



## *Ascension Sunday*

# News Sheet

21st May 2023

*A warm welcome to St Timothy's  
and St James' Churches*

### **SCRIPTURE VERSE**

Jesus said to them: 'Go and make disciples of all nations; and remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.'

*Matthew 28:19-20*

### **PRAYER**

Christ our great high priest,  
You understand our weakness;  
You pray for us while we are sinners.  
Help us, through you,  
To find a new and living way to God;  
For the glory of your holy name.  
Amen.

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*Making lifelong disciples of Jesus*

**Christchurch  
City Mission  
Foodbank  
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Fortnight**

**Pasta, Rice & Sauces**



*Please give if you  
are able to.*



**NOTICES**



**BURNSIDE-HAREWOOD AAW  
'COURAGE'**

Author Christine Nathan, a vibrant and engaging speaker, will share her story. As a single Mum with 2 children, she worked for YWAM in South Africa and Zimbabwe for 22 years.

Her books will be for sale. \$25 & \$30 - Cash

**St James' Hall | 1.45pm | Tuesday 23rd May**  
Averil 021 128 3878 Marion 021 054 036

**The Pink Office Chick is on Leave**



For the next few weeks the church office will be looked after by Alison Jephson (Monday's, 9 - 12.30) and Lou's lovely daughter Kaylin (Tuesday-Thursday 9 - 12.30). Because of shorter office hours, please get any notices for the news sheet into the office early in the week.

Lou will be return on Wednesday 21st June.

**THIS WEEK'S SERVICES**

**Theme: Our Identity in Christ**

**Sun 8.45am Holy Communion at St James'** C Ponniah  
Acts 1:6-14 (p1690) John 17:1-11 (p1679)

**Sun 10.15am Family Service at St Timothy's** C Ponniah  
Acts 1:6-14 (p1690) John 17:1-11 (p1679)

**Sun 5.00pm Evening Service at St Timothy's**  
Alpha Course continues - Meal, Video & Discussions

**Wed 11.00am Holy Communion Service at St Tim's** G Button  
Pop in for a cuppa at 10.30am before the service.

**FOR ALL PASTORAL NEEDS, please contact Alison Jephson (027 5141585)  
or the parish office during office hours (03 358 8174)**

# PUT IT IN YOUR DIARY

Celebrating 40 Years as the Parish of Burnside-Harewood



**Combined All Age Service at St Timothy's  
Pentecost Sunday, 28th May at 10.15am**

**Followed by a Potluck Lunch**



## LET'S CELEBRATE 40 YEARS!

Next week (28th May) is Pentecost Sunday. We will be having an **All AGE COMBINED SERVICE** at St Tim's at 10.15am to celebrate 40 years of St James' and St Tim's becoming the Parish of Burnside-Harewood.

During the service we will also be commissioning our newest Staff Member, Rev Victoria Askin. Please come along and join in this very special occasion.

*The service will be followed by a **Pot Luck Lunch.**  
Everybody Welcome*



## Church Army Invite

The Anglican Church Army in Aotearoa New Zealand is cordially inviting you to come and join us for our AGM

**29 May 2023 at 1.30pm**

**@ 20 Rosella Street, Broomfield, Christchurch 8042**

Come help us celebrate our achievements and vision for CANZ.

Light refreshments will be served.

RSVP to National Director

E: [moni@canz.kiwi](mailto:moni@canz.kiwi) or M: 027 470 0279



# MISSION MATTERS - MAY 2023

Greetings Parishioners.

This Mission Matters will be short updates – please approach me if you would like further information. Here are some updates from our Mission Partners:

## Howard and Gladys

On **Friday 2nd June**, Howard and Gladys will be speaking about the impact the Māori Evangelists are having in their communities. The meeting will be at **Latimer Church Hall, 12 Berwick Street** and runs from **7pm to 9pm**. As our Parish is financially and prayerfully supporting the Māori Evangelists, I'm encouraging you to find out first-hand how this initiative is progressing.



## Liz

There are copies of Liz's latest letter in the foyer of each Church. In recent days there has been considerable unrest in the country she serves in. Please pray for her safety and for justice to prevail. As I reread her latest letter, I was struck by her words, "*the recent faculty gathering was focussed on character formation,*" so important in changing unfair systems.

