



Our Mission:

To Know, Enjoy and Share Christ

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14th June 2020

Rev Donald Hegan



Welcome to worship

Call To Worship

Songs: We're together again Bb

Whereever I am G

Isn't He MP344

Prayer of Adoration and Confession:

Welcome Announcements and Notices:

God Moment: Neville

Offering:

Offerings and Dedication:

Prayers for Others: Donald

Readings: Genesis 43:16-34 Rosalie

Sermon: The Long Journey Toward Reconciliation

Communion Hymn: Here O my Lord WOV 438

Lord's Supper

Hymn Would you be free from the burden of sin

Benediction: Our Worship is Finished

The UK Blessing

Elders on Duty for June: Ian Burns and Avis Currie

Organist Len Hockly

Pianist Joy Smith

Door Greeting: Rona Green

Security: Janet Freeman

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

THE COMING WEEK (2nd)

Monday	7.00 pm	Indoor Bowls
Tuesday	9.00 am— 9.25 am:	Staff Meeting, Donald's office
	9.30am	Fitness League in hall
	3.00pm	Radius Matua Service
Wednesday	10.00am	OTeam
	2.00pm	Mitchell Court Service
Thursday	9.45am	Bible Study in crèche
Friday	9.00 am	Prayer meeting in crèche
	10.00 an	Cuppa & Chat in downstairs lounge
Sunday	8.45 am	Prayers
Wed/Thurs/Fri	10.00 am—4.00 pm:	Basement Boutique

Notice to the congregation.

'The St Columba' Session has called a special meeting of the Congregation on Sunday 21st June to elect 4 - 6 members to the Ministry Settlement Board. We are looking for representatives from a broad cross section of the Congregation. Two Session appointments have already been confirmed, and these are Neville Wilson and Janet Freeman. Following is a list of people who have agreed to allow their names to go forward for consideration. Please advise Neville Wilson of any additional nominations prior to midday day Saturday June 20th.

Nominations Received to date.

Pam Brown: Ruth Kenyon-Slade: Glennis Smith: Alan Smith: Christine Christie: Brian Carr:

Notice of Motion.

That the congregation appoint the following members to represent them on the Ministry Settlement Board

Names to be included when verified, and the motion is put at the congregational meeting.

Neville Wilson.

Session Clerk.

Ladies are invited!! Bethlehem Community Church Women's Ministry would like to invite you to a Pink Ribbon Morning Tea to raise funds for NZ Breast Cancer month in July.

Where - Bethlehem Community Church

When - 11 July at 10am

How much - \$10

Tickets will be available from Ruth in the Church office soon.



The Long Journey Toward Reconciliation

1.The problem of the money (vv. 16-23a).

Now the men were frightened when they were taken to his house. v.18

their guilty consciousness' convince them they were in trouble

Simeon was released

2.The problem of Benjamin's protection (vv. 24-34).

Benjamin's portion was five times as much as anyone else's. So they feasted and drank freely with him.

The brothers bowed and gave him their gifts

Joseph gave a prayer of blessing for Benjamin, wept and then gave Benjamin five times more than the others.

Brothers enjoyed a false peace

3. The problem of False confidence

"Go after those men at once, ... say to them, 'Why have you repaid good with evil?' v.4

They were stunned when the steward accused them of stealing his master's special silver cup

They were convinced God was judging them

The thought of hurting their father or brother made them grieve

Satan "I will cause anxiety, fear and panic. I will shut down business, schools, places of worship, and sports events. I will cause economic turmoil."

Jesus "I will bring together neighbors, restore the family unit, I will bring dinner back to the kitchen table. I will help people slow down their lives and appreciate what really matters. I will teach my children to rely on me and not the world. I will teach my children to trust me and not their money and material resources."

C.S. Lewis 1942

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