Dates to Remember		
17 July	Mid-Winter Christmas Dinner	
23 July	Church prayer night	
August	Church prayer night Promise Keepers Men's Events	
Sep/Oct	Pakihi Trail Bike ride	



Church Office Hours: 9am -12noon, Mon - Fri (excluding public holidays).

**'Prayer Chain'** – Urgent matters for confidential prayer support, can be referred to the Prayer Chain Group. Contact Joy McHardy or Val Judd.

<u>**Tuesday 'Prayer For the Nation'-**</u>11am–12noon in Church prayer room. For more info contact Janet Burgess.

<u>**Tuesday Bible Study</u>** – Currently meeting at 1.30pm in the Church House Lounge for a study of Revelation with Frank Darcy. For more info contact Maureen Wilson or Judy McLatchie.</u>

**Wednesday 'Mens Breakfast'** - Meets at 6:45am - 7:50am in the Church house lounge. For more info contact Paul Cosson.

**Friday 'Revival Prayer'** – every Friday evening 6:30pm-7:30pm at Joy McHardy's home.

# Cycle the Pakihi Trail (Motu)

If you are interested in cycling the Pakihi Trail at Motu - start training now! Mark Van Wijk is keen to organise a group to do this around September/October. More details to follow.



# **Giving/Tithing**

If you wish to tithe or make a donation to Mangapapa Church, our account number is: Mangapapa Church, 03-0638-0381084-00. Please make sure you say 'tithe' or 'donation' in the reference. If you would prefer to give using our 'Envelope' system, then see Jenny Phin who will set you up with envelopes allocated to you.



# No Youth Group over the school holidays

Youth Group will restart on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> July.

See the YG Facebook page or contact Tirzah for more details.

YOUTH

	Today	Next Sunday 21st July	
Greeters	H Hockey, Volunteer	L Frampton, H Hockey	
Explorers Crèche	R Theobald	M Schnuriger	
Matrix	School Holidays	School Holidays	
Ministry Team	A Clement	J Newman	
Cups of Tea	N & C Coffey, D Benson	M McHardy, 2 Volunteers	
Flowers	G Sharp	E Oates	
AV & Sound	D Russell / P Walker	R Nelson / A Russell	
Counters	A McLean	A Radcliffe	



Our motivating vision is... 'To be His Love, Light and Life'

Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> July 2019

10am: "Team Vanuatu"

Leading: Paula Levy Preaching: Vanuatu Team Duty Elder: Paula Levy

# 6.30pm Evening Fellowship tonight

Church Leader: Paula Levy Office 06 867-9604 Cell 021 140-4667 E-mail paula@mup.org.nz

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Elders Team Andrew Russell: 027 815-1635 Rodney Judd 06 863-2400 Llew Paul: 022 052 8297

'Explorers' creche is operating and available for 1-4 years. 'Kidzspace' Primary age children and 'Matrix' Intermediates are to stay in during message time.

### Paula writes....

It was great to have the Corletts with us last weekend. Thanks for your continued and generous support of their projects that are really making a difference with seed banks, farms, replacing opium growing with coffee, and the range of other projects and people they partner with. Stu shared with us a Tale of Two Dinners! This week we will make it a tale of 3 dinners – as we embark on our own Mid-Winter Christmas Dinner. Please be praying for this event, remembering all the things you have offered to do, and there is still space so please invite a friend and bring them!! Please pray for people to come, a friendly and warm atmosphere, for our chef Rebecca leading the kitchen team, all those serving and entertaining, our MC Bill, and that overall it is a great night! The prayer room will be available during set up times before and during the evening for any called specifically to pray.

This morning we say welcome to our Vanuatu team. These 5 are all involved in Youth Leadership. come from different Islands of Vanuatu and have been chosen by the Presbyterian Church there to come and be a part of our Youth National Leaders Conference Training and spend a week experiencing church life with US! ☺



Their names are: Welle Taforua, Allan Peter Watsal ,Pauline Tasarei, Doline Hosipmanda and Brisit Mailsa. They will introduce themselves to you today and help lead our service. Vanuatu has been an independent nation since 1980. Missionaries were working there at similar times as the first missionaries to New Zealand. The Presbyterian Church is strong there, and has been an independent church since 1948. In many ways Vanuatu is more influenced by the gospel than New Zealand today, so there is much we can learn from them. Please take time to meet, get to know and learn from these guys. "Olsem wanem?" is a great way to say "hello" (how are you) – and a good answer is "I stret" (things are good ©).

# Blessings, Paula



This is coming up quickly! For those that have volunteered to help, below are the times that we will need you to turn up:

#### Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> July (the day before)

#### Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July (day of dinner)

10 am	<ul> <li>Set up team</li> </ul>	
11 am	<ul> <li>– Kitchen Prep</li> </ul>	

4 pm – Servers and Kitchen Prep 4.30pm – Waiters & Waitresses

5.15pm – Welcomers



**Foodbank** – Thank you for giving to this vital ministry. We gave out 9 food parcels over the last month, mostly to families of 5 or more. Our stores are looking rather low now so any help restocking them would be appreciated. We need: flour, sugar, 2 min noodles, pasta, pasta sauce, canned fruit, canned veges,

spaghetti, pkts mashed potato, weetbix, porridge, UHF milk, milk powder, canned tuna/salmon/corned beef, soup, biscuits, muesli bars, crackers, rice, jam, spreads.

#### Let us Pray! - 7pm Tuesday 23rd July

Let's join together for another night of prayer and worship ... bringing the needs of our church, community, country and world that He places on our hearts. Love to see you all there!



### Fire Evacuation Drill – Sunday 28th July

Please come prepared to participate in a trial fire drill and evacuation on this Sunday. We all need to know what to do in the event of a fire, and a drill is a good way to spot any potential problems before they become life threatening.



# **ATTENTION MEN!**

### Are you living the life Jesus has for you?

Promise Keepers have their "Courage is living the life Jesus has for you!" men's events coming up in August. Three different venues and dates to choose from. Poster and flyer on back noticeboard or go to *www.promisekeepers.nz* for more info.

Christchurch 2-3 Aug,

Wellington 16-17 Aug,

Auckland 30-31 Aug





The CAP Debt Help Centre will be closed for the next 2 weeks and re-open July 29th. However, support friends will continue to support "clients". Please pray for conversations about the Mid-Winter dinner so that this opportunity to experience God's love is well communicated, with the hope that many will come and be blessed.



To Diane McLean, Lorraine Redgrave and David Russell who all celebrated birthdays this week. God's richest blessings upon you all!