

November 2020

Some thoughts from your minister

Moving into our new future

You will be pleased to know that the Ministry Settlement Board is making progress along the path through the regulations towards the point where we will have the opportunity as a parish to consider calling a new minister.



In this issue of *Together* you will find a 'Parish Profile' and a 'Minister's Profile' that together describe the kind of parish we think we are and the kind of minister we think we need. These documents will need to be given approval at the Parish meeting on the 8 November, the day on which we will celebrate a whole of parish Communion service. That meeting will be chaired by the Rev. Tony Wood our 'Interim Moderator'. The documents have been written and thoughtfully edited so that they are as clear as possible. Please read them, think about them, and come ready with any questions you have. Our thanks to Cathy Drummond and all the members of our Ministry Settlement Board for all their work on the profiles and getting us to this point.

Following our meeting on the 8th the Presbytery will officially declare the parish 'vacant' and the Board will advertise for and approach potential ministers. I have heard, that there are some involved directly in the process, who believe that that stage will not take too long. In the meantime, and until our new minister is inducted, I will continue as your minister.

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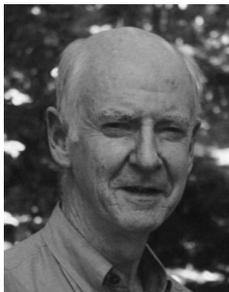
Thank you to all of you who have shown concern for Carole and me through this time. By the time you read this, Carole will have had her surgery to replace the mitral valve in her heart and I will be close to the day when I have a consultation with a neurologist at the Wellington neurological clinic. It will be good to get some understanding of the event that saw me being taken to the hospital by ambulance. Right now I am feeling fine and have family around being incredibly helpful.

May you too find the support and encouragement you need from this your faith family.

Blessings and peace

Roger

Rev. Keith Carley



It is with sadness that we record the death of the Rev Dr Keith Carley, BCom., BDiv, PhD.

Dr. Carley, the husband of Erice, was one of the church's most able theologians. Sadly he had not been in good health for some time. His funeral service held in the church on Tuesday the 27th of October was led by one of his colleagues, the Rev. Dr Allan Davidson (who was a classmate of our interim minister Roger).

Keith was educated at Wellington College and Victoria University (1958-61 B.Com). He entered Knox Theological Hall in 1962, and graduated with a Bachelor of Divinity from Otago in 1965 and, from the University of London in 1966-68 PhD.

Ordained in the Balmoral church at Balclutha in February 1969 he then spent a term at the NZ Bible College before being commissioned for overseas service by the Auckland Presbytery in April 1972. He served the Overseas Missions Staff, at Rarongo Theological College Papua New Guinea for 5 years.

On his return to New Zealand he took up a position as lecturer at St John's Theological College, Auckland (Anglican) a position he held for over twenty years, finally retiring to the Kapiti Coast in 2007.

November Services

Date	Waikanae 9.15 am	United@9 9 am	Raumati 10 am
1st All Saints	Rev. Norman Wilkins	Maureen Calhaem	Rosa Sugrue
Piano	<i>Marie Smith</i>	<i>Janet Milne</i>	<i>Merle Stevenson</i>
Reading	Jenny DGLISH	Carol Rudings	Isabel Robinson
8th Pentecost 22	Rev. Roger Wiig Holy Communion		
Piano	<i>Stuart Grant</i>		
Reading	Mary & Bill Francis		
15th Pentecost 24	Very Rev. Pamela Tankersley	Syd & Joy Mephram	Rev. Ken Irwin
Piano	<i>Murray Collingwood</i>	<i>Janet Milne</i>	<i>Patricia Murray</i>
Reading	Ken Rae	Louise Faulke	Barbara Bolton
22nd Pentecost 25 Reign of Christ	Rev. Barrie Keenan	Barrie Woods	Rev. Roger Wiig
Piano	<i>Marie Smith</i>	<i>Janet Milne</i>	<i>Margaret Craig</i>
Reading	Marg Schrader	Dorothy Woods	Bill McKeich
29th Advent 1	Rev. Roger Wiig	Carole Rudings	Rosa Sugrue
Piano	<i>Joan Baber</i>	<i>Janet Milne</i>	<i>Erice Carley</i>
Reading	Penny Van Doorn	Ken Milne	Ian Patterson

November: regular events



Mondays	9.30 am	Raumati Music Café Playgroup, (term-time)
	3pm	Crafternoon Tea (term-time)
Tuesdays	10 am	Women's Craft Group, Lower Lounge, Raumati (term-time)
	11 am - 4pm	Thrifty Place
Wednesdays	4 pm	F.I.T. Exercises, Raumati
Thursdays	9.30 am	Raumati Café Playgroup (term-time)
	11 am - 4 pm	Thrifty Place
	2.30 pm	Fruit and Vege Co-op pick up
Fridays	9.30 am	Waikanae Café Playgroup (term-time)
Saturdays	10 am - 12.30 pm	Thrifty Place

