



## **Meetings & Events**

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**10am Leaders Meeting**— Tuesday 18th October, 7:00pm in the church vestry.

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## Events Coming Up:

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**Communion Sunday**— You are invited to spend this week praying for a country in the world which is not your own. Often, we celebrate the “world” in a particularly generic “global” way rather than actually thinking about real places. For the days following World Communion Sunday you are invited to choose one country to pray for – it may be in the news or may be one that you have visited or may be part of your ethnic heritage or may be one with a cuisine you find delicious or a writer or artist who inspires you. There is no right or wrong choice.

Find a bit more about your chosen country - its history, its products, its religious heritage, the challenges it faces right now. Learn a word in one of its languages – maybe peace or gratitude or blessing. You might even find a recipe to make sometime this week. This too will be communion.

### 10+ Youth Group: Scavenger Hunt—

Be at the church at 4:30pm, bring your phone (to take pictures and in case you need help) and money for something to eat at McDonalds. Invite a friend, everyone over 10 is welcome to join us.

### *Drama Christi's 75th Anniversary celebration 5&6 November 2022 What a triumph to celebrate!*

75 years of significant drama productions, numerous amazing people involved, thousands of props made and costumes sewn, tens of thousands of lines learnt, multitudes of friendships made and countless moments of fun, challenge, nerves, joy and sorrow shared.

Do come to catch up with many familiar faces and celebrate 75 years of Drama Christi together.

To register, fill out the online form on <https://dramachristi.wpdev.pureweb.co.nz/75th-anniversary-registration-form/>. If you have an queries please contact Daphne Pilaar [daphne.keith@xtra.co.nz](mailto:daphne.keith@xtra.co.nz) or 0273066044

## Other News:

### DCM News—

OK Wellington, we could use your help! We have recently housed a number of taumai and could use some items for their new homes. Do you have any of these to donate?

Single bed & base  
Double bed & base  
Queen base  
1 couch  
Set of drawers  
TV

The DCM team would love to collect any of these you may have available. Let us know!  
Phone 384 7699 or [office@dcm.org.nz](mailto:office@dcm.org.nz).

The weather has been cold and wet in Wellington lately. If you are concerned about a person who is rough sleeping or street begging, please call Wellington City Council on (04) 499 4444 and they will notify DCM's Outreach team. Giving money to people sleeping rough is a short-term act of kindness. Supporting social services is a long-term community solution.

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