

## Regular Groups:

**Women's Bible Study Group:** Mondays 10am - 12pm. Bible Study & Prayer @ Glenda's home in Massey. Contact Glenda 022 647 0021



**Second Chance Op Shop:** Tuesdays 10am–2pm in the Café. Quality clothing & household items for sale. Contact Jill or the Church office

**The Op Shop Café:** Tuesdays 10am - 12pm in the Café. Friendship & morning tea. Contact Elizabeth 832 2259 or Myra 021 172 0546



**Ranui Youth Group:** Fortnightly on Friday's at 6:30pm. Contact Ella Kaihau 0277 111 038



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



**Mainly Music:** Thursdays 10am in the Hall. Music, dance & fun for under 5's & their parents. Contact Sarah 021 116 7379



**Men's Home Group:** Thursdays 7-9pm in the Café. Fellowship, bible Studies & prayer. Contact Tai Taua or John Blight 022 655 8400



**The Thursday Nighters:** 7-9pm in the prayer room. Women's prayer, Fellowship, Worship & Bible Study. Contact Ronnie 021 027 07540



**Friendship Group:** Fridays 10am-12pm in the cafe. Play games & have fun, morning tea provided. Contact Myra Dormer 021 172 0546



**Foodbank:** Open on Fridays 9:30-11:30am to locally living residents. Donate Items to the trolley. To volunteer contact Elesha



**The Prayer Chain:** A chain of faithful prayers in our church. For prayer requests contact Marlene 027 848 6948 or Grahame Walker.



## Our Staff:



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Associate Pastor  
027 277 2848



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Office Manager  
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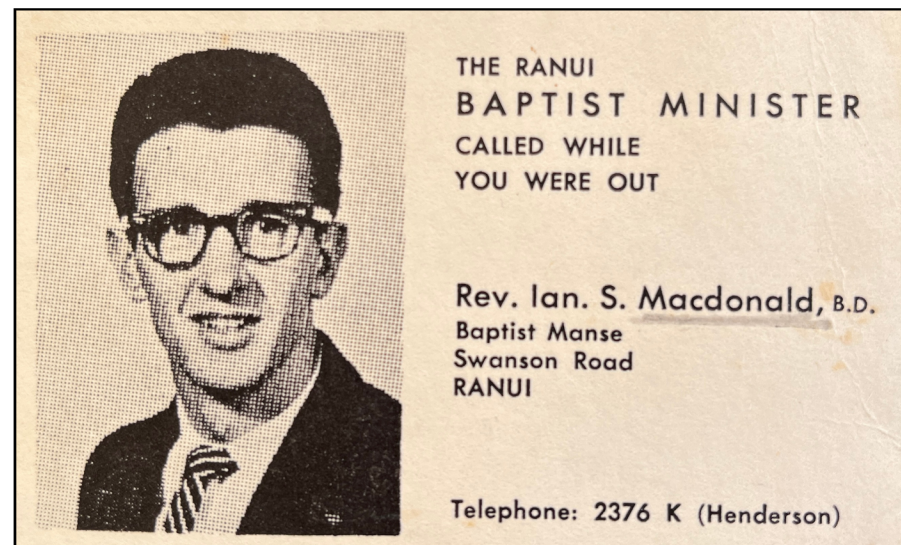
Sherilyn Sampson  
Office Admin  
021 298 2762

**Elders:** Peter Soole, Rob Kidd, Kristen Bettany, John Blight



SUNDAY 11 MAY 2025

CELEBRATING 60 YEARS IN FEBRUARY 2026



PASTOR IAN MACDONALD'S OLD CALLING CARD

## CONTACT US:



Office Hours:  
Monday - Friday: 9am - 1pm



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This Week's Sermon: Deborah, the mother of Israel  
(Judges 5:6-7)