November: for your diary

Tues 3rd	2pm	Afternoon Women's Fellowship, Raumati
Wed 4th	1pm	Raumati Committee, Raumati
Sat 7th	9.30am	Parish Fair
Sun 8th	after service	Parish meeting, Raumati
Mon 9th	1.30 pm	Board Games, Raumati
Tue 10th	10 am	Pastoral Care Group, Raumati
Thurs 12th	10 am	Raumati Morning Women's Fellowship
Tue 17th	10 am	Waikanae Women's Fellowship
Fri 20th		December/January Together Deadline
Mon 23rd	1.30 pm	Board Games, Raumati
Wed 25th	1.30pm	Property & Finance, Raumati
Fri 27th	10 am	Folding and distribution of December/January Together

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About People

Reverend Keith Carley, whose wife Erice is a member of our Pastoral Team, died on Thursday 22 October. Many of us will fondly remember Keith in the pulpit of our church, though that was quite a few years ago now. His funeral was held at our church on 26 October and taken by a lifelong friend of his, also a minister.

Thelma Wehipeihana, a member of our church for many years, also died this month and her funeral was taken in our church on 21 October by the Rev. Robin List.

We send our sincere condolences to Erice and her family and also to Thelma's family.

To those in our parish who are unwell or in hospital or recovering from time in hospital, your church friends are thinking of you and we hope your recoveries will be speedy. God Bless you all.

We hope that those of you who will celebrate birthdays in October and November enjoy your special days.

Jennie, Lyn, Erice, Shirley, Kay, Adrienne, Merrill and Diane

The Pastoral Care Team

Dining Together

First Sunday Lunch, after our Combined Service in October, was enjoyed by 14 church members at Café Rosetta. Novembers local eating place of choice will be Ambience Café on the 8th November. If you would like to join in and support local business contact Carole Rudings 298 8165 before Saturday 7 November.

Raumati Women's Morning Fellowship

Thursday 12th November 10am

Our speaker for the meeting will be a representative from The Mobility Shop, who will bring items to show us how to make life a bit easier at times.

All are welcome to the meeting.

Waikanae News

We have had a clean-out at Waikanae, and found some interesting things, such as CD discs of digital photos of past events, and of course 101 Methodist hymn books! If anyone wants a hymn book please call Sharon 0275 009 333; the rest will be discarded. If you would like the photos emailed to you (total file size 150Mb), email ian.marsden@xtra.co.nz (Or borrow the discs and download them onto your PC yourself). Speaking of cleaning, our cleaner leaves very soon and we have no replacement. If you know of someone looking for a hour or two a week of work, please contact Marie Smith 04 905 7229

Women's Fellowship

A group of women from KUP heard Pam Sims, Chaplain at the Arohata Women's Prison, Tawa, talk about her work there. The physical buildings have changed and improved over the years. However the support and educational programmes available for male prisoners are not always available for the women. There is a need for the visiting authorities to be aware of the actual conditions and needs of the women. Where appropriate, mothers are encouraged to maintain contact with their children. Finding work and accommodation after prison is not always easy.

Playgroup

Playgroup has been going well this term with increased numbers of children—two weeks to 3 years. The women, with a wide variety of ages, are enjoying each others company. Several have school age children. A helper or two would be most appreciated. If interested please call Marie Smith 04 905 7229.

Waikanae Evening Home Group

Home Group has resumed, every 1st and 3rd Tuesday evening starting 7pm (call Sharon 0275 009 333 if interested). Currently we are doing a two-part quiz/study on the apostles.

Fair Stalls (Nov 7th)

Waikanae are running the Bric-a-Brac stall; this was previously the white elephant stall, now banned as they are an endangered species. Anyone able to help please add your name to the list in the church lounge, or call Sharon Marsden 0275 009 333. Waikanae contributions may be dropped

Kapiti Counselling Service

The Parish's own professional counselling service is available for confidential counselling or discussions for any member of the Parish or their family.

The counsellors are:

Marie Livesey, Penny Currier and Angela Claridge.

Phone 905 2374.

Please leave a message and contact will be made.

Christian World Service



The Spring Story newsletter is now available from church or you can view online at www.cws.org.nz

The newsletter includes a story featuring MONLAR, a CWS partner and Dhammika who has grown a garden to share with other families. She shares her story on how Covid-19 has impacted her family and the benefits of growing their own food during the pandemic. The annual review is also included in the newsletter.

"Our partners are working very hard to keep families healthy during the pandemic. From Sri Lanka to Nicaragua, they have increased agriculture support to secure livelihoods, as well as providing good health advice, hygiene kits and emergency food. Without this help, many would be close to hunger. As Covid-19 continues to spread, families with no income will need support to survive". CWS

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Kapiti Community Foodbank

Donations to the foodbank can be left at supermarket collection boxes, or the foodbank between 10 am and midday each day, or at church on Sunday.



