

Services coming up

Sunday 16th September: 4:30pm, On the Couch

Thursday 20th September: 10:15am

Sunday 23rd September: 10am, Michael H

Next Sunday Duty Roster

Morning Tea: Hartfield's, Matt and Becs

Prayers: Trent **Readings:** Dean

Regular events

Wednesday Women's group

If interested please contact Vaine
Ph: 3873090

Thursday Service

Every Thursday at 10:15am

On The Couch

Evening gathering 1st & 3rd Sundays. If interested please speak to Andrew
Contact Donna for info:
027 210 0063

Brews & Bible

Upton or Michael Hartfield.

Prayer requests

- **Pray for those in our church and wider community to know God as a good and loving parent who longs to bring life and freedom to His children.**
- Pray for Splendid Drop, our Compassionfest event. That many people who wouldn't normally come to a church will come and be moved by Suzanne Aubert's story.
- Pray for Japan, as it recovers from the twin natural disasters of typhoon and earthquake.
- For those in our community who are sick or grieving.
- For Godly play and children's ministry for our kids to know God's love for them in a meaningful way.
- For God's provision for the wall project.

As a church we support those in our church family. If there are any requests for financial support, please let the People's Warden know.

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ST HILDA'S ANGLICAN CHURCH GRAPEVINE



Haere mai, welcome to our service

Sunday 16th September 2018

Today at the 10:00am service:

Matthew: Love your neighbour as yourself

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Deuteronomy 5:1-22; Luke 10:25-37

Please join us for morning tea after the service.

NOTICE BOARD

Upcoming events

- **Tonight:** Cathedral Choral Evensong, 5pm-6:15pm
- **September 30th:** Growing Great Marriages and Relationships, 7:30pm at Baptist Church, \$10, tickets www.parentingplace.nz
- **October 5th-7th:** Compassion Fest. Festival celebrating the life of Suzanne Aubert. See <http://www.ibpc.org.nz/> for details.
- **November 2-4th:** Retreat: Pilgrimage - the ups and downs of our faith journey at H.O.C. See poster for details.
- **November 17th:** Diocesan ordination and hui.

Team training day

Over 250 people attended team training day last weekend, and our very own Summer co-presented a workshop on social justice!

Sisters of Compassion Permanent Exhibition

An exhibition on the Sisters of Compassion is opening at Home of Compassion from. If you haven't seen the new facilities, it's worth checking out, there's even a beautiful and quiet café.

Calling artists

A non-juried exhibition of art on the theme of compassion to run alongside Compassion Fest. The entry fee is \$5 per work (2 works maximum). All work can be for sale, though "Not for Sale" can be specified. From the sale of work, 10% will be deducted for the Soup Kitchen. Please see exhibitors form in foyer.

Giving to St Hilda's

You can give electronically to St Hilda's by depositing money into: 01-0505-0087551-00. Provide details in the reference to ensure you receive a giving receipt.

Splendid Drop!

Our contribution to Compassionfest is a home brew beer tasting event, with five home brews and a beer brewed by Tuatara especially for this event! The event is Saturday 6th October, at 7:30pm. We will be weaving a narrative through Suzanne Aubert's life through the tasting notes of the beers. Tickets are \$25 and can be purchased at www.eventfinda.co.nz/2018/splendid-drop/wellington.

Compassion Fest

Compassion Fest is a festival celebrating the life of Suzanne Aubert put on by the churches in Island Bay (5th-6th October). Some of the events in the Schedule include:

- **Taize service:** Reflective service @ Home of Compassion Fri 5 Oct, 7-8pm
- **Kids Fest:** Fun, craft, cooking, food art & learning activities Presbyterian Church, Sat 6 Oct, 10am-2pm
- **"Small steps in big shoes"** - Children's tour of Home of Compassion. Walk up with trolleys and food donations to the Home; be guided through a Mother Aubert 'experience'. Sat 6 Oct. Leaves the church 2.10pm; tour 2.45-4pm.
- **"Suzanne's Island Bay"** Mother Aubert knew her local community inside out. Take a 1900's trip with the Historical Society. Baptist church, Sat 6 Oct 5pm followed by soup for all.
- **Splendid Drop** A beer tasting event featuring six styles of homebrew. R18. St Hilda's, Sat 6 Oct 7:30-9.30pm. \$25.
- **What's Compassion got to do with running a Country?** A symposium with politicians and theologians - feat. Hon. Paul Eagle, Hon. Chris Finlayson, Prof Chris Marshall, Janna Dennison and Sister Catherine Hannan. @ H.O.C. Sun 7 Oct, 7.30pm.

Today's Verse

"You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbour as yourself."

- Luke 10:27 (NASB)