### If you are new to the Parish, have you received a welcome pack? We have these available for you. Please don't leave without one.



Rosters	1st September	8th September	15th September	22nd September
Door	Wayne & Tania	Wayne & Tania	Wayne & Tania	Wayne & Tania
Lawns	Joel		Roger	Janice
Intercession	Janice	John O.	Myron	Kaiwai
Cleaning	Cathy & Suzanne	Cathy & Suzanne	Jenny & Helen	Jenny & Helen
Computer	Myron	Myron	Myron	Suzanne
Sound	Conal	Joel	Jemma	Joel
Tea	Suzanne	Mary	Effie	Joy
Birthday Prayers	Sue	Lorraine	Cathy	Sue
Church Lunch	Jean K.	Neil & Helen	Tania	John & Lorraine
Communion	Roger			

Please ensure your cell phones are on vibrate or turned off during the service.



#### **Contact Details**

Please note that the office is closed every Tuesday between 9.30 am to 10.30 am for our team meeting.

Minister: John Wilkie Ph: 278 3561 or 027 555 6111 (Day off Friday)
Assistant Pastor: Wayne Ogden Ph: 027 859 0544 (Day off Monday)

Youth Pastor: Marty Kingi Ph: 021 733 476 (Day off Monday)

Session Clerk: Neil Walker Ph: 278 7541 Church Administrator: Suzanne Hokopaura Youth Group: Marty Kingi Ph: 278 8657 Treasure Seekers: Kate Kingi Ph: 278 8657 Prayer Chain: Phone the Church Office

Pastoral Visiting: Wayne Ogden - phone the Church Office

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Our Vision is ~
To honour God,
nurture, disciple and send out





1st September 2019

Weekly News

We will train and equip those who will honour God, making disciples to be salt and light in our community and afar

Welcome everyone

If you are new to St John's or visiting with us, we welcome you to our service.

Message

Today's message is entitled: "Our Father" - Wayne Ogden



Jesus said, "If you really knew me, you would know the Father as well".

John 14:7

**Shared Lunch** 

Today's lunch is being hosted by Jean Kelsen, 29 Wilson Street, Hawera. Everyone welcome.

**General Information** 



# FATHER'S DAY



#### Prayer Night

7 pm Wednesday 4th September Everyone welcome



1ST SEPTEMBER - DV

# Youth Group Term 3 planner

#### **September**

Sunday 1st Friday 6th

Evening Service Bible Study, games, prayer & worship

Friday 13th Saturday 14th Friday 20th Encounter Weekend Encounter Weekend Bible Study, games, prayer & worship

#### Weekly Prayer

Pray for Darren, Elizabeth & Graham Merrey, Beryl Magon, Jenny Nager, Mark & Cheryl Nevile, Lesley Ogden, Wayne, Cathy, Jack, Jemma & Ella Ogden, John & Jan Omundsen.



Calling all creative people. We need your skills to create a church display for the Arts and Garden Festivals in early November.



Flowers, art, quilts, embroidery, poetry, calligraphy, crafts of all kinds. Let's

make our church glow with the glory of God-given talents. Items may be offered for sale through the church office.





#### 8th September @ 3 pm

Prayer Meeting every Saturday 8 – 9 am in the Vestry. **Everyone welcome.** 



#### **Church Finances**

Income for July \$21,378 Expenditure \$21,837 Deficit \$ 459

#### **Home Groups**

Tuesday

@ 1 pm Tuesday Afternoon Study Ph: 278 0166

@ 1.30 pm - Country Road Contact Bill or Hazel Robinson Ph: 278 6615

@ 7 pm CIA home group at Marty & Kate's Ph: 278 8657

**Thursday** @ 7.30 pm - Andy & Julie Ph: 278 4893

#### **Budgets**

If you or your group wish to have something considered for the budget please get it to the office by Monday 23rd September.



#### **OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD 2019**

GIVE A PRESENT WITH A DIFFERENCE THIS CHRISTMAS

Each year Operation Christmas Child sends Shoeboxes full of gifts overseas, to children in need for Christmas.

And you can be a part of it. All you need to get started is a Shoebox and brochure.

Simply follow brochure information and fill your Shoebox. You can choose who it goes to – a girl or boy and what age range.

A donation of \$10.00 is preferred to cover shipping and project costs. Shoeboxes to be in by the 31st of October and can be left at the Office.

Last year 159 Shoeboxes were collected from the Hawera area. They joined 1015 from Taranaki (plus 'fillers' to make up extra shoe boxes). In total 24 382 were sent from New Zealand.

So pick up a Shoebox and brochure from the Church foyer.

For more information see Bevan Soothill or visit <a href="www.operationchristmaschild.org.nz">www.operationchristmaschild.org.nz</a>

September 21<sup>st</sup>, Saturdav. we will have our first of mission-planning Mission Catalyst. workshops with the Blaikie. This workshop will help our church understand where we are today in our response to God's mission, and where God is calling us in the future. This is a great opportunity to learn more about God's mission, what a 'missional church' is, and gain a deeper understanding of how we as a church contribute to God's Mission in Hawera and beyond.

The workshop will be held in the Church foyer. There is one reading that we encourage everyone to read before the first workshop if you have the time/capacity. It's not important you understand everything in the reading, as Susan will spend some time reflecting on it at the workshop as well. Milfred Minatrea 'Shaped by God's Heart; The Passion and Practices of Missional Churches' reading provides a good overview of the key differences between Missional vs Maintenance culture in churches, and also provides an introduction to some mission-language and concepts. The readings are available from the foyer table. Below is the agenda for our meeting:

Start Time	Activity
9.45am	Settle in and have a cuppa
10.00am	Welcome and prayer, guidelines and purpose
10.15am	Exploring God's Mission and the church's mission
11.00am	Exploring Maintenance vs Missional Church
11.30am	Exploring the 3 levels of church culture then give out survey outputs
12.00pm	Shared Lunch
12:45pm	Group work: Reviewing survey output and identifying shared values and struggles
3.15pm	Commitment to next meeting and closing reflection/ prayer
3.30pm	Home time



## Bible Quiz coming

A fundraiser for Bible Society Bibles for China.

Teams of three - youth and kids included.

Start reading up the Parables in Matthew beginning in chapter 13

Cost: \$10 per team

Date: 29th September at 3 pm in the foyer.

If interested or for more information see Cathy. You can also register at the office by Monday 23rd September.

Below is a space for prophetic art, doodling or a word you may get during the service. Put it into the box in the foyer and label whether it is for the church or someone specific.