Bulletin

The Invercargill Parish of the

Methodist Church of New Zealand.

**Te Hahi Weteriana o Aotearoa.**



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**Sunday June 25th 2017**

10.00am: Lindisfarne Service with Reverend Peter Taylor.

1.00pm: Tongan Service.

1.00pm: Fijian Service.

**Prayer:**

We give thanks for the many willing people in our Parish who give of their time and talents and present the Gospel in our community.

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| **Lindisfarne Calendar** | | |
| Sunday 25th  June | 10.00am  1.00pm  1.00pm | Lindisfarne Service with Reverend Peter Taylor.  Tongan Service.  Fijian Service. |
| Monday 26th | 3.30pm  5.30pm | Story Room.  Girl Guiding New Zealand. |
| Tuesday 27th | 3.30pm | Story Room. |
| Wednesday 28th | 7.00pm  7.30pm | North Invercargill Indoor Bowls.  Choir Practice. |
| Thursday 29th | 10.00am  1.30pm  7.00pm  7.00pm | Craft Circle.  Sit and Be Fit.  Blues Bowling Club.  South City Choir Practice. |
| Friday 30th |  | ------------------------------------------ |
| Saturday 1st July | 7.00pm | Southland Indian Community |
| Sunday 2nd July | 10.00am  1.00pm | Lindisfarne Communion Service with Reverend Peter Taylor. Parish Lunch to follow.  Tongan Service. |

Wanted

Mainlanddairyproducts such as cheese, butter etc, carry a bar code on their wrappers.

At present Mainland are subsidising the work of protecting Yellow Eyed Penguins by donating $10 for each set of 10 bar codes they receive.

**Beverley Robinson** is collecting these bar codes to send on to Mainland.

To assist her in this worthwhile cause, please save the codes off any Mainland products to give to Beverley.

Always Wanted

Small jars with screw-top lids.Alsosmall plastic pottles with lids (e.g. from supermarket small salads).

Please put them under the foyer table by the door to the lounge.

Special Occasion Cards

Many people have received cards sent by Stephanie on special occasions.

For the next two to three weeks please contact Judith Stevens if you know of a need for this caring service.

Slave Auction

The remaining lots were listed on the small yellow sheet with last week’s Bulletin. Bids for those close this morning. Pease give your completed sheet to Margaret.

So we can calculate the final total raised, please pay now.

Of course, you may want to wait for better weather before you actually take up the activity you bid on. Thank you to everyone for supporting this fundraiser.

Tax Rebate for Charitable Donations.

One advantage of being part of our envelope offering system is that you can apply for a 33% rebate from the tax department. You may keep this as a treat for yourself, or you may choose to pay it as an additional donation to the church.

Just include it with the normal donation but indicate on your envelope that it contains a tax rebate.

**It Pays to Tell the Truth.**

**At an Australian university a group four student friends taking chemistry, had "A" grades so far. They were so confident of success that the weekend before the finals, they decided to go to Sydney, visit some friends and have a big party. They had such a great party that they slept all day Sunday and finally didn't make back to the University until late Monday morning, still a bit under the weather.**

**They then decided that rather than taking the final they would make up a story to tell the Professor why they missed it. They said that they had visited friends but on the way back they had a flat tyre, the car had no spare and as a result they had missed the final.**

**The professor agreed that they make up the final the next day. The students were relieved and studied for the exam that night.**

**On Tuesday the Professor placed them in separate rooms and gave them a test booklet. In their separate rooms, they quickly answered the first question worth 5 points.**

**Confidently they turned the page to the second question.**

**It said "For 95 points, which tyre was flat?"**

ROSTER FOR SUNDAY DUTIES

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| **Sunday** | **June 25th** | **July 2nd** | **July 9th** | **July 16th** |
| **DOOR AND**  **WELCOME** | Judith Stevens  Christine Frame | Glenys and Ian Findlay | Bryon and Dorothy King | Carolyn and Chris McDonald |
| **VAN DRIVER** | Bryon King | Daphne Salter | Ian Findlay | Ian Findlay |
| **FLOWERS** | Nicol Macfarlane | Betty Snell | Mags Kelly | Dorothy King |
| **MORNING TEA** | Glenys and Ian Findlay | Carol and Keith McKenzie | Betty Snell  Sarah Jenkin | Ita and Runi Safole |
| **NOTICES** | Judith Stevens | Muriel McCulloch | Eddie Bremer | Judith Stevens |
| **CRECHE** | Dorothy King | Amanda Hare | School Holidays | School Holidays |
| **KIDS KLUB** | Betty Snell | Carol McKenzie | School Holidays | School Holidays |

DUTIES NEXT SUNDAY

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| **COMMUNION** | Betty Snell and Mags Kelly |
| **PARISH LUNCH** | Judith Stevens and Judith Day |

CENTRE DUTIES

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| **WEEK OF** | **LAWNS** | **SECURITY** |
| **June 26th - July 2nd** | Mike Mika | Murray Gibbs |
| **July 3rd - July 9th** | Chris McDonald | Margaret Brass |
| **July 10th - July 16th** | Runi Safole | Runi Safole |
| **July 17th - July 23rd** | Nicol Macfarlane | Cam McCulloch |

SOME INVERCARGILL PARISH KEY PERSONNEL

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| **Minister** Reverend Peter Taylor 216-0281 | | | | | |
| **Parish Council Secretary** Carolyn Weston | | | | | |
| **Parish Stewards** | Eddie Bremer Muriel McCulloch Judith Stevens | | | | |
| **Parish Council Chairman** Reverend Peter Taylor | | | | | **Treasurer**  David Little |
| **Parish Council-**  **Congregational Representatives**  **Bookings** Phone Office 216-0281 | | | | Margaret Brass  Mags Kelly | |
| **Prayer Chain Co-ordinators** | | | Joan and Murray Farley. | | |
| Bulletin Editors | | Peter Lankshear Margaret Brass | | | |