



WARKWORTH ANGLICAN PARISH

WARKWORTH MATAKANA LEIGH KAIPARA FLATS SNELLS BEACH

'In Touch'

11 March '18

Today's services 8am & 9:30am Communion, Christ Church Warkworth
9am Communion, Snells Beach Community Church
9:30am Communion, St Leonard's Matakana

Sentence & Collect

The Son of Man must be lifted up, that whoever believes in him may have eternal life. *John 3:14-15*

God of light and love
you come into the world not to condemn but to redeem;
enter our lives, again, with your love,
bringing new life, eternal and abundant,
so we, your servants,
may show light and love to others.
Through Jesus Christ our Redeemer
who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and forever.
Amen

The week ahead:

Mon 12 Mar	9:30am	Selwyn Centre, Catholic Church Hall , Warkworth
	11am	Funeral of Grattan Guinness, St Michael's, Leigh
Wed 14 Mar	10:00am	Communion Service, Totara Park
Thur 15 Mar	10:30am	AAW meeting at 3 Heritage Lane
Fri 16 Mar	8:30am	Meditation, Christ Church

Readings for 18 March

Jeremiah 31:31-34, Ps 51:1-12 or Ps 119:9-16, Heb 5:5-10, John 12:20-33

Annual General Meeting

Thank you to the 47 attendees of last Sunday's AGM. Following the appointment / nominations process, Cheryl Clague and Neil McEnteer will continue as Churchwardens; and Sue Howard and Derek Olsen will serve a further 3 year term as trustees to the Warkworth Anglican Parish Trust. Nine vestry members were elected and will join with the vicar, the wardens and your synods representatives (Mary Starr and Ron Buckton) in forming the next vestry. They are: Laura Lynch, Elaine Steel, Simon Green, Cal Greer, Allan Dray, Alan Orange, Rick Taylor, Ann Mansfield, and Katie Mitchell. While four elected members of the previous vestry will continue; our sincere thanks go to these members who served in 2017: Edna Dyson, Sue Stevens, Sue Howard, Pixie Jones, Lorna Laxon, and Daphne Cocker.

In the absence of the Vicar

While Ellen is in New York from 8 to 25 March, the wardens remain the first contact for parish matters, however Melody will also do her best to assist as the wardens may be unavailable at times. For ministry and pastoral matters, Rev'd Leslie Steel is contactable on 422 2560 or lfsteel@xtra.co.nz.

Holy Week and Easter

Parish services offered in Holy Week:

Tues 27 March	Summerset, 2:30pm
Wed 28 March	Totara Park, 10am
Maundy Thursday	St Leonard's Matakana, 7pm
Good Friday	Christ Church Warkworth, 9:30am

Easter Day Communion services:

8am & 9:30am	Christ Church Warkworth
9:30am	St Leonard's Matakana
9:30am	St Michael and All Angels Leigh
11:15am	St Alban's Kaipara Flats

Warkworth Church Openings and Closings

If you live near Christ Church and are happy to be called on occasionally (or perhaps regularly) to unlock or lock the church when the Vicar and other regulars are away or unavailable, please let Melody know.

Phone Book Update

Melody will shortly update the parish phone book. Several amendments have already been noted, but if you have made corrections and additions on your copy in the past six months please pass these details on to the office.

Seasons for Growth Programme for Adults

“Exploring the Seasons of Grief” Starting in Warkworth on March 22nd.

A group for those dealing with change and loss in their lives. These changes may include separation/divorce, death, other family changes, illness, work related change, or other significant life changes. The programme has been specifically developed to address the needs of adults to understand and manage change. Seasons is not counselling but a peer support/educational programme.

The evening group will start on March 22nd and run for 4 weeks. Sessions will be 2 hours long. Registration is essential. Seasons is offered free to the community but donations to cover costs are always welcome. For more information or to apply to be part of a Seasons group please contact Heather Free (details on back of this In Touch)

The LINK – March 2018

The latest LINK is still available to pick up in the church foyer. Please add your name to the list if you take one - OR if you do not want us to post one out to you. Do contact the office to add your name to the LINK Email list, or simply read the publication (in full colour) on the website.

Thank you to this week's teams:

	Christ Church 8:00am	Snells Beach 9:00 am	Christ Church 9.30 am	St Leonard's 9:30am
Presider	Rev Leslie Steel	Rev David Stevens	Rev Leslie Steel	Rev Bob Howard
Preacher				
Liturgist	Neil McEnteer	Sue Stevens	Stephanie McGill	Sue Howard
Organist	Jocelyn Crawford		Music Group	Margaret Simpson
1st Reader	Bill Crawford		Pixie Jones	Judith Larsen
Gospel	Jocelyn Crawford		Edna Dyson	Coral Burt
Sidespeople	Bill Crawford		Brian & Glenna Tuck	Tony & Carolyn Edgar
Stewards			David Cross & Rick Taylor	
Morning Tea			Roger & Ann Dewhirst	
Cleaning	Laurel Becroft			Christine Holloway

On the roster for 18 March:

	Christ Church 8:00am	Christ Church 9.30 am	St Leonard's 9:30am	St Michael's etc 11am
Presider	Rev John Harris	Rev Sarah Stevens-Cross	Rt Rev John Bluck	Rev Leslie Steel
Preacher	Neil McEnteer			
Liturgist	Mary Starr	Neil McEnteer	Delwyn Lawrence	Ron Buckton
Organist	Dr John Wells	Ina Shaw	Margaret Simpson	Jocelyn Crawford
1st Reader	Jane Orange	Carla Taylor	Christine Dormer	Trevor Springgay
Gospel	Prue Dray	Anna Williams-Mart	Karen Caulfield	Jennifer Kirker
Sidespeople		Angela Buckton & Heather Moss	Karen Caulfield & Christine Dormer	
Stewards		Cheryl Clague & Lisa Williams		
Morning Tea		Anne Wilson & Pixie Jones		
Cleaning	Pixie Jones		Elise Macdonald	

Parish contacts:

Parish Administrator: Melody Nightingale - 09 425 8054:

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The parish office is generally attended Tues - Thur, 9am to 1pm.

Vicar: Rev Ellen Bernstein - 027 283 2890

Email: vicar@anglicanwarkworth.org **NB:** Ellen away 8 - 25 March

Vicar's Warden: Neil McEnteer - 021 142 5756

People's Warden: Cheryl Clague - 425 9945

Assisting Clergy: Rt Rev John Bluck, Rev John Harris, Rev Dianne Hawken, Rev Bob Howard, Rev Leslie Steel, Rev David Stevens, Rev Bryan Taylor.

Selwyn Centre: Bridget Farmiloe - 022 510 2921

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Seasons: Heather Free - 0210 813 3586

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Rhythm & 'Riggle: Tania Smith - *NB: programme suspended at present*

Envelope Recorder: Malcolm Clague - 425 9945

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