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Upcoming Services

Sunday 10 April: 10am Service leader - Rev Nicola Teague Grundy Easter Friday 15 April: Combined Service leader - **Rev Utumau'u Pupulu** Easter Sunday 17 April: Combined Service leader - Rev Nicola Teague Grundy

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Upcoming Rosters:	Next Week's Readings
Sunday 10 April Door Stewards: To be advised	Psalm 118: 1-2, 19-29, Luke 19: 28-40
Organist: Colin Morning Tea: To be advised <b>Children's Time:</b> Not required Readings: To be advised Notices: To be advised Flowers: To be advised Towels: Not required at this stage <u>Easter Friday 15 April</u> Door Stewards: To be advised Organist: Colin Morning Tea: To be advised <b>Children's Time:</b> Not required Readings: To be advised Notices: To be advised Flowers: To be advised Towels: Not required at this stage	<ul> <li>Meetings and Events Coming Up: Leaders Meeting Tuesday 19 April, 7pm, Vestry</li> <li>Special Parish Council meeting – Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup>, 7pm, Drama Christi</li> <li>Social Event - Quiz Night Saturday 7 May, New Hall Plan your teams now and start studying</li> </ul>
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Thank you for coming to our service! Please make sure you have our car pass on your dashboard. Visitor passes are available at the back of the hall.

### Witness at the Cross – Lenten Study Session 5 of our Lenten study will be held on Wednesday, 6<sup>th</sup> April at 7pm. If you

would like to join this session, ask Nicola for the zoom link.

# The focus for session 4 is 'The Women'.

### Open home

Nicola and Peter will be hosting an open home, today, from 2pm. Our address is 67 Downing Street. Everyone is welcome. Come and join us for afternoon tea.

### Maundy Thursday Service

Trinity Union Parish, Hall Ave, Newtown will be having a Maundy Thursday 14 May Tenebrae Service, 7:30pm. The service will be led by Nicola Teague Grundy. Everyone is welcome.

## <u>Touchstone</u>

The Editor of Touchstone has advised that there has been a 30% increase in the cost of producing Touchstone and they anticipate that there will be other increases in costs of distribution. They are asking parishes to consider the number of physical copies of the paper we need.

Touchstone is available online in two formats; a PDF format. This format replicates the printed version, or a newsletter style that allows the reader to share articles and links. Please contact the Parish Office if you

would like the links to these files.

We will continue to get hard copies of Touchstone for those people who would prefer to receive the paper this way. If you would like to receive a printed copy of Touchstone, please let Nicola know.

#### Special Parish Council meeting Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup>, 7pm in Drama Chrsiti. Please note the change of date. It is important that all representatives to Parish Council attend this meeting. If you are unable to attend, please let Nicola know.

### <u>Christian World Service – Ukraine</u> <u>Crisis Appeal</u>

CWS, the aid agency associated with the Methodist Church, is appealing for donations to assist people displaced by the war in Ukraine. In Hungary, Poland, Romania, Slovakia and Ukraine, ACT Alliance (Action by Churches Together) is providing water, food, shelter, blankets and more to families who have left their homes, jobs and loved ones. As we are seen on our tv screens, it is cold outside, and many people are traumatised and afraid. UNHCR reports 3.6 million people have already fled Ukraine and 6.5 million have fled their homes but remain in Ukraine (internally displaced). Nearly one-third of Ukrainians need humanitarian assistance. The people need food, water, shelter, and safety now. If you are able to make a donation, please donate online at: cws.org.nz

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