



St Peter's Caversham

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The Pebble

10 June 2018

Ordination of Brian Kilkelly

The Role of a Deacon

Deacons in the Church of God serve in the name of Christ, and so remind the whole Church that serving others is essential to all ministry.

They have a special responsibility to ensure that those in need are cared for with Christlike compassion and humility.

When called upon to do so, they may baptise, preach and give instruction in the faith.

When the people are gathered for worship, Deacons are authorised to read the Holy Scriptures, lead the prayers, and distribute the bread and wine of Holy Communion.

New Zealand Prayer Book, page 891

Welcome

to all who are sharing with us in worship today.
The Ministry of Healing and Wholeness is offered at the communion rail during communion. Everyone is warmly invited to the buffet lunch in the lounge that follows the Ordination Service

THE LITURGY FOR TODAY

10.30 am Ordination Service and Sung Eucharist

HYMNS

See Brian Kilkelly's Ordination Service Hymn booklet

READINGS FOR TODAY

[Isaiah 42: 1-7](#)

The response to [Psalm 119: 33-40](#) is:

Teach me, O Lord, the way of your statutes

[Romans 12: 1-13](#)

[John 12: 20-26](#)

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

[Ezekiel 17: 22-24](#)

[2 Corinthians 5: 6-10](#)

[Mark 4: 26-34](#)

PARISH NEWS

Welcome to friends, family and supporters of Brian Kilkelly who have come to this special occasion in Brian's life, his Ordination to the Diaconate. Please put a marker in your red New Zealand Prayer book at page 888 for the Ordination Service. At the conclusion of the Ordination Service we will move in to the celebration of the Eucharist. Please open "The Celebration of the Holy Eucharist in St Peter's, Caversham" at "The Great Thanksgiving" section. We welcome to the Lord's Table all those who are baptised members of any Christian Church. The hymns can be found in the "Brian Kilkelly's Ordination Service Hymn Booklet." Please notice the "Litany of the Saints" in the mid-section of the booklet, which we will

sing at "The Invocation" on page 896 of the Prayer Book, just before "The Ordination." The congregation sings the lines in bold black type. Bishop Steven Benford is our celebrant and preacher this morning. Please join us for the buffet lunch that follows this Service in the lounge.

Patronal festival lunch We will celebrate our Patronal festival on Sunday 1 July and will then adjourn to the Kensington by the Oval for lunch. We need to know numbers for this by the Sunday before. Please sign up for this important event in our parish life on the notice on the table by the Link noticeboard at your earliest convenience.

News from the St Kilda brass band The St Kilda brass band has selected the conductor for it's concert here at St Peter's on Saturday 8 September. He is Shane Foster, formerly of the Grimethorpe Colliery band, one of the Britain's premier bands. Shane was one of the musicians who played for the sound track of the famous film about pit closures "Brassed Off." Shane lives at Hampden and is currently the director of the Timaru brass band.

Caversham 2018 lectures The dates, lecturers and lecture titles for this year's Caversham Lectures were confirmed this last week. They will run through the successive Wednesday evenings of November in the parish lounge as follows:

Dr Margo Barton who teaches fashion at the Otago Polytechnic, "The ID International Emerging Designers Award" 7 November

Revd Toby Behan, recently ordained Priest in the Christchurch diocese and former dancer with and choreographer of the New Zealand Ballet Company, "The faith of a ballet dancer" 14 Nov

Professor John Reynolds, Otago University Brain Health Research Centre, "Teaching an old brain new tricks" 21 Nov

Bishop Steven Benford, "The faith of a Bishop" 28 November.

Pray for the Sick and Infirm Claire Johnston, Margaret Sterling, Mahlia Napier, Paul Hill, Ray Hargreaves, Jono Gillies and John Steele.

Pray for those whose anniversary occurs at this time Mary Brown, Dulcie Healy and Hugh Carruthers.

Local Lives: A History of Addington is the title of a history book to be launched at the end of June. The Christchurch suburb of Addington has many parallels with Caversham. Both were large working class communities dominated by local railway workshops as the primary employer in which local men assessed one another as to where they stood in the skills hierarchy of industrial civilization. Author John Wilson has used the same techniques as the Otago history department's Caversham project in which certain streets and their residents were subjected to detailed examination in a ground up approach to historical scholarship. A poster advertising the book can be found on the community noticeboard in the Link. The Vicar recalls his 9 years as Vicar of St Mary's Addington as being amongst the most turbulent and rewarding of his ministry.

Proposed closure of South Dunedin Kiwibank and Post Shop petition Please consider signing the petition against the proposed closure of what is the busiest retail outlet in South Dunedin. This would negatively impact the many elderly people or poor people who do not have access to internet banking and who rely on the many bill payment services provided by Kiwibank and Post Shop and might also sound the death knell of the local shopping centre. Kiwibank was originally founded by Jim Anderton as "the people's bank" that would behave differently from the Australian owned banks but it seems to have lost its original vision. You can also write to Winston Peters who is the Kiwibank Minister. Remember that you don't have to attach a stamp when writing to an MP and that New Zealand First has promised to be good to the regions. Copies of the petition are at the back of the Church and in the Link.

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