

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

'Confidential Healing Prayer 4 U' – In the Church House every Monday, 12:30pm to 1:30pm.

Tuesday, 'Prayer For the Nation' - 11am -12pm in the Church Prayer Room.

'Friday Revival Prayer'– Meets every Friday evening 6:30pm to 7:30pm at Joy McHardy's home (over the winter months). 266B Ormond Road. Enquiries to Stewart Patrick contact 0210470795.



FOODBANK.. Thank you for your faithful giving to this ministry. We have a large supply of breakfast cereals, tinned fruit, tea bags, milk, toilet paper and rubbish bags. However, **we would love help with the following items:** margarine, jams & spreads, flour, noodles, canned tomatoes, veges, spaghetti and baked beans, pasta sauce, tinned fish, toothpaste and laundry washing powder.

Focus on Servanthood – As we prepare the next 'three month duty roster' we acknowledge and thank all our volunteers for their continued service - Bless You All! We could certainly do with more volunteers for 'Greeters' or 'Cuppa Tea' duty. So if you would like to serve in this way, please write your name on the form provided on the auditorium table.

Youth Group Mission Trip Fundraisers – Yes fundraising is underway for



the YG short-term mission team's trip to Uganda in late 2018. They are asking for **donations of wax - beeswax, paraffin, any kind of wax - even old white candles for a fundraising project.**



Tabea and Joel Walker require exterior paint for these great 'Pallet Planters' to sell. There are

also some lovely jams for sale in the church foyer. We do ask that you clear any IOU's ASAP please.

Can you help out Joy McHardy who would appreciate any wallpaper paste or 'House & Garden' magazines for their craft sessions held at the Ryman Village.



TERM 4 PROGRAMME

Check out our YG Facebook page for details



	Today 15 th October 2017	Next Sunday 22nd October 2017
Greeters	J Phin, A Clement	M Wilson, L McAra
Explorers crèche	H Churton	M Parker
Ministry Team	J McHardy	J Newman
Cups of Tea	A & D McLean, L Hindle	E & B Bowis, A Alder
Flowers	D Dobbie	E Oates
AV & Sound	D Russell, P Cosson	P Oram, G O'Neil
Counters	D Welch	A McLean



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

Sunday 15th October 2017

10am: 'Special Guest Preacher & Singer – Ken Gartner'

Leading: Sal Clement

Duty Elder: Rodney Judd

6.30pm: 'This Changed Everything' Reformation 500 years Series Pt 6

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Elders Team

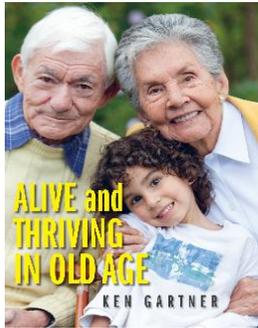
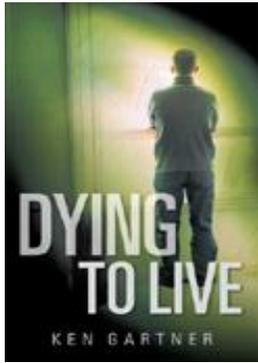
Rodney Judd 863 2400 Andrew Russell: 868 6342 Llew Paul: 022 052 8297

*'Explorers' crèche is operating and available for 1-4 yrs.
School Holidays - 'Kidzspace' Primary age children and 'Matrix'
Intermediates DVD in blue room while teaching on today*