Monetary donations can be taken to the foodbank or given by online banking to 12-3157-0048639-00. If you require a receipt please phone 298 1907 and give your name and address.

www.thekapitifoodbank.co.nz

off at Waikanae Church on Sundays, or call and we will collect. Sharon is also running a fine-china and glassware stall for the better quality items that would be wasted as Bric-a-Brac; these need to be cleaned up to make them sparkle, so please hand in contributions in at your earliest convenience. Any of these not sold at the fair will be sold separately later on the web.

Ian Marsden

Annual Parish Fair

Saturday November 7 is the day!
9.30am to 1pm.

Raumati Church and grounds is the venue,
with all the usual stalls. Come along and invite
your friends and neighbours.

Parish Fair - Silent Art Auction

Calling all artists, potters or sculptors, or friends of artists, potters or sculptors, or family members who are artists, potters or sculptors. We are seeking original paintings or ceramics as donations for the auction. We will also accept prints if they are in good condition, but these may not necessarily be included in the auction as we are focusing on original works of art.



Please make contact with:
Carole Rudings 298 8165 crudings@yahoo.co.nz or
Joy Mepham 293 5667 or joyeme36@gmail.com

All sales money will go directly to the Kapiti Uniting Parish.

PARISH FAIR

Kapiti Uniting Parish
Raumati Church, Weka Road
Saturday 7 November, 9.30 am - 1 pm

cakes and sweets - plants - art auction
books and puzzles - garage sale
toys - BBQ - raffles - Thrifty Place
handcrafts - cafe - preserves

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In October, an information evening for Te Hahi Kapiti Coast was held at St. Paul's Church on Kapiti Road. Over 118 people attended. Attendees included Kapiti church pastors and members, Kapiti Police, Te Hahi staff and pastors from Tairāwhiti. Four members from Kapiti Uniting Parish attended.

From this meeting we learned that there are three ways people can join Te Hahi. The first is whanau support. Whanau support is provided in two ways, the first is awhi which is providing a listening ear, prayer and connections to further support. The second is practical support such as fixing a broken lock, gardening, or other repairs/maintenance to the home. The second and third are on the prayer and baking team. Te Hahi also provides baking to the Police each week. (Please note the prayer and baking teams do not visit family homes).

The commitment is likely to be every seven weeks with between one to three visits on that week. Some visits are very short and only a food parcel is left at the gate.

Volunteer training will be held on Saturday 28 November at the Waikanae Baptist Church, 286 Te Moana Road. The training has two sessions. Whanau support and practical support from 9.30 am to 1.30 pm and prayer and baking 9.30 am to 11.30 am.

If you would like to attend, the first step is to visit www.tehahi.org.nz and complete the volunteer application form. For the practical support a Police check is required. Please contact Kate for a copy of the forms. For further details about Te Hahi, please see the October Together or contact Kate Foley. It would be fantastic if our Parish could get a team of men and women together for this much needed outreach.

Kate Foley, 021 120 8045; foley.family@outlook.com

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- Afternoon tea



E-Prayer Requests

A group of 15 people from your Parish family receive requests for prayers each week.

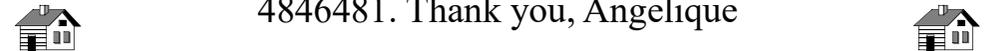
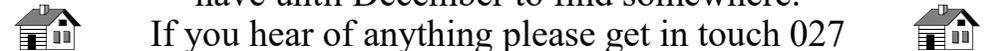
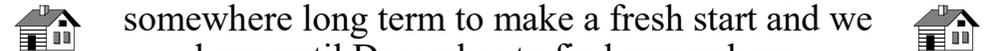
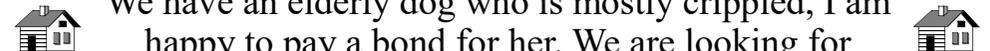
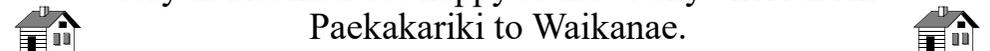
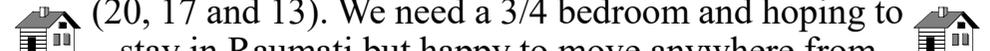
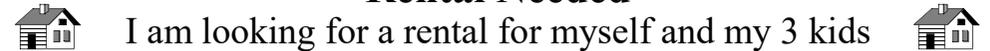
If you would like prayer for a family member, a friend or yourself, please contact one of the following people who will direct your requests to the larger group;

Mary Francis 904 0457 or billandmary262@gmail.com
Merrill Baker 902 4134 or amkram.nz@gmail.com
Mary White 298 7727 or marywhite@xtra.co.nz

Requests will remain confidential and your name will not be used without your permission.



Rental Needed



I am looking for a rental for myself and my 3 kids (20, 17 and 13). We need a 3/4 bedroom and hoping to stay in Raumati but happy to move anywhere from Paekakariki to Waikanae.

We have an elderly dog who is mostly crippled, I am happy to pay a bond for her. We are looking for somewhere long term to make a fresh start and we have until December to find somewhere.

If you hear of anything please get in touch 027 4846481. Thank you, Angelique