

The Quarterly Magazine

St. Mary's,
Carden Place

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FROM THE RECTORY

Blessings Always,
Canon Terry

OUR FAVOURITE HYMNS



BOOK REVIEW

The Madonna in the Suitcase, Huberta Hellendoorn

This short book is unusually written in the second person, but don't let that put you off – there's a good reason! The author's daughter, Miriam, who had Down Syndrome, suffered a terrible stroke aged forty, and this book is addressed to her, telling her the story of her life as the first child of a Dutch immigrant couple in New

Zealand in the 1960s. It is illustrated with photographs from the family album and Miriam's own vibrant paintings. It feels like a privilege to read it – it's a book full of such love and beauty, and one that admits the reader to share in that love.

The book was serialised by Radio New Zealand a couple of years ago – I can't imagine there was a dry eye in the house.

UPCOMING – DIOCESAN SUMMER GET-TOGETHERS

After the much-appreciated events last summer, the Diocese is organising another three times to meet friends old and new from across the diocese through the coming months.

ACCOUNTS

January 2022

Income:	4,147
Expenditure:	<u>5,916</u>
Net result for month:	-1,769

Balance unrestricted funds:	46,091
Balance restricted funds:	44,613
Balance at month end:	£90,704

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