

## 1. Your Love O God Has Called Us Here

1. Your love, O God, has called us here,  
for all love finds its source in you,  
the perfect love that casts out fear,  
the love that Christ makes ever new.

2. O gracious God, you consecrate  
all that is lovely, good, and true.  
Bless us who in your presence wait,  
our trust in your desires renew.

3. Your love will send us from this place;  
reveal your will in all we do,  
that every path of love we trace  
may show the world its source in you.

*Russell Schulz-Widmar*

## 2. Lord We Hear Your Word With Gladness

1. Lord, we hear your word with gladness:  
you have spoken we rejoice:  
words of love and life and freedom  
help us make their truth our choice!  
Now in holy celebration  
for your Word we worship you;  
spoken, written, known in Jesus,  
ours today to prove anew.

2. May we hear with understanding,  
by your Spirit taught and led;  
may the springs of all our being  
by your living Word be fed;  
may our hearts accept with meekness  
all the grace your light makes known;  
may obedience mark our footsteps  
till we make each word our own!

3. You have spoken; yours the fullness,  
ours the wealth of this your Word:  
debtors, then as living letters,  
we must make our gospel heard!  
By your Spirit's power transform us;  
shed your saving light abroad  
till our lives by love in action  
show our world the truth of God!

*Margaret Clarkson*

## 3. O Lord, May All We Say And Do

1. O Lord, may all we say and do  
Reflect the faith we have in you;  
For faith is meant to change the way  
We live our lives from day to day.

2. God, may we open wide the door  
And welcome people who are poor;  
And may we share with them our bread,  
For faith without good works is dead.

3. Just as a spark can start a fire,  
Our words can damage or inspire;  
We pray for wisdom from above  
To speak and act in gentle love.

4. May we not covet earthly things  
Or seek the riches this world brings;  
May we not boast of all our plans,  
For, Lord, our lives are in your hands.

5. O Lord, possessions rust away,  
But your love fills us every day;  
Through prayer and service in your name,  
May we live out the faith we claim.

*Carolyn Gillette*

## 4. Go To The World

1. Go to the world! Go into all the earth.  
Go preach the cross where Christ renews life's worth,  
baptizing as the sign of our rebirth.

*Alleluia. Alleluia.*

2. Go to the world! Go into every place.  
Go live the word of God's redeeming grace.  
Go seek God's presence in each time space.

3. Go to the world! Go struggle bless and pray;  
the nights of tears give way to joyous day.  
As servant church, you follow Christ's own way.

4. Go to the world! Go as ones I send,  
for I am with you till the age shall end,  
when all the hosts of glory cry "Amen!"

*Sylvia G Dunstan*

# 2 September 2018

## 22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

All Saints  
*Anglican*

*Eucharistic Liturgy – Thanksgiving and Praise, – A New Zealand Prayer Book page 476*

## Sentence

Every generous act of giving, with every perfect gift, is from above, coming down from the Father of lights, with whom there is no variation or shadow due to change.

*James 1: 17*

## Collect

Gracious God,  
giver of every good and perfect gift,  
bring to fruition the word of truth sown in our hearts by your Son,  
that we may rightly understand your commandments,  
live your law of love,  
and so offer you worship that is pure and undefiled.  
Grant this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,  
who lives and reigns with you  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
God for ever and ever.  
Amen.

## Readings

Song of Solomon 2: 8 – 13

James 1: 17 – 27

Mark 7: 1 – 8, 14 – 15, 21 – 23

## Prayer Response

Gracious God, for your love and goodness,  
**we give you thanks and praise.**

## Services of Worship

Sunday 7.30am Holy Communion

9.30am Holy Communion

Wednesday 10.00am Holy Communion

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*You are  
Welcome*

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## Welcome to Newcomers

A warm welcome to all newcomers this morning. If you would like any further information about the church and its activities, or would like to become a member here, please make yourself known to the greeters or member of staff.

## Children's Crèche



At All Saints we love to have children present and participating in worship. We also realise that at times they can get bored or upset. Please note that there is a sound-proof crèche available, near the church door, which is well-supplied with toys and books, and is wired so the service can be heard.

## Prayers for Self or Others



If you would like someone to pray with you confidentially over matters of concern or to give thanks, members of the Prayer Team will be available in the front pew after the 9.30am service. Prayer requests may also be left in the box on the back table. Names of the sick will be included in the public prayers for one month (extended on request) and prayer support will be continued by the staff and Prayer Team on a daily basis.

**Morning Tea** is served each Sunday after the 9.30am service in the Oak Room. All welcome.



**Next week: Sue and Peter McGehan.**

## Food Bank



is open weekdays 10 – 11am and is a confidential service available to all regardless of household size. **Shortages this week: Rice (0), Vegemite or Marmite (0), Long Life Milk (0) and Laundry Powder (0).**

## Homegroups

If you would like to join an All Saints Home Group these groups would welcome anyone interested in coming.

