

*St Andrew's Presbyterian Church
Hamilton*



*Interfaith
Service*

28 June 2026

9.30am Kiwi Interfaith Service – Rev Kelly Gilson

Organ: Phyllipa Fraser

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! Nnoo; Kia orana; Malo e lelei; Namaste;
Nimen hao; Salaam; Talofa lava; Welkom*

**Please stand as you are able*

*Call to worship**

We gather to worship together

**Different people, different lives,
different histories, different faiths**

Drawn by God's presence

We gather

Inspired by God's Spirit

We worship

Empowered by God's grace

We live

Opened by God's love

We share

Hymn – The Servant Song (AA 8)*

Prayer of thanksgiving and confession (Graeme Kitto)

Recite – The Lord's Prayer

(from the Indigenous People of the Great Plains, USA)

Welcome, notices and community time

Children's moment

Choir – Blest Be the Tie that Binds

Bible reading (Asif Babar Rana) – Matthew 5:1-11 (NRSV)

Hymn – Let Justice Roll Down (AA 85)*

Message (Mohamad Nor)

*Offertory hymn**

– Make Me a Channel of Your Peace
(CH4 528, tune Prayer of St Francis)

*Dedication of the offering**

Prayers for others (Ron Dick)

Hymn – Where the Road Runs Out*
(AA 156, tune Columbus WOV 672)

Benediction (Minister)*

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.

Lectionary Readings



5 July 2026

Gen 24:34-38,
42-49, 58-67

Ps 45:10-17
or Song Sol 2:8-13

Rom 7:15-25a

Mt 11:16-19, 25-30



Cash Flow Summary – May 2026

Below are the inwards and outwards cash flows for May 2026.

\$54,469 cash revenue was received in May 2026

\$35,830	from donations
\$18,639	from The Link
\$0	from other income

\$49,458 cash expenditure was outlaid in May 2026

\$31,185	on stipends, salaries and rent
\$2,410	on national and presbytery monthly levies
\$155	on outreach (\$155 pledged monthly to CWS and Presbyterian Support)
\$7,412	for regular monthly expenses (eg, cleaning, electricity, etc)
\$9,809	for other costs (eg, light fittings, tune organ, etc)
Less (\$1,513)	from overheads recovery

Whenever outgoings exceed income, it is necessary to draw on cash reserves. On 31 May 2026, untagged cash reserves were approximately \$4,800.

Autumn 2026 Appeal

Update to Tuesday 23 June 2026

In March this year the decision was made to proceed with an Autumn Appeal to help replenish our church's general cash reserve by financial year end. To achieve this, I set a goal of raising at least \$43,000 (but hopefully closer to \$50,000). This reserve is used mainly to fund the annual insurance premium payable each August as well as covering for those months when expenditure exceeds receipts.

The past year's economic situation has negatively impacted both gross revenue from The Link (so far by about \$22,000) and the ability of receipts from regular donations to make up for this shortfall. Although we started the year with a healthy balance of \$46,900 in the general cash reserve, withdrawals of \$26,600 for insurance, \$4,000 for replacing out-dated computer equipment and broken folding tables, and sundry drawings to cover any other months when receipts were less than cash spent.

At the end of last month, \$9,000 was held in general cash reserve and an additional \$6,000 was held with the bank. The \$15,000 combined cash balance was after \$35,550 having been received from the Autumn Appeal. No further Autumn Appeal donations have been received since 31 May 2026

The church financial year ends on 30 June (next Tuesday), so there is still an opportunity for anyone who wishes to add to the general cash reserve to donate over these last few days.

Your donation can be made electronically either at your bank or on-line to the church's bank account: **02-0316-0046144-000**. Please include either your **name** or your **envelope number** in the Particulars field and enter "**Autumn**" in the Reference field. The bank account details can also be found in the weekly Sunday church service bulletin.

Thank you very much to those of you who have contributed. All donations are truly appreciated.

