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

<u>'Prayer Chain'</u> – 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.</u> For more info contact Janet Burgess.</u>**

<u>Tuesday Bible Study</u> – Meeting at 1.30pm in the Church Library. 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.

Never forget the three powerful resources you always have available to you: love, prayer, and forgiveness.

H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

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 14th June – "Youth Alpha"

Up to the third 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 16 th June
Greeters	A Clement, D Whibley	J & L Hawksworth
Explorers Crèche	R Theobald	N Hawkins
Matrix	L Hindle	L Hindle
Ministry Team	J McHardy	A Clement
Cups of Tea	J Dyas, B Corlett, D Benson	P & A Walker, A Alder
Flowers	B Bowis	B Bowis
AV & Sound	J Russell / P Cosson	R Nelson / S Patrick
Counters	D Welch	D Welch



Sunday 9th June 2019

10am: "Lesson from the Table of Jesus" Always room for one more!

Followed by a shared lunch

Leading: Rachal McIntyre Preaching: Paula Levy 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 head out when directed. 'Matrix' Intermediates meet during the message time, over in the house.

Paula writes....

Happy Birthday CAP! Today we celebrate four years of CAP Debt Help, 13 people debt free, and four more currently on their journey out. We also acknowledge the hard work of Nicola and all those who volunteer alongside her. Thank you!

Today, we also welcome several new people and families into Mangapapa Church. We are delighted that these friends of ours are making this community their home. When we talk about membership, two words, 'believe and belong' help us understand what this means.

BELIEVE: Membership at Mangapapa involves a belief in God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit; an acceptance of Jesus as our Savior and Lord; and a commitment to love and follow Jesus.

BELONG: This comes from an understanding that:

- we need other believers to help us grow in our faith, giftings and mission.
- In order to truly grow and love, we need to know and be committed and accountable to a specific group of fellow disciples.

As we welcome these people, I invite all of us to recommit ourselves to following Jesus, and to our place in this community of His followers. My heart is that each of you would feel a sense of belonging, would be growing in your relationship with God and each other, and would be increasingly using your gifts to love and serve our world.

As we share lunch together after the service, please stay and connect. Please reach out to someone you haven't met before. Our Youth will also be finishing their 40 our famine and especially enjoying lunch! There will still be opportunities to sponsor them and make donations through them to assist children in South Sudan.

Blessings, Paula

HOUR FAMINE 7-9 JUNE 2019

The Youth will be finishing the famine today and will have their sponsorship books here if you would still like to sponsor them.



Writing Seminar – 2-4pm Sunday 16th June

George Bryant, a leading Christian writer, will be here on Sunday the 16th of June at 2pm to take a seminar on "From finished manuscript to publication – and beyond". Q&A session. No writing required. See poster on back noticeboard for registration details. Afternoon tea kindly provided by some Gisborne members of the NZ Christian Writers group. Koha donation.

KIDZSPACE/EXPLORERS FUN FAMILY EVEN



"Midwinter Feast in the Forest" 2pm – 6pm on Saturday 15th June

At: Family Forest (a 40 min. drive)



If coming: **Contact** William and Debora Dobbie on 06 867 7934 for map and instructions on what to bring.

Mangapapa/Riverdale Soup & Buns - Monday 17th June

Help us share soup and buns at the Atkinson St shops – 4.30pm on Monday 17th June.



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 by <u>16th June.</u>



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



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.



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.