

Reflection from Rev Josh Jones

THANK YOU, ST G'S YOUTH.

I want to begin this week with a celebration of the wonderful blessing we received from our St George's Youth at last week's service. We were all so enriched by their leading of the whole service as we contemplated Christ as the **Light of the World**.

I know I speak for all our community in saying a huge thank you for the sung worship, readings, beautiful homily reflection and intercessions. Every one of you contributed to what was a sacred journey of worship shared together across the generations and it's always immensely gratifying to receive messages of appreciation and encouragement from those attending in person and online.

After leading the service back in July, the plan going forward is to have our young people lead the service every couple of months so they will lead us when we resume after the January holiday season.

Today Jeremy will continue our exploration of the I AM claims and promises of Jesus with **I AM the Door**.

VESTRY (Governing Body)

On Thursday night we had our monthly Vestry meeting. At every meeting there's an opportunity for both myself and Jeremy to share aspects of our personal ministry along with the Heartbeats of our church community life. This week was yet another reminder of just how much we have seen God at work in so many areas of our St George's life. I'd also like to take this opportunity to thank everyone on Vestry their commitment to serving our community with such diligence and integrity.

ALPHA UPDATE

On Tuesday night we explored **Who is the Holy Spirit? - What does the Holy Spirit do?**

Everyone in attendance felt a palpable sense of the Spirit's presence among a diverse group of people who are all at different stages of their faith journey. Can we ask that you continue to pray for all those who attend that faith seeds are planted and for a fresh indwelling of the Spirit's presence.

Josh and the Leadership Team

GIVING • EFTPOS: Available at the back of the Church
• **INTERNET BANKING: Bank A/c # 03-0104-0109844-01**
• **DONATION BOX: In the Church.**

In Loving Memory



Enid Bull

Former nurse and housemistress, passed away peacefully in Auckland on 20 October 2024, aged 88. Daughter of Max and Susie Bull, sister of Trewby, Pat and Frank, sister-in-law of Chris and Rosie. Much-loved aunt, great-aunt, godmother and cousin. Funeral 2 pm Tuesday 29 October at St Aidan's, Remuera. For details of livestream see Davis Funerals. Messages to barfoots@xtra.co.nz.

Upcoming Community Events



DANCE CLASSES

Sunday Afternoon
St Georges Anglican Church Hall
19 Ranfurly Road, Epsom

12:45pm to 1:15pm

(2-3 year olds)

1:15pm to 2pm

(4-5 year olds)

Contact us for more info
3youthdance@gmail.com





Mainly Music



School Term:
Every Friday
from 9.30am
St Georges
Church Hall

**Enquiries: please contact
Hayley Lewis on 027 435 5488
stgeorges.mainlymusic@gmail.com**

Hi everyone and welcome to our service today,
We're looking forward to being together up in the hall for our program
this morning, learning about Jesus' statement 'I am the door' 

The under 5s are welcome to come along too and enjoy toys, activities
and colouring in their own space 

Have a wonderful week,

Jess, Hayley and the team



Plan Your Marriage

not just your wedding

St. George's Marriage Preparation Course

The next St. George's Marriage Preparation Course starts
Monday 28th October 2024

The course covers 5 weeks and will be held at Duncan and Julie's
home. If you wish to take part in this excellent course or know of a
couple who are getting married in the near future who would like
to enrol, please contact Julie Macdonald
dunju46@gmail.com
for further details and to register your interest.

Kapu Tī & Kōrero

Practice Te Reo Māori every last Sunday
of the month in the hall side lounge
11.30am to 12.30pm.
Tea and cake provided

Next Meeting - 24th November

Yarn and Yarns

7PM—First Wednesday of the Month
in the Youth Rooms
RSVP to Elizabeth at
egngan@gmail.com

Next Meeting - 6th November

City Mission Needs Our Help!!

**Families are struggling
to make ends meet.**

On a Sunday, if you are able to bring a can
of spaghetti, tomatoes, vegetables, soup,
fruit, meat, fish, sauces, creamed rice, etc.



for the
**City Mission help
Aucklanders
in desperate need!**

**A huge thank you to all who
support this wonderful cause.**

Opportunities for Prayer at St George's

Saturday Morning Prayer: Weekly prayer meeting in the Pastoral Care Room. 8.30am –
9.30am. All welcome. Contact Malcolm taylors_nz@xtra.co.nz

Prayer Ministry: After every service there are people available for prayer. All those offering
prayer have been trained to pray with others.

Confidential Prayer Chain: For prayer requests contact: Lynette Wood
dandlwood@gmail.com or phone 021 208 3561

SERMON SERIES



THE BREAD OF LIFE
THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD
THE DOOR
THE GOOD SHEPHERD
THE RESURRECTION AND THE LIFE
THE WAY, THE TRUTH, THE LIFE
THE TRUE VINE



“Empowering people to be Christ’s followers in the world.”

**SUNDAY SERVICE, 27 Oct
10.00am**

THEME: “I AM - The Door”

SPEAKER: Jeremy Woods

READINGS: Psalm 118:19-24; Revelation 3:7-8, 20-22, 4:1a;
John 9:39-10:10

VERSE OF THE DAY: John 10:9 I am the door. If anyone enters by
me, he will be saved and will go in and out and find pasture.

Wednesday
Morning
10am
Service



WEDNESDAY SERVICE, 30 Oct - 10.00am

SPEAKER: Judy Carey

Mark 1: 21-34 - “By whose authority?”

NEXT SUNDAY, 3 Nov - 10.00am

SPEAKER: Josh Jones - “Resurrection and the Life”

**VISITORS ... It's great to have you worshipping with us today.
Please join us for morning tea in the hall after the service.**