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

Young Adults Group: Every 2nd Tuesday, 7-9pm in the Café. Contact Matt Osborne. **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	7th May	14th May
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Sunday 30th April 2023

This Week's Service:

Sunday 23rd April

10am - Matt Hakiaha - The Pulse of the Church - Sardis

Next Week's Service:

Sunday 7th May

10am - Alan Telford

Matt Hakiaha

Revelation 1:11 reads about a Greek Island called Patmos. Here our Lord and Saviour instructs John the Apostle to "write on a scroll what you see and send it to the seven churches," which are mentioned in Revelation 2:1 - 3:22. The churches in this context refer to the community or local congregations of Christians living in each city. Revelation 3:1-6 outlines one of those seven churches called Sardis. The latter part of 3:1 portrays Sardis as looking alive but spiritually dead. The appearance looks good on the outside but dead on the inside. A rather startling and somber image of the church. Verses 5 and 6 conclude with that enduring redemption and grace, where IN CHRIST there is always HOPE.

NEWCOMERS LUNCH Sunday IIth June

If you're new to the church in the last year we invite you to a special lunch to meet the pastors and other key leaders within the church. **RSVP** to the church office by the **31st of May** & let us know of any dietary requirements

INTERCESSORS:

An invitation to join us in the war room (prayer room) on Wednesday the 3rd of May where we will be praying for identity issues. Followed by morning tea for all! Contact Rosanne Martin for more information 022 128 4890.

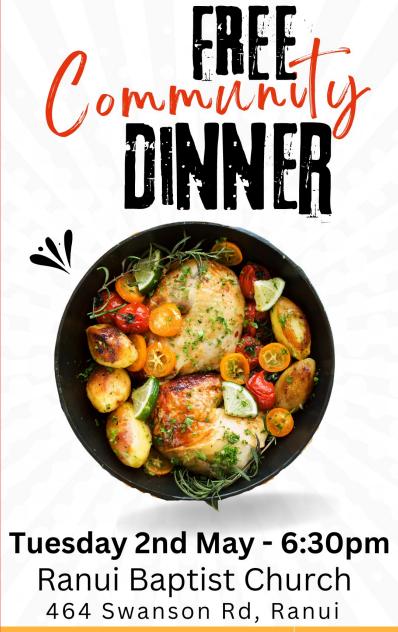
MONDAY MORNING WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY GROUP:

There will be no Monday Morning Women's Bible Study Group on the 1st, 8th & 15th of May. The group will be restarting on the 22nd of May at Glenda's house.

CHILDREN' S MINISTRY UPDATE:

The elders are currently looking at creative ways to appoint someone to lead this crucial and urgent ministry area in our church. Over the next few weeks, we will be working closely with the church to resolve this issue. We will be providing you with weekly updates on our progress. If you are able to help with the Children's Ministry in any way please get in touch with Grahame Walker 021 834 077.

Coming Up



Ranui Baptist Community Care

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