
WEEKLY NEWS

Ripple Effect

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Preacher: Julie-anne Laird

Readings: Colossians 4: 2-6

Sentence: Conduct yourselves wisely toward outsiders, making the most of the time. Colossians 4:5

Collect: Hear us, Jesus Christ, when we ask for help to recognise temptation, for honesty to face it, for strength to resist it and humility to give God the glory. Hear this prayer for your love's sake. 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

Office Hours

Monday - Friday
9am-12 noon

ONE OFF EVENTS

Ripple Effect

Sunday 9th March
1pm-4pm Hall

Combined Service

AGM /Parish Picnic

16th March - 9am

REGULAR EVENTS

Eucharist Service

Every Thursday 10am -
St Barnabas Chapel

Weekly Prayer Meeting

Tuesday 8.45am - Lounge

Monthly Prayer Meeting

Mon 10th March- 7pm - Hall

Tunes for Tots

Fridays 9.30am - Nativity Hall

Care and Share

Mon 10th & 24th March
9.30am - Lounge

Link - Games Afternoon

Fridays 1pm - Lounge

AAW Meeting

Wed 2nd April 1.30pm- Hall

Coffee Connections

Sat 12th April 9.30am - Raupo

Repair Cafe

Sat 22nd March 9am-12noon
John's Kitchen

Choir Practice

Wednesdays 7pm - Lounge



9am Combined Service

11am AGM

12:30pm Parish Picnic & Harvest Festival

Join us next **Sunday 16th March** for a combined service, followed by our AGM and a shared lunch.

The AGM agenda and reports will be available on our church website under 'News and Events'. Vestry nominee profiles and the Parish Financial Statements will be circulated as soon as they are available. Hard copies of these materials will be available for collection this Sunday. Please advise the office if you are unable to attend the meeting.

Please remember to bring along some food and drinks to share. A sausage sizzle will be provided.

We will also celebrate the Harvest Festival. Please bring any spare produce you have. All items will be donated to John's Kitchen

New AAW Project

A big thank you to those who contributed to last year's AAW project to support the Rwenzori Special Needs Foundation in Uganda by coming to hear about Melissa Galloway's participation in the Equestrian Dressage Events at the Paris Olympics or in other ways. NZAAW raised over \$14,000 with Nativity and the Nelson Diocese playing a major part.

This year's O&O "Clean-up Kits" project is to subsidise a complete container of emergency disaster equipment based near the town of Savusavu in Vanua Levu, Fiji. The overall cost is about \$13,000. Anglican Missions will act as our agency.

Baptism

Before the end of summer we are planning to offer baptism. At Nativity, we believe being baptised is a key part of our Christian journey and a public declaration of our commitment to follow Jesus. If you are thinking about being baptised or just want to know more, please put your details on the clipboard in the foyer or speak to Glen.