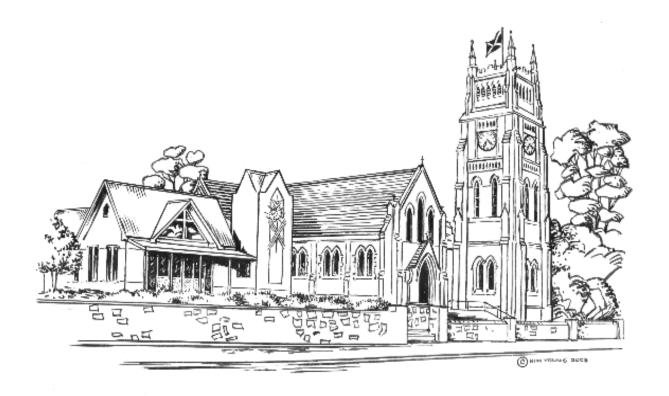
The Third Sunday of Easter

14th April 2024 8.00am & 9.30am



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St Andrew's is a Christ-centred, sacramental, inclusive, thinking, praying and prayerful, mission-oriented faith community

Today's Services

8.00am and 9.30am Holy Communion

Celebrant & Preacher: The Rev'd Stuart Langshaw

Processional Hymn (please stand)

- 1. Christ is the King! O friends rejoice; brothers and sisters, with one voice tell all the world he is your choice.

 Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
- 2. O magnify the Lord, and raise anthems of joy and holy praise for Christ's brave saints of ancient days. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
- 3. They with a faith for ever new followed the king, and round him drew thousands of faithful hearts and true.

 Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
- 5. Christ through all ages is the same: place the same hope in his great name, with the same faith his word proclaim. Alleluia, alleluia!
- 7. So shall God's will on earth be done, new lamps be lit, new tasks begun, and the whole church at last be one.
 Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

George Kennedy Allen Bell (1883–1958)

Greeting

Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever.

Christ is risen. Alleluia! He is risen indeed. Alleluia!

Sentence of the Day

Turn to God so that your sins may be wiped out, so that times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord. *Acts* 3.19–20

Prayer of Preparation

Let us pray

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, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Kyrie (sung at 9.30am)

Lord have mercy, **Lord have mercy**, Christ have mercy, **Christ have mercy**, Lord have mercy.

Gloria (sung at 9.30am)

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to God's people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Prayer of the Day
Let us pray

Lord of life, by submitting to death, you conquered the grave; by being lifted upon the cross, you draw all peoples to you; by being raised from the dead, you restore to humanity all that was lost through sin: be with us in your risen power, that in word and deed we may proclaim the marvellous mystery of death and resurrection. For all praise is yours, now and throughout eternity. **Amen**.

First Reading: Acts 3:12-20
After the reading
Hear the word of the Lord,
thanks be to God.

Psalm 4

- ¹ Answer me when I call, O God of my righteousness: when I was hard-pressed you set me free; be gracious to me now and hear my prayer.
- ² Children of earth, how long will you turn my glory to my shame: how long will you love what is worthless and seek after lies?
- ³ Know that the Lord has shown me his wonderful kindness: when I call to the Lord he will hear me.
- ⁴ Tremble, and do no sin: commune with your own heart upon your bed and be still.
- ⁵ Offer the sacrifices that are right: and put your trust in the Lord.
- ⁶ There are many who say 'Who will show us any good?: the light of your countenance, O Lord, has gone from us.'
- ⁷ Yet you have given my heart more gladness: that they have when their corn, wine and oil increase.
- ⁸ In peace I will lie down and sleep: for you alone, Lord, make me dwell in safety.

Second Reading: 1 John 3: 1-7
After the reading
Hear the word of the Lord,
thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn (please stand)

- 1. Rise and hear! The Lord is speaking, as the gospel words unfold; we, in all our agelong seeking, find no firmer truth to hold.
- 2. Word of goodness, truth, and beauty, heard by simple folk and wise, word of freedom, word of duty, word of life beyond our eyes.
- 3. Word of God's forgiveness granted to the wild or guilty soul, word of love that works undaunted, changes, heals and makes us whole.
- 4. Speak to us, O Lord, believing, as we hear, the sower sows; may our hearts, your word receiving, be the good ground where it grows.

Howard Charles Adie Gaunt (1902-83)

Gospel Reading: Luke 24: 36b-48

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. Luke, chapter twenty-four, beginning at the thirty-sixth verse.

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

After the Gospel the reader says...

