



Sunday 2 May 2021

To glorify God in all we do, say, and are

This week: Care Basket

Leading: Kenny Wright

Next Week: Mothers' Day Breakfast

Speaking: Chze Pheng Ching



“My feelings are not God. God is God. My feelings do not define truth. God’s word defines truth. My feelings are echoes and responses to what my mind perceives. And sometimes - many times - my feelings are out of sync with the truth. When that happens - and it happens every day in some measure - I try not to bend the truth to justify my imperfect feelings, but rather, I plead with God: Purify my perceptions of Your truth and transform my feelings so that they are in sync with the truth.”

-John Piper

The pastors and elders are available to pray with you this morning after the service or at any other convenient time.

This week 3 - 9 May 2021

Tuesday 4	Mainly music: 9.30 am Toy Library: 11 am Young Adults: 7 pm at Kenny & Sarah's
Wednesday 5	Community Room Booked: 9 - noon Elders' Meeting: 7 pm
Thursday 6	Coffee Connections: 10 am Bible Study: 10 am
Sunday 9	Prayer Meeting: 9.30 am

Coming Events

9 May Mothers' Day Breakfast

11 May Kaukapakapa Home Group

12 May Deacons' Meeting

16 May AGM

19 May Prayer Meeting

Rosters for Next Sunday

Door: Doreen Dewse

Sound: Greg Crawford

Flowers: Janice Webster

Craigweil: Jennifer Livingstone & Dave Ryder

**The street for prayer this month is
Parakai School**

Youth!

Fish, chips and games night at Kenny and Sarah's house, Friday May 7th, 6.30. Feel free to bring friends along. No cost for this outing. Hope you can make it!

Annual Reports

If you are responsible for a report for the AGM and have not submitted it, please send it to Shirley within the next couple of days. It is now overdue. And for those of you who have got your report in on time, thank you so much. It does make my life easier.

A request from Gareth:

Gareth was reading and watching that in New Zealand and elsewhere in the world, a lot of our plastics that go into our recycle bins are not actually being recycled.

As such he is hoping to begin making things out of recycled plastics (particularly HDPE).

If you are able, could you please **start collecting** for Gareth:

- milk lids
- cream lids
- soft drink bottle lids
- juice bottle lids
- basically anything with HPDE (recycle code 2)

Petry & Kyle Groza - Romania

A family in crisis

Early this month we got a phone call from a young woman from Mândra. She was four months pregnant, and her boyfriend had been beating her so hard she was afraid she might lose the baby. We were able to house her overnight until the situation at home cooled down. Thankfully, they have been doing well since then. Please keep this young family in your prayers.



Changes at the Regen Centre

During the last couple months, we have begun to work to make the yard at the Regen Centre more pleasant, inviting, functional, and professional. The month of May saw the completion of the demolition of a large cement platform. In addition, our team gathered for a work day in which we moved a wood pile to make room for the new chicken coop. Then towards the end of the month, we filled the chicken coop with chickens! More updates to come as we continue to make progress toward the transformation of the yard.

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