



Anglican Parish of Warkworth In Touch

10th Dec, 2017

No 464

CC No 31449

"An Anglican Community: Sharing the love of God"

Today in Church

8.00 am	Christ Church, Communion Service, Warkworth
9:00 am	Snells Beach Community Church, Communion Service
9.30 am	Christ Church, Communion Service, Warkworth
9.30 am	St Leonard's, Communion Service, Matakana

This Week's Collect

God for whom we wait and watch,
you sent John the Baptist
to prepare for the coming of your Son:
give us courage to speak the truth
even to the point of suffering.
This we ask through Christ our Saviour.
Amen.

An Advent Prayer

Creator Spirit,
rekindle in us your gifts of grace,
renew our life in Christ,
and bring to completion
all that your calling has begun.
Amen

The LINK

The LINK is still available in the church foyers. Please sign the clipboard.
If you do NOT take a copy, you will have one posted out to you next week - unless
of course you are already on the 'email LINK' list with the church office first (not
too late to put your name down on it!). The LINK is also online on the church
website anglicanwarkworth.org under Notices, in colour.

Selwyn Centre

*The last session for the Selwyn Centre this year will be December 11th.
It will re-open again in January 2018, on Mon 22nd Jan.*

CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE - 7 pm, Kaipara Flats Church

Please invite your family and friends to our Sunday 24th December CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE at 7pm. All are invited to help in the preparations and at the Christmas Eve service:

Saturday 23rd from 9am clean & decorate the church

- please bring your own cleaning supplies
- decorations with an emphasis on NZ' natural beauty such as ferns, flax flowers , Pohutukawa, Manuka...

Supper after service on the 24th

- Please bring a plate of (finger food) goodies to share
- All help with the clean up afterwards is gratefully accepted!

Healing Meeting - Full Gospel Business Men's Fellowship

Speaker: Pastor Craig & Winnie Patten
Venue: Mahurangi Community Centre - 21 Hamatana Rd, Snells Beach
Date: Saturday 16 December 2017
Time: 7:00pm Light Supper, 7:30pm Service

All Welcome. Contact Peter Bilton (FGB secretary) for more info Ph 021 646 682

Christmas Food Box Appeal - LAST CHANCE

Christian Food Bank is appealing for individuals, groups, families to make up a Christmas food box themselves. There are some boxes available at the back of the church or from the Mahurangi Matters Office in Neville Street. Please return to the Presbyterian Church *before Thursday, December 14, 2017.*

These are the items suggested:

<u>Tinned</u> Fruit x1 Fish x1 Beetroot x1 Corn x1 Baked Beans x1 Spaghetti x1 Soups x1 Reduced Cream & Onion soup mix Savoury Tomato x1 Pasta/Meal Sauces x1	<u>Dry Goods</u> Cereal x1 Rice 1kg x1 Pasta x1 Coffee 100g Tea 30 bags Milo or Hot Chocolate Jellies x2 Biscuits x1
<u>Christmas Treats</u> Mince Pies or Christmas Cake x1 Chips x2 Crackers x1 Sweets / Lollies x1 Boxed Chocolate x2 Candy Canes pk 12	<u>Condiments</u> Tomato Sauce x1 Spreads x2 Mayo x1
	<u>Drinks</u> Juice 1L box x2 Raro Sachet 3 puki Fizzy 1.5L x1 Grape Juice x1

Services Roster

Please let Melody or Ron Buckton know if you plan to be away for any Sunday during Jan/Feb 2018 so we don't include you in the Services Roster.

We are in need of more people to take a turn at hosting morning tea at Warkworth. If you are able to assist with this ministry please let us know.

Also we are always on the look-out for new people to be readers or greeters at all the services. Please let us know if you would be willing to take your turn on the roster.

Also let Melody or Ron know if you are available to take part in any of the Christmas Eve or Christmas Day services.

