

NAU MAI, HAERE MAI - WELCOME



8am

6 OCTOBER 2019 ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI'S SUNDAY

Priest: I runga i te Ingoa o te Atua, te Matua, te Tama me te Wairua Tapu. Āmine. (In the name of God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.)

Sentence of the Day: "Let the whole creation bless the Lord; praise and exult our God for ever" [**Song of the Three Young Men 35**]

Liturgist E te whānau a te Karaiti, welcome to this holy table; welcome to you, for we are Christ's body, Christ's work in the world. Welcome to you whose baptism makes you salt of the earth and light to the world. Rejoice and be glad. Praise God who gives us forgiveness and hope.

All Amen. Christ is our light, the joy of our salvation.

Liturgist Praise and glory to Christ, God's new beginning for humanity making ritual water gospel wine, cleansing all our worship.

All Love and loyalty to Christ, who gives us the gospel. Praise to Christ who calls us to holiness.

The Confession and Absolution / Te Hohou-i-te-rongo Please sit / E noho

Liturgist We come seeking forgiveness for all we have failed to be and do as members of Christ's body. (Silence)

Liturgist In God there is forgiveness.

All Loving and all-seeing God, forgive us where we have failed to support one another and to be what we claim to be. Forgive us where we have failed to serve you; and where our thoughts and actions have been contrary to yours we ask your pardon.

Priest God forgives us; be at peace. (Silence) Rejoice and be glad, for Christ is resurrection, reconciliation for all the human race.

All We shall all be one in Christ, one in our life together. Praise to God who has created us, praise to God who has accepted us, praise to God who sends us into the world.

The Gloria is said as a cry of thanksgiving to God. Please stand / E tū.

All **Glory to God in the highest, and peace to God's people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen**

Liturgist Kia mau te rongo o te Karaiti ki o tatou ngakau. The peace of Christ rule in our hearts.

All **The word of Christ dwell in us richly.**

The Collect—Gathering Prayer—is said together /Hei konei te inoi o te rā

All **God our true wealth, may we be faithful in things both small and great, and serve the needy and the poor, so that finally we can be entrusted with your true riches; through Jesus, the Christ, our Lord, who is alive with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.**

Please be seated for the readings / Ngā Karaipiture / E noho.

Reader A reading from the book of **Genesis**

God said, "Let the waters bring forth swarms of living creatures, and let birds fly above the earth across the dome of the sky." So God created the great sea monsters and every living creature that moves, of every kind with which the waters swarm, and every winged bird of every kind. And God saw that it was good. And God blessed them. And God said, "Let the earth bring forth living creatures of every kind, cattle and creeping things and wild animals of the earth of every kind." And it was so. And God saw that it was good. Then God said, "Let us make humankind." And God blessed them. God saw everything that God had made, and indeed, it was very good.

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church. All **Thanks be to God**

Reader A reading from **The Song of the Three Young Men, (52-65)**

.Let the earth bless the Lord; let it sing praise to him and highly exalt him for ever. Bless the Lord, mountains and hills, sing praise to him and highly exalt him for ever. Bless the Lord, all things that grow on the earth, sing praise to him and highly exalt him for ever. Bless the Lord, you springs, sing praise to him and highly exalt him for ever. Bless the Lord, seas and rivers, sing praise to him and highly exalt him for ever. Bless the Lord, you whales and all creatures that move in the waters, sing praise to him and highly exalt him for ever. Bless the Lord, all birds of the air, sing

praise to him and highly exalt him for ever. Bless the Lord, all beasts and cattle, sing praise to him and highly exalt him for ever. Bless the Lord, you sons of men, sing praise to him and highly exalt him for ever. Bless the Lord, O Israel, sing praise to him and highly exalt him for ever. Bless the Lord, you priests of the Lord, sing praise to him and highly exalt him for ever. Bless the Lord, you servants of the Lord, sing praise to him and highly exalt him for ever. Bless the Lord, spirits and souls of the righteous, sing praise to him and highly exalt him for ever. Bless the Lord, you who are holy and humble in heart, sing praise to him and highly exalt him for ever.

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.

All Thanks be to God

Reader Hear the Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to **St Matthew** (11 :25-30)

At that time Jesus said, 'I thank you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, because you have hidden these things from the wise and the intelligent and have revealed them to infants ;yes, Father, for such was your gracious will. All things have been handed over to me by my Father; and no one knows the Son except the Father, and no one knows the Father except the Son and anyone to whom the Son chooses to reveal him.

