



St Peter's Caversham  
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## The Pebble

Sunday, November 24, 2024.

Christ the King



### Collect.

Almighty Father,  
whose will it is to restore all things  
in your beloved Son, the King of all;  
govern the hearts and minds of those in  
authority,  
and bring the family of nations,  
divided and torn apart by the ravages of sin,  
to be subject to his just and gentle rule;  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and forever.

**Amen.**

*(Common Worship, The Church of England)*

## 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 Service of Prayer, Praise and Proclamation  
with Communion.

### HYMNS FOR TODAY

391 King of glory, King of peace,  
*We sing the 3-part Alleluia at the Gospel*

352 Crown him with many crowns

295 Let all mortal flesh keep silence

443 Rejoice! The Lord is King

### READINGS FOR TODAY

[Daniel 7: 13-14](#)

[Psalm 93](#) *Response:* The Lord is king: he is robed in  
majesty.

[Revelation 1: 5-8](#)

[John 18: 33-37](#)

### READINGS NEXT WEEK

[Jeremiah 33: 14-16](#)

[Psalm 25](#) *Response:* To you, O Lord, I lift my soul

[1 Thessalonians 3: 12, 4: 2](#)

[Luke 21: 25-28, 34-36](#)

### *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** Fr Kit 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.

**Fellowship Group** will meet at the Kensington, *this Tuesday November 26 at 12 noon* for a Christmas Lunch. Contact Raylene, 455-2389.

**Brass Cleaning**, Friday December 13, 1 pm in Parish Lounge.

### **4<sup>th</sup> Caversham Lecture for 2024**

is to be given by author, publisher and photographer, Brian Miller. "Dunedin's gold and the Early Exhibitions", *this Tuesday*, November 19, 7.30 pm, Parish Lounge. Everyone Welcome.

### **Pray for the Sick and Infirm in the Parish and**

**Beyond** Claire Christie, Paul Hill, Kristian, Faye-Noel Brown and Jill Hodges.

### **Pray for those whose memorials occur at this time**

Brent Henderson, Vera McLeod, and Dorrie Molloy.

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.

**From the Vicar** Over the last week I have had a few people give me their understanding of the future of politics, society and the world. I was surprised to hear them refer to others as the reason for all the problems. Who are the 'others'? What makes another person an 'other'?

History highlights the fact that anyone can be 'other'. We have differentiated by colour, nationality, age, religion, denomination, disability, intellect and gender. The seeds of mistrust and disrespect enable people to disregard basic needs and aspirations. Yet these basic needs and aspirations are common to us all.

May I suggest that what does make us different, is how we view the future and practise gratitude. Those who fear for the future and do not appreciate what they have, see others as competition. There is no generosity or tolerance within their hearts.

Christ encouraged his followers to see one another as brothers and sisters, worthy of respect and grace, irrespective of societal differences. Through the faith and action of his church many have been restored to perfect peace and assurance. Do not look to human authority for solutions, look to Christ the King of Heaven.

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