



St John's
Being the Gospel to all People

Sunday

A very warm welcome is extended to all visitors to St Johns. Morning tea is offered after the service today so please stay and enjoy.

29 March 2026

Scripture Reading: Luke 19: 28-40

New Living Translation

Jesus' Triumphant Entry

²⁸ After telling this story, Jesus went on toward Jerusalem, walking ahead of his disciples. ²⁹ As he came to the towns of Bethphage and Bethany on the Mount of Olives, he sent two disciples ahead. ³⁰ "Go into that village over there," he told them. "As you enter it, you will see a young donkey tied there that no one has ever ridden. Untie it and bring it here. ³¹ If anyone asks, 'Why are you untying that colt?' just say, 'The Lord needs it.'"

³² So they went and found the colt, just as Jesus had said. ³³ And sure enough, as they were untying it, the owners asked them, "Why are you untying that colt?"

³⁴ And the disciples simply replied, "The Lord needs it." ³⁵ So they brought the colt to Jesus and threw their garments over it for him to ride on.

³⁶ As he rode along, the crowds spread out their garments on the road ahead of him. ³⁷ When he reached the place where the road started down the Mount of Olives, all of his followers began to shout and sing as they walked along, praising God for all the wonderful miracles they had seen.

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38 "Blessings on the King who comes in the name of the LORD!
Peace in heaven, and glory in highest heaven!"^[a]

39 But some of the Pharisees among the crowd said, "Teacher, rebuke your followers for saying things like that!"

40 He replied, "If they kept quiet, the stones along the road would burst into cheers!"

Hymns:

1. Hosanna in the highest
2. Majesty
3. Shout to the Lord
4. I rather have Jesus

THIS WEEK 30 March – 05 April

Monday 30 March

Tuesday 31 March

Wednesday 01 April

7 pm

AA meeting in foyer

Thursday 02 April

Friday 03 April

Good Friday

Saturday 04 April

Sunday 05 April

9.30 am

Easter Sunday Service

Sunday Preachers - Update

Our Easter Sunday Service is on, and please come and join us as we celebrate together!

We have offers from Viv Coleman for the following Sundays:

29th March, 3rd May, 24th May, 14th June & 19th July

Update to Congregation for 29 March 2026

The decision of the Congregational meeting held on 22 March was conveyed to Presbytery, who informed UCANZ and the partner churches. After discussion, a Commission has been put in place to look at a way forward. The Commission is made up of two members each from the partner churches and two members from Council. Prior commitments mean that the Commission cannot hold its first meeting till 21 April 2026.

Meanwhile services will continue as scheduled. Users and employees will be told that business continues as usual.

As a cooperating parish there are certain procedures we must follow before any final decision can be made.

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Prayer Chain	Judy / Julie D	

Youth Group: TBA

	This Week's Helpers (29 March)	Next Week's Helpers (05 April)
Preacher	Viv Coleman	Judy McDonald
Service Leader	Julie / Mavis	Judy
Musician	Albert & Jeanette	Jeanette & Albert
Projector/Sound Desk	Byron	Mavis
Reader	Olga	Trevor
Intercessor		Joan R
HC set up	N/A	
HC serving	N/A	
Prayer Ministry		
Welcome Desk		
Usher offering	Monita	
Counters	Albert & Monita	Trevor
Morning Tea	Nessie & Betty	