



Pastoral letter 49

Rosters

February 14	Sound	Levi
	Computer	Rose
	Morning Tea	Yvonne & Betty
	Greeter	David & Jan Kitchen
	Potluck tea venue	Des & Mercia

(Note: not a BBQ as they don't have one)

Property Development

The church leadership has appointed a Property Development Group who have been asked to consider the property needs of the church, the ways in which our current physical environment enhances or restricts ministries and our property development priorities for our medium and long term future.

We have done some initial brainstorming but before we take our thinking further we want to give the wider church family an opportunity to feed into the process.

So you are all invited to a Property Development Forum to be held in the church lounge at 7.30 on Thursday 18 February.

At the forum we will consider the following questions:

- * in what ways does the current physical environment support or restrict or ministries,
- * what physical changes would help or enhance existing or potential ministries,
- * what property changes would you like to see in the next 5 years?

If you are unable to attend the forum please send your thoughts to **Brian Kenning**
kennclan@southnet.co.nz

Children's Day

Children's Day is being held on the 1st Sunday of March (7th) between 10am and 2pm.

I wonder if anyone is interested in running old fashioned games at this event: sack races, egg and spoon, tug-o-war, 3 legged races etc.

It would be nice for the public to see the church in action. We could go straight after church....

Project Hope

Does anyone want to coordinate the delivery of the Easter Project Hope booklets for Thames?

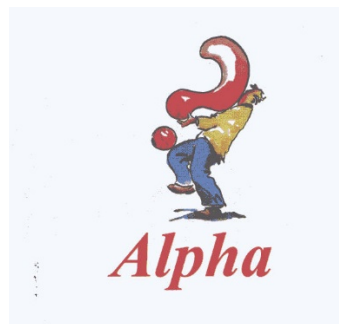
Helpers for Kidzone

Karlene is looking for people who can help out in Kidzone on a rostered basis (part of a two person team).

Alpha Course

Want to know who Jesus is or have a friend who would be interested? A new Alpha course is being run every Monday night starting in March from 5.30pm at the Church of Christ building on Parawai road, for new Christian's and those who seeking to know more. A baby sitter will be available on site for primary school children.

There is no cost to you. Please invite someone you know who is searching. Numbers limited to 10, so be in quick. Phone Bronwyn



As I walk through
the valley of the
Shadow of Death, I
remind myself that
you can't always
trust Google Maps

Baptism

Doris Jenkins is being baptised this Sunday. If you have a word for her, can you write it on a card to give to her please.

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The Bicultural Journey

TearFund have put out a series of videos on the bicultural journey of NZ. One of them is an interview with David and Denise Moko, former Kaihautu of Manatu Iriki Maori.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?ct=t%28ChurchEnews%20feb%29&v=aL4HBTqN1Zc&feature=youtu.be>

Card Making Classes

Would you like to make greeting cards to give to family & friends. If so come and join us on the Last Monday of each month

Starting Monday 22nd February 2021

Time 1.30pm to 3pm Cost = Koha

Please Bring Glue or Double sided

Tape & Pair of Scissors if you can

All Welcome - Bring a Friend

[For further information](#)

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