For the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Sermon - Celebrant

Affirmation of Faith (please stand)

Let us together affirm the faith of the Church.

We believe in one God, the Father, the almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

*Intercessions (please sit or kneel) – <u>refer to Cycle of Prayer on page 17</u>
Let us pray for the world and for the church.*

The response to each petition is:

Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.

Prayer for a new incumbent and for our Patronage Committee:

Bountiful God, give to this parish a faithful pastor who will faithfully speak your word and minister your sacraments; an encourager who will equip your people for ministry and enable us to fulfil our calling.

Give to those who will choose, wisdom, discernment and patience, and to us give warm and generous hearts, for Christ's sake. Amen.

Parish prayer:

God our Father, you have made us members of Christ and of his church in this parish. May our worship be the offering of our hearts and lives to you. Help us to reach out in welcome to newcomers and visitors, to encourage and care for each other in friendship and fellowship, and to grow in grace, love and unity; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

After the intercessions:

Almighty God, you have promised to hear our prayers. Grant that what we have asked in faith we may by your grace receive, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Confession

Christ our Passover Lamb has been offered for us, therefore we come to celebrate the festival.

A pause for reflection.

Let us then confess our sins in penitence and faith, with a sincere and true heart.

Merciful God, our maker and our judge, we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, and in what we have failed to do: we have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves; we repent, and are sorry for all our sins. Father, forgive us. Strengthen us to love and obey you in newness of life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Absolution

Almighty God, who has promised forgiveness to all who turn to him in faith: pardon you and set you free from all your sins, strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in eternal life, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

The Prayer of Approach

Let us pray

We do not presume to come to your table, merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your manifold and great mercies.

We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table.

But you are the same Lord whose nature is always to have mercy. Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

Greeting of Peace

We are the body of Christ. **His Spirit is with us.**

The peace of the Lord be always with you and also with you.

Offertory Hymn – during this hymn the bread and wine for Holy Communion will be presented, and the Collection taken

- 1. Our glorious Lord is risen indeed, alive again and known; from death to life eternal freed, the Lamb upon his throne.

 Unseen, the stone is rolled aside, untenanted the grave, the Prince of life, the Crucified, is risen strong to save.
- 2. To those on that Emmaus road you made the prophets plain; how Christ, as all the Scriptures showed, should die and rise again.
 So God's eternal purpose planned, Lord, teach us in our turn, that as your word we understand our hearts within us burn.
- 3. That empty cross, that empty grave, stand witness to the skies of him, who chose in death to save, and then in glory rise.

 Our God and Saviour, Lord and Friend, to whom in faith we come, walk with us to our journey's end in your eternal home.

Timothy Dudley-Smith (b.1926)

Blessed are you, Lord, God of all creation. Through your goodness we have these gifts to share. Accept and use our offerings for your glory and for the service of your kingdom. Blessed be God for ever.

Great Thanksgiving Prayer

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

All glory and honour be yours always and everywhere, mighty Creator, everliving God.

We give you thanks and praise for your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ, who by the power of your Spirit was born of Mary and lived as one of us.

By his death on the cross, he offered the one true sacrifice for sin, and obtained an eternal deliverance for his people.

And now we give you thanks that you raised him to life triumphant, and exalted him in glory.

By his victory over death, the reign of sin is ended, a new day has dawned, a broken world is restored and we are made whole once more.

Therefore with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we proclaim your great and glorious name, for ever praising you and saying: (sung at 9.30am)

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord; Hosanna in the highest. Merciful God, we thank you for these gifts of your creation, this bread and wine, and we pray that by your Word and Holy Spirit, we who eat and drink them may be partakers of Christ's body and blood.

On the night he was betrayed Jesus took bread; and when he had given you thanks he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, 'Take, eat. This is my body given for you. Do this in remembrance of me.'

After supper, he took the cup, and again giving you thanks he gave it to his disciples, saying, 'Drink from this, all of you.
This is my blood of the new covenant shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.'

Therefore we do as our Saviour has commanded: proclaiming his offering of himself made once for all upon the cross, his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension, and looking for his coming again, we celebrate, with this bread and this cup, his one perfect and sufficient sacrifice for the sins of the whole world.

Let us proclaim the mystery of faith: (sung at 9.30am)

Christ has died Christ is risen Christ will come again. Renew us by your Holy Spirit, unite us in the body of your Son, and bring us with all your people into the joy of your eternal kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord, with whom, and in whom, in the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, we worship you, Father, in songs of never-ending praise: (sung at 9.30am)

Blessing and honour, glory and power, are yours for ever and ever, Amen.

