### Happening

**Toy Lending Library:** fortnightly in School term. Tues 11-1pm. Contact Janet Kidd.

Second Chance Op Shop: NOTE: They are accepting donations of winter clothing and Brick-a-Brack items. Open Tuesday's 10am—2pm.

Contact Jill Rattew for more information

**The Op Shop Cafe:** Tuesday's 10am - 12pm. Contact Elizabeth Holman 832 2259 or Myra Dormer 021 172 0546

**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.

<b>Duty Roster</b>	16th June	23rd June
Door Greeters	Heather Rowe & Maggie Henry	Barbara & Jessica Kidd
Notices	Cherith Telford	Rob Kidd

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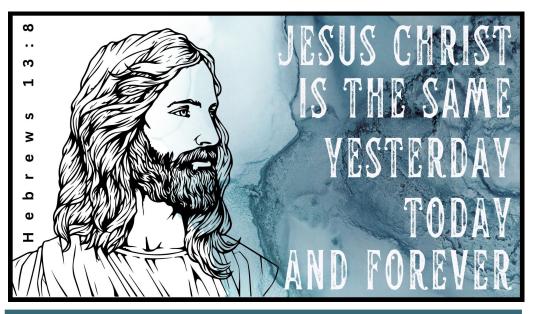
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# RANUI BAPTIST CHURCH



### **Sunday 9th June 2024**

### This Week's Service: Sunday 9th June

10 am - Grahame Walker - Kings 1 & 2 - Spiritual Battle

Children's Church - The Life of Paul

### Next Week's Service: Sunday 16th June

10 am - Grahame Walker - Kings 1 & 2 - High Places

Children's Church On

### **Grahame Walker**

#### **GETTING BACK ON SPIRITUAL TRACK #2 - SPIRITUAL BATTLE:**

This morning, we are going to look at the spiritual battle that we all face. I want to say from the very beginning if you don't acknowledge this in your life; if you treat it in a very casual manner then you will become very disillusioned with your Christian life. This spiritual battle is real. First and second Kings reminds us of that part of that battle is against false Gods and idols. These books raise the deep concern about these issues.

Second Kings, chapter twenty-three shows us exactly how King Josiah reacted when he found out that his people were not worshipping God but idols and other gods. Josiah waged war, spiritual war against all idols and other gods that were prevalent in his Kingdom. Not one was spared. It shows us what is called for in this area, all-out war. Josiah went after this in three ways? He went after people, places, and things. All three are important.

This morning, I invite you to evaluate your life and ask yourself, is God really God? Do I have an idol or two that I've allowed to creep in, another god taking over my allegiance. Am I worshipping a false god anywhere in my life, bowing down to something else before I bow down to God? Think it through in terms of people, places and things.

If you'd like a copy of the sermon notes you can collect them from the foyer.

Or visit our website www.ranuibaptist.org.nz/sermons/







## Open day at PSYV

PSYV want to invite all creative vendors and food trucks to come and join us for a fun day. All local business are also welcome. For more information please email us on Office@psyv.org.nz

Time: 10am to 2pm 29 June 2024

1212 Whangaparaoa Road Gulf Harbour



### **Coming Up**



#### **HELP WANTED:**

I am looking for 20 people to pray for our pastors and leaders using the updated 32-day Targeted Prayer Challenge: Purposefully Praying for Your Church Leaders who are on the front line of the battlefield. Let's pray for God to strengthen, protect and equip our pastors and leaders so the church can grow.

#### What is the format of these prayers?

Comes daily into your inbox for 32 days
The emails include Scripture, thanksgiving, and prayers
New topics and prayers each day of the campaign
They're easy to use and can be completed in less than 7 minutes
Weekly encouragement

If you are willing to give seven minutes of your day to pray for our leaders at RBC and would like more information, please get in touch with **Rosanne at 022 128 4890** or email me at **rosanne@encouragedtopray.com** and I will send you more information. The start date for the church is 10th or 17th of June. I already have a few people starting on the 10th of June, but I felt God say open it up to the church.

#### **FUNDRAISING FOR MWB WITH DEREK:**

Derek is taking the week off fundraising. A reminder to return your empty jars to Derek, so he can continue making his delicious preserves!