

## 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. See Rachel McMahon.

**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.

**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

Duty Roster	26th November	3rd December
Door Greeters	Barbara & Jessica Kidd	Ako & Lesley Faumuina
Notices	Rob Kidd	Cherith Telford

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## Sunday 19th November 2023

**This Week's Service:  
Sunday 19th November**

10 am - Adam Dawson - Japan Mission

10 am - Children's Church - Psalm 139

**Next Week's Service:  
Sunday 26th November**

10 am - Grahame Walker - Parables of Jesus  
(Matthew 7:13-27)

# Adam & Ayako Dawson

## THE GREAT NEED FOR THE GOSPEL IN JAPAN



The gospel has the power to save and transform lives—something that Adam & Ayako Dawson have experienced in their own lives, and also witnessed in the lives of those that were saved at their church in Japan. In a nation where both physical and heart idols take priority in people's lives, the people of Japan are in desperate need of hope. They need to hear the gospel, and with less than 1% of the population identifying as Christian, almost all of them live out their lives without hearing the good news about Jesus Christ.

*How then will they call on him in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in him of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone preaching? And how are they to preach unless they are sent? As it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news!" [...] So faith comes from hearing, and hearing through the word of Christ.*

**Romans 10:14-15,17**



Adam & Ayako will share about their faith journeys; the pressing need for the gospel in Japan; testimonies of how the gospel has transformed lives; the work their church planting network is doing; and how you could potentially be involved. Scan the QR Code to find out more.

# Alpha Sausage Sizzle Fun Raiser

## 26 November

**\$2 per Sausage**

**Free for Sunday School Aged Kids**



### ALPHA FUNDRAISING SAUSAGE SIZZLE:

Happening next **Sunday 26 November 2023** following the morning service. Bring your coins, \$2 each, free for Sunday School aged children.

# Coming Up

## CHRISTMAS HAMPERS 2023

Donations can be given directly to Barbara Kidd, put in an envelope in the offering, or through online banking - clearly labeled "Christmas Hampers"

**Ranui Baptist Church;  
12-3085-0164947-000**



### CHRISTMAS HAMPERS 2023:

We are going ahead with more Christmas Hampers for our community this year. This is a wonderful opportunity to show our community that we care! We are now collecting donations. This outreach will once again be headed up by Barbara Kidd on behalf of Ranui Baptist Church & the Ranui Baptist Community Care Trust.

**The last week for collecting Donations will be the 3rd-9th of December.**

### VOLUNTEERS FOR SECOND CHANCE OP SHOP:

After many wonderful years of faithful service - our beautiful op shop ladies Myra & Pat are stepping down. We are on the lookout for more volunteers who have a heart & passion for serving our community to keep the shop going in the new year. If you're interested in helping, please get in touch with Elesha.

### COMMUNITY KORERO - STAYING CONNECTED IN THE TEEN YEARS:

"This kōrero unpacks the challenges whānau and those supporting young people face and offers strategies to successfully navigate these times. Sheridan will share insights into teenage brain development and how this impacts behaviour and relationships."

**Date:** Wednesday 29th November

**Location:** 8 Vadam Road, Massey (Massey Community Church)

**Time:** 7 pm arrival for dessert | 7:20 pm meeting starts.

**Cost:** FREE

This event is brought to you by Massey Community Trust. For free tickets scan the QR code to go to the Eventbrite website.

