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| **ROSTER**  If you are unable to do your rostered duty, please arrange a swap or substitute and inform Margaret and the office 216-0281 | | | |
| **SUNDAY DUTIES** | | | |
| **Sunday** | **May 7th** | **May 14th** | **May 21st** |
| **Door** | Glenys and Ian | Noeline and Findlay | Chris M. and Tony |
| **Morning Tea** | Noeline and Findlay | Sharon and Janice | Ita and Runi |
| **Flowers** | Mags |  |  |
| **Minister’s Steward** | Barbara | Chris P. | Carolyn |
| **Prayer Book** | Nicol | Keith | Janice |
| **Bible Reading** | Keith | Betty | Judith |
| **Kids Club** | Sherilee and Anne | Sherilee and Anne | Sherilee and Anne |
| **Crèche** | Amanda | Carol |  |
| **Van Driver** | Daphne |  | Bryon |
| **Communion** | Betty and Neil S |  |  |
| **Parish Lunch** | Carol and Keith |  |  |
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| **CENTRE DUTIES** | | | |
| **WEEK BEGINNING** | **May 8th** | **May 15th** | **May 22nd** |
| **Lawns** | Nicol | Lester | Runi |
| **Security** | Cam | Hartley | Bryon |

A group of balloons

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Happy celebrating to all those with birthdays and anniversaries this week!

To Join Our Zoom Meeting

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Sunday 7 May 2023 10.00am

Worship Leader: Rev Tania Shackleton

1.00pm Tongan Service

*Welcome to Worship, we are glad you are here.*

*Haere mai ki te koropiko, he koa ana m*ā*tou kua haere mai koutou ki konei.*

***Readings for next week***

*Acts 7: 55-60, Ps 31: 1-5, 15-16*

*1 Peter 2: 2-10, Jn 14: 15-21*

Do you know where our evacuation point is?

Face masks and RAT tests are on the foyer table.

Please take what you need.

**Please Note Where Your Nearest Fire Exit is Located**

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| **LINDISFARNE CALENDAR** | | |
| **Sunday 7th May** | 10.00am  1.00pm | Church Service  Tongan Service |
| **Monday 8th May** | 5.30pm | Girl Guides |
| **Tuesday 9th May** | 10.30am  6.30pm | Prayer Hour  Windsor Brownies |
| **Wednesday 10th May** | 7.00pm  7.30pm | North Invercargill Bowls  Choir Practice |
| **Thursday 11th May** | 10.00am  1.30pm  4.15pm  7.00pm | Craft Circle  Sit and Be Fit Rachel’s School of Dance  South City Choir |
| **Friday 12th May** |  |  |
| **Saturday 13th May** | 9.00am  7.00pm | Adventist Service  Music Team |
| **Sunday 14th May** | 10.00am  1.00pm  1.00pm | Church Service  Tongan Service  Fijian Service |

**Thought for the Week**

One of the biggest questions we must face as followers of Christ is that of how our faith interacts with the crises in our world, and our engagement with them. It can be tough to walk the line between faith as an escape that makes us feel safe by “protecting” us from the world’s problems, and faith as little more than a framework for directing our own efforts to fix things. The third way – that of participating in God’s saving work while simultaneously trusting God for the outcome in our lives and world – is not always easy to live. But it is the challenge we are given this week through the scriptures.

May we find both assurance and a call to action in our worship this week.

**Prayer Hour**

Please join us for our Prayer Hour every Tuesday morning at 10:30am as we pray for our Church, Church family and our God.

**Soup**

The Outreach committee still has some soup for sale from today - $5 a pottle. Chicken and vegetable. No pumpkin, sorry.

**Cheese Rolls**

Thank you to everyone who helped us to make our cheese rolls this week. We made over 2800 rolls on Thursday and Saturday.

If you have still to collect yours or to pay, please see Margaret after today’s service. There may be a few extra rolls for sale.

**First Aid**

We would like to increase the number of certified first aiders in our congregation, so we have trained people available to help on Sundays if necessary. If anyone is interested in completing a first aid course to become a certified first aider for our congregation, please contact Darren Weston.

**Brown Bags**

Our Brown Bags are collected by specific organisations for families who have to leave their home for a few days. They are not the same as the New World appeal. Our bags contain tins of baked beans, spaghetti, fruit, vegetables, soup, fish, also rice, weetbix, pasta, toilet paper, tea, jam, biscuits. We also add milk, bread, margarine and meat (pies or sausages). Thank you for your contributions but please keep to the contents listed. We cannot use other things.