



Waiapu Cathedral of St John the Evangelist

ORDER OF SERVICE - 9 MAY 2021

6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

*This morning's service follows the Eucharistic Liturgy 'Thanksgiving for Creation and Redemption' commencing on **page 456** in the **New Zealand Prayer Book**.*

*Congregational responses are in **bold type**.*

The congregation remain seated while the choir sing an Introit from the baptistery, then all stand to sing the Processional Hymn.

PRAYERFUL SILENCE BEFORE THE SERVICE BEGINS IS A DISCIPLINE
THAT ALLOWS ALL TO PREPARE FOR WORSHIP

8.00am Eucharist (Aotearoa Chapel) Dean Ian Render

10.00am Choral Eucharist

Presider & Preacher: Dean Ian Render

Liturgist: Jennifer Harris

Director of Music: Anthony Tattersall *with the Waiapu Cathedral Choir*

Introit: Cantate Domino– Monteverdi

Choral Setting: Darke in F

Communion Motet: O Quam Gloriosum– Victoria

Ormond Chapel

11.00am today with Rev'd Erice Fairbrother.

*Please ensure all cellphones are set to silent when in the Cathedral;
and, if necessary, adjust hearing aids to the "Loop" system.*

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IMPORTANT HEALTH NOTICE: Our Diocese has directed parishes to **refrain** from the practice of intinction (**dipping the wafer into the wine**). For health reasons please co-operate with this requirement. Receiving the bread only is still regarded as a full expression of the sacrament, or you can simply hold or receive the chalice and then pass it back to the person serving. *Intinction is less hygienic than the common cup.*

THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD

Processional Hymn: O God of earth and space

O God of earth and space,
Of sea and fire and air,
Your providence surrounds us here
and everywhere.
In fruit and grain and tree,
in shelter from the cold,
In cooling breezes, flowing wells, now as of old.

2. Where faithfulness is shown,
where love and truth abound,
where beauty graces human life
there you are found.
Inspirer of all thought,
creative force of art,
The melody on every tongue, in every heart.

3. Wherever freedom reigns,
where sin is overthrown,
where justice fused with mercy rules,
there you are known.
Give us the courage clear
to make the earth a home
for all to live in harmony in Christ's shalom.

4. Your word commands response
and summons us to life
we follow strengthened by your grace
in calm or strife.
Our ever present help,
our staff and shepherd's rod,
we praise you
now and to life's end Eternal God.

NZPB page: 456-7 **Welcome and gathering**

457 ***Benedicite Aotearoa is sung***

NZPB page: 458, 460 **Confession / Forgiveness / Absolution**

The choir may sing a Kyrie during the silence before the words of confession

Sentence: I have said these things to you so that my joy may be in you,
and that your joy may be complete. *John 15:11*

Collect: Let us pray that we may abide in the love of God:

Alleluia!

Holy One, you are our constant companion.

Send your Holy Spirit upon us,

so that our journey in faith

may continue to be lived in all its fullness, and into eternity.

We make this prayer in the name of Jesus,

who assures us that he is our friend and brother.

Amen.

Reading: Acts 10: 44-48 Robin Gwynn

Responsorial Psalm 98 (Choir) *Text may be found on p.311*

Reading: 1 John 5: 1-6 Robin Gwynn

Gospel Hymn: *Wind upon the waters*

1: Wind upon the waters,
voice upon the deep;
rouse your sons and daughters,
wake us from our sleep.
Breathing life into all flesh,
breathing love into all hearts,
Living wind upon the waters of my soul.

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2: Showers from the heaven,
water from the earth;
Gift so wholly given,
source of every birth.
Joy of every living thing,
making all creation sing,
Shower down upon the dry earth
of my soul.

3: Rock and hill and garden,
wood and desert sand;
Prairie, field and meadow,
shaped by Love's own hand.
Love that fills the world around,
springing up from barren ground,
Grow your love within the garden
of my soul.

4: Blazing light of wonder,
flame that pierces night;
Burst the dark asunder,
fill our souls with light.
Lord of glory, fill the skies,
make an end to hatred's cries,
Be the blazing Sun of justice
in our lives.

5: Wind upon the waters,
rains upon the sand,
Grace your sons and daughters,
newborn by your hand.
Come, O Spirit and renew
all the life that comes from you,
Send your winds upon the waters
of my soul.

Words and music: [Marty Haugen](#) (1986)

Gospel Reading: John 15:9-17 Jennifer Harris

Sermon: Dean Ian Render

NZPB page: 461 **The Affirmation of Faith**

NZPB page: 462-5 **The Prayers of the People** Christine Kerr

THE MINISTRY OF THE SACRAMENT

NZPB page: 466 **The Peace**

*We greet the people near us, saying 'Peace be with you' or 'Kia tau te rangimarie'.
We understand that it may be your preference to refrain from physical contact in these
times of COVID uncertainty.*

*During the next hymn the bread and wine, symbols of Christ's life,
are brought to the altar; donations to the Food Bank are presented,
and our offerings of money
to support the mission and ministry of the Cathedral are collected,
along with pledges made via electronic banking.*

Offertory Hymn: *Love divine, all loves excelling*

1: Love divine, all loves excelling,
joy of heaven, to earth come down,
fix in us your humble dwelling,
all your faithful mercies crown.
Jesus, you are all compassion,
boundless love that makes us whole:
visit us with your salvation,
enter every trembling soul.

