

Newsletter February 2016

Saint Columba Church, Surrey Crescent
The Anglican Parish of Grey Lynn.



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The Parish office is open on Tuesday to Friday from 11am to 3pm and is the first point of contact for all parish and Community Centre enquiries and bookings, including Baptism and Weddings.

Join us for Worship

Sunday

10 am Holy Eucharist with Hymns

and activities for the children followed by morning tea .

11.30 am Morning Tea

1 pm Houa Lotu Faka`tonga
 (Tongan Language)

Tuesday

12 pm Midday Prayer

Wednesday

12pm Meditation, Communion.

Thursday

12 pm Midday Prayer

Friday

12pm Midday Prayer

Pastoral Care

Pastoral ministry at Lynton Lodge Rest home. Services are held on the 1st Thursday of the month for residents, staff and family.

Home communion and Visiting.

Holy Communion is distributed to people in their homes when they are prevented by illness from participating in Sunday Eucharist. If you know of someone in hospital or at home who would like to receive Communion or a pastoral visit please contact the parish office.

Healing Eucharist every fourth Sunday in the month prayers of healing and anointing with oil will be offered during communion.

The Selwyn Centre at St. Columba

A wonderful supportive social gathering of local elderly and not so elderly. Activities, exercises classes, guest speakers and a shared lunch are organised every Tuesday from 10.30am-1pm. Volunteers and new participants are welcomed. A \$5 contribution . For further information please contact the parish office

	7-Feb-16	10-Feb-16 Ash	14-Feb-16	19-Feb-16	21-Feb-16	28-Feb-16
Welcomers	Huia & Trish		Ben			
Celebrant	Brent		Brent			
Preacher	Brent		Brent			
Liturgist	Tricia		Liz			
Children	Brent		Brent			
Music	Christina		Christina			
Reader 1	Christian		Maralynn			
Reader 2	Ben		Anne			
Prayers	Huia & Tahu		Liz			
Servers	Tahu/Hemi		Tatyana			
Chalice	Daniel/Huia		Liz & Maralynn			
Morning Tea	Swann's		Liz & Halls			
	6-Mar-16	13-Mar-16	20-Mar-16	24-Mar-16	25-Mar-16	27-Mar-16
Celebrant						
Preacher						
Liturgist						
Music						
Reader 1						
Reader 2						
Prayers						
Morning Tea						

Parish Diary at a Glance

February

2nd 11am: Selwyn Centre
 12pm: Midday Prayer
3rd 12pm: Midday Prayer
4th 10.30: Lynton Lodge
 12pm: Midday Prayer
5th 12pm: Midday Prayer
6th 12pm: Midday Prayer

7th 10am: 5th Sunday Ordinary
Preacher: Brent Swann
Luke 5: 1-11
1 pm: Houa Lotu Faka`Tonga

9th 11am: Selwyn Centre
 12pm: Midday Prayer
10th 12pm Midday Prayer
6pm Ash Wednesday Eucharist
11th 12pm Midday Prayer
12th 12pm: Midday Prayer

14th 10am: 1st Sunday in Lent
Preacher: Brent Swann
Luke 4: 1-13
11.45am: Vestry Meeting
1 pm: Houa Lotu Faka`Tonga

16th 11am: Selwyn Centre
 12pm: Midday Prayer
17th 12pm: Midday Prayer
18th 12pm: Midday Prayer
19th 12pm: Midday Prayer
6.30pm: Eucharist celebrating 20
years of ordination and ministry.
Rev`ds Brent Swann, Anne Moody
and John Blundel
21st 10am: 2nd Sunday in Lent
Preacher: Brent Swann
Luke 13:31- 35.
1 pm: Houa Lotu Faka`Tonga

23rd 11am: Selwyn Centre
 12pm: Midday Prayer
24th 12pm: Midday Prayer
25th 12pm: Midday Prayer
26th 12pm: Midday Prayer

28th 10am: 3rd Sunday in Lent
Preacher: Ben Hall
Luke 3:7-18
1 pm: Houa Lotu Faka`tonga

March

1st 11am: Selwyn Centre
 12pm: Midday Prayer
2nd 12pm: Midday Prayer
3rd 10.30am: Lynton Lodge
 12pm: Midday Prayer
4th 12pm: Midday Prayer

6th 10am: 4th Sunday in Lent
Preacher: Tricia Hall
Luke 15:1-39, 11b-32
Training for liturgists, readers & servers
8th 11am: Selwyn Centre
 12pm: Midday Prayer
9th 12pm: Midday Prayer
10th 12pm: Midday Prayer
11th 12pm: Midday Prayer

13th 10am: 5th Sunday in Lent
Preacher: Brent Swann
John 12:1-8
11.45am: Vestry Meeting
1 pm: Houa Lotu Faka`Tonga

15th 11am: Selwyn Centre
 12pm: Midday Prayer
16th 12pm: Midday Prayer
17th 12pm: Midday Prayer
18th 12pm: Midday Prayer

For Our Prayers

Please continue to pray for the ministry and mission of St. Columba. Let us pray for the world, the effects of war and terrorism on the innocent. Let us pray for our youth as they begin this year with School, university, work and seeking work. Inspire them with excitement, hope and a knowing that God is with them.

Working Bee

Working Bee at St. Columba
Saturday 13th of February start 9am.
Focus: Inside Church & Gardens
Meeting for Gardeners
20th February 11am

Vestry Meeting

Sunday 14th February
11:45am
 straight after morning tea.

We need towels, soap, shampoo, deodorant and shaving gear supplies available for some people using St. Columba Hall showers
Contact the office

GENEROUS GIVING

St Columba depends on the generous giving of members and friends. If you would like to make a donation or support our work through planned giving, please contact our Parish Office. Bank account for donations is: St Columba Anglican Church BNZ 02 0280 0048008 01.

Ash Wednesday
Eucharist
10th February
6pm Wednesday



An invitation to a service
celebrating
20 years of Ordained
Ministry
Reverend Brent Swann
Reverend Anne Moody and
Venerable John Blundell

St. Columba Church
19th February
Friday Evening 6.30 pm

Training for Liturgists and Servers and Readers

Sunday 6 March 11:45 am
 straight after the service.
Anyone interested in participating
In these roles are welcome to attend.