



St Peter's Caversham
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The Pebble

Sunday, November 3, 2024.

All Saints



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Collect.

We praise you, O God,
that the light of Christ shines in our darkness
and is never overcome;
show us the way we must go to eternal day;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

WELCOME

to all who are sharing in worship with us today
and all those who read the Pebble on-line.

The Liturgy for Today.

8.00 am Holy Eucharist (1662)

10.30 am Solemn Sung Eucharist & Parish Luncheon

5.00 pm Evensong and Benediction

HYMNS FOR TODAY

231 Who are these, like stars appearing

We sing the 3-part Alleluia at the Gospel

381 Jerusalem the golden

208 In our day of thanksgiving

225 Give me the wings of faith (2nd tune)

READINGS FOR TODAY

Revelation 7: 2-4, 9-14

Psalm 24: Response: Lord, blessed are those who
seek your face.

1 John 3:1-3

Matthew 5: 1-12

READINGS NEXT WEEK

1 Kings 17: 10-16

Psalm 146 Response: Praise the Lord, my soul!

Hebrews 9:24-28

Mark 12: 38-44

After the Intercessions:

O Lord, hear my prayer, (x2)

When I call answer me.

O Lord, hear my prayer, (x2)

Come and listen to me.

Parish News

Healing Ministry During communion at the 10.30 am Solemn Sung Eucharist someone will be available in the Lady Chapel to pray with you on any issue which is concerning you.

Morning Prayer is said in the Lady Chapel each Wednesday at 9 am.

The Holy Eucharist is celebrated in the Lady Chapel on Thursday at 10 am.

Please remember the St Vincent de Paul Food Bank, which we support, when you are shopping. Why not buy an extra grocery item to place in the basket at the back of church. The need is very real.

Pray for the Sick and Infirm in the Parish and Beyond Claire Christie, Paul Hill, Kristian and Jill Hodges.

Pray for those whose memorials occur at this time Cameron Henderson, Leonard Burgess, Annie Hill, Charles Bedford, Jack Finnie, Hector Dawson, Amanda Parker, Minnie Fowler, Alexander Fowler William Gwynne and Margaret Finnie.

Parish Luncheon at Cobb and Co, Railway Station follows the 10.30 am service today.

Garage Sale The proposed Garage Sale has been deferred to early 2025.

First Caversham Lecture for 2024

is to be given by Bishop Michael Dooley, Roman Catholic Bishop of Dunedin *this Tuesday*, November 5, 7.30pm Parish Lounge. Everyone Welcome.

From the Vicar

Titles such as general, president, pope, bishop and professor, hint at what that person does and how many people they have in authority under them.

The title saint and priest is used in the scriptures in specific instances and as general descriptions. The members of the body of Christ are all identified as saints and priest, but do we take that literally?

Do we believe that we have an authority and power under heaven to represent Christ and the Holy Church? Should we leave the process of worship and praise, encouragement and sacrifice to only those in the forefront? Or should we emulate the earlier followers of Christ and identify as children equal in grace and power? Remember the church is not the building but the saints in the pews.

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