

Election of the new Bishop

Nominations are now closed and from next week the Parish representatives will be reading the material that has been circulated about the candidates. Electoral Synod will meet from May 26th -28th.

Prayer for the Electoral College:

Most gracious God, your risen Son gives gifts of service and leadership to your Church, grant the wisdom of your Holy Spirit to all who will discern and choose our next Bishop. Lead us, O God, as we journey together and seek your way for all. We ask this through him who came not to be served but to serve, Jesus Christ our Saviour. Amen.

Prayer for the calling of the next Bishop of the Dunedin Diocese

Gracious and loving God, call to serve among us as our bishop a true shepherd, a faithful disciple, a person of prayer, and one who will share the transforming Gospel of Jesus Christ with the people of Otago and Southland. Equip us, with our new bishop, to be a Church that is joyful in worship, united in witness, and courageous in service to the world, to the glory of your name. Amen.

"O Taste and See".

Mark Wilson presents a concert of his worship music, from the past to the future. Come and enjoy a great concert with the magic of Mark's music! Showcasing some of the best hymns from 'Seeds of Faith' and with some of the most promising new items to be included in the new project 'Branching Out in Faith'. We are delighted to have the wonderful Margaret O'Hanlon as special guest. Sunday May 21st, 2:30pm, St Peter's Hall, \$20 on the door, children free entry. Sunday May 21st, 2:30pm, St Peter's Hall, \$20 on the door, children free entry. With the opportunity to help us get the next project off the ground - you can advance purchase a copy of the CD or make a donation on the day. Date, Sunday May 21. Cost: Adults \$20. Children: Free. Come and sample, come and celebrate!

Praise Be

Greetings as the X Chairperson of Churches Broadcasting Commission, I was approached to send an email to all Churches . You might have heard that "Praise Be" is being taken off the air. This is a real shame as its often the an older persons only access to support their faith as well as an opportunity to showcase music and our beliefs. Previously the Chairperson of Churches Broadcasting Commission has stopped this from happening, however this group is in recess now. We are encouraging all churches/parishioners to write to TVNZ and complain about their lack of consultation. Please pass this message along to all churches and the wider community. Many thanks, Trish Moseley Taylor *(abridged)*



Saint Peters on Church St

Anglican Parish of Wakatipu
St Peter's Queenstown • St Paul's Arrowtown

Sunday 21st May 2017

God who speaks in the silences

Welcome

Opening Hymn: A new commandment sheet HTC S26

Liturgy, page: NZP 404

Sentence: 'If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you for ever.
John 14:15-16

Collect: God who speaks in silence; help us wait in quietness. When you seem absent, grant us the faith that knows you are there, bringing to fulfilment all you have started. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Readings: Acts 17:22-31, Psalm 66:8-20, 1 Peter 3:13-22

Gradual Hymn: Who is moving through the silence (sheet)

Gospel: John 14:15-21

Choir Anthem: As We Walk Along Beside You
(Ian Render Arr. A Frude)

Offertory Hymn: Come Holy Ghost my souls inspire HTC 589

Recessional Hymn: Be still for the presence of the Lord (sheet)

After the Service: We would very much like to meet and talk with you. There is a cup of tea or coffee in the Cottage at Arrowtown and the Parish lounge at Queenstown after the service,

Who is moving through the silence?

Who is moving through the silence,
gentle as the summer rain?
Who is standing in the doorway
knocking, asking to come in?

Father, you have sent your Spirit
To console you little ones.
You have sent your Son to find us
And to lead us safely home.

Father, I have seen your Kingdom
In the streets of little towns,
In the shadows of the city
When we gather in your name

Father, I have seen your Kingdom
In the eyes of those who love.
In the mercy of your people
I have seen your Kingdom come.

Who is moving through the silence,
Gentle as the summer rain?
Who is standing in doorway,
Knocking, asking to come in?

Be still for the presence of the Lord

Be still, for the presence of the Lord,
The Holy One is here;
come bow before him now
with reverence and fear:
In him no sin is found,
we stand on holy ground
Be still for the presence of the Lord
the Holy One is here

Be still for the glory of the Lord
Is shining all around
He burns with holy fire
With splendour he is crowned
How awesome is the sight
Our radiant king of light!
Be still for the glory of the Lord
Is shining all around

Be still for the power of the Lord
is moving in this place
He comes to cleanse and heal
To minister his grace
No work too hard for him
In faith receive from him
Be still for the power of the Lord
is moving in this place
No work too hard for Him

Bible Study

Bible Study is held at 11 am on the second and fourth Wednesday of each month, at the home of Rev David Wright. The next session is on May 24, and the address is Apt 902 Peppers Beacon, 36 Lake Esplanade. All are welcome.

Vanuatu: Tropical Cyclone Donna: May 2017: AM Emergency Appeal

Anglican Missions is launching an Emergency Appeal in support of people affected by Tropical Cyclone Donna, particularly those in Vanuatu.

Tropical Cyclone Donna, a category 5 cyclone with wind-gusts nearing 300kmh, battered Northern Vanuatu last weekend.

Your prayers for the people of the Diocese of Vanuatu and New Caledonia are very much appreciated. If you or your parish would like donate to this Appeal, please follow refer to our website. Any queries do contact the Anglican Missions Office, either by email info@angmissions.org.nz or phone the office in Wellington on 04 473 5172.

THIS WEEK IN WAKATIPU

Wednesday
10.00am Holy Communion, St Peter's Parish Lounge.

Thursday
9.30am Small Seeds St Paul's Cottage Arrowtown

Next Sunday
9.00 am Holy Communion at St Paul's Church
11.00 am Holy Communion at St Peter's Church

Next weeks Readings
Acts 17:22-31 Ps 66:8-20
1 Pet 3:13-22 John 14:15-21



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James D. Niblock, Director
Direct from Pennsylvania, USA

3:30 p.m. • Sunday 28 May 2017

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Newcomers to Queenstown and Arrowtown are warmly welcomed. Please introduce yourself to us and we will happily take your contact details should you wish to stay in touch.
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