



## 28th July

*Ephesians 3:16-17 I pray that, according to the riches of his glory, he may grant that you may be strengthened in your inner being with power through his Spirit and that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith, as you are being rooted and grounded in love.*

Paul's prayer for the church in Ephesus may very well be one of the simplest and most profound prayers in Scripture.

Paul's prayer for them is that they are strengthened, that their very identity and faith is strong and resilient. That Jesus dwells in their hearts. Not just in name as we may be tempted to believe, but in our thoughts, emotions and desires. This will shape our behaviours and actions, not as a self-centred individual, but a gracious and encouraging community. And that everything we are, believe in and do is motivated in love for others. That we are seeking the best for others, that we want to see through Jesus' eyes every blessing and possibility for those around us (even those we do not like...)

This prayer is also for you today. Take it, meditate on it, take courage in it and live it.

God Bless

Jas

### **CHURCH SERVICE TODAY**

**Service Leader: Jas**

**Preacher: Jas**

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

<https://youtube.com/live/ZW5NzlArm3U?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:** 1 Corinthians 5:9-13

**The Worship Hymns and Songs:**

- 1) As We Gather
- 2) Holy Spirit Living Breath
- 3) Change My Heart O God
- 4) Bind Us Together
- 5) Prayer of St Francis (Make Me of Your Peace)
- 6) May The Peace

**CELEBRATIONS:**

**Birthday Wishes:** - *Howard Fowler, Richard McMurdo May God Bless you both richly!*

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK:**

<b>Mon 29 July:</b>	<b>Philippians 4:10-20</b>
<b>Tue 30 July:</b>	<b>Romans 15:22-33</b>
<b>Wed 31 July:</b>	<b>Mark 6:35-44</b>
<b>Thu 01 August:</b>	<b>1 Corinthians 11:17-22</b>
<b>Fri 02 August:</b>	<b>1 Corinthians 11:27-34</b>
<b>Sat 03 August:</b>	<b>Matthew 16:5-12</b>
<b>Sun 04 August:</b>	<b>John 6:24-35</b>

**THIS WEEK: -.**

- No Heroes 28<sup>th</sup> July
- 28<sup>th</sup> July - JKR AGM after service
- 31<sup>st</sup> July – Connect, 10am at the Kings
- 1<sup>st</sup> August – Prayer Meeting, 1.30pm at the Kings
- 1<sup>st</sup> August – Heroes Leader team meeting 7pm

- **OTHER NOTICES AND EVENTS:**
- Rev Jas King will be on study leave and leave 3rd August to 28th October. For any Pastoral matters contact Moira, for any Parish Council matters contact Alon or Kayla.
- Christmas Tree Fundraiser: Christmas Tree seedlings are available. We invite everyone to take some home to grow. Registrations for names and amounts will be collected. Jas can drop off seedlings if needed.
- JIGSAWS AND BOOKS: With no Church Fair this year I plan to sell jigsaws and books at the Anglican Church Market on August 3rd. All proceeds will go to church fundraising – the stall fee is taken care of. If you have items in very good/excellent condition to donate please discuss with me at Church or phone 3107891, email hlfowler@xtra.co.nz. Unsold items will be donated to the Rotary Book Fair held in October. Lynette Fowler

### Prayer for our friends:

Please pray for *Nell Ellis, Anne Moffat, Bob and Lynne Reid, Annette Wright, Allan Russell, Donna, Edna Van Der Loon, Mary Stewart and Ian Cormack.*

## CHURCH DUTY ROSTER FOR JULY 2024

### 28 July

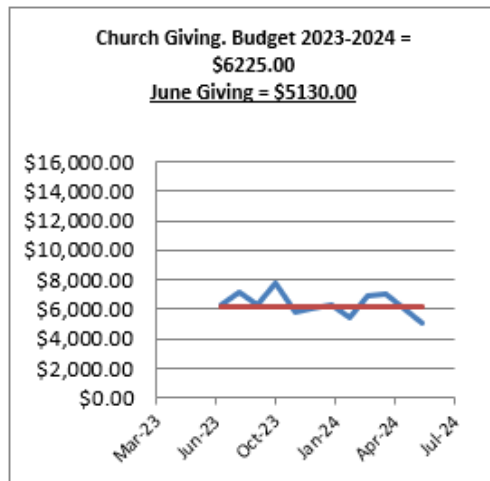
<b>Elder Duty:</b> Anne Moffat	<b>Door Duty:</b> Joan Shearer & Margaret Hamilton
<b>Power Point:</b> Marlene Hawke	<b>Mini Bus:</b> N/A
<b>Morning Tea:</b> Maureen Landreth & Marlene Hopkinson	<b>Offering Count:</b> Tracy & Anne
<b>Set-up chairs:</b> Stevens Family	<b>Heroes Leader:</b> N/A
<b>Heroes Morning Tea:</b> N/A	<b>Fun with Music:</b> Sue Burt 29th

### 04 August

<b>Elder Duty:</b>	<b>Door Duty:</b>
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Gaye Edwards	Lincoln & Anne
<b>Power Point:</b> Marlene Hawke	<b>Mini Bus:</b> Gaye & Sue
<b>Morning Tea:</b> Fran Taylor & Maureen Landreth	<b>Offering Count:</b> Tracy & Anne
<b>Set-up chairs:</b> Lincoln & Allan Russell	<b>Heroes Leader:</b> N/A
<b>Heroes Morning Tea:</b> N/A	<b>Fun with Music:</b> Marlene & Marlene

## Giving Chart for June 2024:



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