CHURCH DUTY ROSTER FOR SEP / OCT 2022

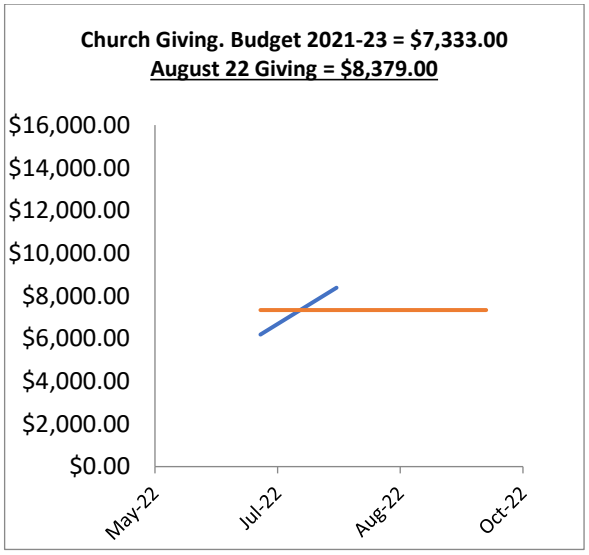
25 September:

Elder Duty:	Gaye Edwards
Door Duty:	Margaret Hamilton / Kim
Power Point:	Richard McMurdo
Mini Bus:	Donna / Sue
Morning Tea:	Maureen Day / Marlene
Offering Count:	Tracy / Anne
Set-up Chairs:	Annette Wright / Zane
Heroes Programme:	N/A
Heroes Morning Tea:	N/A

2 October:

Elder Duty:	Anne Moffat
Door Duty:	Bill and Jenny Rate
Power Point:	Alan Russell
Mini Bus:	
Morning Tea:	Jack and Merle Wilcox
Offering Count:	Tracy / Leigh
Set-up Chairs:	CHURCH FAIR
Heroes Programme:	Jas
Heroes Morning Tea:	Gaye

Giving Chart for August 2022



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Ministers Paragraph

An exert from the publication celebrating the 100th anniversary of John Knox Rangiora from Rev Ian MacGregor:

As you will scan these pages you will read how the Holy Spirit took hold of willing men and women and worked through them to build a worshipping and serving fellowship through which many have been nurtured across the years.

It is important to know something of the past so that we may more faithfully continue in the present, and plan and pray for the future. We are heirs of a great past. The loyalty and service of the 'greathearts' of other years should encourage us to press on with renewed faith and zeal into the second century while life and strength remain.
March on, my soul, with strength,
March forward, void of fear;
He who hath led will lead,
While year succeedeth year;
And as thou goest on thy way,
His hand shall hold thee, day by day.

Rev Jas

CHURCH SERVICE TODAY

Service Leader: **Rev Jas**
Preacher: **Rev Jas**

PRE-SERVICE PRAYER: For those interested in praying for our Sunday Service, a brief prayer time will be held at 9.45am in the Ministers Office.

Our Service will be streamed live online today at:
https://youtu.be/O60MX4U0zGA

READING: **Hebrews 11 v 1 - 39**

MESSAGE: **Legacy 10,**
150th Celebration
People of Faith

CELEBRATIONS:

Birthday Wishes: to **Louise Courtney. God Bless you.**

THINKING ABOUT OUR HERITAGE: Is anyone is interested in seeing, and sitting on, the large Presbyterian Chair at the Rangiora Museum in Good Street? We could meet there at 2.30pm when the museum is open. See me at Morning Tea if interested. You may also want to see The Old Manse at 87 Church Street. This once housed large families and hosted visitors to the Parish. Lynette Fowler

READINGS FOR THE WEEK:

Mon 26 Sep: Revelation 3 v 14 - 22
Tue 27 Sep: James 5 v 1 - 6
Wed 28 Sep: Matthew 19 v 16 - 22
Thu 29 Sep: Revelation 2 v 8 - 11
Fri 30 Sep: Revelation 2 v 12 - 29
Sat 1 Oct: Matthew 20 v 29 - 34
Sun 2 Oct: 2 Timothy 1 v 1 - 14

THIS WEEK:

Mon 26 Sep: **Fun with Music cancelled due to holiday to mark Queen Elizabeth's passing.**

Tue 27 Sep: **CONNECT Group:** We will meet at the home of Margaret and Merv Hamilton, 7 Helmore Street, Rangiora, at 10.15am. For info about the group please contact Bill Rate on 312 3227.

Thu 29 Sep: **Prayer Meeting** at Jas and Kate's **1.30pm.**

COMING UP:

COUNT DOWN TO MINI MARKET - ONE WEEK TO GO

Yes, IT IS NEXT SATURDAY - 1ST OCTOBER that our Annual Church Mini Market will happen!
Selling from 10am to 2pm.
We will be setting up on Friday afternoon (30 September).
You can leave your goods (not food items) to be priced, etc from 1.30p.m. Food Items can be left at the Church on Saturday morning from 9am.
Please remember that we *Will Not Accept for Sale any Clothing, Hardware or White Elephant Items!!!!* Oh, and *No Heavy Books* either (books in bags rather than boxes to make carrying easier).
Even if you don't have items to sell, *Please Come Along to Enjoy the Friendly Fellowship and Atmosphere* at our Annual Fund Raiser.

TODAY - Sunday 25 September - Could Stall Holders please meet after Church for a short meeting to clarify setting up arrangements etc.

SOCIAL EVENT: Next Saturday at the Church Fair. Bring your family and catch up with church friends over refreshments.

Selling Firewood for Next Year: See Jas or Lincoln if you would like a trailer load delivered. $300 for 2.5 m3.

Parish Council Nomination: As we are looking for nominations for the Parish Council at the AGM in September, should you have any questions or wish to be considered, have a chat with Jason, on behalf of the Council in the first instance.

T-Shirt Fundraiser: We are selling KNOX T – shirts as a fundraiser. Each T – shirt sold will go towards raising funds for the mission and ministry of John Knox. They are $25 each and can be viewed in the foyer after the service or in the office during the week.

HEROES: We are needing some support people to help with the Heroes Programme on Sunday Mornings. If you feel you could support the Leaders with this great Children's Programme, please see Jas. There will be no Heroes Programme for the next two weeks. (18th Sep and 25th Sep). It will resume again on the 2nd of October.

Young Adult's Story Group: Open Invitation. Tuesday nights, fortnightly. Contact Jas for details.

Christmas Tree Fundraiser: We have some Christmas Trees still available to take if you would like to plant a Tree for our fundraiser in a couple of years. These are available in the foyer after the service. Jas

Membership Explained: If you are interested in Membership/Associate Membership or have any questions around becoming a member, you are welcome to join us for lunch on the **9th of October** at our place, 32 Kingsbury Ave. Please RSVP to myself for Catering Purposes. Jas.

STAMPS: Spring cleaning and coming across old stamps and stamped envelopes? We have recently made some good donations to APW Missions. Hand in on Sundays or to the Church Office when open.