Bulletin

The Invercargill Parish of the

Methodist Church of New Zealand.

**Te Hahi Weteriana o Aotearoa.**



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**Sunday 21st October 2018.**

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10.00am: Lindisfarne Service with Anne Stoddart

1.00pm: Tongan Service.

Prayer

Lord. Give me strength in my weakness. Give me faith in my fear. Give me power in my powerlessness. I’m trusting You.

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| **Calendar** | | |
| Sunday 21st October | 10.00am  1.00pm | Lindisfarne Service with Anne Stoddart.  Tongan Service. |
| Monday 22nd |  | Labour Day |
| Wednesday 24th | 7.30pm | Choir Practice. |
| Thursday 25th | 8.00am  10.00am  1.30pm  7.00pm | Well South.  Craft Circle.  Sit and be Fit.  South City Choir practice. |
| Friday 26th | 4.30pm | Friday Club. |
| Saturday 27th | 8.30am  8.30am | Inner Wheel East.  Invercargill Floral Art. |
| Sunday 28th October | 10.00am  1.00pm  1.00pm  6.00pm | Lindisfarne Service including Congregational A.G.M. led by Reverend Peter Taylor.  Tongan Service.  Fijian Service.  Private Booking. |

Garage Sale

The big day, Saturday the 10th November, is drawing closer!

As you find goods for our sale, it might be of help if you put them in the Lindisfarne storeroom.

Please talk to Daphne if you need items transported.

**Friday Club**

28 October 4.30 to 6.30. Please come and help in the kitchen or with the children’s activity.

Several of our normal helpers are unavailable so we will accept abnormal people!

**New Duties Roster.**

This is being prepared now. If you would like to do an extra duty, please fill in the green form and give it to Raewyn Birss.

There are a number of gaps to be filled.

Meals on Wheels

Commencing Monday week 29th October it is our turn to deliver Meals on Wheels. If you can spare a couple of hours on one or more days, please phone or text Amanda Hare.

**Farewell Murray**

*Last Thursday it was with great sorrow we farewelled Murray Farley.*

*Murray was a much valued member of the Lindisfarne congregation, firm and uncompromising in his Christian faith. For many years, as a lay preacher he often conducted invariably well-planned services. His theological knowledge was sound and extensive and his sermons presented a strong and positive message. Murray enjoyed music and was a keen member of choirs.*

*In the early 1990's the Invercargill Methodist Parish decided that the most viable way forward was to build a new church, combining our congregations. Murray agreed to use his considerable expertise to be the financial manager of the project which many thought would present insuperable difficulties. We rejoiced when the critics were silenced with the Lindisfarne completed on time and completely debt free. Much of this achievement was the result of Murray's professional and dedicated management.*

*With his professional background and clear thinking Murray was a leading and valuable member or chairman of many committees. Often debates would come to a standstill and it was clear that some sort of resolution was required Murray would take the floor and quickly get to the heart of the matter, guiding the debate to a good conclusion.*

*His parting is a great loss.*

*Joan, Joy and Margaret have our loving support and sympathy.*

ROSTER FOR SUNDAY DUTIES

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| **Sunday** | **October 21st** | **October 28th** | **November 4th** | **November 11th** |
| **DOOR AND**  **WELCOME** | Keith and Carol McKenzie | Evelyn and Neil Cruickshank | Cam and Muriel McCulloch | Mags Kelly Dot Anderson |
| **VAN DRIVER** | Sharon Taylor | Bryon King | Findlay Collie | Eddie Bremer |
| **FLOWERS** | Raewyn Birss | Mags Kelly | Beverley Robinson | Dorothy King |
| **MORNING TEA** | Nicol Macfarlane  Carol Chinpoy | Beth Gibbs  Mags Kelly | Bryon and Dorothy King | Keith and Carol McKenzie |
| **NOTICES** | Noeline Collie | Judith Stevens | Muriel McCulloch | Noeline Collie |
| **CRECHE** | Labour Weekend | Carol McKenzie | Susanne Staples | Sharon Taylor |
| **KIDS KLUB** | Labour Weekend | Fun Sunday | TBA | TBA |

CENTRE DUTIES

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| **WEEK OF** | **LAWNS** | **SECURITY** |
| **October 22nd - October 28th** | Eddie Bremer | Ron Taylor |
| **October 29th - November 4th** | Lester Dean | Daphne Salter |
| **November 5th - November 11th** | Nicol Macfarlane | Eddie Bremer |
| **November 12th - November 18th** | Mike Mika | Tony Weston |

**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