

ANGLICAN PARISH OF MILFORD
St Paul's-by-the-Sea, Milford

Sunday 22nd May 2016
Trinity Sunday



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TODAY

8.00am – Blue Book

9.30am – 404 NZPB

Sentence – You O Lord reign forever; your throne endures from generation to generation. Lamentations 5:19

Collect – God of unchangeable power, you have revealed yourself to us as Father, Son and Holy Spirit; keep us firm in the faith that we may praise and bless your holy name; for you are one God now and forever. Amen

Today's Hymns

Introit	530 Hidden Christ, alive forever
Gradual	290 Holy, holy, holy, Lord God almighty
Offertory	38 God, we praise you!
Dismissal	597 God, whose almighty word

Readings today Sunday 22nd May

1st Reading – Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31

Epistle – Romans 5:1-5

Gospel – John 16:12-15

Readers 8.00am – Brynyce Owen and Mary Griffiths

Readers 9.30am – Priscilla Philip and Tex Riley

Proverbs 8:1-4,22-31

Does not wisdom call, and does not understanding raise her voice?
On the heights, beside the way, at the crossroads she takes her stand;
beside the gates in front of the town, at the entrance of the portals she cries out: "To you, O people, I call, and my cry is to all that live. The LORD created me at the beginning of his work, the first of his acts of long ago. Ages ago I was set up, at the first, before the beginning of the earth. When there were no depths I was brought forth, when there were no springs abounding with water. Before the mountains had been shaped, before the hills, I was brought forth—when he had not yet made earth and fields, or the world's first bits of soil. When he established the heavens, I was there, when he drew a circle on the face of the deep,

when he made firm the skies above, when he established the fountains of the deep, when he assigned to the sea its limit, so that the waters might not transgress his command, when he marked out the foundations of the earth, then I was beside him, like a master worker; and I was daily his delight, rejoicing before him always, rejoicing in his inhabited world and delighting in the human race.

Romans 5:1-5

Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

John 16:12-15

"I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.

Prayers for the sick –

We remember in our prayers today - Briar, Robyn, Bob and Gabrielle, Simon and Carol. And we remember parishioners and residents in Milford Park Place, Milford Road, Napolean Avenue, Ocean View Road.

This Week

Tuesday 24	Selwyn Centre 9.30 to 12.00. Cost \$3.00. Join in good conversation, friendship and fun. Vestry 7pm.
Wednesday 25	10.00am Holy Communion followed by morning tea.
Thursday 26	10.00am Mainly Music.
Sunday 29	Services 8.00am and 9.30am Holy Communion.

Readings for next Sunday 29th May

1st Reading – 1 Kings 18: 20-21, 30-39

Epistle – Galatians 1: 1-12

Gospel – Luke 7: 1-10

Readers 8.00am – Mary Chamberlain and Mary Griffiths

Readers 9.30am – Marion Chiswell and Maureen Christensen

Special A.G.M. Sunday 12th June to Ratify the Audited Parish Accounts- Megan will present the Parish Accounts at a short meeting to be held after each service.

Trade Me – Is there someone in the parish who would like to place goods on trade me for us. Please see Grant. Thank you if you can help.

Jars – Jim needs more jars so that when it is time to make marmalade he has sufficient jars. If you don't know the ones he requires please speak with him.