


hopecommunity church

May 13th 2018



PRAYER THE KEY TO ENJOYING GOD

The Practice of Prayer, Daryl Bay and Others

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).

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 the worship gathering at Hope Church! We're finishing our teaching series on prayer today with a practical discussion on how to practise prayer in your own life. We are delighted that you are with us today. We'd love to pray with you at the end of the service.

Prayer Challenge: Take the challenge to pray through the Lord's Prayer every day during this series. Prayer Guides are available in the foyer at the Info Desk.

The Window and the Door: Our next two Sundays are focused on mission, global and local. Join us for these Sundays as we worship and get equipped for our calling as ambassadors of Christ. There are two prayer meetings that go with these services - come join us for these.

Prayer Focus, Term 2: We'd love the whole church family to join us for two prayer sessions in May:

- Sunday May 20, 11:30am-1pm. Straight after the service, we will be praying for the Unreached Peoples of the world.
- Sunday May 27, Breakfast and Prayer, 8am-9:30am. Breakfast served at 8am, followed by prayer for our mission to our wonderful community. Families encouraged to attend!

Women's Dinner!! Friday 18th May, 6.30 pm. Cost - \$30 Teapot Valley Christian Camp. Dress theme – Music! Come inspired by a song, artist, musical, instrument etc. Gather a group of friends together College age upwards. Flyers on the Welcome Desk. Come and bring a laugh or two with you!!!

MMM will be at Bridge Valley Adventure Centre in Wakefield from Monday 14 May til Friday 1 June. The project is to stain and paint some of the the outside buildings. If anyone would like to pick up the paint brush and join the team - for a day, or a couple of days, you would be most welcome. Please contact Don and/or Ruth Grant, on 021 228 3800 (Don) or Ruth 027 271 4344 or 03 538 0739.

Next craft night is Friday May 18 between 7 and 10pm. Arrive when you can, leave when you have to. BYO project, help me knit beanies for children in The Ukraine or just come and chat. Judy-Anne, judyannesmb@gmail.com, 021548580.

Combined Richmond Waimea Churches Service. Sunday 20th May 7pm at Grace Church. A great opportunity for the wider church family to meet together and celebrate God's goodness. An offering will be taken which will be divided between ReMix Bible in Schools and Saints and Angels.

Library News: We are very sorry but the library is closed for at least a week as we wait for new shelving to arrive. While this process is going on, we ask that no-one takes any books out until we are sorted again. Many thanks.

Thank you to the church family for your prayers and love during the recent time that Andrew was unwell. Andrew and Angela Ladds.

Hope Community Church giving Tax Receipts 2018: Tax receipts for giving to year ended March 2018 are available at the information desk



Email newsletter: If you would like to be added to our weekly Friday email newsletter, please email news@hopechurch.org.nz

Small Groups at Hope Church: God grows us best in community. Small Groups at Hope are a way to belong, to be discipled, and to participate in mission. Talk to Mark Fryer, Connections Pastor, for more details. Email: mark@hopechurch.org.nz

Electric Drums: A privately owned set of electric drums was played in church last Sunday and many people have responded positively to the sound they produced. As purchasing a set for church is not a budget priority we are wondering if people may like to contribute financially to purchase a set. We have a pledge of \$1500 and need a further \$1K to make the purchase. If you would like to help raise the finance, please use the church bank account and reference your contribution as 'drums'. The drums would increase our musical options for our Sunday worship.

Next Sunday: Global Mission Sunday: The Window (International Day for Unreached Peoples)

Creche, Kidschurch & Youth News

YOUTH – Contact: Lisa Rutledge. 021 404 978. news@hopechurch.org.nz

Ignite Youth – Tuesday 7.15-9pm @ HCC. All college age youth invited along to youth group at church on Tuesday.

INTERMEDIATE (One80) – Contact Steven Polglase. 027 343 4693. steven@hopechurch.org.nz

One80 youth (Intermediate age, yr 7-8) **6-7.30pm @ HCC.**

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

KIDSCHURCH THIS WEEK: Philippians 3: 1-11.

Youth and Kids Programmes (Age Group)	Venue
Equip Senior (Years 9 and 10)	Upstairs Prayer Room
Equip Junior (Years 7 and 8)	Starveall Room
Pulse (7 to 10 year olds)	Redwood Room
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 and Liz Borlase, Hannah and Justin. ENGLAND. Working for OM
Church: Brightwater Community Church, Martin Harrison



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 Mark Fryer 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

Staff & Contact Details

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