Bulletin

The Invercargill Parish of the

Methodist Church of New Zealand.

**Te Hahi Weteriana o Aotearoa.**



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**Sunday 15th July 2018.**

10.00am: Lindisfarne Service led by

the Reverend Peter Taylor.

1.00pm: Tongan Service.

*Prayer*

*We pray for the folk who are well intentioned but misled. May they accept redirection with grace, and listen for your leading in the future.*

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| **Calendar** | | |
| Sunday 15th July | 10.00am  1.00pm | Lindisfarne Service with Reverend Peter Taylor.  Tongan Service. |
| Tuesday 17th | 10.00am  7.00pm | Property and Finance Committee.  Worship and Education Committee. |
| Wednesday 18th | 7.00pm | North Invercargill Bowls. |
| Thursday 19th | 1.30pm  7.00pm  7.00pm | Sit and Be Fit.  Blues Bowling Club.  South City Choir Practice. |
| Friday 20th | 7.00pm | Story Tellers Concert. |
| Saturday 21st | 6.00pm | Private Booking. |
| Sunday 22nd July | 10.00am  1.00pm  1.00pm | Lindisfarne Service with Reverend Peter Taylor.  Tongan Service.  Fijian Service. |

A LIGHTER MOMENT

A teenage boy had just passed his driving test and inquired of his father as to when they could chat about his use of the car.His father said he'd make a deal. "You bring your grades up from C to B average, study your Bible and get your hair cut, then we'll talk about the car."

The boy thought about it for a moment, decided he'd settle for the offer and they agreed.

After a few weeks his father said, "Son, you've brought your grades up and I've observed that you have been studying your Bible, but I'm disappointed you haven't had your hair cut."

The boy said, "You know, Dad, I've been thinking about that, and I've noticed in my studies of the Bible that Samson had long hair, John the Baptist had long hair, Moses had long hair, and there's even strong evidence that Jesus had long hair."

His father replied “And did you also notice that they all walked everywhere?"

GARAGE SALE

Saturday 10th November.

If you already have goods for our sale, please put them in the storeroom. Talk to Daphne if you need help.

CHEESE ROLLS

Our next fundraiser will be on Thursday 16th and Saturday 18th August.

Start talking to your family, friends and neighbours now about their orders.

Cost – $7 a dozen or three trays for $20, brown or white.

Order forms are in the foyer to be returned by Wednesday 8th August.

Use pink forms for rolls to be made on the Thursday (mainly orders for a workplace) and white forms for Saturday/Sunday orders.

We need lots of orders!

MEALS ON WHEELS

Thank you to the ten people who helped last week.

Our next turn is in the first week of September.

CHANGE OF DATE

The car trial we are organising in October will now be held on Saturday 6th.  More details later.

STUDY GROUPS

Study Groups this winter will be looking at Ecclesiastes, an ancient book that asks modern questions.

* What's the point?
* Is this life all there is?
* It's not fair!
* Who's in charge here?

Two groups will be meeting: Monday evenings at 7.30 from 23 July, and Tuesday afternoons at 2.00 from 7 August. Please see Nicol, or sign up on the clipboard respectively.

Congratulations

Congratulations to Betty and Bill Snell who are celebrating their

60th Wedding Anniversary.

ROSTER FOR SUNDAY DUTIES

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| **Sunday** | **July 15th** | **July 22nd** | | **July 29th** | **August 5th** |
| **DOOR AND**  **WELCOME** | Evelyn and Neil Cruickshank | Noeline and Findlay Collie | | Mags Kelly  Margaret Brass | Chris McDonald  Tony Weston |
| **VAN DRIVER** | Daphne Salter | Ian Findlay | | Findlay Collie | Bryon King |
| **FLOWERS** | Mags Kelly | Beverley Robinson | | Dorothy King | Betty Snell |
| **MORNING TEA** | Bryon and Dorothy King | Neil and Daphne Salter | | Keith and Carol McKenzie | Judith Stevens Verna Eason |
| **NOTICES** | Muriel McCulloch | | Judith Stevens | Noeline Collie | Muriel McCulloch |
| **CRECHE** | School Holidays | School Holidays | | Beth Gibbs | Amanda Hare |
| **KIDS KLUB** | School Holidays | School Holidays | | Lynley Dean | Betty Snell |

CENTRE DUTIES

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| **WEEK OF** | **LAWNS** | **SECURITY** |
| **July 16th - July 22nd** | Findlay Collie | Cam McCulloch |
| **July 23rd - July 29th** | Chris McDonald | Hartley Hare |
| **July 30th - August 5th** | Neil Salter | Joe Wilson |
| **August 6th - August 12th** | Bryon King | Bryon King |

**Some Invercargill Parish Key Personnel**

**Minister & Parish Council Chairman** Reverend Peter Taylor 216 0281

**Parish Council Secretary** Carolyn Weston

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

**Treasurer** David Little

**Parish Council Congregational Representatives**

Margaret Brass, Mags Kelly, Beverly Service

**Bookings** Phone Office 216 0281

**Prayer Chain Co-ordinators** Joan and Murray Farley

**Bulletin Editors** Peter Lankshear, Margaret Brass

**Committee Convenors**

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

**Finance/Property** – Cam McCulloch **Worship/Education** – Carol McKenzie