

THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF ST JOHN

1 February 2026
4th Sunday of the Epiphany



THIS SUNDAY'S SERVICES

8.00am Old St John's
9.15am St Saviours (Morning Prayer)
9.30am St John's

READINGS

Micah 6:1-8
1 Corinthians 1:18 to end
Matthew 5:1-12

Sentence

Be renewed in the spirit of your minds, and put on the new nature, created after the likeness of God in righteousness and true holiness.

Ephesians 4:23-24

Collect

Teach us, Jesus, how to live and worship without being worldly or greedy. Drive from our lives what spoils them and make us temples of the Spirit; for the glory of your holy name. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

For our Parish:

For Ben and the congregation as we begin this interim period of change.

For our Community:

For students and teachers as they begin school again.

For those communities in flooded areas working through the recovery stages.

For the Global Anglican Church:

For Dame Sarah Mullally, the new Archbishop of Canterbury, as she takes up her new role.

Birthdays: 6th Feb—Barry Claypole and Eden Pullenger

SERVICES FOR NEXT SUNDAY (8th February)

OSJ 8.00am St Saviours 9.15am 9.30am Christ Church
St John's 10.30am

Isa 58:1-9a, (9b-12) 1 Corinthians 2:1-12, (13-16) Matt 5:13-20

Some News

From Tuesday this week Reverend Ben Ong will be Priest-in-Charge in a full-time capacity. All ministries will continue under Ben's guidance.

As these are my final services among you and final day as Vicar—thank you for welcoming me so warmly and for journeying together with God. Andrew and I have been blessed to service among you all. *Julie*

FRIDAY CLUB 2026 start date will be announced when the Priest-in-Charge arrives but will be 20th February at the earliest.



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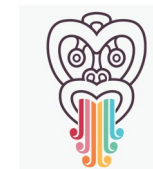
Tuesday 10th February
@ 1.30pm
In the Lounge

The TA FOODBANK is particularly looking for donations of SINGLE packed toothbrushes and SMALL tubes of toothpaste please. For those needing food, oral hygiene is way down their list of priorities, but so important for good health and relatively inexpensive to offer. Your donations can be dropped off at the Parish Office.

Can You Help?

TE REO CLASSES

Starting again
Thursdays (during term)
1.15pm to 2.45pm
in the Lounge



The RSA Meal

Sunday 1st Feb
5pm



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