

Sunday 29 September 2019

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Colour White

**"Countless are
those saints
who daily walk by
their head and heart.
In service we still attempt
to move people's mind,
emotion and will by our
intellect, zeal and effort."**

Watchman Nee

Naumai, Haere mai! Welcome!

Scripture Verse: Are not all angels spirits in the divine service, sent to serve for the sake of those who are to inherit salvation? Hebrews 1 v 14.

Collect: Almighty and everlasting God, whom we adore with all the angelic host, may we always rejoice in your heavenly protection and serve you faithfully in this present life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

First Reading: Hebrews 1 : 5 - 14 The Son is Superior to the Angels
Gospel: John 1 : 47 - 51 Jesus calls Philip and Nathanael

Presiding and Preaching - Reverend John Hughes

General News:

SGM: Following the service: 29 September Sunday.

The meeting on 29 September is for voting on the resolution. "The expenditure of up to \$100 000 for the next stage of the Re-development of St Alban's." 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.

Wellesley College: 30th September, School Holidays.

Alpha Course: Continues on Tuesdays.

Men's Group Wednesday 2 October. Sports and Services Club, Tuatoru Street from 6pm

Thursday Eucharist: 3rd October, at 10am, at Sheila Johnson's home, 1 Heketara 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.

New Wine: 16 - 20 January 2020. Information on the back table.

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

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| Sunday | 10 am Eucharist at Wellesley College Hall. |
| Thursday Eucharist | Each week at 10am. Next one - 3 October - Sheila Johnson's home Venues as notified by email and on the Parish Notice Board. |
| "UP" Giving | 6 October 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

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| 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

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| 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

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| 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

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| Monday | Luke | 9 : 46 - 50 | Tuesday | Luke | 9 : 51 - 56 |
| Wednesday | Luke | 9 : 57 - end | Thursday | Luke | 10 : 1 - 12 |
| Friday | Luke | 10 : 13 - 16 | Saturday | Luke | 10 : 17 - 24 |

Diocesan Mission Statement

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

| This week 29/09 | 10 am Eucharist Wellesley Hall |
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| 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, Val Meyer |

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 6/10 | 10 am Eucharist Wellesley Hall |
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| Presider | Reverend John Hughes |
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| Set-up / pack-up | Chris Burt John Nippert |
| Welcomers | Myles Breen, Keith Young |
| Liturgical Asst | Mike Synnott |
| 2nd chalice | Carolyn Parker |
| Readers | First Reading - Priscilla Synnott Gospel - Sandra Gillespie |
| Intercessions | Mike Synnott |
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| St Alban's Anglican Church, Eastbourne | | |
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| 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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