Fraser Annals, Parish Treasurer

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(<http://tiny.cc/FBStAndrewsHnNZ>)

THIS WEEK AT ST ANDREW'S

Monday 29 June

9.30am Mini Movers

Tuesday 30 June

10.00am Bowls group

Wednesday 1 July

7.00pm Men's Gathering – star-gazing at Hamilton Observatory

Thursday 2 July

9.30am *Let's Pray* prayer group in church lounge

Friday 3 July

5.00pm Proud Pray-ers

Saturday 4 July

11.00am Choir practice

Sunday 5 July

9.30am Kiwi communion service

11.30am Korean service

11.30am Multicultural Youth service

Prayer Chain Co-ordinator

Elaine Riddell

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Rosters	28 June	5 July
Service Elder	Marian Carmichael	Marian Carmichael
Convenor	Graeme Carmichael	Graeme Carmichael
Door duty	Betty Peck	Betty Peck
Finance	Ross & Beryl Williams	Butch & Rianna Rothman
AV Operator Streaming Operator	Graeme Kitto Daniel Foo	Peter Gault Butch Rothman
Organ/Piano	Phyllipa Fraser	Phyllipa Fraser
Bible Reader	Asif Babar Rana	Nathaniel Kissi
Intercessory Prayer	Ron Dick	Daniel Foo
Morning Tea	Butch & Rianna Rothman & Shagufta Babar	Maria & Jerome Chuang

A MULTICULTURAL YOUTH SERVICE

... is held weekly on **Sundays from 11.30am**. This service is for those who are younger – from Year 7 to young adults.

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 Yohan on 020 444 4161.

11:30 TO 12:30

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



THE BEATITUDES

MATTHEW 5:1-11

- Blessed are they who are poor in spirit,*
for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
- Blessed are they who mourn,*
for they shall be comforted.
- Blessed are they who are meek,*
for they shall inherit the earth.
- Blessed are they who hunger and thirst for righteousness,*
for they shall be satisfied.
- Blessed are they who are merciful,*
for they shall receive mercy.
- Blessed are they who are pure in heart,*
for they shall see God.
- Blessed are they who are peacemakers,*
for they shall be called sons of God.
- Blessed are they who are persecuted for righteousness sake,*
for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
- Blessed are you when others revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven.*

"Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven."

MATTHEW 5:12



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)



ARE YOU INTERESTED IN
EXPLORING THE 'ESSENTIAL
MOVEMENTS' OF CHRISTIAN
WORSHIP? OR PERHAPS YOU'RE
INVOLVED WITH WORSHIP IN YOUR
CHURCH?

DON'T MISS FAITHWORKS'
INTERACTIVE WORKSHOP,
***"LIVING WORSHIP: WHAT IT IS,
AND WHY WE DO IT"***
4 JULY, 2026, 9:00–12:00

VENUE: ST ANDREWS
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
4 TE AROHA ST, HAMILTON
(\$10 KOHA SUGGESTED)



Register by sending your name, e-mail, and church to: help@faithworkshamilton.com

Register early, and preferably no later than
June 30

If you have questions, contact Lydia
Johnson at: lydiafullerj@gmail.com

Faithworks is an ecumenical initiative of Hamilton-area churches to enhance faith formation and growth through learning that 'connects faith and life'.



Health & Safety

Please note where the Exits
and Evacuation Point are located



LINK HOUSE FOOD BANK

Single Parent Services is extremely grateful for the ongoing support for our single-parent whānau provided by the congregation of St Andrew's. Your generosity continues to make a real and tangible difference. In a season where many households are stretched, your kindness helps parents in Hamilton keep their cupboards stocked and their tamariki well fed. When the basics are available, families can breathe a little easier and focus on thriving rather than simply getting by.

Our focus for **July** is **everyday pantry staples** for cooking and baking. Items such as flour, sugar, rice, pasta, cooking oil, salt, spices, baking powder, cocoa, tinned tomatoes, long-life milk, and other shelf-stable ingredients are especially helpful. These essentials allow families to prepare nourishing meals at home without added financial pressure. All donations must be non-perishable, unopened, and in their original packaging. Every contribution, large or small, is a practical expression of compassion. Thank you for continuing to uplift our community with your generosity.



If you happen to have surplus fresh fruit or veges, please call Lou at our office on 07 839 1051. She will let you know if your produce can be of immediate use.

If you need to bag items, paper bags are preferred. Our collection basket is in the foyer as you enter the church.

With sincere gratitude,
Social and Ecumenical Action Committee

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