When Jesus saw Nathanael coming towards him, he said of him, 'Here is truly an Israelite in whom there is no deceit!' Nathanael asked him, 'Where did you come to know me?' Jesus answered, 'I saw you under the fig tree before Philip called you.' Nathanael replied, 'Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!' Jesus answered, 'Do you believe because I told you that I saw you under the fig tree? You will see greater things than these.' And he said to him, 'Very truly, I tell you, you will see heaven opened and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man.' 'Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me; for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.'

Reader: This is the Gospel of Christ.

All **Praise to Christ, the word.**

The sermon / Te kauwhau follows.

The preacher today is Archdeacon Trevor Harrison

All stand for the affirmation of faith / Te whakapono—E tū

Liturgist. Let us declare our faith in God.

All **You, O God, are supreme and holy. You create our world and give us life. Your purpose overarches everything we do. You have always been with us. You are God. You, O God, are infinitely generous, good beyond all measure. You came to us before we came to you. You have revealed and proved your love for us in Jesus Christ, who lived and died and rose again. You are with us now. You are God. You, O God, are Holy Spirit. You empower us to be your gospel in the world. You reconcile and heal; you overcome death. You are our God. We worship you.**

A time of prayer / ngā inoi a te iwi. Please sit / e noho

Liturgist Let us pray for the Church and for the world, giving thanks for God's goodness . . .

Please stand for the Ministry of the Sacrament—Te Minitatanga o te Hākaramata

Priest Blessed be Christ the Prince of Peace.

All **who breaks down the walls that divide.**

Priest The peace of God be always with you.

All **Praise to Christ who unites us in peace.**

Deacon Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

During the offertory hymn a collection is taken up for the cathedral's mission and ministry. Thank you for your gift.

***All things bright and beautiful,
all creatures great and small,
all things wise and wonderful,
the Lord God made them all.***

**1. Each little flower that opens,
each little bird that sings,
he made their glowing colours,
he made their tiny wings.**

**2. The cold wind in the winter,
the pleasant summer sun,
the ripe fruits in the garden,
he made them everyone.**

**3. He gave us eyes to see them,
and lips that we might tell
how great is God Almighty,
who has made all things well.**



Christ is risen!

He is risen indeed.

Lift your hearts to heaven.

Where Christ in glory reigns.

Let us give thanks to God.

It is right to offer thanks and praise.

Priest It is the joy of our salvation, God of the universe, to give you thanks through Jesus Christ. You said, 'Let there be light'; there was light. Your light shines on us in our darkness. For you the earth has brought forth life in all its forms. You have created us to hear your Word, to do your will and to be fulfilled in your love. It is right to thank you. You sent your Son to be for us the way we need to follow and the truth we need to know. You sent your Son to give his life to release us from our sin. His cross has taken our guilt away. And in the cross your saints have hoped and dared. It is their boast and glory, the light within them and of St. Francis for whom we praise you. You send your Holy Spirit to strengthen and to guide, to warn and to revive your Church. Therefore, with all your witnesses who surround us on every side, countless as heaven's stars, we praise you for our creation and our calling with loving and with joyful hearts:

All **Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.**

Priest Blessed are you, most holy, in your Son, who washed his disciples' feet. 'I am among you,' he said, 'as one who serves.' On that night before he died he took bread and gave you thanks. He broke it, gave it to his disciples, and said: Take, eat, this is my body which is given for you; do this to remember me. After supper, he took the cup, and gave you thanks. He gave it to them and said: Drink this. It is my blood of the new covenant shed for you, shed for all, to forgive sin; do this to remember me. Therefore with this bread and wine we recall your goodness to us.

All **Glory to you, Lord Christ; your death we show forth; your resurrection we proclaim; your coming we await; Amen! Come Lord Jesus.**

Priest Send your Holy Spirit, that we who receive Christ's body may indeed be the body of Christ, and we who share his cup draw strength from the one true vine.

All Called to follow Christ help us to reconcile and unite. Called to suffer, give us hope in our calling.

Priest For you, the heavenly one, make all things new; you are the beginning and the end, the last and the first.

All **Blessing honour and glory be yours, here and everywhere, now and for ever. Amen.**

Silence may be kept. / Please sit / e noho

Priest As Christ teaches us we pray.

