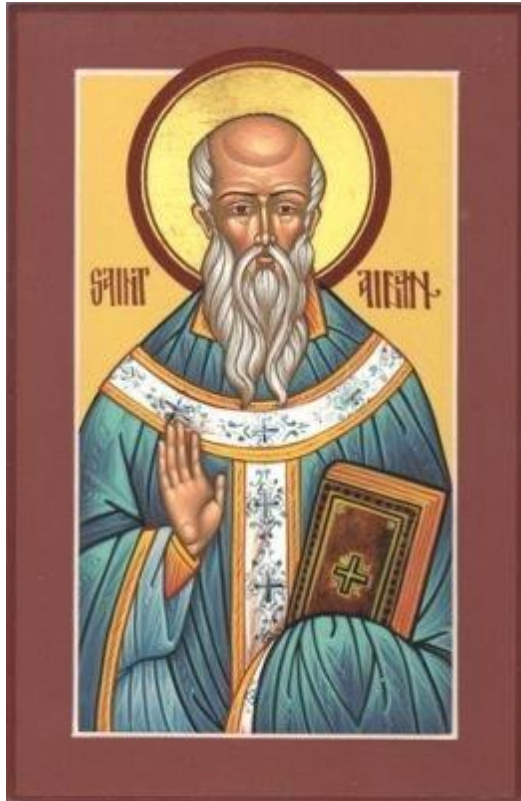


Otago Peninsula Anglican Parish

Sunday 3rd September 2023

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Te Ratapu Rua Tekau ma rua o He wa noa iho



10am Service

Celebrant and Preacher Rev'd Alison Latton

LLM Celia

Prayers Diane Jackson

Readings Lisa

Music Rose

Welcomer Joan

Morning Tea Lisa

**Opening Song
Celebration
Call To Worship**

Sentence

Call to remembrance O Lord your tender care and the unfailing love which you have shown from old.

Liturgy of Eucharist

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Absolution

God forgives us; be at peace.

Silence

Rejoice and be glad for Christ is resurrection; reconciliation for all the human race. We shall all be one in Christ, one in our life together.

Gloria

1 Glory to God, glory to God, glory to the Father. Glory to God, glory to God, glory to the Father.

Refrain:

To God be glory for ever!

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Alleluia, amen. Alleluia, amen.

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2 Glory to God, glory to God, Son of the Father. Glory to God, glory to God, Son of the Father. [R]

3 Glory to God, glory to God, glory to the Spirit. Glory to God, glory to God, glory to the Spirit. [R]

Collect

O loving God, who called your servant Aidan from the peace of a Cloister to re-establish the Christian mission in northern England, and gave him the gifts of gentleness, simplicity, and strength: Grant that we, following his example, may use what you have given us for the relief of human need, and may persevere in commending the saving Gospel of our Redeemer Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

Reading From Isaiah 45:22-25

²² Turn to me and be saved, all the ends of the earth! For I am God, and there is no other. ²³ By myself I have sworn, from my mouth has gone forth in righteousness a word that shall not return: 'To me every knee shall bow, every tongue shall swear.' ²⁴ Only in the LORD, it shall be said of me, are righteousness and strength; all who were incensed against him shall come to him and be ashamed. ²⁵ In the LORD all the offspring of Israel shall triumph and glory.

A Reading From Romans 1:1-6

Paul, a servant of Jesus Christ, called to be an apostle, set apart for the gospel of God, ²which he promised beforehand through his prophets in the holy scriptures, ³the gospel concerning his Son, who was descended from David according to the flesh ⁴and was declared to be Son of God with power according to the spirit of holiness by resurrection from the dead, Jesus Christ our Lord, ⁵through whom we have received grace and apostleship to bring about the obedience of faith among all the Gentiles for the sake of his name, ⁶including yourselves who are called to belong to Jesus Christ,

Psalm 47

To the leader. Of the Korahites. A Psalm.

- ¹ Clap your hands, all you peoples; shout to God with loud songs of joy.
- ² For the LORD, the Most High, is awesome, a great king over all the earth.
- ³ He subdued peoples under us, and nations under our feet.
- ⁴ He chose our heritage for us, the pride of Jacob whom he loves. *Selah*
- ⁵ God has gone up with a shout, the LORD with the sound of a trumpet.
- ⁶ Sing praises to God, sing praises; sing praises to our King, sing praises.
- ⁷ For God is the king of all the earth; sing praises with a psalm.
- ⁸ God is king over the nations; God sits on his holy throne.
- ⁹ The princes of the peoples gather as the people of the God of Abraham. For the shields of the earth belong to God; he is highly exalted.

