

**2nd Sunday of Advent
Sunday 10th December 2023**

**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 our Holy Communion Service
At 8.00 am and our Church Christmas Play at 9.30 am.
Nau mai haere mai Welcome**

8.00 am Service

Preacher & Presider: Rev. Jekheli Kibami-Singh

Readings: Isa 40: 1-11 & Mark 1: 1-8

Welcomer, Reader, & Server: Jill Flint

Steward: Sylvia Williams

9.30 am Service

Welcomers: Bev Jillings & Peter Allan

Steward: Dawn Smith

Musician: Paul Ellery

Sound and Computer: John Neal &
Samuel Hollis

Morning Tea: Heather Hart,
Evelyn Johnston,
Dawn Smith, Gloria Zanders

Insight: Enjoying the church play

Mid week Holy Communion Service:

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

Birthday wishes to Ellen Webb, Spencer Keelty & Nigel Welch who have a birthday this week. Congratulations to anyone who has a wedding anniversary this week.

Ma te Atua koutou e manaaki. May God bless you all.

What's on this week

- Sun 10** 8.00am Worship Service
9.30am Worship Service
12.00pm Htn Full Gospel Church
- Mon 12** 9.30am Stace Photography
7.00pm CYF meeting
7.00pm Sands Waikato Xmas
- Tues 13** 9.30am Toy Library
7.00pm English Class
7.30pm Wanderers Tramping
- Wed 14** Gold Club
10.00am Communion Service
10.30am Pilates
5.45pm Hamilton City Gym
- Thur 15** 9.00am Interactionz
9.30am Selwyn Centre Trip
3.00pm Back2basics
6.30pm Goshin Jujitsu
- Fri 16** 6.00pm Lagoinha Church
- Sat 17** 9.00am Girls' Brigade
10.00am Toy Library
2.00pm Violin Recital
3.30pm WSBST
Enjoy your week!

Rosters for Sunday 17th December Christmas Carol & Readings Service

8am Service:

Welcomer, reader, prayer & server:

Rona Gooch

Steward: Kem Gray

Morning Tea: Ruth Bridges

9.30am Service:

Welcomers: Maureen & Alan Hintz

Steward: Merlene & Don Woolerton

Musician: Paul Ellery

Readers: Gillian Woodward & Kelera Luvu

Prayer: Margaret Clow

Sound: Rajnish Singh

Computer: Uday & Avika Singh

Morning Tea: Bev Jillings, Esther Odlum, Bruce & Tania Snowdon

Lawns: Rod McAlpine & Bruce Snowdon

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Our English Language Classes are continuing to attract new students. There is very good attendance and great participation. It is a joy to see the progress these students make in their confidence and conversational language skills. However, due to personal changes in the lives of several tutors we are seeking new volunteer tutors. A tutor only needs a delight in communicating with others and an appreciation of the challenges faced by people who are developing language skills to secure jobs and their future. It is great fun and as tutors we learn significant values from the students and their diverse cultures. Please contact Sylvia at the church office if you would be happy to join us.



Services in December 2023 & January 2024

Chartwell Cooperating Parish of St Alban's
126 Comries Road, Chartwell Hamilton
07- 855 7434 or office@chartwellchurch.org.nz

Sunday December 3 ~ Advent 1

8:00 am Holy Communion
9:30 am Baptism Service

Sunday December 10 ~ Advent 2

8:00 am Holy Communion
9:30 am Christmas Play Service

Sunday December 17~ Advent 3

8:00 am Holy Communion
9:30 am Carols

Christmas Eve Sunday December 24

8:00 am Holy Communion
9:30 am Holy Communion
4:00 pm Family Christmas Service
11:30 pm Christmas Eve & Vigil

Christmas Day December 25

9:00 am Holy Communion

Sunday December 31 ~ Healing Service

9:00 am Holy Communion

Services in January:

9:00 am Every Sunday

To know and share God's love ~ Kia mau, kia uru te aroha o te Atua

CHARTWELL CHURCH INVITES YOU TO A....

Christmas Eve Family Service Carols and Craft

SUNDAY 24th DEC 4-5pm
@ Chartwell Cooperating Church

Join us for a family focussed service on Christmas Eve.
Fun, crafts and afternoon tea for all ages

124 Comries Road, Chartwell

Advent Sunday

Share Food and Create Hope

Christian World Service

--- come & join with us ---

Christmas Carol & Readings Service

Sunday 17th December 9.30am

December Touchstone

<https://hail.to/methodist-church-of-new-zealand/publication/OARkyV2>

Presbyterian Support Northern Newsletter

https://www.psn.org.nz/wp-content/uploads/PSN-Post-Summer_Xmas-2023-PDF-FINAL.pdf

St. Marks Church Te Kowhai

Christmas Grotto

Learn about Christmas Carols & Rediscover the Original Christmas Story!!

Open 9 - 23 Dec 2023
Evenings from 6.00pm - 9.30pm
or available for groups by appointment

All Welcome!!
Admission FREE!!
(Koha accepted)

For more info
Ph: 021 463 967

St. Marks Church Te Kowhai

Church Rosters. Please consider going on one of the church rosters beginning Feb 2024. The more people on the roster, the less often you are rostered on. A BIG Thank You to everyone who has helped out with our Worship Services this year.

Eco Corner (brought to you by the Chartwell Cooperating Church Eco Team)

Tip of the week: Support those focused on trying to make a difference.

Go Eco Food Rescue Appeal

Last year they rescued nearly 380 tonnes of food, creating over 1 million meals, turning an environmental problem into a social solution.

They rescue and redistribute perfectly edible food from supermarkets, orchards and food producers. Instead of the food going to landfill, it feeds people in our region and reduces carbon emissions.

If you're unable to donate today, please share the appeal from the website to help.

<https://goeco.raisely.com>



We strongly recommend that those diagnosed with covid or have flu-like symptoms please do not enter our premises for 5 days or until the symptoms have passed.

UP COMING	EVENTS	
Sun Dec 10	9:30 am	Christmas Play service
Sun Dec 17	9.30 am	Christmas Carol & Readings Service
Sun Dec 24	4.00 pm	Christmas Eve Family Service
Sun Dec 24	11.30 pm	Christmas Eve & Vigil Service
Sun Dec 25	9.00 am	Holy Communion Service

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