



4th April 2021 Rev Keith Hooker

Welcome & Call to worship

Hymn: Thine Be The Glory WOV 303 LP238

Prayer of Adoration and Confession:

Announcements and sharing:

God Moment:

Offerings and Dedication:

Hymn: I Will Sing the Wondrous Story WOV 173 LP(101)

Come and Praise Him LP(31)

Prayers for Others: Neville Wilson

Readings: Isaiah 53:8 - 12 pg1146, & John 14:19 - 21 pg 1676

Rosalie Rentz

Hymn: I Cannot Tell (Tune Danny Boy)LP83

Sermon: 'Live Abundantly Because of Easter'

Hymn: Amazing Grace LP10

Benediction: Now unto him

Elders on Duty for April Ken Camp and John Rentz

Organist John Carter

Pianist Joy Smith

Door Greeting Maria West and Erin Stubbs

Security Mary Findlay

Sound Andrew Clow

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 (1st)

Monday	7.00 pm Indoor Bowls
Tuesday	9.00 am–9.25 am: Staff Meeting,
Wednesday	9.30 am Care & Craft in hall 10.00 am Midweek Communion in the Chapel
Thursday	9.45am Bible Study in creche
Friday	9.00 am Prayer meeting in crèche 10.00 an Cuppa & Chat
Sunday	8.45 am Prayers
Wed/Thurs/Fri	10.00 am—4.00 pm: Basement Boutique

Mid week communion is on 7th April. Everyone is welcome to come and partake in the Lord's supper.

The Foodbank thanks us for our contributions - presently they need egg cartons not trays. So if you have any please bring them along.

This weeks focus is: pasta, rice, couscous, soup, cuppa soup, tinned tomatoes, lentils etc

All love gifts have been delivered - thank you so much for your contributions. The Elders distributed 40 gifts to the Cherrywood business community.

The Unfinished Story. This four-week Easter study will begin one week after Easter, focussing on how God's people are called to make Him known among the nations. The books are \$12 .Please sign up for one of the study groups.

- Sunday mornings, beginning April 11th in St Columba Lounge, at 11 am
- Thursday mornings, beginning at 9:45 am on April 15th at 500A Otumoetai Road
- Thursday evenings, beginning at 7:30 pm on April 15th at 18 Apollo Street

Or email or ring the church office for Ruth to add your name to the signing sheet. There is still time to register!!

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The SWEET Truth of Easter

These candies tell a story~
the best news you'll ever hear.
~It's about Jesus dying on the cross
so that we could be brought near.

So hold them and turn them and you will see...
the "M" become a "W" an "E" and then a "3"

The "E" stands for... Easter....
God's everlasting love and His eternal plan.

It reminds us of the cross
and the way God rescued sinful man
The "3" represent the 3 days Jesus spent in the grave....
By His death, His children He did save

The "M" reminds us of the mercy the Messiah showed
as He died in our place.
and the miracle of the resurrection
so we can see Him face to face.

The "W" reminds us... that He alone
is worthy of our worship and praise
and calls us to be His witnesses
around the world for all of our days.

by Bethany Tapp
<http://ministry-to-children.com/easter-poem/>

Roster for 11th April 2021

Elders on Duty - John Rentz and Ken Camp

Preaching - Rev Denis Gordon

Bible Reading - Ron Buller

Intercessory Prayer - Avis Parker

Sound - Andrew Clow

Door - Erin Stubbs and Maria West

Security - Janet Freeman

Piano - Joy Smith

Organ - Len Hockly

Night Watchman - Neville Wilson

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



Turkey

Pray that the government will uphold the constitutional freedoms of Turkish churches



St Columba has an online giving option. If you would like to give 'online' please use the account number below and add your tithing number into the **reference**. If you do not have a **tithing number** please contact the office.

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