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours now and for ever. Amen.

The breaking of the bread / Ka whawhati i te taro

Priest Christ's body was broken for us on the cross.

All **Christ is the bread of life.** **Priest** His blood was shed for our forgiveness.

All **Christ is risen from the dead.**

The Agnus Dei. (Sung at 10am)

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: grant us your peace.

We are invited to share communion / Te Pōwhiri

Priest Come God's people, come to receive Christ's heavenly food.

God invites everyone to gather round His table. You are invited to come forward and receive this Holy Sacrament / Te Hakari tapu or a blessing. Our sidespeople will guide you to a distribution point.

After communion we pray / Ngā inoi mo muri i te hapa.

Priest Blessed be God who calls us together.

All **Praise to God who makes us one people.**

Priest Blessed be God who has forgiven our sin.

All **Praise to God who gives hope and freedom.**

Priest Blessed be God whose Word is proclaimed.

All **Praise to God who is revealed as love.**

Priest Blessed be God who alone has called us.

All **Therefore we offer all that we are and all that we shall become.**

Priest Accept, O God, our sacrifice of praise.

All **Amen. Accept our thanks for all you have done. Our hands were empty, and you filled them."**

Then follows the Blessing/ Te Manaakitanga

Priest May Christ who makes saints of sinners, who has transformed those whom we remember today, raise and strengthen you that you may transform the world

The Post-Communion hymn follows the notices

**1. All creatures of our God and King,
lift up your voice and with us sing
alleluia, alleluia!**

**Thou burning sun with golden beam,
thou silver moon with softer gleam.**

***O praise him, O praise him,
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!***

**2. Dear mother earth, who day by day
unfoldest blessings on our way,
O praise him, alleluia!**

**The flowers and fruits that in thee grow,
let them his glory also show.**

**3. Let all things their Creator bless,
and worship him in humbleness,
O praise him, alleluia!**

**Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,
and praise the Spirit, Three in One.**

The dismissal of the community / te haerenga atu.

Deacon Haere i runga i te rangimārie i runga i te aroha me te ngākau hihiko ki te mahi ki te Ariki. Go now to love and serve the Lord. Go in peace. All **Amen. We go in the name of Christ.**

Please either leave quietly or stay and listen to the organ postlude.

Applause is not appropriate as the music forms part of the worship.

**Please join us
for refreshments
after the service**



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PARISH UPDATE SUNDAY 13 OCTOBER 2019

To follow the 10am Eucharist



Helping Hands Needed

Remember our Foodbank basket is always ready for donations.

At the moment donations of pasta sauce and of sugar are most needed. Long life milk, shampoo, deodorant are welcome.

Tikanga Youth Sunday

20 OCTOBER 4PM

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH - FITZROY

WELCOME
HOMIES



Handbell Ringers

Taranaki Cathedral Handbell Ringers will be playing at the 10.00am Service on Sunday 13 October 2019.

SEAT FOR BISHOP OF UPOKO O TE IKA

Waitohiariki Quayle became Bishop of Upoko o Te Ika earlier this month, making her the first Māori woman in history to be elected bishop. A number of our Taranaki Cathedral team were at the ordination service in Masterton. We were delighted to have Bishop Wai visit us recently during the unveiling for Tikituterangi Raumati. Te Upoko o Te Ika (The head of the Fish) is a diocese that includes the lower and western regions of the North Island. Taranaki Cathedral is 'Wai's cathedral' and a bishop's chair is in the process of being made.

Donations towards the cost of crafting this important taonga can be left at the Taranaki Cathedral office.



CALLING CATHEDRAL CAKE BAKERS

Preparations are underway to repeat last year's very successful fundraiser where Cathedral Cakes were baked and sold to raise money towards the restoration of our Cathedral's stain glass windows. If you think you can help our team bake these cakes please get in touch with Campaign Manager Kate Duffield (021) 070 7191. You can also see her at The Cathedral Project office. All ingredients and the recipe will be supplied.

We will be starting advertising and taking orders for cakes shortly so keep an eye out and be ready to act quickly. These sold out fast last year.



