

Sunday 22 September 2019

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Colour Green

'A Call to Prayer

**We who have lost our sense and our senses--
our touch, our smell, our vision of who we are:
we who frantically force and press all things,
without rest for body or spirit, hurting our earth
and injuring ourselves: we call a halt.**

**We want to rest. We need to rest and allow the
earth to rest. We need to reflect and to
rediscover the mystery that lives in us, that is
the ground of every unique expression of life,
the source of the fascination that calls all
things to communion.**

**We declare a Sabbath,
a space of Quiet; for simply being and letting
be; for recovering the great, forgotten truths;
for learning how to live again.'**

(from the website www.webofcreation.org/)

Naumai, Haere mai! Welcome!

Contemplative Eucharist today.

Collect: God our true wealth, may we be faithful in things both small and great, and serve the needy and the poor, so that finally we can be entrusted with your true riches; through Jesus, the Christ, our Lord, who is alive with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Presiding - Reverend Canon Peter Stuart
And - Reverend John Hughes

General News:

Wellesley College: 23h September, Monday 9.15am Chapel - Service at Wellesley College.
Parishioners welcome.

Thursday Eucharist: 26th September, at 10am. San Antonio Church, 78a Oroua Street

Mission Table: Congratulations! We have reached \$1000 on the mission table. Can we equal or exceed last year's total of \$1600 with 2 months left this season? Let's try. Be encouraged. From the team.

SGM: Following the service:

The purpose of this meeting will be to:

Agree to the expenditure of up to \$100 000 for the next stage of the Re-development of St Albans.

No business except what is stated in the notice may be raised or transacted at the SGM.

SGM: **29 September Sunday.** The meeting on 29 September is for voting on the above resolution. Only those on the Electoral roll are eligible to vote.
To qualify for the electoral roll: "A person is entitled to be enrolled on the Roll if the person— (a) is baptised; and (b) whether resident in the Parish or not has, for at least 4 months within the previous 2 years, participated in the worship and life of the Parish or is known by the Minister and Churchwardens to be qualified for enrolment; and (c) signs the form of declaration referred to in subsection (2)(a)." Voting will be by secret ballot.

Flyers on the back table for: Electoral Roll and enrolment forms,
form for placement on parish contact database,
Alpha Course ERPA. Tax Rebate donation forms,
Vestrylink 5, Mission information, and other items.

St Alban's Eastbourne Mission Statement
Providing the living Presence of God's Kingdom in Eastbourne and the Bays.

Rhythms of Worship

Sunday	10 am Eucharist at Wellesley College Hall.
Thursday Eucharist	Each week at 10am. Next one - 26 September - San Antonio Church Venues as notified by email and on the Parish Notice Board.
“UP” Giving	29 September Gifts of the Spirit. Supporting our faith community and mission is a normal part of our Christian Worship. If you would like to do this systematically or regularly here are the
Parish banking details	BNZ 02 0500 0821577 000 Anglican Parish of Eastbourne.

Children

Kids’ Club	Every Sunday <u>during term time</u> during the 10am Service.
Pop in and Play	Friday <u>in term time</u> at St Ronan’s Church, Muritai Road from 9 -11.30am.
Wellesley College	Monday <u>during term time</u> . Libby Bloomfield at Wellesley College. 9.15am Chapel - Service at Wellesley College.
Chaplaincy	The Parish provides Chaplaincy services to Wellesley College.
Games Evening	Monthly during term time. Venue and time as advised prior to evening.

Rhythms of Prayers

Intercessory Prayer	Thursday at 8.15am. Venue to be confirmed on the day by txt.
Retreat Days:	At the Vicarage. Wednesdays : 9 - 4pm for all or part of the day. 9.30am Devotions, 12pm Contemplative Prayer, 4pm Evening Devotion.
Contemplative Prayer	Saturday at 8.30am in St Alban’s Hall Foyer.
Women’s Reflection Time	Contact Jennie 562 0242 Email the Office for more information: office@stalbanschurch.nz

Discipleship

Alpha Course	Weekly Tuesdays 6.30pm (shared meal), 12 Puriri Street. If attending, for catering - contact Wendy Manson 027 562 8287 or email or phone the Office 5626269.
Huddle group	Meetings are two a month, led jointly by Libby Bloomfield and Jennie Lovell-Smith. Joint shared meal at the Pavilion for the groups as advised.
Knitwits	Monthly, venue as advised prior to day.
Men’s Group	Usually first Wednesday of month in the Sports and Services Club Tuatoru Street from 6pm. Wednesday 2 October.
Take a Break (Seniors)	Second Thursday of the month (11am) at St Ronan’s Church. 10 October
Women’s Coffee Group	Third Monday of the month at Hive, Rimu Street at 10am. 21 October
Mission Table	Weekly. Goods and produce for sale are welcome.

Gospel Readings for the week

Monday	Luke	8 : 16 - 18	Tuesday	Luke	8 : 19 - 21
Wednesday	Luke	9 : 1 - 6	Thursday	Luke	9 : 7 - 9
Friday	Luke	9 : 18 - 22	Saturday	Luke	9 : 43b - 45

Diocesan Mission Statement

We are family; we are disciples; we care for the last, the lost and the least.

This week 22/9	10 am Eucharist Wellesley Hall
Presider	Reverend Canon Peter Stuart
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Set-up / pack-up	Mike Synnott, Jeremy Lovell-Smith
Welcomers	Geoff Martel, Wendy Manson
Liturgical Asst	Jutta Chisholm
2nd chalice	Fran Baldock
Reader	Reading - Pauline Steele
Intercessions	Jutta Chisholm
Musician	Jenni and team
Sound / tech	Chris Burt - no PP on screen
Kids' Club	Jen Young, Myles Breen
Morning tea	Helen Hosegood, Jennie Lovell-Smith

We welcome you!


We'd love to welcome you to our contact list - to be in touch every so often about what's coming up at St Alban's, and/or to receive our weekly families email. Forms available at the entry.

Office hours:

Wed and Thurs 9am - 3pm.

Next week 29/09	10 am Eucharist Wellesley Hall
Presider	Reverend John Hughes
Presenters	Reverend John Hughes
Set-up / pack-up	Wendy Manson, Stephen Lee
Welcomers	Wendy Manson, Stephen Lee
Liturgical Asst	Penny Grigg
2nd chalice	Mike Parker
Readers	First reading - Geoff Martel Gospel - Sandra Gillespie
Intercessions	Penny Grigg
Musician	TBA
Sound / tech	Philip Plimmer
Kids' Club	School Holidays
Morning tea	Stefi Plimmer, MaryAnne Isdale



St Alban's Anglican Church, Eastbourne		
Vicar	Rev'd John Hughes	5626076
Vicar's Warden	Heather Molloy	021303838
People's Warden	Philip Plimmer	562 8211
Vestry	Joy Baird, Libby Bloomfield, Patsy Jorgensen, Jeremy Lovell-Smith, Denis Packer and Mike Synnott	
Pastoral Care	Jennie Lovell-Smith	562 0242
Coordinators	Jean Martel	562 7415
Priest (Hon)	Reverend Canon Peter Stuart.	
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