

Hi,

With Tuesday February 6th being Waitangi day and a public holiday the Church office will be closed that day. So I've come in on Monday (my day off) to get the church notices out this week.

The Moderator of the PCANZ, the Right Rev Rose Luxford, alongside the Moderator of Te Aka Puaho (the Maori synod of the PCANZ), the Rev Tamiana Thrupp, will be representing our Church at the Waitangi Day celebrations this year. She has produced a message for the church for Waitangi Day, which you can read on the PCANZ website https://www.presbyterian.org.nz/moderators-waitangi-day-message-2024?fbclid=IwAR1YZYb9Nu_Vtv9YDE3AaVk_Fy7E-qtKKZmgQoExgea14uxlqnHLLPHNNTs

Here are the notices

Worship Sunday February 11th 2024

Come and join us for worship at one of our three sites around the city.

10:00am	HopeTikipunga	Mark 4:35-41 (Howard Carter) communion
9:30am	HopeCentral	Mark 5:1-20 (Colleen Poyner)
9:30am	HopeOnerahi	Mark 5:21-42 (Cath Bremner)

9:30am Sunday February 11th Zoom Service

We will be re-zooming our zoom service this week. It will be a streaming of the HopeCentral 9:30am service.

The zoom service this week will be the 9:30am service from HopeCentral.

Here is the link for the service <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83429062440>

If you are using the zoom app on a mobile device or smart phone the **Meeting ID is 83429062440**

If you are joining by landline, dial 09 8846780 and follow the Instructions, again the meeting ID is **83429062440**.

There is a waiting room and then our host will let you into the live stream.

Please feel free to stay after the service and spend time chatting with other folk attending via zoom.

The ability to have this contact with each other is one of the reasons we use zoom as a platform, rather than just live streaming.

Offerings up to December 2023

Offerings to 31st December 2023 are \$108,077 against a budget of \$112,746

MainlyMusic 10am Wednesday February 14th HopeOnerahi

MainlyMusic is a wonderful fun, educational programme for pre schoolers and their parents. Full of music dance activities laughter. It resumes for 2024 at HopeOnerahi 10am Wednesday February



14th. If you are a parent of preschoolers or a grandparent looking after grandchildren this is a great opportunity and also a place for making friends.

Staff matters

Lorne Campbell is on holiday until Tuesday February 13th

Our Intern Pauline Hampshire will be in Dunedin at the summer block course from Waitangi day (Feb 6th) until Monday February 19th.

Office Hours

The church office is open from 9:00am-2:00pm Monday to Friday. However please note that it will be closed on Tuesday February 6th and Friday February 16th.

City to City seminar, Greenlane Presbyterian Church, Friday February 16th

REJUVENATION OF CHURCHES WORKSHOP

Exploring revitalisation of churches within different contexts, e.g. rural, city, multi ethnicity

16 FEBRUARY, 10AM TO 3PM.

LED BY JAMIE BESTER
DIRECTOR, LEAD CONSULTANT
AND DENOMINATIONAL CONSULTANT
CITY TO CITY AUSTRALIA



Register by emailing:
administrator@northpres.org.nz



‘City to City’ is an organization started by Tim Keller at redeemer Presbyterian Church in New York city. It is a worldwide network designed to help the church through promoting church planting and help revitalizing existing churches. The Northern presbytery have formed a partnership with City to City to work with our presbyterian churches in the Auckland northland region. The Church council have agreed to apply for HopeWhangarei to be one of the first cohort

to go through this consultation process. We are inviting people to come and join us at a seminar in Auckland looking at how City to City work with churches. If you are interested in going please let Colleen at the office know by Friday February 9th and we can arrange transport for the day.

Journeying Together - The Churches Together Northland Autumn gathering - Saturday March 16th @ HopeCentral

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Guest speaker Rev Dr Geoff New
Principal Knox Centre for Ministry & Leadership
Geoff will be giving two seminars
pastoral care and conflict resolution

HOPECENTRAL
(cnr Bank and Hunt st, Whangarei)
9:00am-3:30pm Saturday March 16th 2024
Lunch provided cost \$10.

Register by Tuesday March 12th 09 4381667 or by email to: Colleen@hopewhangarei.nz

HopeWhangarei will be hosting the Autumn gathering of Churches together Northland on Saturday March 16th at HopeCentral. We are blessed to have the principal of KCML (Knox Centre for Ministry and Leadership), Rev Dr Geoff New with us for the day Geoff will be running to half day seminars; one on pastoral care and the other on conflict resolution. These are good for people involved in ministry and leadership in the church.

Please register with colleen at the church office (094381667 or colleen@hopewhangarei.nz) by Tuesday March 12th if you are interested in attending (\$10 to cover lunch).

Lawn Mowing roster at HopeCentral

While the green space out front of HopeCentral is maintained by the council, the lawns around the church are wonderfully maintained by a group of volunteers in the church. They do a fantastic job... If there are people who would be keen and interested in being on the lawn mowing roster for HopeCentral please contact Colleen at the Church office.

Congratulations on 50th wedding anniversary.

Congratulations to Lynette and Rob Patterson who will be celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary this week.

Women's morning tea February 24th from 10am at HopeCentral

Keep this date free and more details to follow next week.

Blessing

The Right Rev Rose Luxford concludes her Waitangi day message with the **Te manaakitanga – The blessing** from Philippians 4:7

*Ma te mārie a te Atua
e kore nei ē taea te whakaaro
e tiaki ō koutou ngākau ō koutou hinengaro
i roto i a Karaiti Ihu;
ā kia mau kia ū hoki ki a koutou
te manaaki a te Atua Kaha Rawa,
a te Matua, a te Tama, a te Wairua Tapu
āianeī ā āke tonu atu.
Āmine.*

*May the peace of God
which passes all understanding
keep your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus
and may the blessing of God almighty,
the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit
be with you and remain with you now and
always.
Amen.*

Howard Carter

SENIOR MINISTER
HOPEWHANGAREI

February 5th 2024

Ps:- a Hurukōwhai (Yellowhammer) from a holiday walk along the Katikati river trail.

