

Dates to Remember ...	
17 June	4pm Soup & Korero
23 June	3.30pm Matrix Quiz Quest
17 July	Mid-Winter Christmas Dinner



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.

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

Tuesday Bible Study – 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.

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.

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.



Friday 21st June – "Youth Alpha"

Next session in the series.
7pm – 9pm at the church. Bring \$3.

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



	Today	Next Sunday 23 rd June
Greeters	J & L Hawksworth	M Raitaukala, J Phin
Explorers Crèche	R Theobald	M Schnuriger
Matrix	L Hindle	R Levy
Ministry Team	A Clement	J Newman
Cups of Tea	P & A Walker, A Alder	P & D Viljoen, M Smith
Flowers	B Bowis	A Lewis
AV & Sound	R Nelson / P Walker	D Russell / S Patrick
Counters	D Welch	N Coffey



Sunday 16th June 2019

10am: "Why are we here?"

On Earth, that is.

Leading: Andrew Russell Preaching: George Bryant
Duty Elder: Rodney Judd

6.30pm Evening Fellowship tonight

Church Leader: Paula Levy **Office** 06 867-9604 **Cell** 021 140-4667
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'Explorers' creche is operating and available for 1-4 years.
'Kidzspace' Primary age children head out when directed.
'Matrix' Intermediates meet during the message time, over in the house.

Paula writes....

Last week was a wonderful celebration of the work of CAP in welcoming new people. If you are still learning their names, here they are: Kevin, Margaret and Liam - Deon, Jana and Lumin - Henk, Carika, Anieke and Juan - Julia - Megan, Britney and Grace. If you are new at Mangapapa and wish to make this your church home please let me know and we will include you for next time. ☺

This week we welcome George Bryant as our speaker. **George** is a prolific author. He has written 42 books and booklets, edited over 50 volumes and written numerous articles. He writes on many topics including people in society, based on his experiences as a teacher, preacher, public speaker, politician and social worker. He was also my High School Principal! This afternoon he will be running a workshop for writers here at Mangapapa.

As we are focussing this term on the Conversations of Jesus and how we develop life-giving relationships and conversations with opportunities to share the good news of Jesus – George will be speaking on one of his series of new books that can be gifted to people with questions of faith. Today it is, “Why are we here?” My prayer is that this will be helpful for each of us in clearly understanding our purpose but also in giving us tools to share with others who are looking for purpose in life.

Tomorrow at 4pm we are helping serve soup and buns at the Atkinson Street shops, as a simple act of service for our community and to develop conversations.

Blessings,

Paula



This Afternoon! 2-4pm Sunday 16th June Writing Seminar with George Bryant

“From finished manuscript to publication – and beyond”. Q & A session. No writing required. Afternoon tea kindly provided by some Gisborne members of the NZ Christian Writers group. Koha donation.



We would like to run an Alpha Course next Term. If you are interested in helping to run this, please talk to Paula.

Soup & Korero 4.00pm – Monday 17th June

Help us share soup, buns and conversations at the Atkinson St shops, and build relationships with our local community – 4.00pm on Monday 17th June.



Mangapapa is on-call for Te Hahi next week – 17th to 23rd June. Please pray for Sepoima and team as they work with the police in this front line ministry.



MUP MATRIX QUIZ QUEST

For Matrix youth – Bring a friend or two and join us at the Hawkins place for a fun time on **Sunday 23rd June**. Starts at **3.30pm** and families can join for a Pot Luck dinner at **5.30pm**. RSVP to Nicola today.



Midwinter Christmas Dinner – 17th July

We are having a Christmas Mid-Winter dinner on Wednesday July 17th for our church family, our friends, CAP clients and residents from the Mangapapa suburb.

We are needing people to help out in the following areas: **an MC, musicians, singers, dramas, AV/Sound Desk, kitchen helpers (day before), kitchen servers, waiters/waitresses, dishwashers, decorators, entertainers for children**. If you have talents in any of these areas and want to offer your services, please speak with Paula or Nicola.



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I have been enjoying taking soup to people's homes. Thank you to those who made some. If you have little items that are "as new" that can be used to bless clients then they can be left at the church office. Anything unsuitable will go to TOSS. (No clothes or books please). Nicola.