

AUGUST 2022

# VESTRY UPDATE

## JUNE, JULY & AUGUST

Vestry has been working on Nativity's visioning for the areas of relationship development, involvement and community outreach. You will have noticed more information about these areas emerging in newsletters and our changing noticeboards.



### **RELATIONSHIP DEVELOPMENT**

A focus has been establishing opportunities for 'gathering' our community monthly, such as the Ministry Fair and our upcoming 'Five Minutes of Fame'.



### **INVOLVEMENT**

Our Ministry Fair was a wonderful opportunity to showcase the various ministries of Nativity, both internal and outreach. If there is an area of ministry in which you would like to volunteer, let Roz know.

## HIGHLIGHTS

Blue Door funding was received for Repair Café and Counselling.

Funding for Stage One has been approved by the Trust. We are in negotiations with a contractor for Stage One.

Church heaters have been installed.

Miriam Taylor and Raewyn Parkes have been appointed as library champions. Work on the library is expected to commence in August.

Nativity will be registered as part of the Eco-church movement.

Church finances are tracking well.



### **OUTREACH**

This year, Nativity is focusing on four key outreach ministries:

- Tunes for Tots
- Repair Cafe
- Healing Horticulture
- The Marriage Course

Our Outreach Guiding Group are exploring steps to bridge the gap between these outreach programmes and full church life.

Please pray for these ministries and consider how you can support them.