

St Andrew's Presbyterian Church Hamilton



12 October 2025

Week of Prayer for World Peace

9.30am Kiwi Service – Rev Kelly Gilson

Organ: Trevor Gibbs

11.30am Korean Service

Rev Tae Ju Ham

St Andrew's Mission

To worship and work with God
in the world



St Andrew's Vision

A bridge to the city ...
where love and friendship meet

This service is streamed on
<https://www.facebook.com/St.AndrewsPresbyterianHamilton>

*Welcome to worship; Kia ora tatou; 환영합니다 (hwan-yeonghabnida);
An-nyeoung ha-se-yo?; Akwaaba; Banuram; Bula Vinaka; Emedi o;
Kedu! Nnool; Kia orana; Malo e lelei; Namaste; Nimen hao;
Salaam; Talofa lava; Välkommen; Welkom*

**Please stand as you are able*

Call to worship (from the Iona Community)

Jesus invites us to a way of celebration,
meeting and feasting with the humble and poor.

Let us walk His way with joy.

Jesus beckons us to a way of risk, letting go of our security.

Let us walk His way with joy.

Jesus challenges us to listen to the voices
of those who have nothing to lose.

Let us walk His way with joy.

Jesus points us to a way of self giving,
where power and status are overturned.

Let us walk His way with joy.

Jesus calls us to follow the way of the cross,
where despair is transformed by the promise of new life.

Let us walk His way with joy!

Hymn – Come and Find the Quiet Centre (FFS 10)*

Prayer of thanksgiving and confession

Recite – The Lord's Prayer

Welcome, notices and community time

Choir – Behold I Am the Lord

Children's moment

Hymn – How Happy You Who Work for Peace (AA 63, tune WOV 173)*

Bible reading (Henry Ota)
– James 5:13-20 (NRSV)

Sermon – How to be Church

*Offertory hymn** – What a Friend We Have in
Jesus (CH4 547)

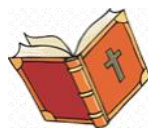
*Dedication of the offering**

Prayers for others (Marilyn Orchard)

*Hymn** – Lord, Make us Servants of Your Peace
(CH4 527, tune O Waly Waly WOV 453)

Benediction – Now Unto Him (SS 154)

Lectionary Readings



19 October 2025

Jer 31:27-34

Ps 119:97-104

2 Tim 3:14-4:5

Lk 18:1-8

Following the worship service, organists usually play a postlude (music as we exit). You are welcome to stay seated in your pew to listen to it played through. Equally, please feel free to leave the church for your other commitments.

Eco Church Website: <https://www.ecochurch.org.nz>



2 Corinthians 9:7 – God loves a cheerful giver (NKJV)

St Andrew's depends on the generous giving of members and friends.
If you would like to make a donation, our church BNZ bank account details are:

St Andrew's Presbyterian Church - Hamilton 02-0316-0046144-000
(Please include your Name or Giving Number in the Reference)

If you would like to use planned giving, please contact the Church Office (ph 854 9737)

'Like' us on Facebook!



We would like to encourage you to 'Like'
St Andrew's Presbyterian Church Hamilton's Facebook
page (<http://tiny.cc/FBStAndrewsHnNZ>). The more
'Like's we get, the more people get to know about
St Andrew's.

Election of Members to Parish Council

At the Annual General Meeting – date to be confirmed shortly – the congregation will be asked to elect three persons to the Parish Council. The names and brief details about each of these persons Parish Council has discerned as being suitable to be elected to Parish Council have been emailed to parishioners. Copies are also available this morning in the church or can be requested from the church office. Our Book of Order states "A church council must nominate office-bearers for election by the congregation." Ordination and/or induction will take place at a later date.

If a member of the congregation wishes to object to any of the persons recommended by Parish Council for election, they can provide in writing to graemekitto1945@gmail.com by 5.00 pm on Friday 10 October 2025 the name or names of those persons and the reasons for the objection.

Graeme Kitto, Parish Clerk



Free For You

One person's surplus could be another's solution. If you have an item you would like to hand on to someone else, simply email a brief description to Jacky at the church office, along with your contact number. Let's help each other and reduce waste – together!

Edinburgh portable cot

Excellent condition. Only used for occasional grandchildren visits. Navy with Honey Bear pattern. Mesh sides and mesh on one end, other end heavy fabric with outside pocket.

Complete assembly instructions in pocket. Folds to fit into convenient waterproof carry-bag. Separate mattress included.

