## Regular Groups:

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





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 or Myra Dormer.





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

**Intercessors:** Wednesdays 9:30-10.45am in the Prayer Room. Prayfollowed by tea & cake. Contact Rosanne Martin.





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

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





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

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





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

**Preservice Prayer:** Every Sunday, 9:15-9:55am in the Prayer Room. Contact Rosanne Martin.





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

## Our Staff:



Senior Pastor







Tai Taua Ra
Associate Pastor Ch

Rachel McMahon
Children's Ministry

Robert Murray

Office Manager

Sherilyn Sampson
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Elders: Peter Soole, Rob Kidd, Kristen Bettany, John Blight



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#### This Week's Sermon: Jonah #3 - The Allowances of God for a Life

This morning, we will continue in our study on the book of Jonah. The book of Jonah is only four Chapters long, a very short but compelling book. It's about God's interaction with a man, specifically, related to God's calling on his life, for a single mission.

In our first study we looked at a calling on a life. The calling of God on Jonah's life and how he rejected God's call, not because he was afraid but because he simply did not care about the lost. He had a callous disregard for the lost. We talked about 'the spirit of Jonah' and I challenged you to consider this question. Do you have God's heart for the lost?

Last time we explored the hand of God in our lives. His interventions in our lives. Even though Jonah had run from God, God still intervened in his life, and rescued Jonah. We learn that you really can't run from God and God's grace comes to us in ways we would never expect; that sometimes the belly of a fish is our salvation.

This morning, we will be looking at God's allowances for a life. What God does in the name of grace and mercy? We will learn that God is a God of second chances; the allowances he makes in the face of our disobedience. Redeeming is what God is into. He is the finder of directionally challenged sheep, the searcher of missing coins and the embracer of foolish prodigal sons. His favourite department is the lost and found. His love has no limits. His grace had no measure. His power has no boundaries, and he offers all this to you this morning.

You can collect a copy of the sermon notes from the foyer on Sunday mornings or visit our website

# Hui ā Māori 2025

The annual hui of Te Rūnanga o Ngāi Iriiri Māori (Baptist Māori) is being hosted in Te Tai Tokerau. Our kaupapa, theme this year is 'Hawaiiki Hou'. Leading up to hui, we will share some thoughts around this theme as we prayerfully consider how God might be leading us together. We look forward to this hui that is scheduled during the Matariki season. Nau mai, haere mai.

Dates: Friday 4 - Sunday 6 July, 2025

Venue: Whitiora Marae (128 Te Tii Road, Te Tii, Kerikeri)

Koha: \$80 per person, \$160 per whānau.



Over the next month we'll continue to send out communications with more details and invite you to register. **Luke Kaa-Morgan** 

# NOTICES

### Youth Vibes:

Fortnightly on Fridays 6:30-8:30pm. Bible study & Kai. All youth welcome. Contact Ella for more info.

**NEXT HAPPENING: 18 JULY 2025** 

### Youth Devotions:

Fortnightly on Sunday mornings. Youth Devotion in the prayer room during the sermon. All youth welcome. contact Ella for more info.

**NEXT HAPPENING: 13 JULY 2025** 





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#### Today!

\$2 per Sausage Free for School Aged Kids

NEXT WEEK:

10am - Grahame Walker
The Book of Jonah #4 The Heart of God on a Life

(Children in the Service - School Holidays)



**Door Greeters:**Heather & Maggie

Notices:

John Blight



Door Greeters:

Maurice & Myra

Notices:

Rob Kidd