



*10am Congregation News  
Sunday 18 September 2022*

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**Upcoming Services**

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**Flowers:** Fijian Congregation

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