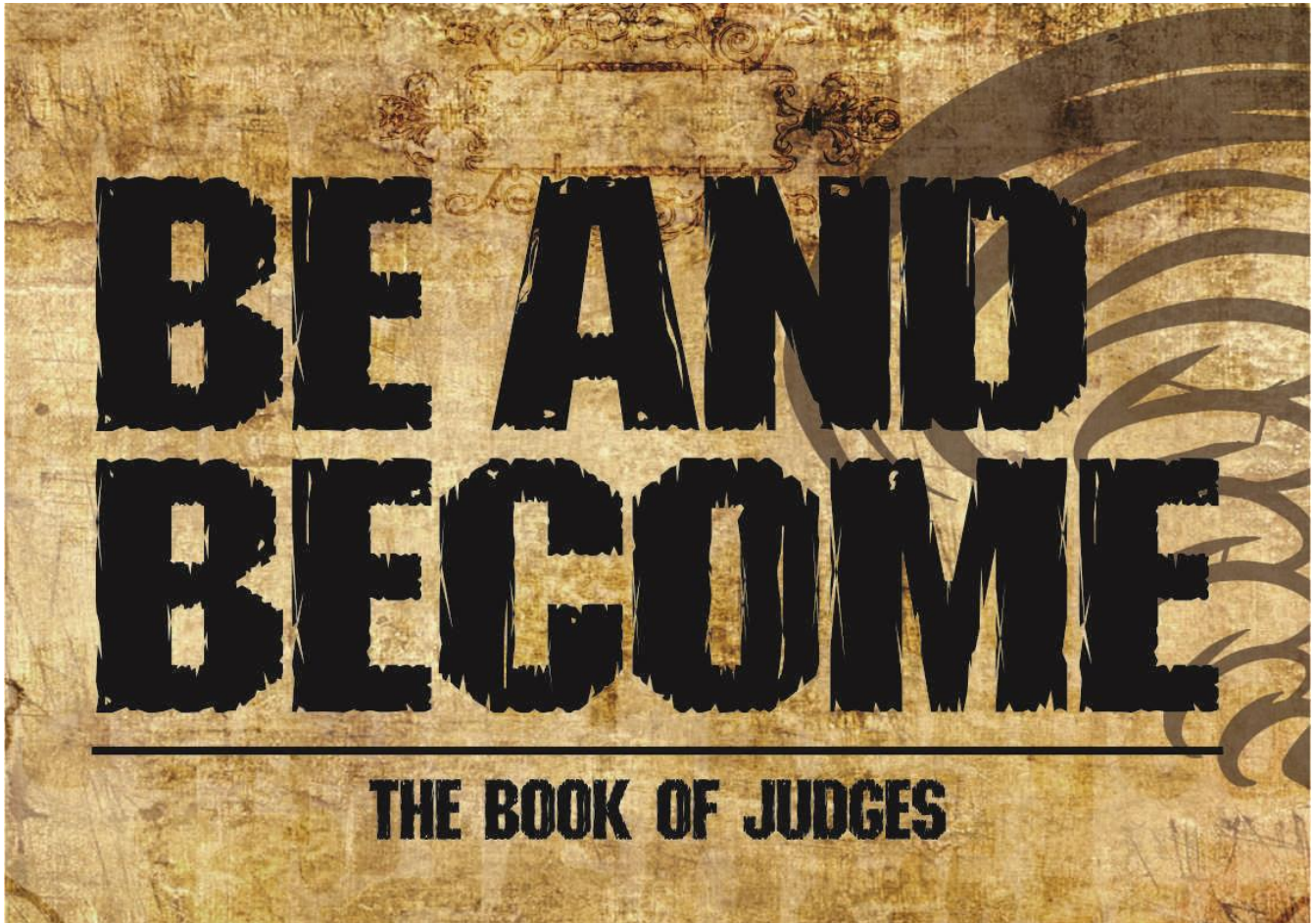


November 12th 2017



Daryl Bay, Abimelech: The Self-Appointed King (Judges 9)

Welcome

If you're visiting today we'd love you to relax and enjoy the service. You will not be singled out or asked to do anything that will embarrass you. Please don't feel obliged to make a contribution to the offering today. You are our guest and guests don't usually pay!

If you are looking for a church home, would like prayer, a visit or a phone call, we would love to hear from you. Please talk to someone at the Information Desk in the foyer, or fill out a response form and pop it in the 'drop-box' there.

