

Happening

Toy Lending Library: fortnightly in School term. Tues 11-1pm. Contact Janet Kidd.
Second Chance Op Shop: **NOTE: They are unable to accept donations of clothing at this time.** Open Tuesday's 10am—2pm. Contact Elesha Thomas for more information.

Children's Ministry: Sunday mornings during the service.

Mainly Music: Thursday 10am. Contact Sherilyn 021 298 2762.

Son-Shine Club: Thursdays 3.15 -5pm. Contact Ella Kaihau 027 390 0448.

Friendship Group @ Ranui: Friday from 10am till 12pm. Morning Tea provided. Contact Myra Dormer or Ph. Church office 833 7815.

Missions Prayer Meeting: 1st Sunday of the Month after Morning Service. Contact Ronnie Nicolson.

Women's Bible Study Group: Mondays 10 am - 12 pm at Glenda's home in Massey. Contact Glenda Winn 022 647 0021

Intercessors: Wednesday 9:30-10.45am in the Prayer Room, followed by tea & cake. Contact Rosanne Martin 022 128 4890.

Men's Home group: Thurs 7.00-9.00pm in the Café. John Blight or Tai Taua.

Women's Fellowship, Worship, Prayer, and Bible Study: "The Thursday Nighters" on Thursday evenings 7 pm - 9 pm in Ranui.

There's a Facebook Messenger group associated with the Thursday Nighters that helps us keep in touch. This group warmly welcomes all women in our church and their friends. Contact Ronnie Nicolson 021 027 07540

Moneymates: Tuesday or Wednesday 10am—12pm. Contact Glenn Harris on 021 0902 7110 or gharris@careranui.org.nz

Duty Roster	2nd July	9th July
Door Greeters	Henry & Marlene van Sitter	Heather Rowe & Maggie Henry
Notices	John Blight	Kristen Bettany

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Sunday 25th June 2023

This Week's Service:

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10am - Grahame Walker - Inspire #3 - Daniel

Next Week's Service:

Sunday 2nd July

10am - Missions Month - Jack Wu (Mission Without Borders)

& Communion

Grahame Walker

INSPIRE #3: DANIEL

Today we are looking at the story of Daniel, and it's not about the lion's den. Long before Daniel would be tested there is something that stands out and is inspirational about his spiritual life. He was hand-picked by the king of Babylon to be a leader in his empire. As he rose in this role his enemies made plans to attack him. However, Daniel had always prioritised prayer and prayed three times a day without fail. He always put God first and this would enable him to stand firm when his faith was tested.

We see a similar pattern in the life of Jesus. He always made time to get away from the crowds who gathered for his ministry. He would spend this time in prayer. Jesus was nurturing his spiritual life. He was intentional about how he started his day. Both Daniel and Jesus knew that by putting God first everything else in their lives would be aligned to God's support and direction.

THE CHURCH LIFE SURVEY:

Please participate in the Church Life Survey! Our church is part of this nationwide survey of church attendees. This is a confidential opportunity for you to have your say on the life of our church and be heard by our leaders. Can you take 10-15 minutes to fill it out over the coming weeks? To fill in the survey you can follow the link below or pick up a paper copy of the survey from the foyer on Sunday & return to the office once it is completed. The survey is available in the following languages; Maori, Cebuano, Chinese, Fijian, Korean, Spanish, Tagalog, Tamil & Tongan. If you require a copy in another language please let the office know



MINISTRY TEAM LEADERS & GROUP LEADERS:

It's that time of the year again! Can all ministry team leaders & group leaders please start to prepare their reports for the Church and Trust Annual Report books for the year ended 30 June 2023. These reports need to be submitted to the office no later than Sunday 20 August.

Robert Murray (Church Administrator & Treasurer)

RANUI WINTER WORSHIP EVENINGS:

The evening service is taking a break for the school holidays. The next evening service will be on the 16th of July - save the date!

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY UPDATE:

The new Sunday Morning Children's Ministry Program will be beginning next term. We are looking for someone to work alongside Rachel to help with administration and resources. If you are available to do this please get in touch with Grahame Walker or Rachel McMahon.

Coming Up



Supporting Ukraine (Mission Without Borders)



Today from Derek's Kitchen...



- **Peach Chutney** (Mild)
- **Feijoa & Persimmon Chutney** (Hot)
- **Tomato Chutney** (Mild)
- **Chunky Fruit Chutney** (Mild)
- **Strawberry & Persimmon Jam**
- **G.L.M.O. Marmalade**
- **Limealade!** (Kaffir Lime Marmalade)



\$5.00 Donation per jar

Baptist Hui-ā-Māori:

Te Kapa Rautaki and Te Pouarataki mō te hīkoi extend a warm welcome to our Hāhi Iriiri whānau to gather together at this special hui where we will farewell the old and welcome in the new.

We look forward to new opportunities and engaging with the next chapter of our Baptist Māori story. We urge you to prayerfully prioritise this hui and join us for this significant time in our Baptist movement.

When: 11 am Friday 14 July - 2 pm Sunday 16 July 2023

Where: Puna O Te Ora; 60 Kayes Road, Pukekohe, 2120

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māori

Whakapa Mai (Please RSVP): Email: kapa.rautaki@baptist.org.nz

For more info phone: Josie Te Kahu 021 260 4202 or Luke Kaa-Morgan 021 627 157

Please send your interest via email in order to receive important information about our Baptist Hui-ā-Māori. Our Hui will start at Te Puna O Te Ora. Further details to follow.