

# WEEKLY NEWS



## Pentecost: This is That

*Preacher:* Glen Ashworth

*Readings:* Ezekiel 47:1, 3-5, 9-12  
John 7:37-39  
Acts 2:1-21

*Sentence:* As the scripture has said, 'Out of the believer's heart shall flow rivers of living water.'  
John 7:38

*Collect:* Father, you have filled your people with the Spirit who rested first on your Son and united us in your Church; open the channels for your Spirit that we may freely work together, and your kingdom and your rule increase; for the glory of your holy name. Amen.



*Here at Nativity we:*

- *Gather for Worship*
- *Grow in Spiritual Maturity*
- *Go with the Gospel*

## ONE OFF EVENTS

**The Big Quiz Night**  
Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> June 7pm  
Renwick Anglican Church

**Emmaus**  
Fri-Sat 24-25 July  
Nativity Church

**SAVE THE DATE**  
**Rock N' Roll Party**  
Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> August  
7.15pm Nativity Hall

## REGULAR EVENTS

**AAW Meeting**  
Wednesday 3rd June  
1.30pm Lounge

**Care and Share**  
Monday 25<sup>th</sup> May  
9.30am - Lounge

**Choir Practice**  
Wednesdays 7pm - Church

**Coffee Connections**  
Saturday 13th June  
9.30am - Raupo Cafe

**Library Bookworm Club**  
Monday 15th June  
10.30am Library

**Link - Games Afternoon**  
Fridays 1pm - Lounge

**Nativity Music Group**  
Wednesdays 10.30am \* Hall\*  
During term time

**Monthly Prayer Meeting**  
Mon 8th June 7pm - Hall

**Pilates**  
Tuesdays 9am - Hall

**Repair Café**  
Saturday 23rd May  
9am-12noon - Crossroads

**Weekly Prayer Meeting**  
Tuesdays 8.45-9am -Lounge

**Youth Bible Study**  
Fortnightly on Wednesdays  
6.30pm-7.30pm Boardroom

## Vacancy

Wairau Valley Parish has a vacancy for an Administrator role (4-5 hours per week). If you or someone you know may be interested, please contact Brian Paton directly on 027 224 4152 for further information and a job description.

## The Big Quiz night

Saturday 13th June Wairau Valley Anglican Church in Renwick is organising the Big Quiz night to raise funds for Tearfund. Every dollar raised will help transform the lives of people living in poverty. Nativity is putting together a team (or teams). Contact Raewyn Parkes or the office for more info.

## John's Kitchen Donations

We are collecting non-perishable food items for John's Kitchen. Donations of canned goods, pasta, rice, and other pantry staples are greatly appreciated and will go to support those in need in our community. Please place them in the trolley in the foyer.

## Prayer Box

If you have prayer requests, or know of anyone in need of prayer, or have a reason to praise God please use the pen and paper supplied to write it down and put it in the box which is checked every Tuesday.

## Emmaus Marlborough

Emmaus replaces our annual Leadership Camp at St Arnaud for 2026.

With the rising cost of living, we're taking Emmaus on the road, hosting gatherings in regions across the diocese and is in Marlborough on Fri 24-Sat 25th July. Our hope is that this makes it easier for more leaders to take part. Emmaus is for anyone who serves and leads in our parishes: clergy, key leaders, youth and children's leaders, elder care workers, wardens, vestry members, treasurers ... whatever part you play, we'd love to see you there. Lay \$30 Clergy \$40

Register here  
<https://nelsonanglican.breezechms.com/form/e9db1b76>



## GIVING

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Nelson Diocesan Synod  
Blenheim Anglican Parish

- Missions 1180
- Regular Giving 1100

## REGULAR SERVICES

8am Sunday - Nativity Church  
10am Sunday - Nativity Church  
10am Thursday - St Barnabas