THE PARISH OF THAMES

Welcomes you to

ST GEORGE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH

Sunday 8th July 2018 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Call to Worship

Grace and peace to you from God
God fill you with Truth and Joy
The Lord be with you
The Lord bless you
This is the day which the Lord has made
Let us rejoice and be glad in it

Opening Hymn

For Im building a people of power (PS 145)

Opening Prayer

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open all desires known and from whom no secrets are hidden; cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, so that we may truly love you and worthily praise your Holy Name; through our Saviour Jesus Christ, Amen.

Prayer of Confession

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 of the Day

Of Jesus many said, 'What is this wisdom that has been given to him? What deeds of power are being done by his hands!'

Mark 6:2

Collect of the Day

Christ of the new covenant, give us the happiness to share, with full measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, all that you give us. Hear this prayer for your name's sake.

Amen.

1st Reading:- Old Testament: 2 Sam 6:1-5, 9,10 (Alan Hartley)

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church

Thanks be to God

Psalm 48

- ¹ Great is the LORD and greatly to be praised in the city of our God. His holy mountain,
- ² beautiful in elevation, is the joy of all the earth, Mount Zion, in the far north, the city of the great King.
- ³ Within its citadels God has shown himself a sure defence.
- ⁴ Then the kings assembled, they came on together.
- ⁵ As soon as they saw it, they were astounded; they were in panic, they took to flight;
- ⁶ trembling took hold of them there, pains as of a woman in labour,
- ⁷ as when an east wind shatters the ships of Tarshish.
- ⁸ As we have heard, so have we seen in the city of the LORD of hosts, in the city of our God, which God establishes forever. *Selah*
- ⁹ We ponder your steadfast love, O God, in the midst of your temple.
- ¹⁰ Your name, O God, like your praise, reaches to the ends of the earth. Your right hand is filled with victory.
- ¹¹ Let Mount Zion be glad let the towns of Judah rejoice because of your judgments.
- 12 Walk about Zion, go all around it, count its towers,
- 13 consider well its ramparts; go through its citadels,
- that you may tell the next generation
- 14 that this is God our God forever and ever. He will be our guide forever.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen

2nd Reading - The Epistle/New Testament: 2 Cor 12:2-10 (Jill McLeod)

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Gradual Hymn: Tell my people I love them (AA132)

<u>3rd Reading - The Gospel Reading/New Testament:</u> Mark 6: 1-13 (Christine Neilson)

This is the Gospel of Christ

Praise to Christ, the Word

Then turn to service page 418 in your NZ prayer book

Offertory Hymn: Holy Holy (PS 176)

Closing Hymn: Now unto him (AA102)

Sending Forth

Go now to love and serve the Lord; go now in peace.

Amen. We go in the name of Christ.

PS 145



For I'm building a people of power

Dave Richards

1. For I'm building a people of power and I'm making a people of praise. that will move through this land by my Spirit,

and will glorify my precious name. Build your church, Lord, make us strong Lord,

join our hearts, Lord, through you Son. Make us one, Lord, in your body, in the Kingdom of your Son.

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AA 132 Tell my people I love them

Leonard Barlotti, Guy Jansen

Refrain: Tell my people I love them; tell my people I care. When they feel far away from me, tell my people I am there.

- 1. Tell my people I came and died to give them liberty: as they abide in me they will be really free!
- 2. Tell my people where-e'er they go to claim my risen power; my peace and joy and love is for them hour by hour.
- 3. Tell my people who grieve and mourn that I allowed the night of darkness to descend. but I am still the Light.
- 4. Tell my people to share their wealth and fight the sin of greed; care for the refugee: the hunary they're to feed...
- 5. Tell my people throughout the world to strive for peace today. show love for enemies, be servants of the Way.

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PS 176 Holy, holy, holy (3)



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.

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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.

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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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AA102 Now unto him

Now unto him who is able to keep. able to keep you from falling, and present you faultless before the presence of his glory with exceeding joy; to the only wise God our Saviour. be glory and majesty. dominion and power both now and forever.

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Ministry Team

Liturgist: Dorothy Mc Roberts Server: Kate Sayer
Intercessor/Prayers: Beth Philip Organist: Lynne Mounsey
Welcome Team: Max and Vivienne Baggaley, Winnie Sheehan

Presider/: The Rev'd Brendon Wilkinson Preacher: The Rev'd Jim Neilson

Sanctuary Guild: Anna Juby, Fiona Sayer

Morning Tea: Alan Judd

Prayer Needs

Someone will be available at the rear of the chapel by the candle during communion if you wish to receive prayer for yourself, family or others.

Please pray for Percy and Eva Golding Mary Horn, Jean Stewart, Bob Cox, Ken and Mairi, Peter and Beth Philip, Rev'd Brendon, Leslie and family.

Parish Community News

PARISH LUNCH

We would love to have you join with us to celebrate the completion of the Parish Hall kitchen on Sunday 29th July, after morning service, here in the Church Hall. Just bring the family and appetites.

PARISH GALA

* Boxes can be found at the rear of the Church, we appreciate any donations for our Gala. Please see Denise Norris for more information on 07 868-8076. Thank you.

This week 9th July - 15th July 2018

Wed: 9:30-12pm Selwyn Group, Hall. MT/Hostess

Thurs: Office open 9am-12pm. 10am Holy Com. (1662), St George Chapel

Office Open: Tues/Thurs—9am—12pm Sun: 9:30am service at St George NZ Eucharist

Sunday 15th July:

First Reading: 2 Sam 6: 1-5, 12b-19 (Beth Philip)

Psalm: Psalm 24

Second Reading/The Epistle: Ephesians 1: 3-14(George Haffenden)
Third Reading/The Gospel: Mark 6: 14-29 (Rev'd Arthur Mead)

Presiders: The Rev'd David Cooper Preacher: The Rev'd David Cooper

Intercessor/Prayer: Margaret Mackay
Liturgist: Alan Judd
Server: Raewyn Grey
Music Ministry/organist: Stuart du Preez
Morning Tea: Denise Norris

Welcome Team: Steve Darwell, Rex Geary, Lois Robinson

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