

10am Congregation News Sunday 29 May 2022

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Upcoming Services

Sunday 5 June: 10am Combined Service - Preacher: Rev Simote Taunga

Sunday 12 June: 10am Service Leader: Philip Garside

UPCOMING ROSTERS:

Sunday 5 June (Combined)

Notices: Tongans

Readings: Tongan & Samoan **Door Stewards:** 10am congregation

Morning Tea: Tongans Flowers: Kula Bower

Sunday 12 June

Notices: Hugh

Readings: Leatuavao Family **Door Stewards:** Daphne Pilaar &

Philippa Conway

Morning Tea: Garside family

Flowers: Jima Naikatini

Next Sunday Reading:

Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31, Psalm 8, Romans 5: 1-5, John 16: 12-15

Meetings and Events Coming Up:

Finance and Resources
Committee—to be advised

Leaders Meeting— Tuesday 21 June, 7pm, Vestry

Parish Executive

Tuesday 23 June, 7pm, Wesley Chapel

Parish Council Meeting

Thursday 30 June, 7pm, Wesley

Chapel

Rev Utumau'u Pupulu, (Superintendent/ Samoan Presbyter)

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Rev. Nicola Teague Grundy (10am Presbyter)

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Rev. Simote Taunga (Tongan Presbyter)

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Rev. Sikeli Cawanikawai (Fijian Presbyter) 021 207 6273/ sikeli@wesleychurch.org.nz

Parish Office

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Thank you for coming to our service! Please make sure you have our car pass on your dashboard.

Acknowledgement of Service

The acknowledgement of service for Carol Dale will take place on Sunday 5th June, Following the combined service there will be a shared lunch where we will acknowledge and thank Carol for all she has done for the parish as the Parish Support Services Manager.

Fundraising Supper

If you would like to purchase a delicious meal of chicken, vegetable salad, and kumara and help with our congregational finances, please place your order with Lusi Tevita. Meals will be \$10 per serve and they will be available Friday 3rd June. Orders can be taken now.

Charitable Donation Receipts

If you didn't collect your donation receipts last week, please note that are now available from the blue basket at the back of the church.

CWS Operation Refugee

In Matthew 25, Jesus instructs us to "Welcome the Stranger". On June 20, CWS are launching this year's Operation Refugee: Pray, Walk, Eat. Refugees need our prayer and support in the places where they are sheltering. If you would like to be part of a parish group in support of this, please talk with Nicola so we can sign up.

CWS have broadened the focus to assist the rising number of people who have fled their homes – at the last count around 84 million people. The

need is greater than ever this year and each of us can make a difference, together. Together we can help vulnerable people in places like Afghanistan, Jordan, Ukraine, and Lebanon. Options for this challenge include to walk a distance to reflect how far refugees must travel to safety, having a gathering with others for prayer or eating refugee rations for 5 days.

Parish Administration

It is with sadness that we report that following more than eight years of service Ashleigh Dale has finished her role as Parish Assistant Accountant. Ashleigh's enthusiasm and energy will be missed.

She has always given her best and has put the Parish first. Not only was she a staff member, but she has also been an active member of the Parish, including being on Leaders Meeting for a time.

Recently Ashleigh celebrated her graduation with a Masters in Law. We congratulate her and we wish her the very best for whatever lies ahead.

Bulletin Contribution

If you have anything for the bulletin, please have it in to the office by 12pm on Thursdays.