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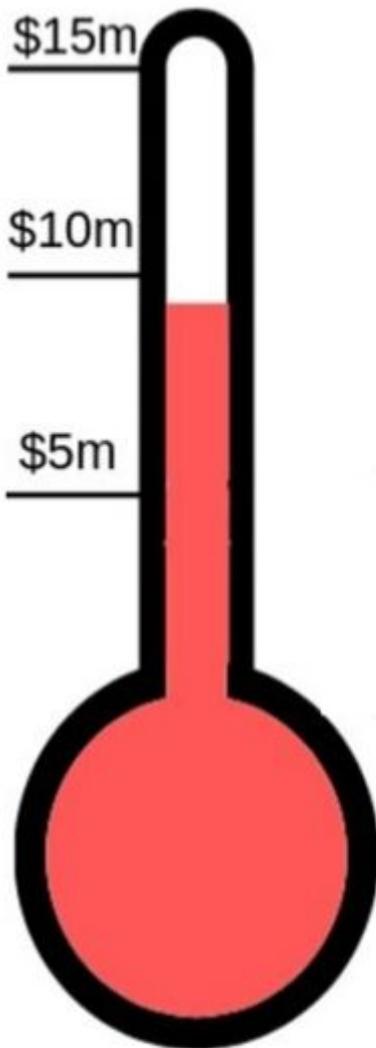
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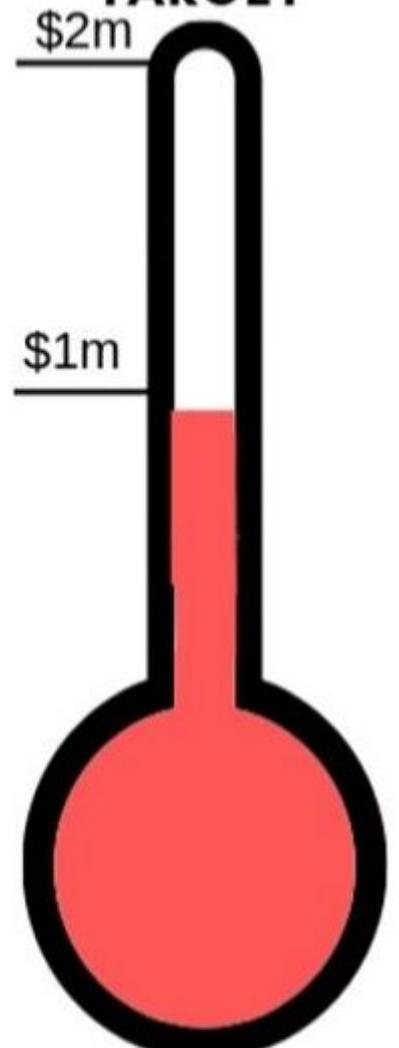


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Target

\$15,000,000



Total Raised:
\$8,909,729.79

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\$969,756.79

TARANAKI CATHEDRAL DESIGNER TEA TOWEL CHRISTMAS CRACKER SALE



1 for \$25

2 for \$40

4 for \$60

Weekly Diary and Readings

Every weekday you are invited to our brief daily prayer service at 8.30am.

MONDAY 7 OCTOBER: Jonah 1:1-2:2-10; Jonah 2:2-4,7; Psalm 69:1-6; Luke 10:25-37

3.30pm Bellringers' practice

TUESDAY 8 OCTOBER : Jonah 3; Psalm 130; Luke 10:38-end

7am Bishop's Eucharist ~ 7.30am Community Café ~ 10am Crafty Connections ~ 11am Telford Rest Home Service

WEDNESDAY 9 OCTOBER: Jonah 4; Psalm 86:1-9; Luke 11:1-4

9am Gardening Group ~ 10am BCP Eucharist ~ 11am Rhapsody Rest Home Service

THURSDAY 10 OCTOBER: Malachi 3:13-4:2a; Psalm 1; Luke 11:5-13

10am Food 4 Thought ~ 7pm Home Group

FRIDAY 11 OCTOBER: Joel 1:13-15;2:1-2; Psalm 9:1-7; Luke 11:15-26

SATURDAY 12 OCTOBER: Joel 3:12-21; Psalm 97:1,8-end; Luke 11:27-28

SUNDAY 13 OCTOBER: Jeremiaiah 29:1 4-7; 2 Timothy 2:8-15; Luke 17:11-19

8am Holy Communion ~ 9am Cathedral Choir Practice ~ 10am Choral Eucharist ~ 11.30am The Cathedral Project Parish Update

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