



# 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 10 March 2024 4th Sunday in Lent

**Welcome - Haere mai!**

*Stay and share morning tea with us following the service*

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



### Ministering with us at **St Matthew's** 10 March

Presider &  
Preacher: Ven. David van Oeveren  
Liturgist: Rev'd Lynette Gordon  
Chalice: Mark Sutton  
Readers: Janet Chapman &  
Gill Upton  
Music: Kathy Fletcher  
Sound: Richard Bayley  
Welcomers: Paddy & Richard Bayley &  
Deborah Walsh  
Morning Tea: Shirley Wilson &  
Barbi Speers  
Readings: Numbers 21:4-9  
Ps 107:1-3, 17-22  
Ephesians 2:1-10  
John 3:14-21

### Ministering with us at **St Peter's** 10 March

Presider &  
Preacher: Rev'd Alister Hendery  
Chalice: June Sheard  
Prayers: Jackie Cottrell  
Music: Marilyn Dingle  
Reader: Michael Birch  
Powerpoint: Warwick Dingle  
Welcomers: Jan Tonkin & Liz Buxton  
Morning tea: Home Group  
Sacristan: Michelle Thornton  
  
Readings: Numbers 21:4-9  
Ps 107:1-3, 17-22  
Ephesians 2:1-10  
John 3:14-21

## Worship in Greater Hastings - March 2024

### Sunday 24: Lent 6 - Palm Sunday

8am. St Matthew's, Hastings.

10am. St Matthew's, Hastings. Whole-of-Parish Worship. Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem. The procession of the palms & blessing of the crosses beings our journey through Holy Week. This a joyous and chaotic event. Jesus amid the cheering crowd, rides on a donkey into Jerusalem.

11.15am – ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (A.G.M.) of The Anglican Parish of Greater Hastings .

### The Anglican Parish of Greater Hastings AGM 2024

Will be held on Sunday 24 March 2024, following the 10am service.

The Anglican Parish of Greater Hastings requires Creative and Curious parishioners who show Competence, Capability and Capacity to be considered for Vestry Member, People's Warden, and Synods Representative.

Is that you or a fellow regular worshipper you know? Nomination Forms now available, closing date for nominations next Sunday, 17 March, 12 noon.



### Prayer Chain

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.



### Palm Cross Working Bee

Come to the Parish Support Hub on **Thursday 21 March**, following the 10.15am Eucharist and help make Palm Crosses.

No previous experience or kit required.

Have a cuppa and learn a new skill!

### Senior Chef in Hastings

Our current Senior Chef course is well underway but it's not too late to register your interest for our next which begins on Tuesday 23 April at 9.30am at St Matthew's Hall Kitchen.

Come and experience this eight week course on food and nutrition for people aged 65 years and above. It is a time of fellowship, learning, cooking and eating lunch together, as well as cleaning up at the end.

Any enquiries, or to register, please call Ven. David van Oeveren 06 211 3457 / 021 470 337 or email [david.vanoeveren@waiapu.com](mailto:david.vanoeveren@waiapu.com)



## Music, beautiful music...

Join us every second Sunday of the month at St Matthew's Church to experience the very best of local musical talent brought to you by Hastings Music Society.

Next concert is at 2pm today, **Sunday 10 March** and will feature:

Inegal Baroque Quartet  
Pianists :Joey Li, Crystal Jiang  
& Karen Edwards

Clarinet: Deborah Edwards & Taylor Bevan  
Contralto: Georgie Cole

Door sales \$5.00. Everyone Welcome



*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 14 March from 5/5.30-6.30pm @**  
Brave Brewing Co, 205 Queen Street East,  
Hastings 4122.

## Op Shop at St Martin's Community Hall

Open Tuesdays 8am-12noon.  
Bargains galore & much more!

1120 Willowpark Road North, Hastings.



Contact Warwick Dingle on  
877 4639 to volunteer or  
donate.

## Ministering with us at St Peter's 17 March 2024

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 &  
Jan Tapper  
Sacristan: Jo Small  
Readings: Jer 31:31-34, Ps 51:1-12,  
Heb 5:5-10 & John 12:20-33



## Messy Church

...in St Martin's Community Hall  
1120 Willowpark Road North, Mayfair,  
(next-door to Mayfair School)

**Saturday 23 March**  
4pm - 6pm

## 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 24 March**  
at Serendipity Café, 1412 Pakowhai Road,  
Frimley. Join us...

## Men's Fellowship Lunches

Come and enjoy great company,  
conversation and food. A two course  
lunch with beverage, for only \$10.00.

Our next lunch will be on **Wednesday 27 March at 11.45am** St Matthew's Church Hall.  
876 7616 to book or become a volunteer  
helper.

**SAVE THE DATE** - Potluck Dinners return 15  
June & 6 September. Watch this space!

## Diary Dates - Services and Events coming up ...

Date	Day	Time	Service/Event - <b>March 2024</b>
<b>10</b>	<b>Sun</b>		<b>Lent 4</b>
		2pm	Hastings Music Society Concert, St Matthew's, Hastings.
12	Tue	9.30am	Senior Chef, St Matthew's Church Hall, Hastings.
13	Wed	7.15pm	Vestry Meeting.
14	Thu	10.15am	St Matthew's, Hastings.
		5/5.30 - 6.30pm	Brave Banter: 'Theology on Tap' a place to critically engage with our faith. @ Brave Brewing Co, 205 Queen St East, Hastings 4122.
<b>17</b>	<b>Sun</b>		<b>Lent 5 - Passion Sunday</b>
		<b>8am</b>	<b>St Matthew's, Hastings.</b>
		<b>10am</b>	<b>St Matthew's, Hastings.</b>
		<b>10am</b>	<b>St Peter's, Riverslea.</b>
19	Tue	9.30am	Senior Chef, St Matthew's Church Hall, Hastings.
21	Thu	10.15am	St Matthew's, Hastings.
		11.15am	Palm Cross Working Bee - Parish Support Hub.
<b>24</b>	<b>Sun</b>		<b>Lent 6: Palm Sunday - The Passion of our Lord.</b>
		<b>8am</b>	<b>St Matthew's, Hastings.</b>
		<b>10am</b>	<b>St Matthew's, Hastings. Whole-of- Parish Worship.</b>
		<b>11.15am</b>	<b>ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (A.G.M.) of the Anglican Parish of Greater Hastings.</b>

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