

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
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: \$7,055
Average Giving: \$6,964 (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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God of all nations,

We ask Your blessing for America — for its government, for its leaders, and for all who exercise just and rightful authority. Teach them insights from Your Word that they may administer all affairs of state fairly, that peace and security, justice and freedom may forever abide in our midst.

Help the people of America to show grace to those around them. Show them places of unity. Drive them to find common ground.

Sexism is sin. Racism is sin. Inciting violence is sin. Give people eyes to discern that.

You give us the power of choice. May people choose to follow your ways, we ask for wisdom and a peaceful future.

Help us find that path. Amen.

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– Matt Gordon

7pm Prayer Meeting

NEXT WEEK

10am - Matt Gordon

7pm Prayer Meeting

The latest **Church Directories** are available from the info desk for \$2 each

Have you got your copy of the latest **Word for Today?** Grab a copy today from the Info desk for \$2!

Baptist Mission Fellowship meets after church today for a shared lunch followed by Murray and Yvonne Smith (the new National Presidents) sharing the news of the Baptist Hui with us. There will be a trading table too. Please join us.



Sausage Sizzle after church today

In March next year there are a few mad women who have committed to walking 50km in under 12 hours for Oxfam. It's called the Oxfam Trailwalker. They have committed to raise at least \$3500, but with a little help they think that they can smash that out of the water. So come ready to donate and eat sausages and fair trade chocolate – all for a good cause.

World Vision



tearfund



Over the next few weeks we will be receiving brochures from **World Vision, Oxfam and Tearfund** with alternative gift ideas this Christmas. Keep an eye out on and start thinking if this is something that you would like to support.

29th ANNIVERSARY - "SOLIDARITY IN RESPECT FOR LIFE"

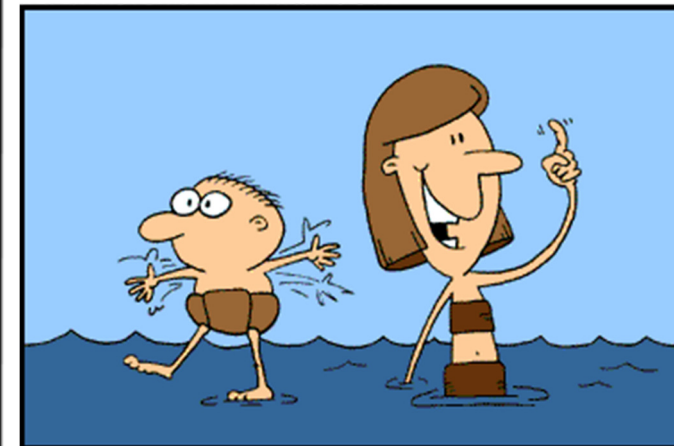
St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Pitau St. (extension of Te Puna Rd) 2 p.m. SUNDAY, 20th NOVEMBER, 2016.

A Service that honours the unborn, Motherhood, the Aged, and all involved in works of Caring for those in need.

Come and support representatives of various Churches and Social Service Bodies who will lead us in prayer and reflections. St. Joseph's, an historic Church, 116 years old, is still a centre for Maori Mission in the Western Bay. Afternoon tea to follow - all welcome.

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

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
10am ESOL English using the bible 5.45-7.15pm ICONZ ADVENTURE Boys 8-11	9.30am BADMINTON 9.30am SOUL PURPOSE Ph Jenny 579 3006 10am ESOL Conversational English	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 7.30pm Cochran's Home Group 576 3116 Hudson's Home Group 543 5468	9.30am BADMINTON 10am Women's Small Group 7.00—9.00 pm Flipt Youth SUNDAY Paine's Home Group 4:30-5:30 with optional shared takeaways for dinner Contact 576 1169



Thanks to Paul Gladney

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JOSEPH, COME QUICK ... JESUS IS TAKING HIS FIRST STEPS