

Sanctuary

M Mudu

Flowers

J McTeigue

Cleaning

R Cheruvu

Vacuum

J Stringfellow

Hospitality

K Lee/M Mudu

Lawn Mowing

R McTeigue

October Offertory Budget YTD \$150,417 | Offertory Actual YTD \$153,405

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