Children's programmes

Available during the service are: Littlies crèche (Under 3 years, in the Waimea Room), Explorers senior crèche (3 & 4 years, in the Ranzau Room) a children's programme (Kidschurch - Primary School), and youth programmes (Equip Jnr - Years 7 & 8, Equip Snr - Years 9 & 10)



Sound Loop
Available

NEWS AND PRAYER

Welcome to our worship gathering of Hope Church. Every week we join together to pour out our praise to God, to hear from Him through His Word, and to respond to what the Holy Spirit is doing in our lives. May you be blessed as you open your heart to the Lord today. We're continuing our series in Judges today, looking at a lesser known character named Abimelech. His life teaches us some harrowing lessons. Let's turn to the Lord with all our hearts today! Thanks for being with us.

Thank you: Nadia Madill and family express their heartfelt thanks and gratitude for all the care, prayers and messages of support and sympathy on the recent loss of Robert.

Ladies Fellowship: We will be meeting at 10am on Thursday, November 23 at the Grape Escape Cafe for our end of year Devonshire tea (or coffee!) \$10 per person. Please RSVP to Julie Bay by Tuesday 22 Nov (text [0211251938](tel:0211251938), call [5410323](tel:5410323) or email darylbbay@gmail.com).

Needed: First Aid Helpers! As part of our efforts to look after our church family, we would like to have a designated First Aid Person each Sunday. If you have a current First Aid certificate and would like to consider helping in this area, please contact our Operations Manager – Melvyn Nicholls – at melvyn@hopechurch.org.nz or 021 235 4897.

Final craft night: for 2017 is Friday 24th November, anytime between 7 and 10 pm. Arrive when you can, leave when you need to. BYO project or just come and chat. judyannesmb@gmail.com, 021548580

A message from Abigail Marshall: This summer I will be sharing the Gospel with people at Tahuna beach through Student Life, a Christian university group committed to giving people an opportunity to hear the Gospel and respond to Jesus. We will be doing this through activities such as sandcastle building, sports competitions, and sausage sizzles. I am looking for people to partner with me in prayer and finances. Please consider donating online at: <https://give.studentlife.org.nz/abigail-marshall> where you can also find more information. The total cost is about \$800. Any support is sincerely appreciated. Thanks.

Monthly Financial Report for October 2017

Monthly Offerings for October **\$42215**

Budgeted Monthly Offering **\$43750**

YTD January to October offerings **\$410555**

YTD January to October budgeted offerings **\$437500**



Music Team: All those involved and all those who would like to be (including youth band and potential youth band members)! On Sunday, **TONIGHT**, November 12th 7pm, there is a Whole Music Team meet at church. Come for coffee and cake, encouragement and worship together. Queries to Brendon, Simon or Antoinette.

Next Week: Mark Fryer, Jephthah: Outcast (Judges 10-12)

Creche, Kidschurch & Youth News

YOUTH AND INTERMEDIATE – Contact: Matt Smit - matt@hopechurch.org.nz

Ignite and One80 Youth

Youth group for both Ignite (College age) and 180 (Intermediate age) is on this Tuesday night! We look forward to seeing you all then :)

Abel Tasman Tramp - Year 11 - 13's

Ignite Youth is tramping the Abel Tasman!! 7th - 10th Dec. This is for all students year 11 and over. If you want a form or more information please contact Matt Smit.

*KIDSCHURCH – Contact: Olivia Gapes - oliviagapes@gmail.com;
Ph 5446628 ext 7; 021 345490*

KIDSCHURCH THIS WEEK: Today is the last day on our topic called 'Frequently Asked Questions' looking at common questions people may have about God and Christianity. Ephesians 2:8-9 is our current memory verse.

Youth and Kids Programmes (Age Group)	Venue
Equip Senior (Years 9 and 10)	Participating in the service today
Equip Junior (Years 7 and 8)	Starveall Room
Pulse (7 to 10 year olds)	Youth Hall
Safari (5 and 6 year olds)	Tasman Room
Explorers Creche (3 and 4 year olds)	Ranzau Room
Littlies Creche (Under 3 years)	Waimea Room

Prayer Focus

Missionary: Kevin & Liz Borlase, Hannah & Justin. Finance OM, **ENGLAND**
Church: Richmond Church of Christ, Steve Rollo



Small Groups

Belonging to a small group is a vital part of growth at Hope Church. We have heaps of diverse small groups, meeting through the week. Talk to Donald Irvine to get connected.

Our Core Values

Living as
Missionaries

Authentic
Community

Strong Families

Prayerful
Dependence

Humble
Servanthood

Meeting the
Needs of the
Needy

Truth that
Changes Lives

Shared Ministry

Multi-
Generational
God-Centered
Worship

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