

Next week at 9.30am the Family service will be led by the Youth. It is combined with Insight group.

**FOODBANK NEEDS FOR THE MONTHS:
October - December 2017**

Baby food, milk powder, sugar, flour, baked beans and spaghetti, tinned fruit, tinned fish, tinned stews, biscuits, tinned creamed corn, tinned tomatoes, pasta, rice.

We are constantly looking at vegetables and fruit to put into our parcels so if you know of any suppliers that are willing to help us please let us know. Thank you for your continuing support to the Foodbank.

On Dec 3rd and 10th we will have a special marked basket for food you may like to give for people or families in the parish who have had a hard year. We do this each year and it is very much appreciated.



On December 3rd we will have a Christmas tree up in the Church and would love some presents for the Prisoner Aid Society to put under it. Please put a tag on it and say who it is suitable for. For the children's

presents they would prefer a book, puzzle or game.

Diary for the Week

Mon 4 7.30am Before Sch Care
11am Tai Chi
3.30pm Speech & Drama
3.30 Chinese Learning Sch
3.00pm After School Care
Tues 5 7.30am Before School Care
9.30am Toy Library

3.00pm Before Sch Care
3.30pm Speech & Drama
5.30pm Power Hoop
Wed 6 10am Wednesday Service
Garden Club
Thurs 7 7.30am Before School Care
3.30 Chinese School
3.00 After School Care
Fri 8 10am Mainly Music
3.00 After School Care
3.30pm Chinese Learning Sch
Sat 9 10.30am Toy Library
Patchwork & Quilter
Sun 10 8am Communion Service
9.30am Service led by our Youth



Rosters for 10 December 2017

8.00am Service -
Welcomer, Reader & Server – L Haworth
Steward – K Gray
9.30am Service
Welcomer – P Allan & D Davis
Stewards – B & R Pearce
Readers – D Campbell & E Mayall
Intercessory prayers – M Clow
Morning Tea Roster – Chartwell Fellowship
Lawns –

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Notices on the Notice Board

Christmas in Fairfield Park Friday 8th Dec



between 2-8pm. Bring a little money and come along for the true meaning of Christmas, food, rides music, Nativity Scenes, Christmas Carols, Santa and a whole lot of family fun! Plus much more!!

DEATHS

KENTISH Timothy David

On 21 November, peacefully at St Joan's Hospital aged 90 years, loved husband of the late Elizabeth, loved and loving husband of Gwen, loved father of Hugh and Cath, Tom (Australia), Judith and John Coker, Gary and Nicky Sims, Michael Sims and Rosie Ryan, and respected grandfather. David's family acknowledge the wonderful care provided by St Joan's staff over the past 12 years. A Memorial Service to celebrate David's life will be held at Chartwell Cooperating Church, corner Comries Road and Belmont Ave **at 10.30am on Saturday 16** December. Communication to PO Box 12034, Hamilton 3248

For help from the Lightbulb Brigade please contact Jack Brinkman ph 855 5106 or write your name and phone number here –
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and hand it in to the office.
Don't be shy, ask! We are here to help.



Best wishes for a happy birthday to Carol Webb, Noeline Rountree, Carole Harford, Ratanui Wilkins and all who have birthdays this week.

December 10th at 9.30am, the combined Family service with Insight will be led by the Youth.

December 17th is Rev Ken's official farewell and heads of the Churches will be present. This is a **combined service of all three morning services** at 9.30am. Please bring a plate of finger food for morning tea.

Christmas Day – There will be one service here and it will be at 9am but we will be holding five services on the 24th December.

“Carol our Christmas”

At 9.30am on Sunday the 24th of December we will have a favourite Christmas Carol service “Carol our Christmas”.

You are invited to indicate your favourite carol on the clip board in the foyer, also including your name and contact number.

Leading up to the service I will contact several who have suggested a hymn to find out why that carol is special for you.

Let's make this a wonderful celebration of carol singing.

Many thanks, Ken Olsen.

Super Gold Card Special Offers Did you know you can get a lot of special offers with your Gold Card?

On the noticeboard there is a copy of the recent special offers but you can look them up on www.superseniors.msd.govt.nz. The government will email them to you regularly during the year.

A walking group leaves the Parish Car Park most Thursday mornings at 9.30am. If you are interested or would like to know more information contact Bob Dawson or Ian Bridge.

Advent 1 – Sunday 3rd December

8.00am Holy Communion
9.30am Advent Lessons & Carols
9.30am Insight Service

Advent 2 – Sunday 10th December

8.00am Holy Communion
9.30am Family Service with children's nativity play

Advent 3 – Sunday 17th December

9.30am Family Service – farewell for Rev Ken & Julie Olsen. Bring a plate for morning tea.

Advent 4 – Sunday 24th December

8.00am Holy Communion
9.30am “Carol our Christmas” favourite carols service

Christmas Eve – Sunday 24th December

4.30pm “Carols and Crafts” Family Service
11.30pm Carols by Candlelight with Holy Communion

Christmas Day – Monday 25th December

Celebrate together the birth of Jesus
9.00am Holy Communion



Anglican – Methodist – Presbyterian
3rd December 2017
Advent 1



Our mission is: “To know and share God's love”.

A very warm welcome is extended to this morning's services. Christine Polglase is our musician at the 9.30am service today. *A big thank you to all our musicians who play for us each Sunday. We are fortunate to have you play.* Please stay for morning tea.

The 8am service will be from NZPB page 404. Val and Krish Nayar are our reader and server this morning.

Progressive Exploration, Tonight at 7pm:

Rev Ken Olsen will lead the service, under the title "Walking the way of Faith". At this service Ken will share something of his journey, including a few aspects that have been formative and precious.

Rev Ken and Julie Olsen's farewell service will be held on Dec 17th at 9.30am. Please bring a plate for morning tea. The last service of Ken's tenure here will be on Jan 14th. **A book is available** in the Church Office or Church foyer for anyone to sign or put a few comments in, or you may email them to the Church Office and they will be put in the book.