



St John's
Being the Gospel to all People

Sunday
21 June 2026

A very warm welcome is extended to all visitors to St John's. Morning tea is offered after the service today so please stay and enjoy.

Scripture Reading: Philippians 4:1, 4-9 NLT

4 Therefore, my dear brothers and sisters, stay true to the Lord. I love you and long to see you, dear friends, for you are my joy and the crown I receive for my work.

⁴ Always be full of joy in the Lord. I say it again—rejoice! ⁵ Let everyone see that you are considerate in all you do. Remember, the Lord is coming soon.

⁶ Don't worry about anything; instead, pray about everything. Tell God what you need and thank him for all he has done. ⁷ Then you will experience God's peace, which exceeds anything we can understand. His peace will guard your hearts and minds as you live in Christ Jesus.

⁸ And now, dear brothers and sisters, one final thing. Fix your thoughts on what is true, and honourable, and right, and pure, and lovely, and admirable. Think about things that are excellent and worthy of praise. ⁹ Keep putting into practice all you learned and received from me—everything you heard from me and saw me doing. Then the God of peace will be with you.

Hymns:

- Morning has broken
- Ten thousand reasons
- The Old Rugged Cross
- Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine!

Update from Dissolution Commission

Dear Congregation of St John's Bucklands Beach,

The Dissolution Commission voted unanimously to confirm that the Co-operating Parish of St John's Bucklands Beach is to be dissolved. There was support for the congregation's preference to hold a Commemorative, Celebratory Service in the afternoon of Sunday 26 July. From that date the responsibility for the property and what it contains becomes the responsibility of the church partners. More details about that will be provided as soon as possible. The Dissolution Commission will wait until after 26th of July to make a decision about the property. It is likely they will decide to sell the property. I am following up regarding the search for a suitable minister to take Sunday services from 1 August for those who wish to continue worshiping together as a group of people.

Regards,

Rod

THIS WEEK
22 - 28 June

Monday 22 June

Tuesday 23 June

Wednesday 24 June

7.30 pm

AA Meeting in foyer

Thursday 25 June

Friday 26 June

9.30am

Knitting Group

Saturday 27 June

Sunday 28 June

9.30 am

Sunday Service

Pastoral Care Offered for Congregation Members

Rev Daniel Pillay has been part of the Dissolution Commission as a representative for the Anglican partners.

Rev Daniel is the Vicar of St Peters Anglican Church in Pakuranga, (Corner of Reeves Rd and Udys Rd). He has offered pastoral care for anyone in our Congregation. Please feel free to contact him as follows...

Phone:- 021 042 5517 or email:- vicar@stpeterspakuranga.org.nz

Latest News...

Our Commission Chairperson has confirmed that we have permission to co-ordinate the returning of 'items' gifted to St Johns Church, by members, their families or past members.

To manage this well, we ask that you add your details of name and item/s you wish returned on the **'Gifted Items'** clip board on the welcome desk.

You will be contacted to arrange a suitable time to meet and collect.

Parish Council members are:

Mavis Haigh, Nessie Crawford, Jeanette Li Dimock, Byron Springveldt, Bob Williamson, Julie Dickey

Julie D = 0274 925659 juliedickey@ews.net.nz and

Mavis Haigh = 021 294 2670 m.haigh00@gmail.com

Offers of Help please...

We have also been given permission to donate a variety of 'miscellaneous' items to various known community or charity groups. To do this we would like offers from people to come and assist 'stock taking' these kinds of items from our cupboards and storerooms. Until we check our storage spaces we won't know exactly everything in this category, but for starters there's the crate of kids plastic toys, various crafty bits, boxes of random fabric pieces, dress-up costumes, and more.

Also, other suggestions of where they could be donated would be appreciated.

Times to do this will depend partly on current building users being here and availability of key holders. Please email or text Julie with offers, then times will be arranged for access.

Julie:- 0274 925 659 juliedickey@ews.net.nz

Preachers

We can confirm we have a different preacher coming for each of the Sundays up until our Commemorative Service.
So, no Sunday gaps!!

Give thanks and Praise God.

Donation Receipts

If you have continued to make donations since 1st April 2026, either by Direct Credit or Cash with reference to your personal 'Code Number', please be aware of the following...

Our Accountant will be able to provide 'part year' receipts for the period 1 April '26 to 26 July '26 but it would be helpful if you can give your name to Bob Williamson in preparation for this to be processed.



Hullo everyone: After the 21st June service we ask you to assemble in the courtyard as we would like to take a picture a picture of the congregation on that day. Wear your best bib and tucker and a big smile for the camera!

Sunday Services: 9:30 a.m.
Office Hours: By appointment
Phone: 534 2305 Email: office@stjohnsbb.org.nz
Website: <https://stjohnsbb.org.nz>

Minister	Vacant	
Administrator	Yiin	office@stjohnsbb.org.nz
Property Manager	David D	
People's Warden	Vacant	
Minister's Warden	Julie D	027 4925 659
Pastoral Care	Judy	
Prayer Chain	Judy / Julie D	

Youth Group: TBA

	This Week's Helpers (21 June)	Next Week's Helpers (28 June)
Preacher	David Chong	Matt Chapman
Service Leader	Julie / Mavis	Julie D
Musician	Jeanette & Albert	Jeanette & Albert
Projector/Sound Desk	Byron	Michael Z
Reader	Olga	Ofa
Intercessor	Liz	Bob
HC set up	-	-
HC serving	-	-
Prayer Ministry		Dudley & Kaye Gosling
Welcome Desk		Joan W
Usher Offering		
Counters	Trevor & Albert	Bob & Monita
Morning Tea	Grace & Jojo	Ofa & Dan