Reading From John 13:16-20

¹⁶Very truly, I tell you, servants are not greater than their master, nor are messengers greater than the one who sent them. ¹⁷If you know these things, you are blessed if you do them. ¹⁸I am not speaking of all of you; I know whom I have chosen. But it is to fulfil the scripture, "The one who ate my bread has lifted his heel against me." ¹⁹I tell you this now, before it occurs, so that when it does occur, you may believe that I am he. ²⁰Very truly, I tell you, whoever receives one whom I send receives me; and whoever receives me receives him who sent me.' Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.

Te Karakia O Te Atua

The Lord's Prayer

<p>E tō mātou Matua i te rangi Kia tapu tou Ingoa Kia tae mai tou rangatira-tanga. Kia meatia tau e pai ai ki runga i te whenua, kia rite ano ki to te rangi. Homai ki a mātou aianeī he taro mā mātou mo tēnei ra. Murua o mātou hara Me mātou hoki e muru nei i o te hunga e hara ana ki a mātou. Aua hoki mātou e kawea kia whaka- aia; Engari whaka-orangia mātou, i te ino: Nou hoki te rangatira-tanga, te kaha, me te kororia, Ake, ake, ake. Āmine.</p>	<p>Our Parent in the spirit world Sacred is your Name Bring us Your Chiefly rule; May it happen in the way that is to you, good May it happen on earth In the same way as in spirit world. Give us now The food we need this day. Strip us of our sin; Give us back what we have lost; So that we, the slaves of sin, may be with you again. Do not lead us into temptation; May we be whole, away from things evil; Through your chiefly position, is the power and the glory Forever and ever Amen</p>
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Reflection from Reverend Michael Holdaway

A reading from Exodus 3:1-15; this is about God who sees and hears the suffering of His people in captivity and responds. This reading is also about Moses' curiosity, seeing the burning bush not being consumed who just had to stop and have a look.

However, I think it was much more than curiosity; I think Moses's attention was caught in a way that, if you were to ask him today to explain, he would not be able to put it into words; he just he could not let it go!

God identifies himself by promising Moses that he **will** simply **be** with him when fear rises in his heart when he is told to return and face Pharaoh.

When we are poised to go on a different unfamiliar path, or faced with uncertainty we can have peace in the knowledge that God **will be**, with us, we need to do just one thing, that is respond saying, 'here I am' whether the bags are packed or not.

All will be well, blessings in Christ.
Michael

If you would like to hear the latest sermon, Reverend Michael Holdaway will be adding his sermon to the Facebook page below each week. Click on the link below if you are a Facebook user and wish to access his sermon:

<https://www.facebook.com/people/Otago-Peninsula-Anglican-Parish/100068255425347/>

NOTICES

3 in 1 – a 20 minute silent prayer meditation, bible study, cup of soup and a roll. These sessions, led by Bishop Kelvin, continue on Sundays, 5.30pm -7pm, and are for anyone who is searching with questions or looking to reconnect with the church and deepen their journey in Christ. Share this invitation with others. All are welcome.

Stewardship: 2 Cor 9:7 ‘Each of you must give as you have made up your mind not reluctantly or under compulsion for God loves a cheerful giver’.

For new givers, for giving by direct credit, use the account for the Otago Peninsula Anglican Parish: 06-0911-0317403-00

Online Services – “The Scattered People of the Good Shepherd”

A reminder that the next monthly on-line service will be held this Sunday 27th August at 10am. To find Sunday church services that are held online, go to the Diocesan website at: <https://www.calledsouth.org.nz/on-line-worship/>

Supporting former refugee families settling in Dunedin - the Dunedin Red Cross welcome donations of kitchenware (e.g. pots and pans, utensils) in good condition for our new settler families when they arrive in Dunedin. Also needed are contributions of non-perishable breakfast foods to provide families with a first breakfast in their new home prior to being able to go to a supermarket.

Next Parish Magazine

The next parish magazine will be published in time for distribution at the Sunday service on 24th September. Copy for the magazine should be with Stacey in the Parish Office by Wednesday 6th September.

All Saints Fruit and Veges

This is a weekly Fruit and Vege subscription and one-off service providing affordable fruit and veges to the community; We are excited that St Michaels Church is becoming a collection point for this. Fruit and veges ordered will be available at St Michaels on Thursdays 4-6pm. Please share this news with your friends and neighbours along with an invitation to our open day.