As our Saviour Christ has taught us, we are confident to pray:

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours, now and for ever. Amen.

The Breaking of Bread and Communion
We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.
We who are many are one body:
for we all share in the one bread.

The congregation joins in the Agnus Dei (sung at 9.30am)

Jesus, Lamb of God, have mercy on us. Jesus, bearer of our sins, have mercy on us. Jesus, redeemer of the world, grant us your peace.

Invitation to Communion

The gifts of God for the people of God. Come, let us take this holy sacrament of the body and blood of Christ in remembrance that he died for us, and feed on him in our hearts, by faith, with thanksgiving.

Administration of Communion

Baptised and communicant Christians of all denominations are welcome to come forward and receive Holy Communion. Gluten free bread is available on request. If you do not wish to receive Holy Communion, you may like to come forward to receive a blessing (simply bow your head as a signal to the priest).

Please do not intinct your Communion wafer into the wine, but receive them separately.

Communion Hymn

1. Now the green blade riseth from the buried grain, wheat that in dark earth many days has lain; love lives again, that with the dead has been:

Love is come again, like wheat that springeth green.

- 2. In the grave they laid him, Love whom we had slain, thinking that never he would wake again, laid in the earth like grain that sleeps unseen:
- 3. Forth he came at Easter, like the risen grain, he that for three days in the grave had lain, quick from the dead, my risen Lord is seen:
- 4. When our hearts are wintry, grieving, or in pain, thy touch can call us back to life again, fields of our hearts, that dead and bare have been:

Prayer after Communion

Let us pray

Eternal God, giver of life, in the breaking of the bread we know the risen Lord. May we who celebrate this holy feast walk in his risen light and bring new life to all creation.

Father, we offer ourselves to you as a living sacrifice through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Send us out in the power of your Spirit to live and work to your praise and glory.

Notices – see page 18

Final Hymn

- 1. We have a gospel to proclaim, good news for all throughout the earth; the gospel of a Saviour's name: we sing his glory, tell his worth.
- 2. Tell of his birth at Bethlehem, not in a royal house or hall but in a stable dark and dim, the Word made flesh, a light for all.
- 3. Tell of his death at Calvary, hated by those he came to save, in lonely suffering on the cross; for all he loved his life he gave.
- 4. Tell of that glorious Easter morn: empty the tomb, for he was free. He broke the power of death and hell that we might share his victory.

- 5. Tell of his reign at God's right hand, by all creation glorified.
 He sends his Spirit on his Church to live for him, the Lamb who died.
- 6. Now we rejoice to name him King:
 Jesus is Lord of all the earth.
 This gospel-message we proclaim:
 we sing his glory, tell his worth.

Edward J Burns (b.1938)

Blessing & Dismissal

The God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep, through the blood of the everlasting covenant, make you perfect in every good work to do his will, working in you what is pleasing in his sight; and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia! **In the name of Christ. Alleluia!**

Organ Postlude - we sit in reflection

If you are new today, welcome!
Contact forms are available for you to complete today.
We would love to get your contact details so that we can keep you up
to date with the life of the parish.

Please ask one of our friendly welcomers for a form, and return it to them (or place it in the offertory bowl) when you have completed it. Many thanks.

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For your Prayers this week

The Nations and People of the Earth:

Jesus taught us to be tenacious in prayer, in the parable of the importunate widow. So we continue to pray for peace wherever there is no peace - between Israel and Hamas that involves the people of Gaza; between Russia and Ukraine; within Haiti. We pray tenaciously for peace in our world, in our community, in our homes and in our hearts.

The Church and its Mission:

The Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia: Primates ++Don Tamihere, ++Sione Uluilakepa, vacant Retired Clergy

National Aboriginal Bishop: +Chris McLeod (Susan)

Pray for the work of the Bush Church Aid Society, especially for Glen & Beth McDonald as they minister in Roxby Downs

At St Andrew's we pray:

We pray for the school on its end of Term 1 holidays –
for refreshment of spirits, and for safety as they travel
Pray for our Parish Council as they meet - for wisdom and grace as
they administer the affairs of our parish

Ourselves and our Community:

Pray for residents and staff at Allity, and for our parishioners who live there.

Pray for all who are travelling on the roads in these school holidays, that we may all be careful and responsible as we drive and as we are passengers.

The Departed

Thanksgiving for those who have gone before us in faith.

Give thanks for the members of our family who have died and whose love stays in our hearts.

