



# THE CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY

## 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 SERVICES TODAY

**THEME:** From whom do we seek praise?

**PREACHER:** Alastair Smith

**READINGS:** Hebrews 11:1-16, Philippians 3:7-15

**SENTENCE:** 'Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust consume and where thieves break in and steal; but store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust consumes and where thieves do not break in and steal. For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also. Matthew 6:19-21

**COLLECT:** Holy Spirit, as you drove Jesus into the wilderness, when John baptised him and the heavens opened, drive us to wrestle and reflect so that we may fulfil our baptism, and live the life of victory. This we ask through the same Jesus Christ our Redeemer. Amen.

## COMING UP:

### 2024 START DATES

**Care & Share:** Monday 13th February  
**Intercessory Prayer:** Wednesday 7th February  
**AAW:** Wednesday 7th February  
**Kids Church:** Sunday 11th February  
**LINK:** Friday 12th January  
**Tunes for Tots:** Friday 9th February  
**NBAS:** Starts again in February  
**Thursday 10am services:** 18th January



## CONTACT US



Monday - Thursday **9am - 12noon**



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## WEEKLY SERVICES

### SUMMER SERVICES

Please note that Summer Church at Nativity will be at **9am** throughout January.

### NEXT SUNDAY

Glen Ashworth  
9 am

## NATIVITY CONTACT DETAILS

Please contact the office for an appointment for:

<b>Vicar</b>	<b>Rev. Glen Ashworth</b> vicar@nativity.org.nz Sun-Thurs
<b>Families Leader</b>	<b>Rebecca Silva</b> families@nativity.org.nz Wed-Fri, Sunday
<b>Eldercare Coordinator:</b>	<b>Bianca Shepherd</b> eldercare@nativity.org.nz

Please contact directly:

<b>Receptionist:</b>	<b>Iemke Moore</b> info@nativity.org.nz Mon, Wed, Thur 9am-3pm
<b>Parish Administrator:</b>	<b>Kathy Taylor</b> admin@nativity.org.nz Tues - Thurs 9am - 3:00pm
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