

Vicar

Vicar Christine's day off is Monday. If you have an urgent pastoral need and wish to contact her, please leave a message on the Parish mobile (027 661 9263), and she will get back to you when she is able to. Thank you.

Next Week's Readings:

Isaiah 63:7-9
Hebrews 2:10-18
Matthew 2:13-23

PRAYERS FOR THE WEEK:

That God who knows each person, may bless each one according to their needs.

We pray for: Barry, John, Ken, Peter, Doreen, Maurice, Trish, Will, Shaun and for all those in our congregations struggling with challenges in their lives.

"Bless those for whom we pray."

Christian World Service "Christmas Appeal" (Retiring Collection)

We raised a grand total of **\$431.20** for the **Christian World Service "Christmas Appeal"** A fabulous effort by our Parish. Thank you.

Parish Diary This Week

Sun	22 Dec	8.00am	Sunday Service	St Peter's
Sun	22 Dec	10.00am	Sunday Service	St Mary's
Sun	22 Dec	7.00pm	9 Lessons and Carols	St Peter's
Tue	24 Dec	5.00pm	Family Christmas Service	St Mary's
Tue	24 Dec	11.00pm	Midnight Service	St Peter's
Wed	25 Dec	8.00am	Christmas Service	St Peter's
Wed	25 Dec	10.00am	Christmas Service	St Mary's

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Week Beginning

Sunday 22 December 2019

Working in partnership with Jesus - Serving Christ and the community

Anglican Parish of Mt Maunganui
St Peter's Victoria Rd - St Mary's Cnr of Girven Rd & Marlin St



4th Sunday of Advent

Today's Liturgy: **St Peter's 8am: Thanksgiving and Praise (476)**
St Mary's 10am: PowerPoint

Please join us for tea/coffee after the service.

Lighting of the Advent Candle - Please see separate leaflet (8am)

Sentence: A virgin shall conceive and bear a son, and his name shall be called Emmanuel: God with us.
Matthew 1:23

Collect: God of light and life, you give us the joy of summer as we prepare for the coming of your Son. Like Mary and Joseph grant that we may be ready to recognise and welcome your presence in this world at Christmas, and at the end of time. Through Jesus Christ our Liberator, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.
Amen.

Hymns at 8am:

Opening: O Come, O Come Emmanuel - 480
Gradual: The Angel Gabriel - 634
Offertory: Sing We of the Blessed Mother - 605
Final: Mary, Blessed Teenage Mother - 442



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Readings for today:

1st Reading: Isaiah 7:10-16

1st Reader: 8am: Friederike Andre 10am: Betty Atkinson

2nd Reading: Romans 1:1-7

2nd Reader: 8am: Joy Gillon 10am: Marie Gilpin

Gospel Reading: Matthew 1:18-25

Read by: Rev'd Christine Scott

Liturgist: Rev'd Wendy Showan 10am: Shirley Shilling

Intercessions: 8am: Regan McFarlane 10am: Judy Friend

Chalice: 8am: Barbara Procter 10am: Marie Gilpin

St Peter's Choir:

Anthem: There Is No Rose of Such Virtue - J. Joubert

Communion Motet: The Cherry Tree Carol - Arr. Wilcocks

Service Setting - Missa Aeterna Christi Munera - G. P. Palestrina

Postlude: How lovely shines the Morning Star - Victor Klaus (1805-1881)

St Mary's:

PowerPoint: David King

Prayer Corner: Ted Barker

Readings for Christmas Eve:

1st Reading: Isaiah 9:2-7

2nd Reading: Titus 2:11-14

Gospel Reading: Luke 2:1-14

Readings for Christmas Day:

1st Reading: Isaiah 62:6-12

2nd Reading: Titus 3:4-7

Gospel Reading: Luke 2:8-20



The Parish Office will be closed from 2pm Tuesday 24 December 2019 and will reopen on Tuesday 14 January 2020. If you have an urgent need please contact Vicar Christine.



Op Shop and Drop In

Over the Christmas break the Op Shop and Drop In will be closed from 4pm Friday 20 December 2019 and will reopen on Monday 6 January 2020.

Saintly Shakers



Saintly Shakers has now ceased for the year and will start back on Thursday 30 January 2020 at St Mary's and Tuesday 11 February 2020 at St Peter's..



ADVENT & CHRISTMAS AT MT MAUNGANUI ANGLICAN PARISH

Sun	22 Dec	7pm	9 Lessons & Carols	St Peter's
Tue	24 Dec	5pm	Family Christmas Service	St Mary's
Tue	24 Dec	11pm	Midnight Service	St Peter's
Christmas Day	8am		Christmas Service	St Peter's
Christmas Day	10am		Christmas Service	St Mary's

The work replacing the ceiling and upgrading the lighting at St Peter's, Victoria Road will begin on Monday 13 January 2020 and will continue until 7 February 2020. The pews will be stored in St Peter's Hall, and moved back into the church on 8 February. As a result of this St Peter's Hall is also unavailable for use during this period.

All services on Sunday 19 and 26 January and 2 February 2020 will be held in St Mary's, Cnr Marlin Street and Girven Road, Bayfair.



Nine Lessons and Carols

A traditional Nine lessons & Carols at St. Peter's with our Chamber Choir in residence, and The Scholars Baroque Aotearoa. Come and sing all your favourite Carols while the Scholars present a program of Christmas music from all over the World spanning four centuries. Come early to get a seat. **Today** at St. Peter's Anglican Church, Mount Maunganui. **7:00pm Service time. Doors open at 6:00pm.**