More information is available here: <https://www.allsaintsdsn.org.nz/all-saints-fruit-and-veges/>

NOTICES

Anglican Family Care's 2023 Annual General Meeting

An invitation has been extended to the 2023 Annual General Meeting to hear about the work they have done in the last year to support more than 2,500 Otago tamariki and their whānau.

Date: Wednesday, 20 September

Time: Refreshments will be available from 5pm, with the meeting commencing at 5.30pm.

Location: Elim Church, 67 Harrow Street, Dunedin (next door to our Dunedin office)

Please RSVP to communication@familycare.org.nz or by clicking [RSVP](#) by 13 September.

Nourishing Faith

This week's conversation is a good example of the fun we have by inviting people from around the Diocese (and beyond) to be part of it. It means we frequently have ideas raised you may not find in any commentary! Who would have thought, for example, that this short passage in Matthew could hold some parenting advice? Or voting advice? Gillian, Damon and Jeremy join Michael this week to see what is possible! [Nourishing Faith: Food for the Journey \(hail.to\)](#)

Lambeth Conference – The Communion Forest

These webinars will be broadcast in St Michaels Church on September the 21st at 5am, and again at 9pm. Following the 5am webinar there will be a shared breakfast and at 8.30pm there will be light refreshments before the 9pm webinar. All welcome, ask a friend or neighbour to come along with you.

Synod 2023

There will be an pre-Synod meeting on 6 September 2023 7pm at Peter Mann House, 1A Howden Street, Green Island.

Leading Your Church into Growth Conference

This is being held in Christchurch on October 12 - 14 at a cost of \$130 per person. Please contact Michael or Mary-Jo if you would like more information.

St Michael's Open Day

St Michaels will host an open day on the 23rd of September 2023.

Please contact Michael if you would like to volunteer to help with this.

We will need help with welcoming visitors, tea coffee and scones, sausage sizzle, face painting and more. Would love to have you involved!



**Otago Peninsula
Anglican Parish
OPEN DAY**



Saturday 23rd September 2023
11am – 1pm

- ✈ **Church Tours**
- ✈ **Tea, Coffee, Scones**
- ✈ **Sausage Sizzle**
- ✈ **Facepainting**

All Welcome

44 Elliot Street
Andersons Bay
Dunedin



PRAYERS

The Wider Church

Today we pray for the people of Tonga and in particular the staff and clergy of the Diocese of Polynesia.

In the Diocese

Today we pray for the Diocese of Polynesia Bishops; The University and Polytechnic Chaplaincy; and the University of Otago Programme of Theology.

From the Parish Roll

This Sunday we pray for Kevin and Clemency Wright.

Community Prayer

Remembering the example of Aidan, today we pray for our endeavours as a faith community to reach out to those around us in the wider community. We ask that through engagement with others, through caring and acceptance, we may all play a part in helping to solve the problems of our society, to enhance the well-being of our nation, and to achieve together a fairer and more united community.

DIARY THIS WEEK: Monday 4th September – Sunday 10th September 2023

- Tuesday:** 10.00am - House Group at Macandrew Bay
Wednesday: 10.00am - Midweek Eucharist at St Michael's
Thursday: 10.00am - Playgroup at St Philip's
4.00pm-6.00pm All Saints Fruit and Vege Collection at St Michaels
5.30-6pm Night Prayer at St Michaels
Friday: 2.00pm - Coffee at The Duck with Michael
Sunday: 10.00am – 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time, Holy Communion at St Michael's
5.30pm - 7pm - 3 in 1 (see separate item under notices)

Roster for Sunday 10 September

Celebrant and Preacher Fr Michael

LLM Dianne

Prayers Mary-Jo

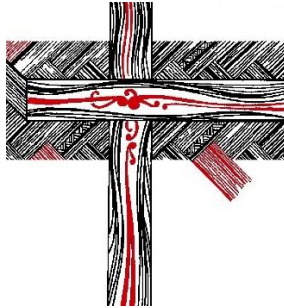
Readings Claire

Music Rose

Welcomer Mary

Morning Tea Joan

**St Michael and All
Angels:** Elliot Street,
Andersons Bay



Next week's readings:

Exek 33:7-11

Ps 119:33-40

Rom 13:8-14

Matt 18:15-20

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