



LONG BAY BAPTIST CHURCH

A family with open arms

9 June 2019

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TODAY

9am & 10.30am

Worship & Learning

Speaker Rodney

Worship Rodney 9am

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6pm Youth Tea

7pm Evening Service

SUPPORTING TEENS THROUGH ANXIETY COMMUNITY EVENT

18 JUNE 7.30pm

You are invited to hear Heather Vickery speak about helping teens through anxiety. Tea & coffee will be served at intermission. We need 2 or 3 helpers in the kitchen. You would be needed from 7.30-9.00pm. We can arrange a lift if needed. Please contact Aimee Visser via text 0212678391.

THIS WEEK:

Tues

9.30am Playgroup (hall)

7.30pm Prayer (church)

Wed

9.00am ESOL (youth pad)

9.30am Mainly Music (hall)

10.30am Men's Coffee

Meeting - Mitre 10 Mega

6.30pm ICONZ 4 Girls (hall)

Thu

9.00am ESOL (youth pad)

10.00am Ladies Exercise (hall)

Fri

7.00pm Girls' Group (hall)

James' Desk



A few dates are set in the Christian calendar. We all know Christmas and of course Easter but, after that, things might get a little fuzzy. This Sunday is one of those important dates. There is some discussion as to when the Church was born but, whatever you think, Pentecost would be a significant date. This is the day the followers of Jesus were huddled together, afraid, in an upper room. The Holy Spirit poured out on them and they spilled out on the street no longer afraid but filled with boldness as they declared the wonders of God to all who would listen. It seems that many did listen and so the church started to spread. This week at our small group we heard testimonies of each person and, as they spoke, one of the common features for each was the work of the Spirit in their lives. The Spirit of God continues to work in the lives of people; calling them and equipping them for life. Perhaps this Pentecost it is a time to reflect on the work of the Spirit in your life over the years? As you do so, turn those thoughts into prayers of thanksgiving. Then consider for a moment what it is that you and God will be working on next. As you do that take a deep breath and go for it! God is with you.

SELF DENIAL APPEAL

We will collect our Self Denial offering today. You can bring it next week if you have forgotten today. Please bring your contribution in an envelope marked 'self-denial' with your donor number (or name), as these donations are tax deductible. If you prefer you can give via EFTPOS or online banking, (please make sure to mark it clearly as 'self-denial').

PLEASE PRAY FOR Angus who is in hospital.

Families struggling with higher bills over winter.

Swift & trouble free building of the Housing Trust new homes on our site.

Margaret W for her continued recovery.

Smooth progress of church building consent being filed this week.

HEALTH & SAFETY Under H & S legislation we are required to keep an Accident Register where we record injury, accidents or other incidents occurring on church premises or in a church organised activity elsewhere. Please can I urge everyone to make sure that every incident (including “near misses”) is reported. Talk to me or one of the staff in the first instance. Even if the incident seems minor, it is important to tell us as it may highlight issues which could have caused a more serious event, and we are then able to do our best to stop that happening in the future.
Keith McMinn, H & S Manager.

Community Cultural Celebration

Sat 29 June 4pm - 6pm at Westgate Baptist Church, 67 Hobsonville Rd. Don't miss an enriching experience!

CHURCH GIVING UPDATE

May 2019

\$29,964

(\$36 **below** budget)

Year to date

\$143,012

(6,988 **below** budget)



MORNING TEA after the 10.30 service. Roster on the foyer table and spaces available. Please sign up! All you need is 2L of milk, & open up after the last song.

NEXT SUNDAY 16 June

9am	Chinese Service
9 & 10.30am	Worship & Communion
1pm	Korean Service
6pm	Youth Tea
7pm	Night Church

**NEXT WEEK
16 June 2019**

**THE WEEK AFTER
23 June 2019**

9.00am DUTIES

Welcoming/Stewards	Rob & Liz Stewart	Carole Lawrence & Susana Perez
Offering Counters	Debbie Richards & Basia K	Fiona Britton & Michele Steyn
Intercessory Prayer	Global Partners	Mike Robertson
Communion Prep	Tony & Raewyn Forsyth	-
Communion Serve	Rob & Liz Stewart	-

10.30am DUTIES

Welcoming/Stewards	Rodney & Nicola Duncan & Mike Robertson	John Mawdsley, Derek & Elizabeth K
Intercessory Prayer	Global Partners	Anja Streibel
Communion Prep		-
Communion Serve	Leah K Clive Britton & TBA	-
Family Time	Rodney Duncan	Debbie Richards
Morning Tea	Volunteers Needed	Volunteers Needed

6.00pm DUTIES

Youth Tea	Andrew & Sophia Sharpe	Nikko & Anna Buenaventura
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GENERAL DUTIES

Cleaning (aud & library)	Neil & Pat Binnie	Tracy Solea & Kate Bodger
Flowers	Carole McMinn	Susana Perez

LEADERSHIP COUNCIL: Gordon D, Debbie K, Angela T, Carole M & Leah K.

PASTOR: James McBurney (Senior Pastor) 022 3511 377.

PASTORAL CARE: Rodney Duncan 021 623 929.

KOREAN CONGREGATION: Myungjun (Matthew) Kim 021 174 8694.

CHINESE CONGREGATION: Margaret Loh 027 314 7557.

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NEWSLETTER ITEMS to office@longbaybaptist.co.nz by 10am Friday please.