



2nd April 2023 Palm Sunday

Our mission is: "To know and share God's love". Kia mau, kia uru te aroha o te Atua

A very warm welcome is extended to this Sunday's worship service, a Combined Palm Sunday and Baptism Service at 9:30am in the worship centre. No 8:00 am service.

Morning tea will follow the 9.30am service this Sunday.

Midweek Holy Communion Service:

Join us every Wednesday at 10:00am. All welcome.

Sunday service online: 9.30am

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3984184545?pwd=ZXFrallyZjU4azkvZytpaTJmaVMxQT09

Meeting ID: 398 418 4545 Passcode: 763250910



Laura Barton's Baptism:

Welcome to the Barton Family. We celebrate this special event of Laura's baptism. May God continue to bless you all.



Thank you, Keri, for your many years of faithful and dedicated service as our Parish Administrator. We will miss you. May God bless you abundantly.

Birthday Best Wishes ... to Rev Loris Eyre, Daniel Brown, Vicki Dawson, Graham Bosher and all who have birthdays this week.



What's on

Mon 3 10am Dementia Waikato

10.30am Healing Group

2pm U3A Committee meeting

7pm Chartwell Indoor Bowls

7.30pm Sands Waikato

Tues 4 9.30am Toy Library

10am SeniorNet

3.30pm Back2Basics Tuition

3.30pm Strive Performing Arts

7pm English Class

Wed 5 10am Communion Service

10.30am Pilates

6pm Girls' Brigade

7.30pm Garden Club

Thur 6 9.30am Selwyn Centre

3.30pm Back2Basics Tuition

7pm Tenebrae Service

Fri 7 Good Friday

Sat 8 10am Toy Library

Patchwork & Quilting

Sun 9 Easter Sunday

8am Holy Communion Service

9.30am Holy Communion Service

Rosters for Sunday 9th April

8am Service:

Steward - K Gray

Server, reader & welcomer - J Flint

9.30am Service:

Musician - P Ellery

Readers -

Prayers -

Steward - A Grant

Welcomers - D Smith & L Thom

Sound - R Young

Computer - A Utting

Morning tea - A&J Neal, D Smith & L

Thom

Lawns - 15 April - Singh family, D

Woolerton



Congratulations and happy wedding anniversary to Don and Merlene Woolerton.

Help wanted: Our wonderful Keri is departing Chartwell Church for new opportunities. It is highly unlikely that we will have found a replacement before she finishes on 31 March. We are therefore looking at ways to staff reception during the gap. We need one or more people who can collate enquiries via the telephone, via email and in person. You don't need to have the answers. At this stage we need cover for some or all of Monday, Thursday and Friday. If you're able to help, we'd love to hear from you. Thanks, the Executive Team

Does anyone have a laptop computer that they either no longer use or have replaced? My daughter Catherine is looking for some for her students at Marfell School in New Plymouth. They don't need to be working as she has someone who can fix them. Thank you in advance to anyone who can help. Margaret Henshaw

Apr 21-23 FINDING PERSPECTIVE

Take advantage of the space, silence and beauty of Tyburn to reflect and deepen your connection with God. We will consider the discomforting disruptions we face and look for encouragement and strength for our journeys.

Date: Friday 21st April, 10am - Sunday 23rd April, 3pm.

Venue: Tyburn Monastery, 74 Dods Road,

Waikete Valley (near Rotorua)

Facilitator: Jan Sampson

Cost: \$250 includes a single room with en-

suite, linen & all meals.

Registration: spiritualdirector3@gmail.com

This retreat will provide time to reflect. Much of it will be in silence, but over meals and in the evening, there will be opportunity for those that wish to talk together.



MORNING OF REFLECTION AND PRAYER - April 14th

These mornings provide a place to step aside from our normal busy schedules to better see what God is saying and doing in our lives. They provide opportunity for refreshment so that we may be better enabled to reconnect with our worlds. The meetings usually start with a led reflection/prayer around a 'theme' and then there is time for individual interaction with this through journaling or using the creative activities provided. A handout is available to aid reflection.

Facilitator: Jan Sampson Time: 9:30am - 12pm

Venue: Saint James, 82 Nixon St, Hamilton East

Cost: \$10 appreciated

BYO journal, Bible. Morning tea provided. Registration: Jan Sampson (027) 480 5188

or spiritualdirector3@gmail.com

You are welcome to join me after the morning for conversation and to eat lunch before you head out.

Annual Fair - at this stage the Fair is still on for 2023. The Fair Committee hopes to have recommendations for any changes ready by early April.

If you have items for the newsletter, the deadline is Wednesday at 12 noon.

Combined Waikato Churches - Worship Together through Songs, Scripture and Prayer. With Grant Norsworthy. Hosted at Hamilton Central Baptist on Sunday evening 3rd April. See the noticeboard for more details.

The latest edition of Touchstone is now available in the church foyer.



Good Friday: 9:00 am Procession of the Cross from Chartwell Church (Belmont Avenue side)

On the noticeboard -

- Waikato/Waiariki Methodist Synod Refresh Retreat 28-29 April
- Korean Food Festival 22 April

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