

27 th Oct	Inter Church Volleyball
28 th Oct	Prayer Ministry Training with Sue Ogilvie
30-31 st Oct	CARE Leadership & Pastoral Training with Sue Ogilvie
31 st Oct	Light Party
18 th Nov	Women's Dessert Evening @ Peppers Restaurant
11 th Dec	Pre Christmas Camping at Tolaga Bay



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' – Meets from 11am–12noon in Church Prayer Room. For more info contact Janet Burgess.

Tuesday Afternoon Bible Study – Meets at 1.30pm in the Church House. For more info contact Maureen Wilson.

Wednesday 'Mens Breakfast' - Have continued meeting in the Church House at 6.45am – 8.00am. For more info contact Paul Cosson.

Thursday 'Womens Breakfast' – Meets at 7am in the Church House. For more info contact Amanda Lewis.

Women's 'Growth Group' – Meets fortnightly on a Thursday, 1pm–2.30pm, in the Church House. For more info contact Nicola Hawkins.

Friday 'Revival Prayer' – Starts 6.30pm and will be held at Joy McHardy's place. For more info contact Elaine Oates.

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.



I'm slowly developing networks in Uawa and will be running a CAP Money course there commencing this week. Please pray that CAP becomes a trusted name there so that people are comfortable to use our services. Nicola.

	Today	Next Sunday 1 st November
Greeters	H Hockey, A Clement	J & L Hawksworth
Explorers Crèche	N Welch, E Holwill	R Theobald
Matrix	L Hindle	N Hawkins
Ministry Team	J McHardy	A Clement
Cups of Tea	B Corlett, J Dyas, A Alder	N & C Coffey, D Benson
Flowers	E Oates	E Oates
AV & Sound	R Nelson / J Russell	D Russell / P Walker
Counters	<i>Duty Elder</i>	N Coffey



Sunday 25th October 2020

10am: "Living Well On Earth As Citizens Of Heaven"

Philippians 1

Leading: Neil Smoker

Preaching: Paula Levy

Duty Elder: Llew Paul

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Elders Team

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'Explorers' creche is operating and available for 1-4 years.
'Kidzspace' Primary age children go out at message time.
'Matrix 789's' are to go out at message time.

Paula says ...

Today we begin our journey through the book of Philippians following Jim's introduction a few weeks ago. This letter written from prison celebrates friendship, speaks of how to live joyfully in the face of suffering and challenges us to live differently as Citizens of heaven. As I have been reading Chapter One this week, I have been thinking a lot about what it means to be a good citizen. This is particularly relevant as we also reflect on the election results and the future of our country.

As New Zealand citizens (for those of us who are) we have rights and responsibilities. But as followers of Jesus we are also citizens of Heaven – we have dual citizenship. There are incomparable advantages to this heavenly citizenship, yet there are also responsibilities or duties. Paul reminds us to live a life that is appropriate to the great privilege of our citizenship of heaven. This should be seen in our character, in our unity, and in our ability to endure hardship for the sake of the Gospel. How are you doing in being a dual citizen?

Important reminder: This week!!

Training in Pastoral Care: (caring and loving people well)

With Sue Ogilvie, Pastor of Church Care at Windsor Park Baptist coming to further equip us in how to care for others well.

Prayer Ministry Training: Wednesday 28 October 1:30 pm (Church House)

CARE Training

- 6:30pm- 9pm Friday 30 October and 8am – 1pm Saturday 31 October

Please come and learn together. Talk to Paula if you want to know more. Let's take this opportunity to learn together and develop our skills in loving and caring well. Please let us know in the office if you are coming.

Blessings, Paula

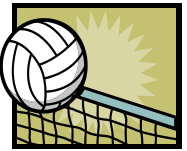
Prayer Ministry Training on Wednesday 28th October

For all our prayer teams and others interested in growing in the area of prayer Ministry. Please note a change of time – it is now **1.30pm in the Church House**. Led by Sue Ogilvie from Windsor Park Baptist.



Above all, you must live as citizens of heaven, conducting yourselves in a manner worthy of the Good News about Christ. Then, whether I come and see you again or only hear about you, I will know that you are standing together with one spirit and one purpose, fighting together for the faith, which is the Good News.
Philippians 1:27

Inter Church Volley Ball – 6.30pm Tuesday nights at the **Seventh Day Adventist Church, 7 Victoria St**, Te Hapara (off Aberdeen Rd). Good exercise, great fun, and a great chance to meet people. Contact Phil Viljoen if you are keen to come, or just turn up.



'Called To Care' Two Day Workshop – 30 & 31st October

Run by Sue Ogilvie from Windsor Park Baptist. Sessions are: **6:30pm – 9pm Friday 30th October** and **8am – 1pm on Saturday 31st October**. For anyone at Mangapapa Church with a heart to work with people. Leaders, pray-ers, small group leaders, potential small group leaders, children's workers – all who want to grow in their ability to care for and minister to people safely, competently and wisely, based on biblical principles. Fliers available from back table. Please let the office know if you will be attending so we can print enough materials.

Dessert for Women – 7pm Wed 18th November

Peppers Beachfront Bar & Café



Cost is \$15 for dessert and a hot drink. RSVP by paying your \$15 before **Sunday 8th November**. Payments can be made to the Church Office, or online to Mangapapa Church, 03-0638-0381084-00. Please use 'Peppers' as the reference.



Kidzspace & Explorers Family Event

Coming up ...

On: Saturday 31st October
At: Mangapapa Church
At: 4.45pm to 7pm

LIGHT PARTY



CAP Money Course – To be held at St David's Hall during November. The course will run from **10am-12noon on Fridays 6th, 13th, and 20th November**. To register contact Lauren on 021 235 6367

Pre Christmas Camping – 11th December

Drag out the tent, motorhome, campervan, or book a cabin and join a bunch of outdoor-loving friends at Tolaga Bay Holiday Park (06 862 6716). Be aware that Sunday 13th is a special event for Children's Church, so by getting to Tolaga on Friday evening, you could do both. Make your own arrangements. For more info contact Paul Cosson - 027 665 8006.

