Lindisfarne Bulletin

The Invercargill Parish of the

Methodist Church of New Zealand.

**Te Hahi Weteriana o Aotearoa.**

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**Sunday January 31st 2016**

10.00am: Lindisfarne Service with Anne Stoddart.

Parish Picnic to Follow.

1.00pm:Tongan Service.

Prayer

It is not long now to Lent, then Easter.

Remember God’s love for us is so great that he gave us his son.

We can at least give him time each day.

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| **Lindisfarne Calendar** | | |
| Sunday 31st January | 10.00am  1.00pm | Lindisfarne Service with Anne Stoddart  Church Picnic at the home of Fin & Noeline Collie  Tongan Service. |
| Tuesday 2nd February | 9.00am  6.30pm  7.45pm | Invercargill Probus Club.  Pastoral and Outreach Meeting.  Ladies Evening Group. (See notice below). |
| Wednesday 3rd | 7.00am  7.30pm | Public Health South.  Choir Practice. |
| Thursday 4th | 1.30pm  2.00pm | Sit and Be Fit.  Methodist Womens Fellowship.(See below). |
| Sunday 7th February | 10.00am  1.00pm | Lindisfarne Covenant and Communion Service with Reverend Peter Taylor.  Parish lunch to follow.  Tongan Service. |

METHODIST WOMEN’S FELLOWSHIP.

All welcome on Thursday, 4th February at 2pm.

In the Lounge.

The theme is: “Christmas and holiday memories”.

Devotions - Mags Kelly.

Hostess - Dorothy King.

LEGS

For Legs first meeting we are having a Dessert Evening.

Date: Tuesday 2nd February. Time: 7.45pm.

Cost : $10

Where : Lindisfarne.

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*Everyone thinks that forgiveness is a lovely idea until he (or she) has something to forgive.  - (C. S. Lewis)*

Help Needed

The new roster of duties is being prepared.

It would be good to have extra people to help with most duties, but particularly driving the van on Sundays and mowing the lawns.

Please look at the two schedules on the back of this Bulletin

and tell Margaret where you will help.

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The Cancer Society Relay for Life 2016 is on Saturday and Sunday 19th/20th March. Please join our Lindisfarne Mad-hat-tists team (guess what you’ll have on your head!).

You may wear your previous t-shirt, but orders need to be in promptly for new t-shirts, especially for children’s sizes. We would like about 50 people to be part of our team, but the minimum is 10. Put your name on the list in the foyer today. Or do it at the picnic later. This is not a running relay. You just take a turn walking round Rugby Park at some time during the 22 hours of the relay. Of course, the main purpose is to raise money for the Cancer Society in Southland. Donations will be very welcome, as we will probably not fundraise. You can claim back 30% of your donation from the tax department.

P.S. We still don’t have a tent.

Working Bee

 79 Waihopai Street.... Tuesday 9 Feb 2016.

             Can you spare a couple of hours between 9am and evening?

                                   Bring your gardening gear.

                                         Contact Bryon.

ROSTER FOR SUNDAY DUTIES

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| **SUNDAY** | **31st January** | **7th February** | | | | **14th February** | **21st February** |
| **DOOR AND**  **WELCOME** | Neil & Evelyn  Cruickshank | Dot Anderson Carolyn Clearwater | | | | Chris McDonald  Tony Weston | Bryon and Dorothy King |
| **VAN DRIVER** | Eddie Bremer | Bryon King | | | | Murray Gibbs | Ian Findlay |
| **FLOWERS** | Mags Kelly | Ita Safole | | Beverley Robinson | | | Dorothy King |
| **MORNING TEA** | Dorothy and Bryon King | Carol and Keith McKenzie | | Sharon Taylor  Carolyn McDonald | | | Neil and Daphne Salter |
| **NOTICES** | Eddie Bremer | | Betty Snell | | Muriel McCulloch | | Eddie Bremer |
| **CRECHE** | School Holidays | Susanne Staples | | | Amanda Hare | | Sharon Taylor |

**DUTIES NEXT SUNDAY 7th FEBRUARY.**

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| **Parish Lunch** | Hilda Fife and Verna Eason |
| **Sacramental Stewards** | Stephanie Fannin and Carolyn McDonald |

CENTRE DUTIES

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| **WEEK OF** | **LAWNS** | **SECURITY** |
| **1st February - 7th February** | Bryon King | Bryon King |
| **8th February - 14th February** | Murray Gibbs | Murray Gibbs |
| **15th February -21st February** | Ian Findlay | Hartley Hare |
| **22nd February - 28th February** | Lester Dean | Joe Wilson |

SOME INVERCARGILL PARISH KEY PERSONNEL

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| **Minister** Reverend Peter Taylor 216-0281 | | | | | |
| **Parish Secretary** Carolyn Weston | | | | | |
| **Parish Stewards** | Betty Snell Eddie Bremer Muriel McCulloch | | | | |
| **Parish Council Chairman** Reverend Peter Taylor | | | | | **Treasurer**  David Little |
| **Parish Council-**  **Congregational Representatives** | | | | Margaret Brass  Mags Kelly | |
| **Prayer Chain Co-ordinators** | | | Joan and Murray Farley. | | |
| Bulletin Editors | | Peter Lankshear Margaret Brass | | | |
| Affordables Shop Manager Carolyn 216-9676 | | | | | |