

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY



Children's Ministry is taking a break over the holidays and will resume on Sunday 31 July

### 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](mailto: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: \$7,055**  
**Average Giving: \$6,702** (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.

# Otumoetai Baptist Church 10 JUL 2016

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## Next Sunday:

Like it or not we live in an Internet society. Next week we have a café style service led by Rory Birkbeck and Mark Holt exploring the topic of **"Faith and Fibre: Christianity in the high speed digital age."**

We will be working in mixed age groups and each group will need at least one internet connected device, so please feel free to bring a smart phone or connected tablet.

If you don't have one, that is fine, we will connect you up with a group that does.

### 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 - Mark Holt & Rory Birkbeck**

**7pm Prayer Meeting**

Don't forget to bring a **non-perishable** food donation for the foodbank and place it in the trolley next to the Info Desk.

**Baptist Mission Fellowship**

Please join us after church today for a shared lunch. Dale & Anthony will be speaking on their work in Malaysia which will be inspiring and encouraging. There will be bargains at the trading table too.

**Possible overseas mission trip?**

We are just putting out some feelers to see if there is any interest in an overseas short term mission trip. The idea would be to visit a number of the people/ministries we support, with the primary goal of encouraging them and helping us to better understand the work we are partnering with. In some locations there may be the opportunity to help them in their areas of ministry.

The thought is that it could be 2-3 weeks in length and might happen sometime in 2017. That is the limit of the details so far, if you are interested in this type of experience, let Brian know.

**Book of Acts training seminar.** Fri 15<sup>th</sup> 7pm and Sat 16<sup>th</sup> July 10am

Do you want to do what the disciples did in the Book of Acts? Come to this free training seminar which focuses on Christian life foundations, healing the sick, sharing the gospel and making disciples. This seminar will include some practical experience in street evangelism. Bring your own lunch. Check out the Noticeboard for more information.

For further information, contact Chris Bradley on 027 223 0850 or email [cobradley@xtra.co.nz](mailto:cobradley@xtra.co.nz).

**Carey Baptist College Study Tour to Israel 26th August—8th September 2017**

Escorted by Carey's New Testament Lecturer, Dr Sarah Harris, it is guaranteed this tour will challenge your current understanding of scripture and deepen your love for Jesus and the gospel. To find out more, check out the Noticeboard in the Foyer

**Fresh Horizons NZ Conference 17th-18th August**

Fresh Horizons is a Christian Ministry designed to raise awareness of the value of people in life's 'second half' and to help inspire, educate and resource for effective ministry, evangelism and community involvement. For more information on this conference check out the flyers on the table in the Foyer.

**WEEKLY PLANNER** (this is a general guide to what is on, please check with leaders)

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
10am <b>ESOL</b> English using the bible <i>(Resumes 1st August)</i>  5.45-7.15pm <b>ICONZ ADVENTURE</b> Boys 8-11	9.30am <b>BADMINTON</b>  9.30am <b>SOUL PURPOSE</b> Ph Jenny 576 6974 <i>(Resumes 26th July)</i>  10am <b>ESOL</b> Conversational English <i>(Resumes 2nd August)</i>	9.30am <b>COMMUNION SERVICE</b> In the chapel, followed by morning tea. Enjoy a time of blessing and fellowship.  7.30pm <b>Holmes Home Group</b> <b>571 8104</b>	9.30am <b>MAINLY MUSIC</b> <i>(Resumes 28th July)</i>  7.30pm <b>Cochran's Home Group</b> 576 3116  <b>Hudson's Home Group</b> 543 5468	9.30am <b>BADMINTON</b>  10am <b>Women's Small Group</b>  7.00—9.00 pm <b>Flipt Youth</b>  <b>SUNDAY</b> <b>Paine's Home Group</b> 4:30-5:30 with optional shared takeaways for dinner Contact 576 1169