Thursdays at 1:30pm contact Veronica on 534 2228

Thursdays at 7:30pm contact Gill on 534 9863  
Women's Group on 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays contact Sue on 534 9430

## Thursdays @ 7

This **Thursday 6 September** we welcome **St Andrew's Big Band** to our series. SABB gives great musical opportunities to young jazz musicians in the Eastern Suburbs. The band is directed by Hamish Arthur and rehearses weekly in Howick at St Andrew's. Their programme includes music by Count Basie, Glenn Miller, George Gershwin and many other jazz greats. Entry by donation.

## Organ Fundraising Project

Jewellery made by Ruth Hammond will be for sale outside the Oak Room on **Sunday 9 September** and **Sunday 23 September** after the 9.30am services. Gifts suitable for overseas mailings and Christmas will be available. All money received will be donated to the organ fund.

## Selwyn Seniors

meet every Monday and Friday from 9.30am to 1.30pm in the All Saints Community Centre.

## Selwyn Seniors Committee

are looking for people who are enthusiastic and would like to offer their talents and support to better the lives of our Seniors. This is not an onerous position. We meet once a month and our biggest commitment is to our Volunteers Day and our Christmas Party. Selwyn Seniors meet twice a week and interest in their meeting when able would be appreciated. For more information talk to Ann Hays or Mary Rolf.

## Newcomers Morning Tea

First time here? Only been coming for a couple of months? Like the look of the place but... **today** after the 9.30am service meet downstairs in the Haseler Hall with Scott and members of the Pastoral Team for a chat about All Saints Howick and all related matters. All welcome.

## Young Adults

meet at the Vicarage 13 The Glebe at 7.30pm fortnightly on Tuesday nights.

## My Favourite Hymns

**Today** at 2pm in the church, followed by afternoon tea in the Oak Room. Join Noel Derbyshire as he shares his favourite hymns and we have an opportunity to enjoy singing them in an informal worship setting. Everyone is welcome, especially those who find it hard to get to morning worship.

## Centering Meditation

**Today** in the Selwyn Church. 6.50pm for 7.00pm. You are welcome to join us for meditation, silence, stillness and music. See flyers at the back of the church.

## Our Organ Is Ready! Now We Just Need To Pay For It!

Our organ has served us well for many years with very little maintenance, so it was certainly due for some tender loving care to the tune of around \$50,000. Please give some notes in return for the many notes it has given us! And remember, the Lord loves a cheerful giver (and our treasurer loves a generous one!). You can place your donation in the offering basket in a marked envelope or give it to Joanne and Amy in the office. Excellent!

## Lawn Mowing Roster

Lawn mowing is an awesome job! The benefits are many - you get to charge around outside with a power tool! It's a cardio work out that comes with the immense satisfaction of being able to look back at all the neat lines you have made. It is pure poetry in motion! And if that doesn't get your motor running, think of it as a moving meditation, an act of prayer and love, a spiritual experience! So, come on all you petrol-heads, sign up on the sheet at the back of church. Jesus loves lawn-mowers (as well as everyone else)!

## Got A Current First Aid Certificate?

## Are You A Doctor Or A Nurse?

In the event that someone requires medical attention during worship, we would like to have a list of those who have First Aid skills so that assistance can be offered straight away. This would in no way be a substitute for calling an ambulance should the need arise!

## Grief and Loss Support Services

Our GALSS Co-ordinator has recently resigned and we are looking for a new person for the "Seasons for Growth" programme. The job is 15 - 20 hours a week and based in Howick. Do you or someone you know have empathy and an interest in working with children and adults who are coping with loss and grief? Ideally the successful applicant will have proven experience of delivering programmes to young people as well as experience in a social service or educational organisation. Excellent communication skills are essential, as is the ability to lead and coordinate a team of volunteers. The ability to work flexible hours and some walking and carrying of resources is required. This role will suit an outgoing, proactive, and self-motivated person. Relevant qualifications including Seasons for Growth companion training and/or experience in community agencies could be an advantage, however initial training will be provided. Please send your CV and any queries to, [galsccoordinatorapplication@mail.com](mailto:galsccoordinatorapplication@mail.com) Applications close Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> September.

## The Diocesan Summer

## Adventure Weekend is coming!

Families of all types - parents with children, grandparents with kids, singles (both elderly and younger) and couples without children - are invited to share a time of adventure, bonding, inclusion and being together on the weekend of 18 – 20 January 2019 at Vaughan Park & MERC, Long Bay. For more info and registration details, pick up a post card from the back table.

## JAWS

## International Food Festival

**Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> November.**  
**Registration of Interest**

Do you make the best Italian Spaghetti or Japanese Sushi or Mexican Tacos? Or can you whip a batch of Devonshire Cream Teas, French Eclairs or Greek Baklava? Or your own favourite international delicacy? Then we need you to register on the sign-up sheet at the back of the church.

*Thanks - The JAWS Team*