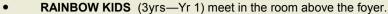


The children <u>stay in church for the first 15 minutes</u> and then go out to their programmes.



- 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*





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

HIGH SCHOOL YEARS 9-13 FRIDAY 7-9PM



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: \$6,415

Average Giving: \$5,504 (last 4 weeks)
Year to Date: \$5,455 (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.

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Welcome to "our church".

Today is a special celebration service which is also our churches AGM.

I hope that you will get a sense of what God is doing in our neck of the woods.

In the foyer are some spare copies of our annual report if you want to read in more detail about the ministry of Otumoetai Baptist church.

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.

TODAY

10am Brian Cochran

7pm Prayer Meeting

NEXT WEEK

10am Brian Cochran

7pm Prayer Meeting



The work on the toilets begins this coming week!!
While work is being done, the toilets in the church office will be available

Follow the signs to find a loo!

Baptist Mission Fellowship meets after church on Sunday 8 March for a shared lunch. "Heard of Tripura!?" Dawn Tayles (nee Fox) will speak to us on "Tripura then and now". Do join us. Also please support the trading table.

We have started **Ukulele group** again on **Sunday's 9-15am to 9-45am** in the upstairs room above the Chapel.

Come along to learn & play Ukulele. We hope this year to form an orchestra with extra instruments joining us. Contact Ian Chitty Ph5763824



Congratulations to Roxy Gordon who has officially become a Kiwi! Test her out by asking her to sing the national anthem.

Are you a parent or grandparent? Do you love little kids? Would you be interested in hanging out with them once a month? If you have answered 'yes' to any of the above, please contact Margi Baldwin to join the Crèche Roster 544 3837.



The toilets in the foyer will be unavailable until work has been completed. There are two toilets available in the office and a toilet in Crèche that is most suited for children. Follow the signs if you don't know where to go!

Tonight at 7pm in the Chapel we begin our **Towards Belief DVD Series**. It follows an Australian Pastor who travels the world and interviews 30 leading authors and speakers about the top 'belief blockers' of our time. The topic tonight will be on Suffering presented with both intellectual and personal responses to the issues posed by the existence of suffering.

Are you a church partner? Church partners are involved in making decisions that affect OBC. If not, there are forms on the table in the Foyer. Please fill one out and give it in to the office.

WEEKLY PLANNER **MONDAY THURSDAY TUESDAY** WEDNESDAY **SUNDAY** 10am ESOL 9.30am BADMINTON 9.30am 9.30am MAINLY MUSIC Young Adults Group **COMMUNION SERVICE** English using the bible (Fortnightly) In the chapel, 7.30pm 9.30am SOUL PURPOSE Shared lunch after church. 5.45-7.15pm **ICONZ** Cochran's Home Group followed by morning tea. Contact Matt Gordon Ph Jenny 576 6974 **ADVENTURE** Enjoy a time of blessing and 571 6907 Boys 8-11 fellowship. FRIDAY 10am ESOL Conversational 9.30am English Paine's Home Group **BADMINTON** 4:30-5:30 with optional shared takeaways for 10am 7.30pm Holmes Home Group dinner Women's Small Group 571 8104 Contact 576 1169 7.00—9.00 pm Flipt Youth

Youth Fundraisers

Over the next few weeks, the Youth will be

taking the opportunity to raise funds for E Camp and Easter Camp. After church today in the Foyer there is baking for sale and next Sunday there will be a sausage sizzle. Please take this opportunity to buy some good quality food and support our young people.