2: Come, almighty to deliver,
let us all your grace receive;
suddenly return, and never,
never more your temple leave.
You we would be always blessing,
serve you as your hosts above,
pray, and praise you without ceasing,
glory in your perfect love

3: Finish then your new creation:
pure and spotless let us be;
let us see your great salvation
perfect in eternity:
changed from glory into glory,
till in heaven we take our place,
there to cast our crowns before you,
lost in wonder, love, and praise!

Words: Charles Wesley, Tune: BLAENWERN

The Choir sing the **Agnus Dei** whilst the communion assistants receive communion; then the Choir move to the altar rails to receive communion; then all are welcome to share the bread and wine of Christ's life, or to receive a blessing - please come to the altar rails via the centre aisle and return to your seats via the side aisles (or use the ramp if necessary and take a place at the rear altar rail).

Christians of any tradition are welcome at our Lord's table. Communion in one kind (receiving the bread only) is considered a full expression of the Sacrament. If you prefer not to drink the wine, we invite you to receive, hold and acknowledge the Cup, and then pass it back to the person serving.

Please advise an usher if you need to have communion served in your seat, be assured we are pleased to assist you in this way.

NZPB page: 472 **Prayer after Communion & Blessing**

We share notices and news

Recessional hymn: Holy Spirit, go before us

1: Holy Spirit, go before us, every mind and heart prepare
for good news of life in Jesus, for the joyful hope we share.
Gently lead the lost to safety, gently teach them Wisdom's way,
till they come to seek you gladly, till we find the words to say.

2: Holy Spirit, come and help us, give us words to speak of Christ.
Teach us how to tell all people: deepest darkness can be light!
Help us tell how faithful God is, and how Jesus sets us free;
take our words, and make them gospel, so that many may believe.

3: Holy Spirit, stay to show us how to serve as Christ served us.
May our words of love be grounded in love's actions, first and last.
Your good news is news of justice, and the strong befriend the weak
in your service, till compassion builds the peace the nations seek.

Elizabeth J. Smith 1956– Tune: AUSTRIA

Commissioning: Grace be with you.

Thanks be to God.

Go in peace.

Amen. We go in the name of Christ.

Organ Voluntary

You are invited to join us for a cup of tea and coffee served at the back of the Cathedral following the 10.00am service.

NOTICES

- ✝ **Signing in**– As a requirement of the Diocese, a sign in/out form is located on the table in the fountain entrance.
For health and safety, all people in the building (including key holders) outside of service times are required to please sign in and out. Even if you have signed in using the QR code, please sign in on the Cathedral form. If you are entering the building during office hours, please check in at the office on arrival.
- ✝ We are still **looking for volunteers** for Sound desk, general house keeping, Greeters, Flowers, gardens and Crucifer. If you can help out please let Amy or Dean Ian know.
- ✝ **Singers needed**– Come and help the Harmony Singers entertain at Rest homes and have the occasional concert. A small fun group of seniors singing old time and traditional songs. Meet Tuesdays 1.30-2.30 to practice at the Knightsbridge Masonic Village Hall Taradale.
Phone Elaine John for more information on 835 7305
- ✝ **AAW:** Once again it is that time again to let you know what is happening at our next meeting.
Coming up this Monday 10th May. 7.30pm at Dunstall's. Our speaker is Carol Hall (Lawyer from Carlisle Dowling. She will be speaker at the beginning, so please be there so as we can start on the dot. We will also have a report of the Conference that Helen Blow and I both attended last month, as well as an update on our lovely TeAtiwhia and her new baby daughter.
Looking forward to seeing as many of you as possible. Blessings Wendy.
- ✝ **BIBLE STUDY GROUP:** If you are interested in being part of a Bible Study Group, we would love to have you come and join us. We meet every fortnight on a Wednesday at Elisabeth Paterson's home at 10.00am. We are a very friendly group and have some amazing discussions and learn plenty. We start with a cuppa and fellowship, then go on to what ever our subject is for that period. We finish 11.45amish.

Anthony's a'cappella choir OCTAVIUS will present a concert in the Cathedral on Sunday May 16th, starting at 2:30 pm. The programme has something for everyone to enjoy, including well-known Spirituals arranged by John Rutter, Shakespeare's texts set to music by George Shearing, Gershwin favourites, a Richard Rogers medley and beautiful anthems by Wood and Stanford to showcase the fine traditions of Anglican church music. Entry is \$20 for adults; children 14 and under, free admittance. Come along and bring a friend!

Waiapu Cathedral upcoming services

9.00am Tuesday-Friday Morning prayer in the *Resurrection Chapel*

10.30am Thursday- Mid week Eucharist in the *Resurrection Chapel*

12.00pm Midday prayer- Every Wednesday, followed by Te Puna a te Rangimarie–Pool of Peace (*A time of meditation in the Anglican tradition*)

5.00pm– Today– Evensong.

Upcoming Cathedral events

- ✠ **The Cathedral Choir** meets every Thursday for rehearsals. Children at 6.00 – 6:30pm and the adults 7:00 – 9:00pm. If you are interested in joining, please contact Anthony.
- ✠ **Octavius Choir**– Sunday 16th May at 2.30pm
- ✠ **Ordination service**– Friday 28th May at 1.00pm
- ✠ **Dean Ian & Philip’s farewell**-Sunday 30th May (after the 10am service)



SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY

16th May 2021

Acts 1: 1-11

Ps 93

Eph 1: 15-23

Luke 24: 44-53

... at the Cathedral ...

8.00 am - Eucharist (*Aotearoa Chapel*)

10.00 am - Choral Eucharist

... at Ormond Chapel ...

Next service is 13 June

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