In the Parish

- ❖ ABM COLLECTIONS: Thank you for supporting the ABM's Lent and Good Friday Appeal. Through your generosity, \$449.10 was raised for women and children in the Holy Land. Envelopes for their Easter Appeal to support Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Anglicans this Easter, are available at the back of the church.
- ❖ TAX DEDUCTIBLE DONATIONS TO ST ANDREW'S: On the table at the back of the church are forms for anyone who wishes to make a tax deductible donation to the life and work of St Andrew's.
- ❖ LADIES' BREAKFAST for April will be held on Saturday April 27.
- ❖ VISIT TO ST RICHARD'S, LOCKLEYS MARKET DAY to visit and encourage Sally Sandford-Morgan and her parish. Their Market is on Saturday April 20 from 10 am at St Richard's, corner of Henley Beach Road and May Terrace, Lockleys. Please make your own way there.
- ❖ KNOW YOUR WINDOWS. This week's windows sheets are available on the back table near the entrance to the church. They deal with the two Dove Windows and also with the Hewgill "Fishers of Men" window.
- ❖ ABM PROJECT for 2024. The project chosen for our support this year is Hearing Aids For Refugee Children in Jordan. ABM hopes to raise \$36,900 for this project in 2024. These children are helped through the Diocese of Jerusalem's Holy Land Institute for the Deaf (HLID). This institute focuses particularly on girls. Donations can make a great difference to 20 of the world's most vulnerable children, helping with their communication skills, self-esteem and longer-term learning. Gifts are tax-deductible. For more information please visit: www.abmission.org/projects/holy-land
- ❖ ANZAC DAY DAWN SERVICE Thursday April 25, 6.15 am at the Memorial Rose Garden, Church Terrace. Please arrive by 6 am. The Chaplain for the service will be the Locum Tenens.

Diary Dates

Sunday 14 April Easter 3	8.00am 9.30am	Holy Communion Holy Communion
Wednesday 17 April	9.00am	Office open until 4.30pm
	10.00am	ArtsNational - Adelaide (Parish Centre and Church)
	7.30pm	Parish Council meeting (PC)
Thursday 18 April	-	Home Fellowship (Newells)
Friday 19 April	-	Office open until 5pm
<i>y</i> 1		Tai Chi (Parish Centre)
	10.00am	Staff Meeting (Office)
Saturday 20 April	10.00am	Parish visit to St Richard of
		Chichester, Lockleys
Sunday 21 April Easter 4	8.00am 9.30am	Holy Communion Holy Communion
Tuesday 23 April	10.00am	Wedding rehearsal (Church)
	11.00am	'Life through the Bible' (Wheatleys)
Wednesday 24 April	9.30am	Office open until 5pm
	TBC	Wedding florist (Church)
	-	Rostrum Club (Parish Centre)
Thursday 25 April	10.30am	Wedding (Church)
Friday 26 April	9.30am	Office open until 5pm
	10.00am	Tai Chi (Parish Centre)
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Saturday 27 April	9.00am	Women's breakfast (Sfizio)
Sunday 28 April	8.00am	Holy Communion
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Readings for next Sunday (Fourth Sunday of Easter)

1st Reading: Acts 4: 5-12

Psalm 23

2nd Reading: 1 John 3: 16-24

Gospel: John 10: 11-18

Rosters for today, Sunday 14th April (Easter 3)

Celebrant & Preacher: 8.00 & 9.30am The Rev'd Stuart Langshaw

Readers: 8.00am Janet Martin

9.30am Sally Zimmerman

Prayer Leader: 9.30am Wayne Butcher Lay Assistants: 8.00am Darren Fleming

9.30am Malcolm Allen

Server: 9.30am Jacob Harris Welcomers: 8.00am Jan de Wit

9.30am Sally Zimmerman; Roy Ingram

Morning Tea 9.30am Val Ingram; Suzanne Sexton

Rosters for next Sunday, 21st April (Easter 4)

Celebrant & Preacher: 8.00 & 9.30am The Rev'd Stuart Langshaw

Readers: 8.00am Brian Zwar

9.30am Wayne Butcher

Prayer Leader: 9.30am Stuart Langshaw

Lay Assistants: 8.00am Darren Fleming

9.30am Biffy Ormsby

Server: 9.30am Michael Thomas

Welcomers: 8.00am Brian Zwar

9.30am Michael Thomas; Rob Dow

Morning Tea 9.30am Frances Wilson; Joan Beer; Molly

Radakovitch