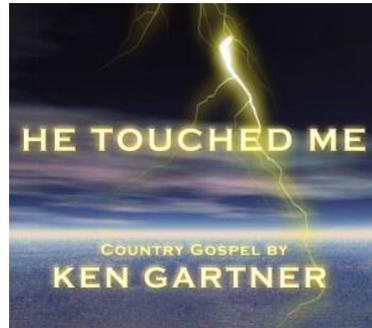
Stewart writes... This morning we welcome a special guest preacher, Gospel singer, Prison Ministry evangelist & author – **Ken Gartner**, from Wellington. Ken travels NZ in ministry and as a member of Prison Fellowship, he regularly ministers in Prisons



and this is a key part of his testimony. Ken has recorded two music CD's '*He Touched Me*', & '*Mountain of Victory*'. Ken has also written 3 books, his most recent being, '*Alive & Thriving in Old Age*', honouring our Christian seniors, or kaumatua. Ken has been on a 'HIKOI' around N.Z. that began 26 August 2007, when Ken's first book '*Dying to Live*' was published. "This hikoi is a journey of hope and enlightenment". Ken has been travelling almost every weekend since, around New Zealand, preaching, singing and speaking on the many aspects of prison ministry.



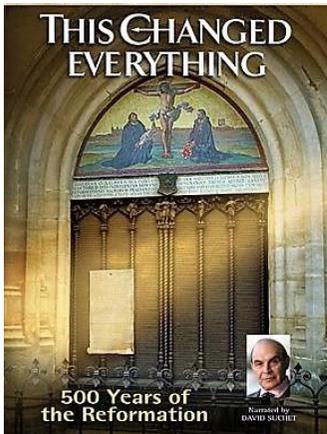
Ken will also be live on the **Turanga 91.7FM Radio show, 'The Gospel half-hour' @ 8am**, this Sunday morning with Llew Paul interviewing, and playing tracks from his CD. Ken's books and CD's will be available to purchase today on the table in the auditorium.



6:30pm Tonight – 'This Changed Everything' – Part 6 of this specially produced series celebrating the Reformation - 500yrs'

The year 2017 marks the 500th anniversary of the Reformation of the Christian Church, and 31 October marks the day 500 yrs ago when a little known Monk, pastor & University professor - Martin Luther, set it all off with his nailing to the Castle Church door in Wittenburg, his 95 theses. The end result of a tumultuous time, was the Church returning to the gospel;

Sola gratia, sola fide, solus Christus – 'Grace alone, faith alone, Christ alone.'



There is nothing the nearness of Jesus cannot overcome.

For Prayer & Praise this week:

- **Iris McCoy** was in Gisborne hospital this week with pneumonia but thankfully, she is now convalescing at home. Please continue to prayer for Iris as she is still very frail.
- **Peter & Pauline Burrows** left Gisborne on Wednesday with this departing message – "*Many thanks for your prayers, good wishes and encouragement as we head away to Lower Hutt. Thanks for doing life with us in the Lord. Hope to see you in early December if not before.*"



- **Stewart & Marilyn** as they head back to Gisborne tomorrow after a week-long of R&R up the coast.

Kidzspace 'Light Party' Sat 28 October 4:45pm to 7pm @ MUP Church



The MUP Kidzspace legendary 'Light Party' is on for Primary age children & the whole family. It's about fun & light & life with a Pot Luck Dinner in the middle. Grab a flyer from the auditorium table and share with a young family/young person in your neighbourhood.



Would you like to join a Home Group/Small Group meeting regularly?

Here is a list of the Home Groups/Small Groups operating during the week at present. If you are interested in trying one out, contact Home Groups oversight - Diane McLean 8687400, who can help you choose, or the Group leader shown.

- 1) **Viljoen Home Group – 6:30pm Monday's, @**
- 2) **Elaine Oates Group – 10am Tuesdays, @ the Church House**
- 3) **Iris McCoy Group – 1:30pm Tuesdays @ the Church Library/Prayer Room**
- 4) **Judd's Home Group – 7pm Tuesday evenings, 91 Haisman Road.**
- 5) **Men's Breakfast Group – 6:45am -7:55am Wednesday @ Church House**
- 6) **McLean's Home Group – 7pm Thursdays @ 13 Heathcote Drive.**
- 7) **'The Abiding Life Course' – Contact Leigh McGurk 0274869258 for details on when the next one will commence.**