

# WEEKLY NEWS



## Becoming Fools

*Preacher:* Glen Ashworth

*Readings:* 1 Corinthians 2:6-7;10-16,  
Matthew 5:13-16

*Sentence:* Yet among the mature we do speak wisdom, though it is not a wisdom of this age.  
1 Corinthians 2:6

*Collect:* Holy God, you feed us with earthly and spiritual food. Deathless, unalterable, you have chosen us, sinful as we are, to hear your word and to proclaim your truth. Alleluia! Make us salt of the earth; make us yeast in the loaf. Praise to you our God; you answer prayer. Amen.



*Our mission is to:*

- DRAW people to faith in Christ
- GROW people in their commitment to Christ
- REACH OUT beyond ourselves with the love of Christ

**Our office is open Monday - Friday 9am - 12noon**

## ONE OFF EVENTS

### **Pentecost Service & Brunch**

Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> June  
9am combined service  
followed by brunch

### **Flaxbourne Centre Visit**

Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> June  
Details in Out & About Flyer

### **Movie - A Beautiful Day**

Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> June - 1.30pm  
St Barnabas Chapel  
Details in Out & About Flyer

## REGULAR EVENTS

### **Library Bookworm Club**

Monday 9<sup>th</sup> June - 10.30 am  
Nativity Library

### **Weekly Prayer Meeting**

Tuesday 8.45am - Lounge

### **Monthly Prayer Meeting**

Mon 9<sup>th</sup> June 7pm - Hall

### **Tunes for Tots**

Fridays 9.30am - Nativity Hall  
during term time

### **Care and Share**

Mon 9<sup>th</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup> June  
9.30am - Lounge

### **Link - Games Afternoon**

Fridays 1pm - Lounge

### **AAW Meeting**

Wed 4 June - 1.30pm Lounge

### **Coffee Connections**

Sat 14<sup>th</sup> June 9.30am - Raupo

### **Repair Cafe**

Sat 28<sup>th</sup> June 9am-12noon  
John's Kitchen

### **Choir Practice**

Wednesdays 7pm - Lounge

## **9am Pentecost Service**

### **followed by Brunch**

Join us for a special combined service at 9am on the 8<sup>th</sup> June, Pentecost Sunday, followed by a catered brunch.

There's no need to bring anything—just come along and enjoy good food and fellowship. Feel free to bring friends or family! We kindly ask that you bring a donation to help cover the cost of the meal.

## **Counselling Funding Appeal**

For some years, we have been blessed by the Blue Door making a grant that covered the cost of counselling for those who could not meet it themselves. Sadly this year the normal grant is not available.

We are aware that times are financially tight for lots of people currently, but if you can assist with a contribution towards our gap in finances you can be assured it would help another person on their journey of healing or health.

Donations towards counselling can be given via our ANZ account:

06-0705-0429077-000,

Code: 1180

Reference:

COUNSELLING FUNDING APPEAL

## **Linen Roster**

Do you have a little spare time and enjoy helping behind the scenes? We're looking for a few more people to join our linen team. Tasks include caring for church linens, and any sewing or embroidery experience is a bonus (but not essential).

## **Pianist Resthome Service**

We need a pianist to volunteer once a month (on Tuesday) for 1.5 hours at the 2pm Nativity rest home service. Please contact Alison Brice or the church office if interested.

## **Pastoral Care**

Please remember that we currently offer the following care services:

- Private and rest home visits
- Rest home services
- Meals
- Transportation
- Home communion

If you require or know of anyone who requires these, please contact the office or Jane Sheat.

## GIVING

ANZ 060705 0429077 00 The Nelson Diocesan Trust Board

- Missions 1180
- Regular Giving 1100

## REGULAR SERVICES

8am Sunday - Nativity Church

10am Sunday - Nativity Church

10am Thursday - St Barnabas