

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY



Children's Ministry is taking a break over the holidays and will resume on Sunday 18th October

Today:

- **Pause, Remember, Celebrate Service**– All children will be in the service today
- **CRECHE** is open and available for use but there will be no-one to supervise children.

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
FRIDAY 6:30-9:30PM



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: \$6,225
Average Giving: \$6,233 (For the last 6 months)

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 Pause, Remember, Celebrate Service

Psalm 78: 1-7.

My people, hear my teaching;
listen to the words of my mouth.

²I will open my mouth with a parable;
I will utter hidden things, things from of old—

³things we have heard and known,
things our ancestors have told us.

⁴We will not hide them from their descendants;
we will tell the next generation
the praiseworthy deeds of the LORD,
his power, and the wonders he has done.

⁵He decreed statutes for Jacob
and established the law in Israel,
which he commanded our ancestors
to teach their children,

⁶so the next generation would know them,
even the children yet to be born,
and they in turn would tell their children.

⁷Then they would put their trust in God
and would not forget his deeds
but would keep his commands.

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 Pause, Remember, Celebrate

7pm Prayer Meeting

NEXT WEEK

10am David McChesney

7pm Prayer Meeting



Angel Tree

We still need **15 more** volunteers for Angel tree. Please contact **Lorilee de Jong** if you would like to put your name down or for more information.

CHURCH NEWS

Lost Property

The lost property basket is overflowing once again. There are all-sorts in amongst it. Please have a look through before we take it to the Salvation Army next week.

Age concern presents SAYGo (Steady As You Go)

This is a fall prevention programme for Men and Women age 65+. The exercises are designed to improve balance, leg strength and general fitness and well-being. This will be held here at OBC in the chapel immediately after Communion on Wednesdays. Starts Wed 7th Oct at 10.45am.

Bookings are essential register at Age Concern Tauranga, 578 2631



Pregnancy Choice Centre – Volunteers needed:

Pregnancy Choice helps women facing a crisis pregnancy by offering information and support so they can make well-thought-out, wise decisions regarding their pregnancy, baby and future.

We now need more Counseling volunteers and Opp Shop volunteers to help us continue this work which was established in October 2013.

If you would like to help in this area please email Janice at mail@pregnancychoice.org.nz or phone her on 021-799858.

Counseling training will take place on Saturday October 10th and 17th. You will need to attend both sessions. No previous experience needed, just a heart to help and time to serve one morning or afternoon a week. Please help us help others.



The Baptist Mission Day is on **Wednesday 4 November** at Tauranga Central Baptist. For more info and registration <http://www.baptist.org.nz/Hui2015>

WEEKLY PLANNER

MONDAY	TUESDAY CONT.	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SUNDAY
10am ESOL English using the bible (resumes term 4) 5.45-7.15pm ICONZ ADVENTURE Boys 8-11 TUESDAY 9.30am BADMINTON 9.30am SOUL PURPOSE Ph Jenny 576 6974 (resumes term 4)	10am ESOL Conversational English (resumes term 4) WEDNESDAY 9.30am COMMUNION SERVICE In the chapel, followed by morning tea. Enjoy a time of blessing and fellowship. 7.30pm Holmes Home Group 571 8104	9.30am MAINLY MUSIC (resumes term 4) 7.30pm Cochran's Home Group 576 3116 7.30pm Hudson's Home Group 543 5468	9.30am BADMINTON 10am Women's Small Group (resumes term 4) 7.00—9.00 pm Flipt Youth	Young Adults Group (Fortnightly) Shared lunch after church. Contact Matt Gordon 576 8015 Paine's Home Group 4:30-5:30 with optional shared takeaways for dinner Contact 576 1169



Building awesome whanau with Pio Terei: An evening for parents and caregivers. 7-9pm Thursday 22 October at Tauranga Intermediate School Hall. Presentation includes: solid foundations are made up of love and values, develop a positive atmosphere in the house and giving the kids confidence & resilience to problem solve.

Tickets available from your local school or by contacting Wendy on 027 562 8972 or email wendy@tayt.org.nz