Bulletin

The Invercargill Parish of the

Methodist Church of New Zealand.

**Te Hahi Weteriana o Aotearoa.**



***Lindisfarne Methodist Church, Worship and Community Centre.***

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**Sunday October 1st 2017**

10.00am: Lindisfarne Communion Service and Baptism of Frank and Shay, with Reverend Peter Taylor.

Parish Lunch to follow.

1.00pm: Tongan Service.

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Office Hours next Week

On Wednesday 4 October and Friday 6 October the office will open at about 10.00 am and close at about 1.00 pm.

Prayer

"*Who gave you this authority?" the chief priests and elders asked Jesus.* Matthew 23:21.

Lord, as we enter a new period of elected government, we ask that we be both obedient and worthy and diligent servants of you. We acknowledge Jesus as having full authority from you and we thank you for all that we can claim and experience under his power.

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| **Lindisfarne Calendar** | | |
| Sunday 1st October | 10.00am  1.00pm | Lindisfarne Communion Service with the Reverend Peter Taylor. Parish lunch to follow.  Tongan Service. |
| Tuesday 3rd | 9.00am  9.00am  7.45pm | Invercargill Club.  Presbyter and Parish Stewards.  Ladies Evening Group. (See notice below) |
| Wednesday 4th | 10.30am | Leisure on Wednesday.  **No Choir Practice.** |
| Thursday 5th | 1.30pm  2.00pm | Sit and be Fit.  Women’s Fellowship **at Peacehaven.** (See notice below). |
| Friday 6th | 6.00pm | Southland Alpine Gardening Group. |
| Saturday 7th | 5.30pm | Private Booking. |
| Sunday 8th October | 10.00am  10.00am  1.00pm  1.00pm  2.00pm  6.00pm | Lindisfarne Service with Reverend Peter Taylor.  Bluff Service with Neil Salter.  Fijian Service.  Tongan Service.  Peacehaven Service with Reverend Peter Taylor.  Private Booking. |

Ladies Evening Group

Tuesday 3 October at 7.45pm - Come along and hear about Jan McLeod and Carla Werder's exciting trip to South America.

Womens Fellowship

Everyone is invited to join us on Thursday 5th October at 2pm.  
at the Peacehaven Cafe to celebrate Myra’s 99th birthday.  
Afternoon tea available at own cost.

**Events Celebrating 20th Anniversary of Lindisfarne**

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| . Date | Event |
| **Sunday October 29th** Service at 10.00am | If you wish to remember someone who was part of Lindisfarne but who has since died, please come. |
| **Saturday November 18th** | Celebration Dinner. See notice below for details |
| **Sunday November 19th** Service at 10.00am | Special Service with Guest Preacher Reverend Prince Devanandan, President of the N.Z. Methodist Conference. |

**Just For Fun**

We have had several fund-raisers recently. This is "Just for Fun".

Try the Potato Growing contest – Spud in a Bucket.

For a mere $5 you will get a starter pack of a bucket, one seed potato and some compost.

You must use our bucket and our seed potato. No other rules.

On a set date (not yet decided) all plants will be unearthed.

There will be special awards eg heaviest crop, biggest individual potato, most unusual shape, best set of marbles!

You can get your starter pack after today’s service.

Well Done!

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| *At the A.G.M. of the JP’s Association on Monday night, the National President of the Association presented Joan Farley with a Certificate for*  *21 years of good service and a badge stating “Justice of the Peace, Retired”.* |

20th Anniversary Dinner

Tickets for the 20th Anniversary Dinner are available at the Office.

Price per person is $27. If you prefer, bring your money in a named envelope and give it to Margaret on a Sunday morning.

Your ticket will be ready for you the following Sunday.

Cash please or a cheque made out to Invercargill Methodist Church.

See Margaret for information about internet payment.

ROSTER FOR SUNDAY DUTIES

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| **Sunday** | **October 1st** | **October 8th** | | | **October 15th** | **October 22nd** |
| **DOOR AND**  **WELCOME** | Verna Eason  Raewyn Birss | Ita and Runi Safole | | | Carol Chinpoy  Nicol Macfarlane | Margaret Brass  Dot Anderson |
| **VAN DRIVER** | Eddie Bremer | Findlay Collie | | | Bryon King | Sharon Taylor |
| **FLOWERS** | Beverley Robinson | | Ita Safole | | Nicol Macfarlane | Betty Snell |
| **MORNING TEA** | Stephanie Fannin  Carol Chinpoy | Judith Stevens  Sarah Jenkin | | Carolyn Clearwater  Christine Frame | | Beth Gibbs  Betty Snell |
| **NOTICES** | Muriel McCulloch | Eddie Bremer | | | Judith Stevens | Muriel McCulloch |
| **CRECHE** | School Holidays | School Holidays | | | School Holidays | Labour Weekend |
| **KIDS KLUB** | School Holidays | School Holidays | | | School Holidays | Labour Weekend |

DUTIES TODAY

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| **COMMUNION** | Noeline Collie and Carol McKenzie |
| **PARISH LUNCH** | Raewyn Birss and Sharon Taylor |

CENTRE DUTIES

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| **WEEK OF** | **LAWNS** | **SECURITY** |
| **October 2nd - October 8th** | Findlay Collie | Ron Taylor |
| **October 9th - October 15th** | Nicol Macfarlane | Tony Weston |
| **October 16th - October 22nd** | Chris McDonald | Hartley Hare |
| **October 23rd - October 29th** | Ian Findlay | Margaret Brass |

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 | | |