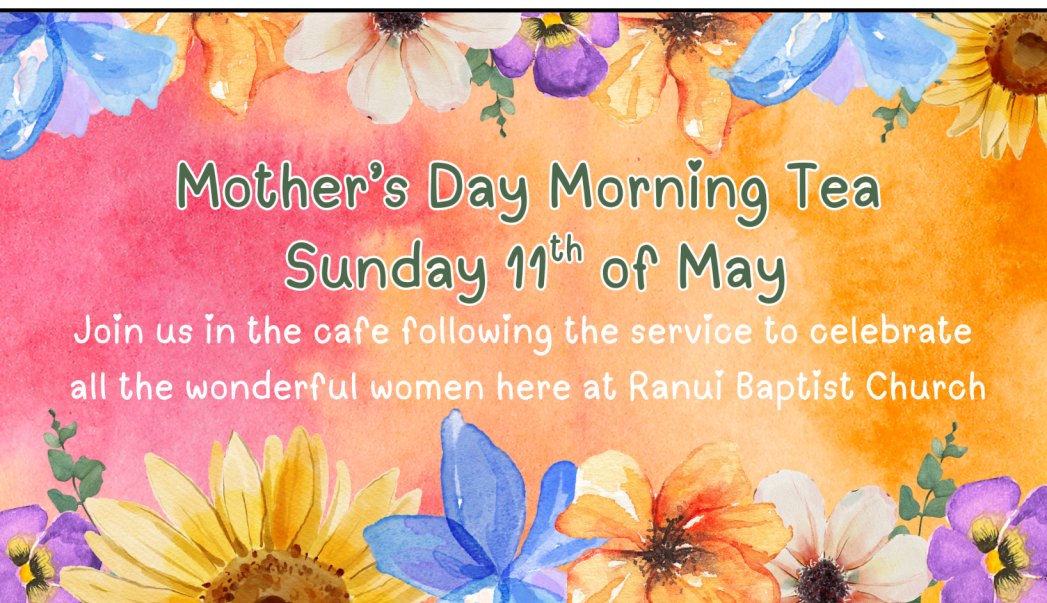
*"In the days of Shamgar son of Anath, in the days of Jael, the highways were abandoned; travelers took to winding paths. Villagers in Israel would not fight; they held back until I, Deborah, arose, until I arose, a mother in Israel."*

Judges 5:6-7

Deborah's distinctive role as a prophetess means that she spoke on God's behalf, and this role is mentioned first, taking precedence over everything else she did. Deborah is the only woman who is both prophet and judge alongside two other men in Israel's history – Moses and Samuel.

Deborah was chosen by God to serve as the Mother of Israel and lead His people to victory. Deborah's success was due to her faith in God. She served God by utilizing her values and Spiritual gifts. Due to her faith, God called her, a woman, to lead His people to victory.

**Tai Tawa**



**Mother's Day Morning Tea**  
**Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> of May**

Join us in the cafe following the service to celebrate  
all the wonderful women here at Ranui Baptist Church

## Mother's Day Gifts:

Thank you to Rachel McMahon & her wonderful helpers in children's church for making this year's gifts. You have all done an amazing job! We hope that this gift (chocolate & magnetic bookmark) is an encouragement & blessing to all the wonderful women here at Ranui Baptist Church.



MEMBERSHIP

This morning we welcome;  
**Hamish & Nicola Alexander**  
into membership

## Youth Camp - Save the Date:

## Kids Camp Coming Up:



**THE AMAZING RACE YOUTH CAMP**

**NOW BOARDING**

**DATES:** 29<sup>th</sup> sept - 2<sup>nd</sup> oct 2025  
**AGES:** 13 - 18 year olds  
**COST:** \$250 all inclusive

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**IN THE JUNGLE**

**30TH JUNE - 4TH JULY**  
**7TH - 11TH JULY 2025**

**AGES 8-13**

**MORE INFO AT:**  
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CHRISTIAN CAMPS

## Camps Coming Up:

Save the dates for these camps coming up for our kids & youth. See Ella Kaihau if you'd like more information about either of these. Or visit the one big adventure website.

## Fundraising for MWB Ukraine:

See Derek in the cafe following the service to purchase his preserves and help fundraise for Ukraine. Remember to return any empty jars & lids.

**NEXT WEEK:** 10am - Joshua Peeters  
Topic TBC  
(Children's Church On!)



**Door Greeters:**  
Heather & Maggie  
**Notices:**  
Rob Kidd



**Door Greeters:**  
Maurice & Myra  
**Notices:**  
Kristen Bettany