



The Anglican Parish of  
Burnside-Harewood



**NEWS SHEET**  
20th August 2023

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

## SENTENCE & PRAYER

'Is not my word like fire,' says the Lord,  
'and like a hammer that breaks a rock in  
pieces?' *Jeremiah 23:29*

Come Holy Spirit,  
to all baptised in your name,  
that we may turn to good  
whatever lies ahead.  
Give us passion, give us fire;  
make us transform the world  
from what it is,  
to what you have created it to be.  
This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
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

## Vicar Away

Chris will be away until the 7th September. Whilst he is away Rev Victoria will be the priest in charge, so please contact her for any pastoral needs. Ph: 022 126 7885

## City Mission

The Christchurch City mission rang to say a huge thank you for both our monetary and food donations recently. They really appreciate our efforts.

Keep up the good work!



CHRISTCHURCH  
**City Mission**  
TE WHARE MĪHANA KI ŌTAUTAHI  
*“Our City at Heart”*

Please give if you are able.



This fortnight our focus is on hygiene and sanitary products.

*So expensive but so necessary!*

## THIS WEEK'S SERVICES

**Theme:** Discipling Christians

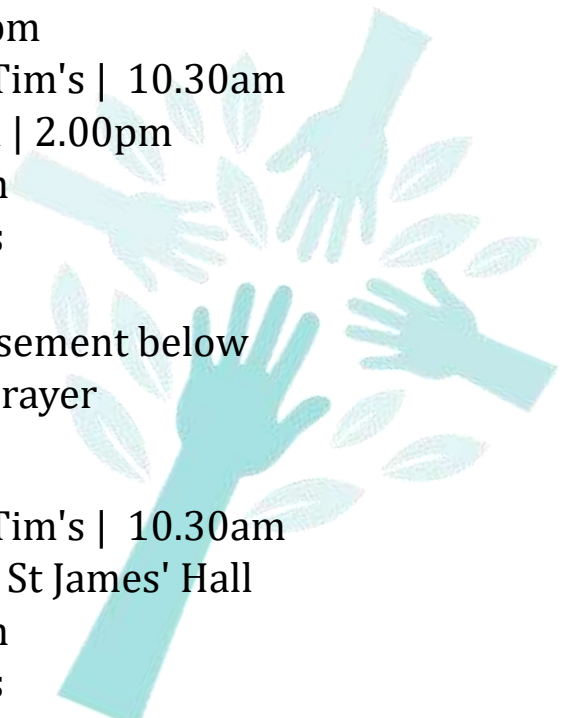
<b>Sun 8.45am</b>	<b>Holy Communion at St James'</b>	Victoria Askin
2 Timothy 3:10-17 (p1853) Matthew 28:16-20 (p1553)		
<b>Sun 10.15am</b>	<b>Holy Communion at St Timothy's</b>	Victoria Askin
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<b>Sun 5.00pm</b>	<b>Evening Service at St Timothy's</b>	Victoria Askin
Alpha - Prayer Course - Beginning with a meal		
<b>Wed 11.00am</b>	<b>Holy Communion Service at St Tim's</b>	Averil Moyle
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)

# NEXT FORTNIGHT AT A GLANCE

## August

- Tues 22nd
  - AAW | St James' | 1.45pm
  - Vestry Meeting | St Tim's | 7.30pm
- Wed 23rd
  - Cuppa, Chat & Communion | St Tim's | 10.30am
  - Ladies Coffee Group | Terra Viva | 2.00pm
- Thurs 24th
  - Study & Prayer | St James' | 9am
  - Gold Card Club | 10am | St Tim's
- Sun 27th
  - Normal Services
  - Church Family Fun | See advertisement below
  - Sundays @ 5 | St Tim's | Alpha Prayer
- Mon 28th
  - Tea and Tots | St Tim's | 10am
- Wed 30th
  - Cuppa, Chat & Communion | St Tim's | 10.30am
  - Knitting Group | 1.00 - 2.30pm | St James' Hall
- Thurs 31th
  - Study & Prayer | St James' | 9am
  - Gold Card Club | 10am | St Tim's
- Sat 2nd
  - Worship and Prayer | 4.30-5.30pm | St Tim's
  - Nexus Community Potluck Dinner | 6-8pm | St Tim's
- Sun 3rd
  - Father's Day
  - Book of Common Prayer Service | 9.30am | St James'
  - Family Communion Service | 10.15am | St Tim's
  - Sundays @ 5 | St Tim's | Alpha Prayer



