Bulletin

The Invercargill Parish of the

Methodist Church of New Zealand.

**Te Hahi Weteriana o Aotearoa.**



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**Sunday 19th August 2018.**

10.00am: Lindisfarne Service led by Anne Stoddart

1.00pm: Tongan Service.

Prayer

Lord, here we are with empty hands; we ask you to fill them.

We bring our heavy hearts and we ask you to share our load.

We bring skins of many shades and sensitivities, eyes that yearn to see and ears that wait in both silence and noise for the sound of your presence. Draw near to us.

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| **Calendar** | | |
| Sunday 19h August | 10.00am  1.00pm | Lindisfarne Service with Anne Stoddart.  Tongan Service. |
| Monday 20th | 3.30pm  5.30pm | Story Room.  Girl Guiding New Zealand. |
| Tuesday 21st | 2.00pm  3.30pm  3.30pm | Study Group.  Edenview Trust  Story Room. |
| Wednesday 22nd | 7.00pm  7.30pm | North Invercargill Bowls.  Choir Practice. |
| Thursday 23rd | 10.00am  1.30pm  7.00pm  7.00pm | Craft Circle.  Sit and Be Fit.  Blues Bowling Club.  South City Choir Practice. |
| Friday 24th | 4.30pm | Friday Club. |
| Saturday 25th | Noon | Private Booking. |
| Sunday 26th  August | 10.00am  1.00pm  1.00pm  6.00pm | Lindisfarne Service with the Reverend Peter Taylor.  Tongan Service.  Fijian Service.  Private Booking. |

 Cheese Rolls

Thanks to everyone who supported our fundraiser by buying,

making or delivering our Cheese Rolls.

Friday Club

We would be glad to have your help with Friday Club – 4.30 pm Friday 24 August.

Brown Bags

Thank you to everyone who contributes to the Brown Bags.

These emergency parcels are given out at the request of a care agency such as Womens Refuge.

They are designed to see a family over a bad patch for a few days.

The contents are the same for each bag – food that is easily prepared when people may be out of their home or have little access to normal kitchen appliances.

So we pack basic goods like cans of baked beans, spaghetti, fruit, fish, and rice, biscuits, as well as toilet paper, soap and soap powder.

Some of the other things you have brought are less basic and thus less suitable. Here are some suggestions you could bring -

\*         tins of soup rather than soup mix and stock

\*         tins of tomatoes, corn or peas rather than beetroot or chick peas

\*         packets of Weetbix (750 gms) rather than porridge oats

\*         jam rather than marmalade. (Definitely not peanut butter, please)

\*         macaroni or spirals rather than spaghetti or lasagne

\*         plain ordinary tea rather than fruit-flavoured teas.

We do also include bread, margarine, milk and sausages or meat pies, eggs, yoghurt, fresh vegetables and fruit, so there is **no need** for such things as coconut or condensed milk, sauces of any kind, couscous, lentils, etc or anything that requires extra ingredients eg “Just Add Chicken “ or a special coffee maker!!

Please don’t be offended by this notice.

Ask me for clarification if you are not sure.   
And please keep contributing. So many people in need are grateful to us.

**Margaret**

Beanies and Scarves Update

Many thanks to all knitters. Judith has been receiving lovely beanies and scarves. Betty took some to MYPLC, a school for young parents, at Surrey Park. When she saw the lovely variety, the office assistant was very impressed and said "some of the girls never get gifts like these". Betty had a second bag in the car and gave it to her also. Later, Betty delivered a third bag and was told it would go to the Early Learning School next door.

It is wonderful we are keeping people warm and they are so appreciative.

A big Thank You again to all the knitters.

ROSTER FOR SUNDAY DUTIES

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| **Sunday** | **August 19th** | **August 26th** | | **September 2nd** | | | **September 9th** |
| **DOOR AND**  **WELCOME** | Evelyn and Neil Cruickshank | Judith Stevens  Christine Frame | | Tony Weston and Volunteer | | | Ita and Runi Safole |
| **VAN DRIVER** | Eddie Bremer | Daphne Salter | | Ian Findlay | | | Findlay Collie |
| **FLOWERS** | Beverley Robinson | | Nicol Macfarlane | | Mags Kelly | Beverley Robinson | |
| **MORNING TEA** | Susanne Staples  Sharon Taylor | Carolyn McDonald  Judith Day | | | Carol Chinpoy  Volunteer | | Judith Stevens  Sarah Jenkin |
| **NOTICES** | Noeline Collie | Judith Stevens | | Muriel McCulloch | | | Noeline Collie |
| **CRECHE** | Sharon Taylor | Carol McKenzie | | Dorothy King | | | Betty Snell |
| **KIDS KLUB** | Betty Snell | Betty Snell | | Neil Salter | | | TBA |

CENTRE DUTIES

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| **WEEK OF** | **LAWNS** | **SECURITY** |
| **August 20th - August 26th** | Lester Dean | Ron Taylor |
| **August 27th - September 2nd** | Nicol Macfarlane | Tony Weston |
| **September 3rd - September 9th** | Mike Mika | Cam McCulloch |
| **September 10th -September 16th** | Ian Findlay | Margaret Brass |

**Some Invercargill Parish Key Personnel**

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**Parish Council Secretary** Carolyn Weston

**Parish Stewards** Noeline Collie, Muriel McCulloch, Judith Stevens

**Treasurer** David Little

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Margaret Brass, Mags Kelly, Beverly Service

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**Pastoral/Outreach** - Raewyn Birss (**Pastoral Care Team** – Betty Snell)

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