

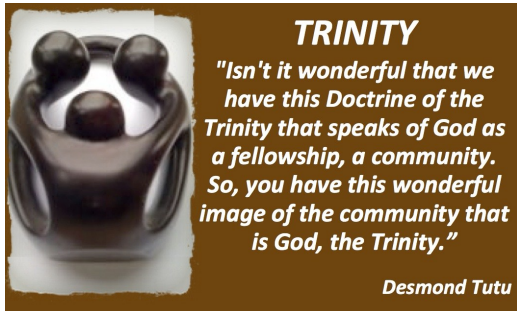
Look at the attractive wall display  
of last weeks sermon.  
*Thank you Brenda.*  
Read your contribution.

Our intended Service on August 6th remembering 150 years since the gold fields in Thames needs a small group to plan. Tell Joyce if you want to assist.



**Can you Help?**

The Anglican Trust for Women need Pyjama's and Beanies for the children they work with, sizes 0-12. Any items donated from Saint Georges will be taken to the supporters open day on Friday 30 June. Please leave donations in the church.



**THIS WEEK: 11 - 18 June 2017**

Tue: Office Attended 9am to 12noon  
Wed: 9:30-12 noon Selwyn Group, Hall MT/Hostess - Lynda Pryor  
Thur: 10am Healing & Holy Communion (1662) Saint Geo. Chapel (Catherine) 2-3pm Prayer Group meet at Rosemary Levesque's home 704 Tararu Road. Office Attended 10am to 12noon 7pm Vestry Meet  
Fri: Office Attended 9am to 12noon.  
Sun: 9:30am at Saint Georges, NZ Eucharist *Theme - Compassion* 9:30am at Te Puru, NZ Eucharist

Saint Georges: Presider: Joyce Marcon  
Preacher: Joyce Marcon  
Te Puru: Claire Stewart

**Readings:**

**Isaiah 42 v 10-20**  
George Haffenden  
**Matthew 7 v 24-29**  
Lynda Pryor  
**2 Corinthians 5 v 14-19** Natalie Geary



Intercessor: Brenda Deed  
Liturgist: David Cooper  
Server: Margaret MacKay  
**Music Ministry:** John Mounsey  
**Welcome Team:** Max & Vivienne Baggaley, (Denise Norris), Alex Juby  
**Morning Tea:** Lois Robinson  
**Sanctuary Guild:** Margaret MacKay, Denise Norris

**Evacuation Procedures** - In the event of a fire, listen to the presiding team & Welcomers; leave by nearest, safest exit & assemble on lawn in front of Hospital & wait for "all clear".  
NOTE THE EXIT NEAREST YOUR SEAT. *Toilets are in the Hall, next door.*

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*Thames Anglican parish seeks an inclusive ministry of serving Christ in prayer, action and worship.*

If you are a visitor to the Parish, please let the sidesperson know your name.

**PLEASE JOIN US FOR A CUP OF TEA IN THE CHURCH AFTER THE 9:30am SERVICE.**

A safe place for the LGBT Communities

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**INSPIRE ROSTER**

Mon 12th: Del Patten  
Tue 13th: Judy Jones  
Wed 14th: Liz McCracken  
Thur 15th: Stephanie du Plessis  
Fri 16th: Gael Goodall  
Sat 17th V & M Baggaley

**WELCOME  
TO THE  
THAMES  
ANGLICAN  
CHURCH**



*Tikanga Pakeha  
partner church in the  
three strand  
Anglican Church  
in Aotearoa/  
New Zealand/Pacifica*

**Sunday 11 June 2017**  
Trinity Sunday

**Service: 9:30am at Saint Georges - NZ Eucharist**

**Theme: Formed by Love**

**Sentence:** Blessed by God the Father and his only begotten Son and the Holy Spirit; for he has shown that he loves us.

**Call to worship**

In the beginning, as the spirit hovered over the water;

**God was there.**

As light arose and shone throughout Earth then faded into the night;

**God was there.**

As the waters separated and land was formed; as plants emerged and animals were born; as Earth was filled with the colour and sound of living things;

**God was there.**

As human beings evolved and learned to walk and sing and speak and dance and pray;

**God was there.**

God was there, looking upon the goodness of creation with love, delighted and so pleased with it all.

**And God is still looking upon this creation with the same delight, with the same sense of pleasure.**

And this good creation is still loved and adored by God.  
**Let us worship God.**

**Opening Prayer**

**Together with all the creatures of Earth, we are thankful and sing your praise.**

Jesus, human son of God, with love you brought salvation to Earth.

**Together with all that lives and breathes on Earth, we are thankful.**

Spirit, who with loving breath brings comfort and guides us, we join with the whole of creation to raise our voice, in thanks and sing your praise. **Amen.**

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**Morning has broken**

*Eleanor Farjeon (1881-1965)*

1. Morning has broken like the first morning, blackbird has spoken like the first bird. Praise for the singing! Praise for the morning! Praise for them singing fresh from the word.
2. Sweet the rain's new fall sunlit from heaven, like the first dew fall on the first grass. Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden, sprung in completeness where his feet pass.
3. Mine is the sunlight! Mine is the morning born of the one light Eden saw play! Praise with elation, praise every morning God's recreation of the new day!

