

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY



The children **stay in church for the first 15 minutes** and then go out to their programmes.

- **RAINBOW KIDS** (3yrs—Yr 1) meet in the room above the foyer.
- **JIGSAW** (Yr 2—Yr 6) meet in the Chapel.
- **CRECHE** is available for toddlers up to the age of 3years (in building by the car park)

Two Parents' Rooms are at the back left of the auditorium for parents with babies.
For further information please see the Children's ministry desk in the foyer

Youth Ministry



INTERMEDIATE YEARS 7-9
MEET IN THE YOUTH ROOM
UPSTAIRS ON SUNDAYS

HIGH SCHOOL YEARS 9-13
WEDNESDAY 7-9PM
CHECK OUT OUR FACEBOOK PAGE
UNDER THE ROCK YOUTH!

ICONZ ADVENTURE
BOYS 8-11 YEARS
MONDAY 5.45-7.15PM



Prayer

Do you want prayer for yourself or for family or friends?

- **Prayer on Sunday:** At the end of each service there will be someone available to pray with you. Please make your way to the front of the church by the large cross.
- **Prayer Chain:** We also have a very effective email prayer chain. If you have a prayer need (or wish to join the prayer chain) then please email prayerchain@obc.org.nz or phone the office 576 2523.
- **Intercessory Prayer Group:** We also have a committed group of "prayers" who gather on Sunday evenings from 7-8pm in the Chapel. We would love you to join us.



Budget Figure: \$6,275
Average Giving: \$5,203 (last 4 weeks)
Year to Date: \$5,736 (average)

For electronic banking deposit to: **A/c No. 03 0445 0104208 00.**

If you require a *Giving Number* for tax purposes please contact the Church Office. If paying by EFTPOS please state "EFTPOS" on the giving envelope at the info desk.



New International Group

I don't know if you have noticed but we are seeing more and more people from other countries and cultures settling in our neighbourhood. I would love OBC to be a church that has a reputation for welcoming and integrating our international guests and immigrants into the church family.

A few of us have got together and we think it would be timely to get an "International group" of some sort up and going here at OBC. We are not really sure what this group might look like at this stage but we want it to be some sort of kiwi-international friendship group, where we can help people integrate into the life of church and kiwi culture.

If you are an immigrant to New Zealand, you are invited. If you are a kiwi who has a real desire to be part of this group because this is "your thing" then you are invited as well!

Friendships happen naturally as people sit and talk and share food so we thought **let's start with an international meal together after church on Sunday 17th August.** Rather than one person try and cater for everyone, it would be good if everyone could bring some food to share, enough for your family and maybe a little bit more just in case we get some new people on the day. If possible bring food that represents your country of origin.

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FIRST TIME at OBC?

Thanks for visiting us!

If you would like to find out more information about our church and the programmes we are running, please collect a brochure from the information desk in the foyer.

Live-like Jesus

Love-without measure

Learn-our faith

Lead-to make a difference

TODAY

10am Brian Cochran

7pm Prayer Meeting

NEXT WEEK

10am Brian Cochran

7pm Prayer Meeting

Self Denial-\$5,570

The latest **Word For Today** is available at the Info desk for \$2 each.

COMING UP

Fresh Horizons Conference 13-14th August. This year the focus of the conference is "Finding your place and purpose". If you are interested and would like to know more, check out the brochures on the table in the Foyer.



Operation Christmas Child is coming up soon. Start thinking about what you can put in a shoebox to help children in third world countries. More information to come. If you have any questions contact Liz Carter 552 4911

Straight after church today there will be a meeting for **Prayers for young families** in the Chapel.



Taize Service Sunday 3 August 7pm at St George's, 1 Church St, Gate Pa. Join for a quiet contemplative service based in the style and music of the Taize Community in France.

Baptist Mission Fellowship will meet on Sunday 10 August starting with a shared lunch in the hall after church. Darren and Tina Porter who spent a year in Bangladesh will share about God's enabling through different experiences. Check the trading table for goodies!

New to the DVD Library. Te Rongopai-200 years of the Gospel in New Zealand, 1814-2014. Dr. Stuart Lange presents a documentary on the story of the Gospel in New Zealand from Samuel Marsden forwards – it's impact, the complications and the way Christianity has had a significant impact in shaping New Zealand society, both then and now.

Hope Project Roadshow Sunday 3 August, 6pm at City Church. **(note change of time)** The evening meeting will inform people of our nation's early Gospel history, about the Hope Project itself and then inspire hope regarding the place of Christian faith in the future of our nation.



WEEKLY PLANNER

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	SUNDAY
10am ESOL English using the bible 5.45-7.15pm ICONZ ADVENTURE Boys 8-11	9.30am BADMINTON 9.30am SOUL PURPOSE Ph Jenny 576-6974 10am ESOL Conversational English	9.30am COMMUNION SERVICE In the chapel, followed by morning tea. Enjoy a time of blessing and fellowship. 7.00—9.00 pm The Rock Youth 7.30pm Holmes Home Group	9.30am MAINLY MUSIC 7.30pm Cochran's Home Group <hr/> FRIDAY 9.30am BADMINTON 9.30am Women's Small Group	Young Adults Group (Fortnightly) Shared lunch after church. Contact Matt Gordon 571 6907 Paine's Home Group 4:30-5:30 with optional shared takeaways for dinner Contact 576 1169



SOMETIMES WHEN SOLOMON RESOLVES A CONFLICT NOBODY WINS

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