## Church Family Fun for Everyone

Bring your favourite card or board game and have some fun learning, or teaching others, to play.

St Tim's Hall  
Sunday 27th August  
2.00pm - 4.00pm

Everybody  
Welcome  
Afternoon Tea  
Provided



# AAW - ST JAMES' CHURCH HALL

The next AAW Meeting is to be held at **St James' Church** on **Tuesday 22nd August at 1.45pm.**

Come and meet other women in our parish and hear our interesting speaker.

Speaker: Sharyn Williams  
"A Journey of Many Blessings"

## OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

It is time to start collecting for the Operation Christmas Child Shoe Box Appeal. Receptacles will be in the foyers of both churches soon.

### What's it about?

Operation Christmas Child is a hands-on way for Australians and New Zealanders to bless children in need around the world by filling shoeboxes with toys, hygiene items, school supplies and other fun gifts. They collect the gift-filled shoeboxes and distribute them to children in over 100 countries in the Name of Jesus Christ.

After receiving a shoebox gift, many children have the opportunity to enrol in The Greatest Journey – our dynamic, 12-lesson Bible study course that guides children through what it means to faithfully follow Jesus Christ.

The mission of Operation Christmas Child is to provide God's love in a tangible way to children in need around the world, and together with the local church worldwide, to share the Good News of Jesus Christ.



*More information next week.*

**GOOD NEWS. GREAT JOY.**

# WOMEN'S BRUNCH

## *Women's Brunch*

*9-11am, Saturday 9th September*

*St Tim's Church, 46 Kendal Ave*

*\$10 per person*

*(or bring a guest and just pay \$2 more)*

*Come and enjoy fantastic food, enjoy fabulous company and listen to fascinating stories.*

*RSVP by Monday 4th September - Clipboards in foyers of both churches*



**Numbers are limited to 50 - so get in quickly!**

**Payment to Parish of Burnside-Harewood**

**06 0831 0031780 00 Ref: 'Brunch'**

**or pay cash on the day**

# WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN CONVENTION



**WCC 2023**

**THE REDEMPTION PROJECT**

**Saturday 16th September | 9.15am - 3.15pm | La Vida Centre**

**For more information: [www.womensconvention.nz](http://www.womensconvention.nz)**

# THE SECOND MARK OF MISSION - TEACH

This Sunday our focus is on the Second Mark of Mission -to teach, baptise and nurture new believers. What is captured in the second mark of mission, is the deliberate way Jesus chose, lived with, taught, and trained his disciples in the way he wanted them to “tell” and live out their faith. As Christians, it is now our turn to be the teachers, not only by our words, but also by our actions.

For the past three weeks, I have been reminded that;

**‘Mission’ does not take place in some sanitised, perfect situation, but in the messiness of life.**

Nor do the various marks play out as individual entities – there is often overlap.

For the past three weeks, Ray and I have had our England-based family, (parents and their two teenage sons (Zachary - 13 and Alex-16) staying with us. To our surprise the big questions of life and Christianity have frequently been discussed. Early in the stay, the boys’ cousin, Kathryn, invited them to a youth group bonfire evening, which they both enjoyed immensely. She then invited them to various youth group sessions. Although both boys have taken part in the learning required prior to taking communion in the Catholic church, they are not regular church goers, and Alex, in particular, is wanting to learn more, asking, deep questions. While reluctant to criticise, he came away from the youth group, frustrated that the leader and participants skirted the questions. It was his cousin, Jack, who sensitively tried to help him.