Filing Boxes - free to a good home

Due to a new storage system of the Kowhai Singers, Lorna Laxon (phone 4223562) has several used (but still very usable) filing boxes available to give away. Contact her if you would like some - or know of anyone who needs some.

Thank you to This Week's Service Teams - 10th Dec				
	8am ChCh	9:00 Snells Beach	9:30am ChCh	9:30am Matakana
Celebrant	Rev'd Ellen Bernstein	Rev'd Leslie Steel	Rev'd David Stevens	Rt Rev'd John Bluck
Preacher	Mary Starr	Stephanie McGill	Sue Stevens	Ruth Labb
Liturgist	Jocelyn Crawford		Music Group	Margaret Simpson
<i>(continued)</i>	8am ChCh	9:00 Snells Beach	9:30am ChCh	9:30am Matakana
First Reader	Jocelyn Crawford		John Taylor	Peter Froude
Gospel Reader	Bill Crawford		Carla Taylor	Carolyn Edgar
Servers			George Williams-Mart Craig Taylor	
Greeters	Bill Crawford		Maureen Thomas Heather Moss	Tony & Carolyn Edgar
Stewards			Claire Oaks Brenda Marsh	
Morning Tea				
Cleaning	Jane Managh			Elizabeth Bluck
Flowers	Shirley Scholefield			
St Leonard's Hosting				16 Dec - Loran Laxon

Next Week's Service Teams - 17th Dec				
	8am ChCh	9:30am ChCh	9:30am Matakana	11:00am Leigh
Celebrant	Rev'd John Harris	Rev'd Bob Howard	Rev'd Bryan Taylor	Rev'd Ellen Bernstein
Preacher	Rev'd Ellen Bernstein			
Liturgist	Ron Buckton	Sue Howard	Tony Arthur	Ron Buxton
Organist	Joe Koppens	Joe Koppens	Margaret Simpson	
First Reader	Maggie Stansfield	Robert Eyre	Laura Lynch	Joan Springgay
Gospel Reader	Beryl Hindmarsh	Laurel Becroft	Judith Larson	Trevor Springgay
Servers		Caleb Atkins Matthew Green		

Greeters	Beryl Hindmarsh	Roger & Ann Dewhirst	Christine & Don Dormer	Bethea Frost
Stewards		Rick Taylor Sue Howard		
Morning Tea		Jean & Brian Scarth		
Cleaning	Brenda Marsh			Jennifer Kirker
Flowers	Yolande Carter			
St Leonard's Hosting			23rd Dec - Edna Dyson	

Monday 11th Nov - Sunday 17th Dec

Monday 11th	9:30 am	Selwyn Centre, Parish Lounge (last one for 2017))
Tuesday 12th	9:30 am	Rhythm & Riggle, Parish Lounge (last one for 2017)
Wednesday 13th	10:00 am	Totara Park, Communion Service (last one for 2017)
Thursday 14th	9:30 am	Property & Finance, Parish Lounge
	7:00 pm	Leigh Carol Service, Leigh Church
Saturday 16th	6:00 pm	Snells Beach Christmas celebration dinner
Sunday 17th	8.00 am	Christ Church, Communion Service, Warkworth
	9.30 am	Christ Church, Communion Service, Warkworth
	9.30 am	St Leonard's, Communion Service, Matakana
	11:00 am	St Michael & All Angel's, Communion Service, Leigh

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Assisting Clergy:	Rt Rev'd John Bluck, Rev'd John Harris Rev'd Dianne Hawken, Rev'd Bob Howard Rev'd Leslie Steel, Rev'd David Stevens Rev'd Bryan Taylor
Treasurer:	Ron Buckton
Selwyn Centre Co-ordinator:	Laura Lynch - 422 7653
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To renew envelopes, or go on the envelope system for donations, or go on to automatic payment, contact the office for details. (Bank Account 02-0480-0021360-00).

Office Hours The Parish Office hours are Wednesday, Thursday & Friday mornings, 9:00am-1:00pm. The Vicar's days off are generally Friday & Saturday