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.

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	10th September	17th September
Door Greeters	Barbara Kidd & Jill Bice	Lesley & Ako Faumuina
Notices	Cherith Telford	John Blight

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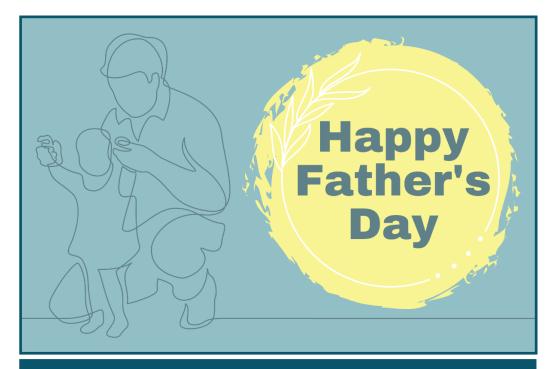
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Sunday 3rd September 2023

This Week's Service: Sunday 3rd September

10 am - Grahame Walker - Father's Day Service & 40 Days of Prayer Begins

10 am Children's Church - Father's Day

6 pm - Evening Prayer Service - Prayer Focus on Repentance

Next Week's Service: Sunday 10th September

10 am - Rosanne Martin - Family Service

6 pm - Evening Prayer Service

Grahame Walker

40 DAYS OF PRAYER:

Today we start our 40 days of prayer journey. Why forty days? Forty is God's number for life change. For reasons unknown to us, the length of 40 – whether 40 days or 40 years – has been significant throughout biblical history. 40 days normally meant change. In other words, God led people into various seasons of "40" – usually days, but sometimes years – for the purpose of bringing in a new era or a new season in their lives. Forty days to turn things around. Forty days to change. Forty days to have one chapter of life end and another begin. Maybe this will be true for your life.

FATHER'S DAY:

On Mother's Day, we focused on Hannah's problems, her prayers, and her promise to dedicate her child to the Lord and raise him in God's house. Today, I want to focus on her husband Elkanah. I am conscious that Father's Day may bring mixed emotions for many. We have access to God the Father. We have access to his fatherly love. And we have access to experience the calm and strength in one's life that results from knowing we are loved and

Celebrating Father's Day

Sundaes on Sunday!



All welcome to join us in the cafe following the service on Sunday the 3rd of September for free icecream Sundaes.

SUNDAY EVENING 6 - 7:30 PM - TONIGHT: PRAYER FOCUS - REPENTANCE

Let us seek the Lord as what this looks like and come before our King with a humble spirit. Please bring any Scriptures the Lord puts on your mind

COMMUNITY DINNER UPDATE:

The community dinners will now be happening bi-monthly. The next one will be in the beginning of October, we will give you more information when the time is closer.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH MEMORY VERSE:

"We love because he first loved us" 1 John 4:19

Coming Up



Rosanne Martin

Purposefully Praying for the Lost

6 week course

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Day: Wednesdays

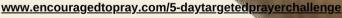
Dates: 6 September - 11 October 2023

Time: 7:30pm-9pm

Location: At RBC

Cost: \$20 for the Workbook





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A video will be available on request for the nights you miss out on. The workbooks are \$20 each.

If you have any questions about this you can contact Rosanne Martin: rosanne@encouragedtopray.com