Sunday January 29

Parish News



Photo: Bason Botanic Gardens Parish Combined Service 2022, Hayden Brown

Nau Mai Haere Mai Whakatau Mai Welcome Everyone

UPCOMING SERVICES SUNDAY 5TH FEBRUARY

Christ Church 8.30am - Eucharist St Chad's 9:45am Christ Church 10am also livestreamed at <u>whanganuianglicans.org.nz/live</u> St Luke's 10am St Oswald's 10am St John's 11am St Peter's 5pm Prayer & Praise, Christ Church, 7pm All Saints Wednesday's at 10am

PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

The Parish Office will be closed from 1pm on Friday, 3rd February for Staff training. For urgent enquiries please call the Parish Office and follow the prompts.

BASON BOTANIC GARDEN PARISH COMBINED SERVICE

Come join us this Sunday 29th January, 10am at the Bason Botanic Gardens for a Parish Combined Service and picnic lunch. Let's celebrate together as we start 2023. Please BYO picnic lunch, lawn chair or picnic blanket and lawn games.

WANT TO JOIN THE TEAM?

Do you like to bake? Can you hold a tune? Do you love talking to people? Can you wash dishes? Are you tech-savvy? Do you love kids?

Did you know that each of our nine services is largely run by volunteers?

Our Parish is full to the brim of wonderful people who share their God given gifts within our church communities and we would love for you to join. The opportunities are endless. Every congregation has a team of people making things happen and <u>they need you</u>!

Contact the Parish Office today to find out more.

STORY CLUB

Story Club will meet on Wednesday 1st February (a) 2pm in the Upper Lounge. This is a time of fellowship and sharing stories over afternoon tea. New members welcome. Phone Sara 06 348 9956 for more info

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COMING UP IN TERM 1

Pancake Party - Tuesday 21st February

Messy Church - Saturday 25th February

Lent Retreat - Saturday 4th March

Messy Church - Saturday 1st April



Holy Week, Good Friday & Easter Sunday Services - week of 3rd April

SMALL GROUPS

Wells for Life - Ngā Puna Oranga

As a part of our Parish Vision, going <u>Deeper into</u> <u>Jesus</u>, <u>Deeper into</u> <u>Community</u> and <u>Deeper into our</u> <u>City</u>, we do life and transformation and mission together.

We invite everyone in our Parish to be part of a small group, meeting regularly to take the teaching from Sunday deeper into our lives. We nourish each other's lives by training in the way of Jesus, practically and joyfully.

We have a large number of small groups across the Parish, contact Tabea to join today: tabea@whanganuianglicans.org.nz.

NEW WINE FESTIVAL

What an awesome weekend, we had an amazing time of fellowship and encountering God together. There was a large group from Whanganui Anglicans who attended New Wine together in Masterton, all feeling refreshed and invigorated for what God has for us in 2023. If you want to hear more, do ask any of the Staff team or others who attended. Want to join us next year? New Wine is advertising a February Price Freeze, click here for more information.



YOUTH GROUP

Youth Group, year 7-13 kicks off on Friday 10th Feb, 5-7:30pm at St Peter's, Koromiko Rd For updates check the Youth Facebook Page or email: youth@whanganuianglicans.org.nz

PARISH NEWSLETTER

As of February we will only be producing a monthly printed Parish Newsletter, this will be available at each service throughout the Parish. In addition to this, a weekly newsletter will be emailed out. **Contact the Parish office to join our mailing list.** Those of you who already receive our emails have been automatically subscribed to this.

CITY MISSION

The City Mission is seeking donations of sweet biscuits, spreads, small bottles of dishwashing liquid, toilet paper and toothpaste.

PRAYER CHAIN

Would you like us to pray for you? Call Sue Tarry: 027 667 5707 or Rosemary Anderson: 06 342 1722.

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PASTORAL TEAM

If you need someone to chat to, a meal cooked, some prayer or any other support please be in touch with Louise Rostron - 06 344 5955 who oversees the pastoral team or see other contacts below: Claudia-Ann Voss - 06 344 3442 (8.30am ChCh) Bennie Muller - 06 347 8332 (10am ChCh) Sue Lacy - 06 345 2211 (St Chad's) Robyn Robinson - 027 4946 454 (St Oswald's) Joy McGregor - 06 342 7763 (St John's) Lee Tucker-Ramage - 06 343 1303 (All Saints & St Mary's) Ana Fletcher - 021 036 2743 (St Peter's) Chris Kirby - 022 368 0221 (St Luke's)

CONTACT DETAILS

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