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## Prayer of Confession

God has promised forgiveness to all who truly repent, turn to Christ in faith and are themselves forgiving. In silence we call to mind our sins.  
*Silence*

Let us confess our sins.

**Merciful God, we have sinned in what we have thought and said, in the wrong we have done and in the good we have not done. We have sinned in ignorance: we have sinned in weakness: we have sinned through our own deliberate fault.**

**We are truly sorry.**

**We repent and turn to you.**

**Forgive us, for our Saviour Christ's sake, and renew our lives to the glory of your name. Amen.**

## Assurance of Pardon

Through the cross of Christ, God have mercy on you, pardon you and set you free. Know that you are forgiven and be at peace.

God strengthen you in all goodness and keep you in life eternal. **Amen**

## Sentence

Blessed by God the Father and his only begotten Son and the Holy Spirit; for he has shown that he loves us.

## Collect

**Blessed Trinity, we know you as a community of love. Grant us such worship of you that we are transformed after your likeness; to be creative, caring, life enriching people.**

**For you reign in the glory of the power that is love, Jesus Christ our Lord, and the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever. Amen.**

## PS 178 Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!  
Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee;  
holy, holy, holy! merciful and mighty,  
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore thee,  
casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;  
cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,  
who wert and art and evermore shalt be.

Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee,  
though the eye made blind by sin thy glory may not see,  
only thou art holy; there is none beside thee,  
perfect in power, in love, and purity.

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!  
All thy works shall praise thy name, in earth and sky and sea;  
holy, holy, holy! merciful and mighty,  
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

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## Today's Readings & Ministers

First Testament: **Genesis 1 v 1-2: 4a**

Reader: Kate Jones

Gospel: **Matthew 28 v 16-20**

Reader: Sue Lewis– O'Halloran

Presider: Catherine Mackereth

Preacher: 3 Lay People

Intercessions: Fiona Harden

then to **page 418** in NZ Prayer Book

Liturgist: David Juby

Server: Kate Sayer

After Communion: **2 Corinthians 13 v 11-13**

*The grace of God* Reader: Allan Judd

**Music Ministry:** Stuart du Preez

**Welcome Team:** Raewyn Grey, Kate Jones, Christina Philip

**Morning Tea:** Ien Chu

**Sanctuary Guild:**

Fiona Harden, David Juby.



## PS 176 Holy, holy, holy

Holy, holy, holy, holy, Holy, holy Lord  
God Almighty;  
And we lift our hearts before You as  
token of our love,  
Holy, holy, holy, holy.

Gracious Father, gracious Father, We're  
so blest to be Your children,  
gracious Father.

And we lift our heads before You as a  
token of our love,  
Gracious Father, gracious Father.

Precious Jesus, precious Jesus, We're  
so glad that You've redeemed us,  
precious Jesus;

And we lift our hands before You as  
token of our love,  
Precious Jesus, precious Jesus.

Holy Spirit, Holy Spirit, Come and fill our  
hearts new, Holy Spirit;

And we lift our voice before You as a  
token of our love,  
Holy Spirit, Holy spirit.

Hallelujah, hallelujah, Hallelujah,  
hallelujah;

And we lift our hearts before You as a  
token of our love,  
Hallelujah, hallelujah.

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## Sending Forth

People of faith, here we have gathered and re-connected with God the loving Trinity, who has created us, who has lived on earth as we live on earth and who keeps the promise to remain with and sustain us in our living. Here we have gathered as one community of many people, here we have spoken of one faith with many facets. As we take leave from here we journey together though we travel many different pathways.

Go in the knowledge that we are loved by God as part of God's good creation, and that we dwell within God's loving goodness always. **AMEN**

## PS 290 O Lord, my God

Text: Karl Boberg(1859-1940)  
trans: Stuart Kline

**Refrain: Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to thee  
How great thou art, How great thou art  
Repeat.**

1. O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder consider all the works thy hand has made, I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder, thy power throughout the universe displayed.
2. When through the woods and forest glades I wander and hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees; when I look down from lofty mountain grandeur, and hear the brook, and feel the gentle breeze.
3. And when I think that God, his Son not sparing, sent him to die, I scarce can take it in that on the cross, my burden gladly bearing, he bled and died to take away my sin.
4. When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation and take me home, what joy shall fill my heart; when I shall bow in humble adoration, and there proclaim: my God, how great thou art.

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- Today We have the announcement of the name of the new vicar of Thames. What an exciting way to celebrate Trinity Sunday. We are grateful for the good work of the nominators.
- We pray for a smooth transition with the new person coming probably in October.
- Another good set of news is that receipts for tax purposes are on their way.
- Thank you for your participation in art, writing poetry, decorating and undoing the decorations.
- The fundraiser stall made over \$600.00 and was a great effort of baking, preserves and produce. We have also had generous gifts of fruit to share.
- For the winter months we may like to contribute one can of food or other products each week to the food bank.