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#### **St. Andrew's Church, cnr Blyth & Donegal Sts, Cromwell**

- Tuesdays 8.30 a.m., Meditation.
- Tuesdays 10 a.m., Holy Communion & discussion.

#### **St. Columba's Church, cnr McDougall & Upton Sts, Wanaka**

- Wednesdays 10 a.m., Holy Communion & discussion.
- Mid-week services resume this week.*
- Fridays 12 midday, Meditation.

#### **Tarras Community Church, Church Rd, Tarras**

- 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month, 11 a.m., Eucharist

# Diocese of Dunedin

## ANGLICAN PARISH OF THE UPPER CLUTHA CROMWELL + TARRAS + WANAKA

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### WEEKLY BULLETIN



### Sunday Services

<b>Saint Andrew's, Cromwell</b>	<b>9.00 a.m.</b>
<b>Community Church, Tarras</b>	<b>11.00 a.m.</b>
<i>(2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month)</i>	
<b>Saint Columba's, Wanaka</b>	<b>9.30 a.m.</b>

### Sunday January 29<sup>th</sup>

*The Presentation of Jesus in the Temple  
Celebrant and Preacher – Rev. Barry Entwisle*

**Sentence:** Be renewed in the spirit of your minds, and put on the new nature, created after the likeness of God in righteousness and true holiness

*Ephesians 4:24-24*

**Collect:** Everliving God, your Son Jesus Christ was presented as a child in the temple to be the hope of your people; grant us pure hearts and minds that we may be transformed into his likeness, through Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN.

**Readings:** Malachi 3:1-5; Psalm 46:7-10; Hebrews 2:14-18; Luke 2:22-40

**Liturgy:** 476

*Kia ora! Nau mai, haere mai ki tēnei whare karakia*  
**Greetings! Welcome, welcome to this house of prayer.**

**Next Sunday's Propers**

**Sunday February 5<sup>th</sup>**

*5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time*

*Celebrant and Preacher – Rev. Damon Plimmer*

**Sentence:** **Is not this the fast that I choose, says the Lord: to loose the bonds of injustice, and to let the oppressed go free?** *Isaiah 58:6*

**Collect:** **Great and loving God, you call your people to be salt of the earth and light to the world. Empower us to live in such a way that people may see our good works and give glory to you. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ. AMEN.**

**Readings:** **Isaiah 58:1-9a; Psalm 112:1-9; 1 Corinthians 2:1-12; Matthew 5:13-20**

**Liturgy:** **404**

**Pastoral Matters**

The Parish Office reopens on Tuesday 31 January. In the event of a pastoral emergency, please contact Joan Nolan or Rev. Ken Light.

**Electing a New Bishop**

An electoral synod is planned for the middle of this year. In preparation, archdeacons have been asked to answer the following questions: What do we want to tell any candidate about our Diocese? What do we want to know about any candidate? A meeting of the Central Otago archdeaconry is to take place on Tuesday 7 February. All are welcome.

**Local Committees and Vestry**

St Columba's Wanaka, Wednesday 8 February, 7.30pm;  
Vestry meeting, Tarras Church, Sunday 12 February, 12 midday;  
St Andrew's Cromwell, Tuesday 14 February, 5.00pm.

**Annual General Meeting, 19 March**

The Parish AGM will take place at the Tarras Church on Sunday 19 March, 12 midday. It will be followed by a picnic in the church grounds. Local General Meetings will be held in Wanaka on Sunday 12 March, 11.00am, and in Cromwell on Tuesday 14 March, 5.00pm.

**Please pray for...**

- Our local schools, those returning to the class room;
- The Anglican Diocese of Dunedin;
- Peace and political stability in the Middle East.

*Activities for small children are available at the rear of the church.  
Please join us after the service for light refreshments*

**Smallness by Joy Cowley**

God of endless galaxies  
you come to me in the smallest space  
of my existence, the child space,  
and as often as I claim my littleness  
you meet me with an eagerness of giving.

I receive the jewel of your presence  
in the detail of the moment,  
God in the dew on a cobweb,  
God in the notes of bellbird,  
God in the curve of a fern frond  
and the shining path of a snail.

Love that cannot be measured,  
when you hold me in my smallness,  
a gentleness encloses me,  
as soft as a sparrow's wing,  
and healing drops like a feather  
on my wounded heart  
and in a song-filled instant,  
life becomes simple again.

God, God,  
help me to protect my smallness,  
for there is within me  
a disciple who is impressed  
by big and powerful things  
and that disciple always tries  
to send the little child away.

Knowing my smallness  
is knowing the kingdom of heaven.

*From Psalms Down Under*

**PLEASE ADD ME TO THE ST COLUMBA CHURCH ROLL**

Name

Address

Phone

Email

*Please drop this slip into the offertory plate or give it to the sidesperson on duty.*

*If you would like to support the mission and ministry of this church by giving regularly, and/or helping out on a roster, please talk to Joan Nolan or contact the Parish office [ucang@callsouth.org.nz](mailto:ucang@callsouth.org.nz).*