

Sunday 6 October 2019

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Colour Green

**“We cannot
do great things
on this Earth,
only small things
with great love.”**

Mother Teresa

Naumai, Haere mai! Welcome!

Scripture Verse: It is he who has brought us salvation and called us to a dedicated life, not for any merit of ours but for; his own purpose and of his own grace, granted to us in Christ Jesus from all eternity. 2 Timothy 1 v 9

Collect: **God our shield and our rampart, it is your strength, not the size of our faith that supports us in all life's difficulties; may we be content to simply serve, and, when our labours are done, all gather as equals around your table; with Jesus Christ, our Saviour, who is alive with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

First Reading: 2 Timothy 1 : 1 - 14 Thanksgiving and Encouragement
Gospel: Luke 17 : 5 - 10 Some Sayings of Jesus

Presiding and Preaching - Reverend John Hughes

General News:

"UP" **Tonight - 6 October** at the Wellesley hall. Gifts of the Spirit.

Wellesley College: School Holidays.

Alpha Course: Continues on Tuesdays. This Tuesday at the Vicarage.

Thursday Eucharist: **10th October**, at 10am, St Ronans 234 Muritai Road, followed by "Take a Break".

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.

Knitwits: **14 October** Monday 2-4pm, and Monday 11 November both at Margaret Turner's home, in Rona House.
Please let Margaret know if you can come. margareturner978@gmail.com or Phone 562 8378.

Vestry Meeting: **16 October** Wednesday **7pm**. Total Time allowed: 15 minute session for parishioners to bring items to Vestry. Let the Parish Office know the topic by Wednesday 9th, please. Venue: Check with the Office, please.

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

Website: For all news update please refer to the Website:
<https://www.stalbanschurch.nz/>

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 - 10 October - St Ronan's Church 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

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), Vicarage this week If attending, for catering - 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. Monday 14 October.
Men's Group	Usually first Wednesday of month in the Sports and Services Club Tuatoru Street from 6pm. Wednesday 6 November.
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	<i>Luke</i>	10 : 25 - 37	Tuesday	<i>Luke</i>	10 : 38 - end
Wednesday	<i>Luke</i>	11 : 1 - 4	Thursday	<i>Luke</i>	11 : 5 - 13
Friday	<i>Luke</i>	11 : 15 - 26	Saturday	<i>Luke</i>	11 : 27 - 28

Diocesan Mission Statement

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

This week 6/10	10 am Eucharist Wellesley Hall
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	Tony Martin
Readers	First Reading - Priscilla Synnott Gospel - Sandra Gillespie
Intercessions	Mike Synnott
Musician	Peter Baldock
Sound / tech	Chris Burt
Kids' Club	School Holidays
Morning tea	Val Meyer, Jill Chinn

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 13/10	10 am Eucharist Wellesley Hall
Presider	Reverend John Hughes
Presenters	Reverend John Hughes
Set-up / pack-up	Myles Breen, Liz Barrow
Welcomers	Graham Olds, Keith Levy
Liturgical Asst	Jutta Chisholm
2nd chalice	Tony Martin
Readers	First reading - Tony Martin Gospel - Keith Levy
Intercessions	Jutta Chisholm
Musician	Libby and team
Sound / tech	Chris Burt
Kids' Club	Sarah Turk, Patsy Jorgensen
Morning tea	Shelley O'Hara, Patsy Jorgensen



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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