

Rosters	3rd December	10th December	17th December	24th December
Door	Jenny L, Michelle & Robert	Jenny L, Michelle & Robert	Jenny L, Michelle & Robert	Jenny L, Michelle & Robert
Intercession	Janice	John O.	Myron	Michelle
Computer	Suzanne	Suzanne	Suzanne	Lorraine
Sound	Maria	Maria	Maria	Jemma
Tea	Jenny N.	Jan	Michelle	Steve
Birthday Prayers	Jenny L.	Sue	Lorraine	Cathy
Church Lunch	Church Foyer	Church foyer	Ended for 2023	
'Waiting on God'	Sue	Cathy	Sue	Cathy
Communion	Sue			

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: 027 555 6111 (Day off Wed, Thurs, Friday)

Assistant Pastor/Pastoral Visiting: Wayne Ogden Ph: 027 859 0544 (Tuesday & Wednesday only) or phone the Church Office

Youth Pastor: Grant Watkins (Friday only)

Session Clerk: Peter Hokopaura Ph: 278 6980

Church Administrator: Suzanne Hokopaura

Treasure Seekers: Vacant

Prayer Chain: Phone the Church Office

CHURCH OFFICE: Open Monday - Thursday 9 am - 2 pm **Closed** Fridays

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

Weekly News



3rd December 2023

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

The final part of the series God's Governors

Weekly Prayer

- Please pray for all the Churches of South Taranaki as they plan their Christmas services.
- Continue to pray for Matt Millar and family.
- Continue to pray for the Ministry Settlement Board and for our next Minister.

John & Lorraine's Farewell Lunch



TODAY @ 12 noon in the Church foyer.
This is a catered lunch. Everyone is welcome.



Community Christmas Gift Giving

Ngati Ruanui Ta'ua are asking for donations to make small parcels for families and those in need.

See the notice board for all of the details.

Donations for the Food Banks of Taranaki are desperately needed. Items can be left at Church or at the Office. The Salvation Army list of items needed is on the notice board.

Rosters LAST CHANCE TO JOIN UP...

If you would like to join any of the rosters or if you wish to be removed please phone the office. **We particularly need people to run the sound desk. Training will be given and it's not a onerous task.**
Also if you would like to host a Church lunch please ring the office.

Upcoming Events

Thee King Trust Annual General Meeting

Church Office - December 4th @ 1 pm prior to the Business meeting. All Welcome.

Changed
DATE!



Upcoming Guest Speakers

10th December - Choir Service

17th December - John Omundsen

24th December - Wayne Ogden

25th December - John Wilkie



We would encourage you to keep CHRIST in CHRISTmas and have a nativity scene in your window at home or in your business.



The Madrigal Companie from New Plymouth present

A Service of Lessons and Carols

4pm Sunday 10 December

At Wesley Methodist Church, 45 Regent St, Hawera

A traditional Carol service.

Hear the Christmas story as told through bible readings and carols.

Join in the singing of traditional Christmas Carols accompanied by the 1916 Alfred Brake Pipe Organ.

Hosted by St Mary's Anglicans and Wesley Methodists



Okato Cooperating Parish with Rōpū Hoa Wairua o
Taranaki (Taranaki Spiritual Companions Group)

A Sacred Quiet Morning
at St. James Church, Oakura

Listening to God in Advent - Prepare the Way



Saturday 16th December 2023 9.30am – 12.30pm

³A voice of one calling:

"In the wilderness prepare the way for the Lord;
make straight in the desert a highway for our God.

⁴Every valley shall be raised up, every mountain and hill made low;
the rough ground shall become level, the rugged places a plain.

⁵And the glory of the Lord will be revealed, and all people will see it together.
Isaiah 40 3-5

A quiet time of silence for prayer and reflection with music, scripture, and
meditative stitching.

Bring your Bible, writing materials, your journal. Refreshments are
provided. Koha is welcomed in assisting to meet costs. A variety of
resources will be available.

Please register your attendance by the 11th of December 2023 with
Heather Lofthouse Spiritual Director (021617894) or email
heatherl349@gmail.com

PYRAMID ROCK

Early Bird

\$205 if paid before
18th December 2023

Where: Foxton Bible Camp,
Foxton Beach, Manawatu

Who: Primary Aged Children in
School Years 4-6 in 2023

When: 7th - 10th January,
2024

Cost: \$215

CLICK HERE
Register Now

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Hawera Combined Churches Senior Citizens Christmas Concert

Sunday 3rd December 2023

2.00-4.00pm

Doors Open at 1.30pm

St Josephs Catholic Church Hall
Entrance off Little Regent Street

Hawera Brass Band Carols,
Variety Entertainment & Afternoon Tea

All Senior Citizens Welcome!