



9th June

The 6th of June this week marked 80 years since the landing of the Allied forces on the Normandy beaches in the early hours of the morning in what is more commonly known as D-Day. While it took more than a year for the war in Europe to finally come to an end, D-Day was seen as the beginning of the end for the Nazi regime and the destruction it had created in its wake. The War was effectively over from D-Day, but there was still much work to be done to ensure this.

The Death and resurrection of Jesus, while powerful and decisive, is not the completeness of God's Kingdom as some had hoped for. There is still war and suffering and death and tears. But it is the beginning of the end for Sin and Death. In Jesus, we see the end is in sight and as the writer of Romans reminds us:

“I consider that our present sufferings are not worth comparing with the glory that will be revealed in us. For the creation waits in eager expectation for the children of God to be revealed.” Romans 8:18-19, NIV

This revelation will come one day and will make sense of all the suffering that is experienced. The victory has been won in Jesus, there is still work to be done to make this known. Still time before the final victory

Jas

CHURCH SERVICE TODAY

Service Leader: Jas

Preacher: Jas

Our Service will be streamed online today at:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KCbABCxhRvU>

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

READINGS:
Reading 1 - Psalm 14:1-2, Psalm 14:7
Reading 2 - 1 Corinthians 3:16-17
Reading 3 - 1 Corinthians 3: 18-23

The Worship Hymns and Songs:

- 1) Wairua Tapu (Holy Spirit, Welcome)
- 2) Christ be our light
- 3) Do it again
- 4) The Blessings

CELEBRATIONS:

Birthday Wishes: *April McMurdo, Merle Wilcox, Craig Thomson, Shantal Hancox, Marge Denton*

Wedding anniversary: *Howard & Lynette Fowler: 40 years*
May God Bless you all richly!

READINGS FOR THE WEEK:

Mon 10 June: [Revelation 20:1-6](#)
Tue 11 June: [Revelation 20:7-15](#)
Wed 12 June: [Luke 11:14-28](#)
Thu 13 June: [Hebrews 2:5-9](#)
Fri 14 June: [Hebrews 11:4-7](#)
Sat 15 June: [Mark 4:1-20](#)
Sun 16 June: [Mark 4:26-34](#)

THIS WEEK:

- **12 June:** Connect, 10am, at the Kings
- **14 June:** Church Open Day, 10am, roof shout – details below

- **19 June:** Pastoral Care Meeting, 1.30, Reflection room at Charles Upham
- **22nd June: Shed Talk**, 8.30am, the Kings, RSVP on clipboard at church
- **OTHER NOTICES AND EVENTS:**

Roof Shout, Friday 14th June, 10am. For anyone wanting to have a tour through the New Build please gather outside in the **Church Carpark at 10am**. Once assembled and briefed we can enter the Construction site in smaller groups.

Please wear safe, closed shoes or arrange a wheelchair for your safety if you are needing support when walking. We are not allowed to have walkers or walking sticks.

We will go through in groups and then have morning tea together

Prayer for our friends:

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

CHURCH DUTY ROSTER FOR JUNE 2024

09 June

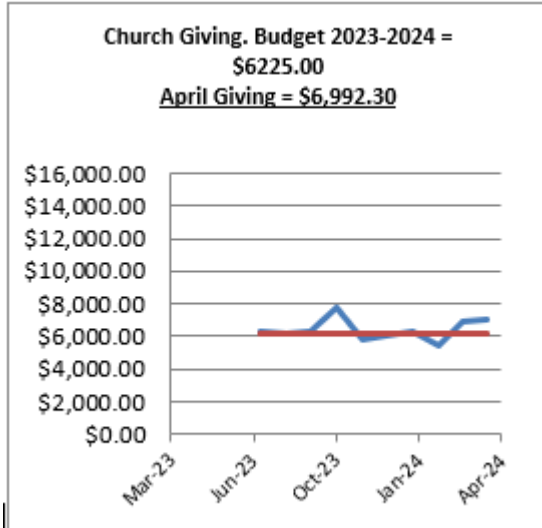
Elder Duty: Bill White	Door Duty: Kim Fletcher and Fran Taylor
Power Point: Annette Wright	Mini Bus: Richard and Sue
Morning Tea: Marlene H and Marlene W	Offering Count: Graham and Richard
Set-up chairs: Marlene and Ewen	Heroes Leader: Megan
Heroes Morning Tea: Anne	Fun with Music: Anne Moffat 10 th June

16 June

Elder Duty: Alon Mayhew	Door Duty: Lincoln and Anne
Power Point: April	Mini Bus: Sue and TBC
Morning Tea: Avril and Graham Gibson	Offering Count: Tracy and Alan Mcl
Set-up chairs: Stevens family	Heroes Leader: Jas

Heroes Morning Tea: Margaret	Fun with Music: Joan Shearer 17th
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