Robinhood ironing board

Cabinet attaches to the wall, built-in light and ironing power point with safety timer.

(Retail new ~\$580.)

Contact Betty on 021 728 575



THIS WEEK AT ST ANDREW'S

Monday 13 October

9.30am Mini Movers

Tuesday 14 October

10.00am Bowls group

10.00am Craft group in church lounge

Thursday 16 October

9.30am Social & Ecumenical Action committee meeting

11.15am *Let's Pray* prayer group in the church lounge

7.30pm Resource Management committee meeting

Saturday 18 October

11.00am Choir practice

3.00pm Parents Get-Together at Magical Bridge playground,
Claudelands Park

Sunday 19 October (White Sunday)

9.30am Kiwi service

11.00am Worship committee meeting

11.30am Korean service

11.30am Multicultural Youth service



Rosters	12 October	19 October
Service Elder	Marian Carmichael	Helen Hopkins
Convenor	Graeme Carmichael	Bryce Hopkins
Door duty	Ebony Maraki	Neville Woodcock
Finance	Helen & Bryce Hopkins	Bea Brazendale
AV Operator	Peter Gault	David Roberts
Streaming Operator	Asif Babar	Butch Rothman
Organ/Piano	Trevor Gibbs	Trevor Gibbs
Bible Reader	Henry Ota	Children
Intercessory Prayer	Marilyn Orchard	Children
Morning Tea	Jerome & Maria Chuang	Ruth & David Barrowclough and Chris Walker

Prayer Chain Co-ordinator

Elaine Riddell
(mob 027 489 6938, email
a.e.riddell@gmail.com)

A MULTICULTURAL YOUTH SERVICE

... is held weekly on **Sundays** in the **Media Room in The Link** from **11.30am**. This service is for those who are younger – from Year 7 to young adults.

**11:30
TO
12:30**

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Hamilton Multicultural Youth service

Youth
SERVICE

Free lunch will be provided after services

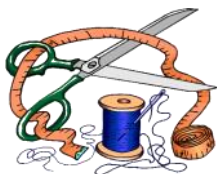
Place | **The Link**
4 Te Aroha St.
Hamilton EAST 3216

Yohan Oh
020 444 4161

They also have a range of other fun activities at other times.

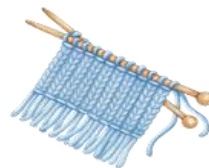
This is a great space to make friends and journey together with others in learning about our Christian faith.

Any questions – please contact
Rev Yo Han on 020 444 4161



Craft Group

Tuesday 14 October at 10.00am
in the church lounge



Please join us for a cuppa, conversation and crafting
All women welcome

Rianna (mob 021 037 8610) Margaret (ph 856 3923)



Communion Table & Cross

The communion table and a large wooden cross (about two metres high) from Knox Christian Centre is available for anyone who wants them. All reasonable offers considered.

Contact Martyn (mob 021 970 862)



Church Telephone Books Available

In an effort to maintain the privacy of our parishioners, the Church Telephone Book is now only available upon request from the Church Secretary, *and* if the requestor is already on our Parish database.

Please contact the Church Secretary if you would like a PDF version emailed to you (no charge) or if you wish to collect a printed version (A5 size \$3.00, A4 size \$5.00).





Health & Safety
Please note where the Exits
and Evacuation Point are located



LINK HOUSE FOOD BANK

We encourage you to consider bringing **"Rice, Pasta & sauces + canned fish"** during **October**, to help out the single parents in emergencies. Examples include foods such as dry pasta, rice, macaroni elbows, spaghetti, and instant noodles. Also very welcome will be accompaniments such as tinned tomatoes, pasta sauces, and sachets.

These are suggestions but you can, of course, bring other sorts of long-life food, if you wish. If you have surplus fresh fruit or veges, please phone Link House on 839 1051 to see if your produce could be of immediate use and make direct arrangements with them.



St Andrew's collection basket is in the foyer as you come in for worship. Please bag items in paper bags if necessary, not plastic. Food must be in original packaging and unopened.

Thanks!

*Social and Ecumenical
Action Committee*



Minister

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Multicultural Youth Minister

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The Link Manager (Mon to Fri 8.00am–5.00pm)

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Email: manager@standrewshamilton.org.nz

Church Office (Mon to Fri 9.00am–3.30pm)

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**Deadline
for bulletin notices:
Wednesday (9.00am)**