



Wellington Methodist Parish News
Sunday 10 Hakihea (December) 2023



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TODAY'S SERVICE

10 Rātapu Hakihea (December), Advent 2
– Drama Christi “Three Wise Women”

Worship Leader: Rev. Nicola Teague Grundy

Organist: Colin Scarf

Door Stewards: Fabie, Taea & Sosefina Masoe

Morning tea: Dine & Laurenson Family

NEXT WEEK'S SERVICE Roster for 17
Rātapu Hakihea (December), Advent 3

Worship Leader: Rev. Nicola Teague Grundy

Organist: Vivien Chiu

Notices & Welcome: Hugh Laurenson

Bible Reading: Norbert Nziramasanga

Door Stewards: Alan Dine & Sarah Laurenson

Morning tea: Tevita Family

Lectionary Reading for next week, 17 Rātapu (Sunday) Hakihe (December), Advent 3

Is 61: 1-4, 8-11, Ps 126, 1
Thess 5: 16-24, Jn 1: 6-8, 19-28.

Special Christmas and New Years eve service:

Christmas Eve, Sunday 24th,

8pm—Rev. Utumau'u Pupulu

Christmas Day, Monday

25th, 10am—Rev. Nicola

Teague Grundy

New Years Combined Service,

7th Jan 2024, 10am—Rev.

Utumau'u Pupulu

(Refreshments: Samoan congregation)

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Thank you for coming to our service!



NOTICES

2024 Calendar

The Climate Justice Working Group of the Methodist Church have produced a calendar for 2024. The calendars include devotional aids as well as ideas for how we can live a more sustainable life.

Each calendar is \$15. This reduces to \$10 if we place an order for more than 10. They come in the following languages: Tongan, Samoan, Fijian and English/Te Reo. To order a calendar, phone the office or email sarah@wesleychurch.org.nz.

Recycling & Repurposing

From next week coffee grounds and food scraps will be collected following 10am morning tea and given to a congregation member for their worm farm or compost.

Recyclable containers will be washed and taken by a member to

put out in their recycling bin.

It is hoped to roll some of this out across the Parish with a view to Wesley hosting a sustainable conference in 2024.

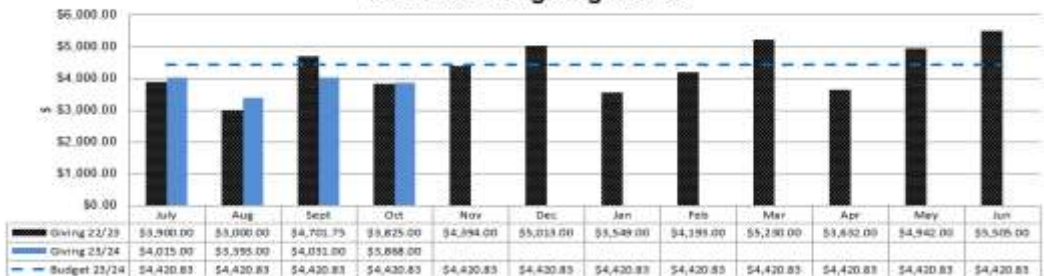
Knit and Knatter Group

The next meeting of this group will be held on the 10th January 2024. Everyone is welcome to join us.

Upcycled Bread bags

The knit and knatter group need bread bags to make plarn. Plarn is upcycled plastic from which we will make a range of things eg blankets, bags, table mats. Please start to collect plastic bags (eg bread bags) so we can make our plarn.

10AM 2023/24 giving trends



We are slipping further behind our monthly giving target of \$4,420. In October, we were \$550 behind, and now need to give \$4,717.88 per month. Thank you all for your support - please speak with Joy Grove or email s.joy.grove@gmail.com if you would like to join the stewardship programme. Many thanks, Hugh