



Our Mission:
To Know, Enjoy and Share Christ

St Columba Presbyterian Church

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16th June 2024 Rev Sandra Warner

Welcome

*All people that on earth do dwell

Prayer

Notices

Offering/Dedication

Reflection

*The Servant Song

Prayers for Others Romy Morgenrood

Bible Reading Mark 4:26 - 34 Glennis Smith

*Thanks to God whose Word was spoken

Sermon A little is a lot

*According to thy gracious word

Communion

*Glorious things of you are spoken

Blessing

Benediction Go now in Peace

There is prayer available at the front, after the service - Ken Camp

Family
A little bit of CRAZY
A little bit of LOUD
& A whole lot of Love

Door: Romy and Barbara
Pianist: Rosemary Harris
Organist:
Sound: Sam Jang
Sunday Security: Ian Burns
Reader: Ron Buller
Intercessory Prayer: Ken Camp
Night Security: Paul Warner



THE COMING WEEK (3rd)

Monday

Tuesday 10.00 am Justice of the Peace

3.00 pm **Service at Radius Matua. All welcome**

Wednesday 10.00 am **O TEAM**

2.00 pm Home group Neville and Glynnis

Thursday 9.45am Bible Study in crèche

Friday 9.00 am Prayer meeting in crèche

10.00 am Cuppa & Chat in lounge

Sunday 9.15 am Prayers

Basement Boutique hours Wed/Thurs/Fri 10.00 am—4.00 pm: Saturday 10.00am-1.00pm

Roster for 23rd June with Rev Sandra Warner Favourite Hymn

Elder on Duty: Elizabeth Hockly and Keith Bradbury

Musicians: Joy and John and Peter Cranson

Prayers for Others: Neville Wilson

Bible Reading: Christine Whitehead

Sound: Paul Warner

Door: Romy and Barbara

Security: Keith Bradbury

Night Watchman: Paul Warner

Prayer at front duty: Romy

Morning Tea: 23/30 David, Rita and Sally

If you can't do your duty, please let the office know. Thank you.

If you would like to do your giving through the internet please use the following ANZ bank account with your giving number in the reference.

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Prayer Chain : We are available to pray for you, your friends and families in your joys and concerns. Please contact Glynnis Wilson (576 4814) or the office.

Bay of Plenty Men's Choir

Spiritual Inspiration

Sunday 23rd June 2.30-4pm

Mount Bible Chapel - Monowai St,
Mt Maunganui

Tauranga Civic choir

Flax Fingers Weave the Moonlight

Music for Matariki

Saturday 6th July 1.30pm and 4pm
Tickets through Ruth \$20

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**ALL I NEED IS
A LITTLE BIT
OF COFFEE AND**

**A WHOLE LOT
OF JESUS!**



A little is a lot

Jesus told the parable of the mustard seed to illustrate how God's kingdom grows. The main point of this parable is to show that the kingdom of God starts small and grows into something great.

In Jesus, God introduced his Kingdom to the world in the smallest, most humble manner imaginable. Then who could have guessed that from a small group of 12 disciples led by a poor carpenter from the backwaters of Nazareth the Church would be born and grow worldwide and for eternity.

This gives us hope that God will also use us to proclaim the kingdom of God. We don't need to be fancy, or intelligent, bible scholars, evangelists or wealthy.

We need only be ourselves, and God will use us, if we are willing, in the places we find ourselves each day.

When we give our little, God will use it to produce a lot.

It is also important to note that the mustard tree doesn't grow overnight. It takes years to transform from a tiny seed to a huge tree. This means that being a follower of Christ takes patience and perseverance as we learn and grow in Jesus.

Sometimes we may not even see the result of our efforts in the Kingdom of God in our lifetime, but we are still called to sow the seed and work towards building the Kingdom, trusting that the Lord is working in the background. Nothing we do for the Lord is ever wasted.

So, our challenge this morning is about taking up our part in God's plan of salvation.

May we offer him our little, and he will make it a lot for his honour and glory.



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