

SAVE THE DATE

2025 AGM

Wednesday
19th March

St G's 2025 Contact Book

NEW CONTACT
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AVAILABLE NOW
COLLECT FROM THE
BACK OF THE CHURCH



St Valentines Day BBQ

for life-giving conversation St G's men and the men resident
at Elizabeth Knox Home.

2:00 pm Friday 14th February

Join other St G's men. Just bring yourself and a few life stories to share.
For catering purposes, email or phone your availability to Steve Barnett

Steve.Barnett.clear@gmail.com

ph 021672107

Welcome Back Lunch on the Lawn

16th February

Bring a plate to share
Drinks will be supplied



Opportunities for Prayer at St George's

Saturday Morning Prayer: Weekly prayer meeting in the Pastoral Care Room. 8.30am – 9.30am. Contact Neil, nd.broom@auckland.ac.nz for more information. All welcome.

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

Confidential Prayer Chain: Contact: Lynette Wood dandlwood@gmail.com
or phone 021 208 3561.

All requests welcome.



Welcome to our service today! 🌸

This morning is our first week of Kid's Church for 2025!! 🎉

We look forward to hearing all about your Christmas and summer break and hope and pray the start of the new school year goes really well 😊



God bless you,

Jess, Hayley and the team



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 - 23rd February

Mainly Music

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

Enquiries: please contact Hayley Lewis on 027 435 5488



Term 1 Classes begin

Tuesday 25th February - English classes from beginner to advanced levels

Thursday 27th February - English classes using the Bible

Classes are from 10am-12 pm in the church hall and youth rooms.



If anyone would like to be involved in this wonderful ministry please [Contact: Jo Bissett 0211055347](mailto:Jo.Bissett@stgeorges.org.nz),
[David Blaker 0273165173](mailto:David.Blaker@stgeorges.org.nz) or [Lynette Wood 0212083561](mailto:Lynette.Wood@stgeorges.org.nz)

Please Join Us For Morning Tea

You are invited to stay for morning tea in the Hall after the service.



five marks of mission

**Tell. Teach. Tend.
Transform. Treasure.**



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

SUNDAY SERVICE, 2 February
10.00am

THEME: *“FIVE MARKS OF MISSION - Transform”*

SPEAKER: Jeremy Woods

READINGS: Isaiah 42:1-7; Psalm 133; Ephesians 2:13-18;
John 13:12-17

VERSE OF THE DAY: Psalm 133:1 **“How good and pleasant it is
when God’s people live together in unity!”**

NEXT SUNDAY, 9 February - 10.00am

“FIVE MARKS OF MISSION - Tell”

SPEAKER: Josh Jones

VISITORS ... It’s great to have you worshipping with us today.

We hope you feel at home here and we would love to see you again.

Reflection from Rev Josh Jones

Today is another significant day in our St George's journey to be a worshipping community centred in the redeeming, restoring mission of the Holy Trinity. We begin our sermon series exploring the 5 Marks of Mission as expressed by the world-wide Church communion. We have made it core to our ministry to re-visit these core expressions of our faith each year. A quote from David Bosch and his book Transforming Mission reminds us why.

"Mission is understood as being derived from the very nature of God within the context of the Holy Trinity. God the Father sending the Son, and God the Father and the Son sending the Spirit is expanded to include yet another "movement": Father, Son, and Holy Spirit sending the church into the world."

We are a 'gathered 'people to be a 'sent' people. The salt and light of Christ to our troubled world. God's image bearers of peace, love, mercy and justice. As I pointed out last week, with the unprecedented reach of technology we are now confronted with a relentless bombardment of different voices calling for our attention and allegiance.

So how we embody and live out the calling of these 5 Marks of Mission confronts us with a different wisdom challenge as culture evolves, which is why we revisit them each year.

Today Jeremy will begin our series with the mark of mission to **Transform unjust structures of society, to challenge violence of every kind and pursue peace and reconciliation.**

*If this is not a place where tears are understood,
where do I go to cry?*

*If this is not a place where my spirits can take wing,
where do I go to fly?*

*If this is not a place where my questions can be asked,
where do I go to seek?*

*If this is not a place where my feelings can be heard,
where do I go to speak?*

*If this is not a place where you'll accept me as I am,
where do I go to be me?*

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