## Tessa and Nick

Tessa returned to Aotearoa to support her Dad (Peter) and Step- Mother (Ali) during the last weeks of Ali's life. Sadly, Ali has died, and I think Tessa is still in Nelson. She will be coming to Christchurch for a private visit to see family and friends. Her thesis is close to finished – the front and end only need a little titivating. When she returns to Uganda, she is hoping to organise a break for her and Nick to catch their breath and be refreshed. While Tessa has been away, Nick has been unwell, but has recovered sufficiently to take part in a triathlon he has been training for. Although his work continues to stretch him, recently, a person has arrived to help him with the administration work.

## **Jean Hollis**

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# WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE NEXT TWO WEEKS

## May - June

- Mon 22nd - Tea and Tots | St Tim's | 10am  
- Kendal Afterschool Club | St Tim's  
From 3.30pm - 5.00pm
- Tues 23rd - AAW Courage | St James's Hall | 1:45pm  
- Illuminate | St Tim's | From 3pm  
- Youth | 7-9pm
- Wed 24th - Cuppa, Chat & Communion  
St Tim's | 10.30am  
- Ladies Coffee group | 2pm

### **Ladies Coffee Group**

Wed 24th May  
2.00pm @ Terra Viva  
242 Roydvale Ave



- Emotionally Healthy Spirituality  
Course | St Tim's | 7.15pm
- Thurs 25th - Study & Prayer | St James' | 9.00am  
- Gold Card Club | 10.00am | St Tim's
- Sun 28th - Combined Service | St Tim's | 10:15  
- Sundays @ 5 | St Tim's | Alpha Course
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- Mon 29th - Kendal Afterschool Club | St Tim's  
From 3.30pm - 5.00pm
- Tues 30th - Illuminate | St Tim's | From 3pm  
- Youth | 7-9pm
- Wed 31st - Cuppa, Chat & Communion  
St Tim's | 10.30am  
- Emotionally Healthy Spirituality  
Course | St Tim's | 7.15pm
- Thurs 1st - Study & Prayer | St James' | 9.00am  
- Gold Card Club | 10.00am | St Tim's
- Sat 3rd - Worship & Prayer | 4.30pm | St Tim's
- Sun 4th - Normal Services  
- Sundays @ 5 | St Tim's | Alpha Course

## Kids4Christ

**Little Lights:**  
For Under Fours

**Star Lights:**  
4+ Years Olds

**Lighthouse Kids:**  
Primary Age Children

**Illuminate**  
Years 6-8

These programmes run during our 10.15am Sunday Service at St Tim's. Children learn what it means to be a follower of Jesus.

Contact the parish office for details 358 8174

## CALL TO PRAYER

**St James'**

Thursday 9.00am

**St Timothy's**

1st & 3rd Saturday  
of each month  
4.30pm

Sunday 9.45am

*All Welcome*

# WORSHIP & VOLUNTEER ROSTER

<b>Worship Roster</b>	<b>21st May</b>	<b>Next Week: 28th May</b>	
	8.45am      10.15am	8.45am      10.15am	
<b>Theme</b>	7th Sunday of Easter	Pentecost Sunday	
<i>Leader</i>	C Lee      J Ponniah	Combined      A Jephson	
<i>Preacher</i>	C Ponniah      C Ponniah	Service	Testimonies
<i>Celebrant</i>	C Ponniah      C Ponniah		C Ponniah/V Askin
<i>Chalices</i>	C Scobie      Child	at St	4 adults & 2 children
Intercessors	C Lee      S Rathayake	Tim's	N/A
<i>1 Reader</i>	C Scobie      D Clarke		P Meguire
<i>2 Reader</i>	P Sundstrum      W Clarke	10.15am	B Gormly

## PARISH CONTACT DETAILS

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28th May	ST JAMES'
<i>Sidesperson</i>	N/A
Cleaning	L Nelson
<i>Hall Cleaning</i>	M & L Reynolds
Hospitality	N/A
<i>Memorial Wall</i>	P Walker
28th May	ST TIMOTHY'S
Ushers	R Kamuhangire/E Callaghan
<i>Welcomers</i>	S Williams/J Stringfellow
PA System	J Glue
<i>Data Projector</i>	C Palma
Sanctuary	N Rendle
<i>Flowers</i>	J McTeigue
Cleaning	C & S Liu
<i>Vacuum</i>	C & J Ponniah
Hospitality	A Soo/L Chabara
<i>Lawn Mowing</i>	R Rendle

April: Offertory Budget YTD \$69,167 | Offertory Actual YTD \$72,911

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