



## 19th May

My journey at John Knox began 7 years ago when I started my call here in May 2017. 7 years is always a good time to reassess a pastorate and do some thinking towards the next part of the call of God and your journey. Part of the PCANZ process is to ensure Ministers are constantly upskilling and being involved in a life-long-learning process. This is where Study Leave is important to ensure you don't get stuck in a rut. I accrue 1 day study leave for every month I am in place and it is wise to take this regularly.

For us at JKR, this year is a better space for me to take leave before the business of 2025. I currently have an application with the Alpine Presbytery for me to take leave from the 6th of August to the 27th of September. Our family will be travelling to visit mine and Kate's homelands in Shetland and Scotland at the end of this leave and I will be back in the office on the 29th of October. I am working with the Parish Council to ensure the smooth leadership of JKR while I'm away. And I look forward to the next season in our Journey at John Knox, excited for where God will lead us!

Jas

## **CHURCH SERVICE TODAY**

**Service Leader:** Jas

**Preacher:** Hamish

Pentecost Sunday, Operation Cover-up Blessing

**Our Service will be streamed online today at:**

<https://youtube.com/live/N11ZZxStNL4?feature=share>

**PRE-SERVICE PRAYER:** For those interested in praying for our Sunday Service, a brief prayer time will be held *in the Totara Club*.

**READINGS:** Acts 2:1-12, Galatians 3:26-29

**The Worship Hymns and Songs:**

- 1) How Great Is Our God
- 2) He Honore, He Kororia
- 3) O For A Thousand Tongues To Sing
- 4) All the heavens

**CELEBRATIONS:**

**Birthday Wishes:** *Clare Calder, Bob Reid, Sherryn Blackburn, Edna van der Loon*

**Wedding anniversary:** *Adele and John Warburton, Lincoln and Anne Moffat – 52 years!*

***May God Bless you all richly!***

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK:**

<b>Mon 20 May:</b>	<u>1 Corinthians 12:4-11</u>
<b>Tue 21 May:</b>	<u>1 Corinthians 12:12-27</u>
<b>Wed 22 May:</b>	<u>John 20:19-23</u>
<b>Thu 23 May:</b>	<u>Romans 8:1-8</u>
<b>Fri 24 May:</b>	<u>Romans 8:9-11</u>
<b>Sat 25 May:</b>	<u>John 15:18-20, 26-27</u>
<b>Sun 26 May:</b>	<u>John 3:1-17</u>

**THIS WEEK:**

- **Tues 21 May:** Young Adults Story Group, 7pm, at the Kings
- **Wed 22 May:** Connect, 10am at the Kings
- **Wed 22 May:** Parish Council Meeting, 7pm, at the Kings

- **Thur 23 May:** Prayer Meeting, 1.30pm at the Kings
- **Sat 25 May:** Shed Talk at Ken and Marlene Hawke's, 8.30am at 49 Quarry Road, White Rock. RSVP for catering purposes 22<sup>nd</sup> May please.
- **OTHER NOTICES AND EVENTS:**
- **29th May:** Connect 10-11am, 32 Kingsbury Ave
- **29th May:** Hymn Service: final Hymn Service for the year, 1pm, Trinity Methodist.
- **7<sup>th</sup> June: Youth Event – movie and pj night,** 6.30pm. \$5 (Year 7-13). 32 Kingsbury Ave
- **14 June:** Church Open Day

- **Prayer for our friends:**

Please pray for *Allan Russell, Margaret Vallance, Donna, Edna Van Der Loon, Mary Stewart and Ian Cormack.*

## CHURCH DUTY ROSTER FOR MAY 2024

### 19 May

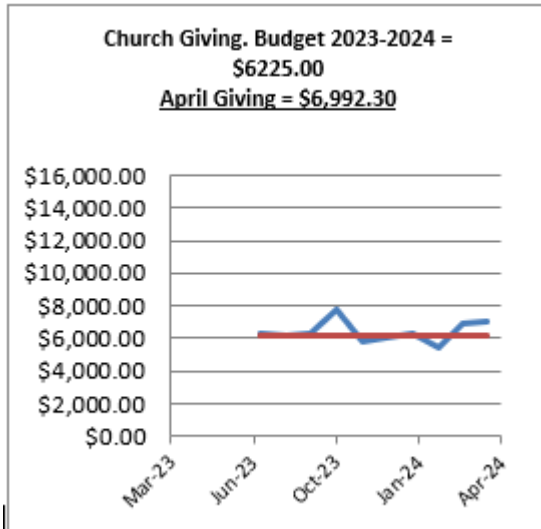
<b>Elder Duty:</b>	Annette Patterson
<b>Door Duty:</b>	Lincoln & Anne
<b>Power Point:</b>	Richard McMurdo
<b>Mini Bus:</b>	Allan Bellamy/Sue
<b>Morning Tea:</b>	Howard & Lynette
<b>Offering Count:</b>	Tracy & Gaye
<b>Set-up Chairs:</b>	Lincoln & Allan Russell
<b>Heroes Programme:</b>	Lincoln
<b>Heroes Morning Tea:</b>	Margaret
<b>Fun with Music:</b>	Marlene Hawke and Marlene Hopkinson (20 <sup>th</sup> )

### 26 May

<b>Elder Duty:</b>	Annette Wright
<b>Door Duty:</b>	Gaye Edwards & Joan Shearer
<b>Power Point:</b>	Richard McMurdo
<b>Mini Bus:</b>	Lana & Sue
<b>Morning Tea:</b>	Howard & Lynette Fowler
<b>Offering Count:</b>	Tracy & Graham
<b>Set-up Chairs:</b>	Richard & Lincoln

**Heroes Programme:** Marlene  
**Heroes Morning Tea:** Jas  
**Fun with Music:** Margaret Hamilton (27<sup>th</sup>)

### Giving Chart for April 2024:



<b>Minister</b>	Rev Jas King	313 1091 027 452 7546	<a href="mailto:jason@johnknoxrangiora.co.nz">jason@johnknoxrangiora.co.nz</a>
<b>Parish Council correspondence</b>	Kayla Crampton	027 869 2327	<a href="mailto:Kmicrampton@gmail.com">Kmicrampton@gmail.com</a>
<b>Financial Committee:</b>	Tracy Mayhew	027 3257 377	
	Richard McMurdo	021 1175 300	
	Annette Wright	021 036 3922	
	Margaret Hamilton	022 090 5361	
<b>Facility Booking:</b>	Tracy Mayhew	027 3257 377	
<b>Newsletter Editor:</b>	Megan Waddington	022 108 2007	<a href="mailto:waddingtonmegan@yahoo.co.nz">waddingtonmegan@yahoo.co.nz</a>
<b>Church Web Site:</b>			<a href="http://www.johnknoxrangiora.co.nz">www.johnknoxrangiora.co.nz</a>
<b>Contact details:</b>	P.O. Box 74, Rangiora 7440	03 313 7355	<a href="mailto:admin@johnknoxrangiora.co.nz">admin@johnknoxrangiora.co.nz</a>