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**1 DECEMBER 2019**

**1ST SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

**TIME OF SERVICE**

**8:00 A.M.      BCP EUCHARIST**

**10:00 A.M.    FAMILY EUCHARIST**

**Welcome to our local Anglican Community in the  
heart of Khandallah and Ngaio**

**The Sentence of the Day**

**Come, let us go up to the mountain of the Lord, to the house  
of the God of Jacob; that he may teach us his ways and that  
we may walk in his paths.**

***Isaiah 2:3a***

**Collect**

**Almighty God,**

**you give us this season to make ourselves ready for the  
coming of your Son.**

**In this time of waiting and hoping,  
assist us to order our lives**

**so that we may be ready to welcome Jesus in the flesh.**

**Through Jesus Christ our Liberator,  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.**

**Amen.**

**Readings**

**Please pray for:**

- **The sick:** Marie, Margaret, Vera, Francis, Stephanie, Bev, Susan & Helen W.
- **In our Parish: Bishop Justin & Bishop Ellie**
- **In our Archdeaconry: Wadestown - St Luke's, Wadestown**
- **In our Diocese: Rongotea – St Simon and St Jude:** Julia Budd (Rick)
- **Partner Parish: St. Eadburgha - Ebrington, Gloucestershire**
- **Partners in Prayer: Diocese of Polynesia — Land in Fiji**

**CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS**

**This Week's Highlights 2 to 8 Dec 2019**

Wednesday	10:00 a.m.	Morning Service followed by morning tea
Sunday	8:00 a.m.	NZPB Eucharist
	10:00 a.m.	Parish Eucharist

<b>11 Dec</b>	<b>TBC</b>	Malvina Major—Combined Churches Carol Service
<b>22 Dec</b>	<b>10:00 a.m.</b>	Lessons & Carols Combined Service
	<b>11:00 a.m.</b>	Family Christmas Celebrations with Activities & Shared Lunch
	<b>12:00 p.m.</b>	Shared Lunch

**To become disciples who make disciples through Jesus, building a supportive community of believers.**

**Advent Reflections 2019**— The reflections booklets have arrived and is available in the back of the church and from the parish office. Thank you to all whom contributed towards this years reflections.

**The Khandallah Churches Combined Advent Service** will be held today at 7:00 p.m.. This year it will be held at Saint Benedicts Catholic Church, 3 Everest Street, Khandallah. We need three parishioners to volunteer to represent Onslow Anglicans during the service. Please speak to Rev. Rosie for more information.

**Brass Cleaning Bee**—There will be a brass cleaning bee on Saturday 7 December from 9.30am to get the church ready for Christmas. All welcome!

**Family Christmas Celebrations & Activities**— Sunday 22 December 11:00 a.m. Please join us after our Lesson's & Carol's Service for fun filled Family Christmas Celebrations & Activities. This will be followed by a shared lunch and all are welcome. Bring a plate to share—Lee Sheppard is our coordinator. *This will be the opportunity for us as a Parish to say a farewell to Rosie and Ted, given that Rosie's last day with the Parish will be Christmas Day?*

**Wellington City Mission—Christmas Star Appeal**— Christmas should be a time of celebration, but for thousands of people across the Wellington region it's filled with anxiety, uncertainty and loneliness.

That's why they have asking us to support their Christmas Star Appeal. By donating or getting involved in one of their appeal activities, you'll make a significant difference in the life of a Wellington family or individual who is struggling. You will be their star this Christmas, bringing them hope, joy and courage by showing that people in their community care.

We have a Star Appeal box in the back of the church for you to place your donations. This box will be returned to them by *Tuesday 17 December*.

Thanks to your generosity in 2018 they provided Christmas food parcels to feed over 3,500 people; they gave 2,100 children new Christmas gifts, and supplied 44 other community service agencies throughout the Wellington region with food and gifts for the people they work with.

# ONSLow ANGLICAN CHURCH

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### Onslow Anglicans Bank Details for tithes and donations

Onslow Anglicans BNZ 02-0536-0257007-000

## BAPTISMS & DEATHS

BAPTISMS	
Safra Kitty Harkness	02-Dec-01
Olivia Grace O'Neill Brown	02-Dec-07
Ian William Moore	03-Dec-00
Andrew James Moore	06-Dec-98
Jack William Michl	06-Dec-98
Nicholas David Bell	07-Dec-97

DEATHS	
Michael Forbes Williams	02-Dec-13
Douglas Laurenson	03-Dec-02
Philip Percy Henley	07-Dec-03

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