

10am Congregation Wellington Methodist Parish 23rd July 2023

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We welcome you to worship here at Wesley. No matter who you are, or where you are on your faith journey, you are welcome here.

TODAY'S SERVICE

Pentecost 8 - Sunday 23rd July Worship Leader: Kula Bower Organist: Colin Scarf Notices and Welcome: Alan Dine Bible readers: Hugh Laurenson Door Stewards: Sarah Laurenson & Peter Grundy Morning Tea : Garside Family

ROSTER FOR NEXT WEEK Pentecost 9 - Sunday 30th July Café Church: Silvia Purdie & Sokopeti Sina Organist: Vivien Chiu Notices and Welcome: Rachel Tevita Bible readers: Tae Masoe Door Stewards: Alan Dine & Hugh Laurenson Morning Tea : Daphne Pilaar

Lectionary Readings for next week: July 30th , Pentecost 9:

Gen 29:15-28, Ps 105: 1-11, 45 or Ps 128, Rom 8:26-39, Mt 13: 31-33, 44-52

Meetings / Events Coming Up:

F&R Meeting Thursday 27 July, 7pm, Zoom

Strategy Meeting Sunday 6 August

Parish Council Sunday 3 September

Parish AGM Sunday 5 November



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Stewardship target

Great news, we have met our stewardship target for the 2022/23 year. Thank you to everyone for your contributions, which help to support our Parish and 10AM projects. If you're not currently part of the stewardship programme, please speak with Joy Grove for further information, (04) 386 2426.

Messy Matariki,

Messy Matariki is for everyone. The programme will begin at 4pm, this afternoon in the New Hall. There will be activities, stories, games, food, conversa-



tion. Please invite your friends and family.

PHOTO COMPETITION

We are looking for a photo that represents who we are as a congregation. So, get out your smart phones, or your camera's and start snapping. The first entry has been received. All entries will be displayed in the church foyer at the end of the competition. Entries to be received by Sunday 6th August and sent to <u>nicola@wesleychurch.org.nz</u>



Annual Synod Meeting

We will be meeting in Levin 28th and 29th July. We continue with the focus on So what's the story ...? The Friday evening we will be looking at nominations for the 2024 connexional year, and acknowledging those who have died during the year. The Saturday programme will focus on Co-operating Parishes.

Leaders meeting nominated Nicola Teague Grundy for Synod Superintendent, Alan Dine for the Property Committee and Sarah Laurenson for Synod Secretary.

Parish Working bee

Saturday 29 July, 10am— 3pm. You're all invited to come along and lend a hand in getting our halls buzzy clean. If you have time on Saturday (even for a short time) we would



love to see you. Lunch will be provided.

Other Notices:

Wellington Organists' Association (WOA)

The Wellington Organists' Association are hosting a workshop to demonstrate how the pipe organ works. In the workshop we will put together a small organ called the **WOOFYT which** stands for <u>Wooden Octave Organ For</u> Young Technologists. The workshop is aimed at those who are Year 9 to Adults. Fun is definitely guaranteed! Saturday, July 29th, 1:30-4:00pm, St Augustines Church Hall, 12 Britannia St, Petone (The hall is behind the church) Admission: A donation of \$5 is suggested.

RSVP: to Danielle

at secretary.woa.nz@gmail.com

To Register: complete the Google doc form: <u>https://forms.gle/gxEVdyyojxRycB7C9</u>

DCM FOOD BANK

Please help restock busy foodbank shelves with the following items

- Ready meals/soups
- Instant noodles
- Tinned fish
- Coffee, tea, milk powder