



The Anglican Parish of Greater Hastings

Encompassing St Matthew's, Hastings & St Peter's, Riverslea & St Martin's, Mayfair
Christian communities in the heart of Hastings

Sunday 21st January 2024 3rd Sunday of the Epiphany

Welcome - Haere mai!

*We respect your choice to wear a face-mask.
Please take this newsletter home for reference.*



Ministering with us at **St Matthew's** 21 January

Presider &
Preacher: Ven. David van Oeveren
Liturgist: Stephanie Drew
Chalice:
Readers: Barbara Person &
Philip Mardon
Music: James Mist
Sound: Robert Tomlinson
Welcomers: Barbi & Jim Speers

Readings: Jonah 3:1-5, 10
Ps 62:5-12
1 Cor 7:29-31
Mark 1:14-20

Ministering with us at **St Peter's** 21 January

Presider &
Preacher: Rev'd Pelly Pirikahu
Chalice: Jan Tonkin
Prayers: Bevan Cottrell
Music: Ruth Cunliffe
Reader: Jackie Cottrell
Powerpoint: Michelle Thornton
Welcomers: Chris & Piki Slaney
Morning tea: Glenis Libby, June Sheard
& Liz Buxton
Sacristan: Murray Cushing

Readings: Jonah 3:1-5, 10
Ps 62:5-12
1 Cor 7:29-31
Mark 1:14-20

Sunday Service Rosters at St Matthew's

We are looking for additional helpers to read, welcome, operate the Sound Desk and serve Morning Tea at our 10am Sunday services. No experience necessary.

If you are able to help out once a month, or even to be a 'backup' helper if needed, it would be so appreciated. Please contact Tracey, our Parish Administrator.

Hawke's Bay Earthquake Commemorations

Hastings City Centre Mall
3 February, 10.30am

A public service to remember the day that changed lives in Hastings and wider Hawke's Bay, and to celebrate the city and community around us.

Wreaths are laid at the clock tower in memory of the lives lost in the earthquake. The clock tower bells will ring at 10.47, the exact time the quake struck our region.

Brave Banter – 'Theology on Tap'

A place to critically engage with our faith

Encounter God through the sharing of a conversation over a pint of craft beer. We will discuss contemporary theological topics – you name it, we will discuss it.

This is your invitation to come along.
Thursday 8 February from 5/5.30-6.30pm
@ Brave Brewing Co, 205 Queen Street East, Hastings 4122.

Music, beautiful music...

Join us **Sunday 11 February 2pm** at St Matthew's to hear local musical talent, courtesy of Hastings Music Society.

Let's Do it Together!

Saturday 10 February, 9am – 4pm.

Tidy & Clean inside & outside all our properties in preparation for Lent & Easter!

9am-12pm @ St Matthew's &
1-4pm @ St Peter's / St Martin's.

Outside:

Set-Up & Decorate for Lent - Easter.

All low gutters / rain-heads to be cleaned.

All stormwater / downpipe drains at ground level to be cleaned.

Clean all entrances / porches.

Inside:

Set-Up & Decorate for Lent - Easter.

Clean & Tidy all entrance areas.

Clean & Tidy kitchen areas.

Clean & Tidy bathroom areas.

Sort, Clean & Tidy Children's Areas.

Tidy & restack all chairs where necessary.





Prayer Chain for the Anglican Parish of Greater Hastings

If you need urgent prayer for yourself, a family member, or a friend, ring Liz 021 0266 6753 ! We don't need to know the reason prayer is required, just the name of the person. The person will be prayed for over a 2 week period, unless otherwise notified.

Ministering with us at St Peter's 28 January 2024

Presider &
Preacher: Rev'd Alister Hendery
Chalice: Jo Small
Prayers: Liz Buxton
Music: Ruth Cunliffe
Reader: Murray Cushing
Powerpoint: David Hodder
Welcomers: Bevan & Jackie Cottrell
Morning tea: Michelle Thornton,
Ruth Cunliffe &
Jan Tonkin
Sacristan: Jo Small
Readings: Deut 18:15-20, Ps 111,
1 Cor 8:1-13 & Mark 1:21-28



Senior Chef in Hastings

- * Have you lost your enthusiasm for cooking?
- * Do you want to meet some new people?
- * Do you need to do something different?
- * Here is a course for you!

Senior Chef is an eight week course learning about food and nutrition for people aged 65 years and above. Each session involves a time of fellowship, learning, cooking and eating lunch together, as well as cleaning up at the end.

This course is totally free and each participant receives a cookbook and a new group of friends to share with.

The next course will start on **Tuesday 27 February 2024 at 9.30am**, in the St Matthew's Hall kitchen, Hastings.

Any enquiries, or to register, please call Ven. David van Oeveren

06 211 3457 / 021 470 337 or email david.vanoeveren@waiapu.com



Messy Church

...in St Martin's Community Hall 1120
Willowpark Road North, Mayfair,
(next-door to Mayfair School)
Saturday 24th February 2024
4pm - 6pm

Men's Fellowship Lunches

Our next lunch will be on
Wednesday 28 February at 11.45am
St Matthew's Church Hall

Peter Wilson speaking on the Life, Ministry & Mission of Edric Baker as recorded in his book 'Call Me Brother'.

Call Paddy or Richard Bayley on 876 7616 for more information.

Lunch After Church

This is your invitation to join us, on the 4th Sunday after the 10am service.

Our next lunch will be on **Sunday 28 February** at Serendipity Café, 1412 Pakowhai Road, Frimley. Join us...

Diary Dates - Services and Events coming up ...

Date	Day	Time	Service/Event - <i>January 2024</i>
28	Sun		The Presentation of Jesus in the Temple/ Candlemas/Epiphany 4
		10am	St Matthew's, Hastings.
		10am	St Peter's, Riverslea.
31	Wed	7.15pm	Greater Hastings Vestry.
Date	Day	Time	Service/Event - <i>February 2024</i>
1	Thu	10.15am	St Matthew's, Hastings.
3	Sat	10.30am	Hawke's Bay Earthquake Commemoration, 1931.
4	Sun	8am	St Matthew's, Hastings.
		10am	St Matthew's, Hastings.
		10am	St Peter's, Riverslea.
6	Tue		Waitangi Day
8	Thu	10.15am	St Matthew's, Hastings.
10	Sat	9am-4pm	Let's Do It Together! Clean & Tidy our properties for Lent/Easter. 9am-12pm @ St Matthew's & 1-4pm @ St Peter's / St Martin's .

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