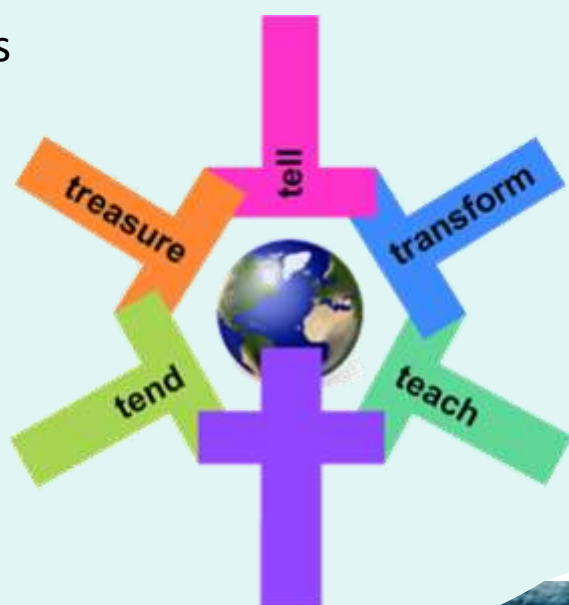
It was also, Jack, whose knowledge (he’s a Laidlaw student), four of us tapped into, in a family discussion, again about religion. This was the most respectful discussion I have ever been part of, because all of us (most unusual), unconsciously followed the guidelines advocated

by Archbishop Justin Welby. Jack played a central role in this discussion, not only by sharing his knowledge, but also by his attitude. No superiority, acknowledging when there was no definitive answer or confusing aspects in the Bible. This young man very much taught and nurtured the faith of those of us present who were believers, and earned the respect of those who weren't.

While the second mark refers to new believers, it seems to me there needs to be life-long Christian teaching and learning for us to faithfully live out the Gospel. And don't be surprised when the younger members of the Church become the teachers!

Blessings

Jean



**"Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptising them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit".**

**Matthew 28:19**

# WORSHIP & VOLUNTEER ROSTER

<b>Worship</b>	<b>20th August</b>		<b>Next Week: 27th August</b>	
<b>Roster</b>	8.45am	10.15am	8.45am	10.15am
<b>Theme</b>	Discipling Christians		Justice and Reconciliation	
<i>Leader</i>	C Lee	A Jephson	D Huddle	D Mudu
<i>Preacher</i>	V Askin	V Askin	Jolyon White	Jolyon White
<i>Celebrant</i>	V Askin	V Askin	V Askin	NO HC
<i>Chalices</i>	D Huddle	Child	C Scobie	NO HC
<i>Intercessors</i>	C Lee	D Mudu	J Garza	S Williams
<i>1 Reader</i>	S Steele	P Rodley	M Saysell	A Godfrey
<i>2 Reader</i>	P Sundstrum	P Meguire	J Baker	D Byrne

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27th August	ST JAMES'
<i>Sidesperson</i>	P & L Nelson
<i>Cleaning</i>	L Nelson
<i>Hall Cleaning</i>	M & L Reynolds
<i>Hospitality</i>	N/A
<i>Memorial Wall</i>	A Jackson
27th August	ST TIMOTHY'S
<i>Ushers</i>	R Kamuhangire/E Callaghan
<i>Welcomers</i>	S Williams/J Stringfellow
<i>PA System</i>	J Glue
<i>Data Projector</i>	C Palma
<i>Sanctuary</i>	N/A
<i>Flowers</i>	N Palmer
<i>Cleaning</i>	K Smith/F El Morshidi
<i>Vacuum</i>	K Smith
<i>Hospitality</i>	L Godfrey/D Byrne
<i>Lawn Mowing</i>	R Rendle

June: Offertory Budget YTD \$109,792 | Offertory Actual YTD \$110,703

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