

NEWS AND PRAYER

Our Core Values

Living as Missionaries

Authentic Community

Strong Families

Prayerful Dependence

Humble Servanthood

Meeting the Needs of the Needy

Truth that Changes Lives

Shared Ministry

Multi-Generational God-Centered Worship

Mission BBQ After the service this Sunday there will be a BBQ lunch and Sales Table, raising money for the team to take to Carigara Philippines during the April trip. This money will be used for projects at Carigara, so please bring some money and enjoy lunch with us.

Please pray for the HCC Mission Team going to Carigara, Philippines, in April 2010: Greig and Marijke Caigou, Colin and Adrienne Sutton, Jo Borlase and Daryl Bay.

GOD IS reflection journal available in foyer for small donation. This journal goes with our teaching series and helps with your sermon notes, small group discussion and daily readings.

Reading Out Loud Course Interested in learning how to read the Bible publicly in a way that brings it to life? This course is for you, taught by Owen Tasker: March 11, 18, 25, 7:30pm. Talk to John Frizelle.

Juice is our Sunday morning programme for primary and intermediate aged kids. Kids will be released from 'big church' at approx 10:20. The Juice kids will be doing the same topics as the adults during the 'God is' series. Juice Today: God is awesome – so we don't need to fear others

Rocks Carpool We have several students that cannot regularly attend Rocks for lack of a ride. We have a specific need for someone coming from the Wakefield area. If you would be willing to pick up some additional students on your way to Rocks please contact Nick Ippolito on 544 6628.

prayer focus

Missionary: Barnabas and Gwendaline Charles, India
Church: Holy Trinity Church, John Kingsbury

EVENTS/COMING SOON

Classical Harp Concert Saturday 10th July @ Hope Community Church. Eduard Klassenis a Paraguayan folk musician. A typical concert includes a variety of Christian harp music from South America, North America and Europe, interspersed with personal testimony and stories of God's work in his life, from boyhood in the wilderness of Paraguay to the present. *If anyone would like to help organise/host this concert, in conjunction with HCJB, please contact Julie Bay asap.*

Mens Camp 19-21 March - Payment please to 12-3182-0008014-00. \$60 Men, \$30 High School Age. Register with nathan@tima.co.nz

180 is a new Youth Group for Intermediate age kids. Friday 12, March 6.30 - 8.30 pm @ HCC. Heaps of fun, bring your friends, supper provided, learn cool stuff about God! For further info contact Nicki Irvine Ph 54 18254 or 0276631565

Music Team Meet For whole music team and anyone interested in joining the team. Thursday 11 March, 7pm at church. Bring your instruments and music folders.

CWCI are bringing a speaker to us called Debbie Bryson. More details to come through the Hope CWCI committee. Mark Wednesday March 17th in your diaries.

Creation and Evolution 101 Is it one or the other, or both? If you would like to get a better handle on this thorny issue then join Lew Meyer (National Director of OAC) and Karen Matthews who both have science backgrounds and believe there are sound reasons for believing the biblical narrative of the origin of the universe and humans. Includes a field trip. Wednesday 17, 24 and 31 March, 7pm at Hope Community Church, Ranzau Road, Hope. Contact Karen to register 03 544 9119 or karenmatthews@xtra.co.nz

Relay for Life Members of the 207 Home Group have entered a team in the 'Relay for Life' being held at Saxton Field on March 13/14. People are welcome to join us on the night or support us financially. All funds raised go to the local Cancer Society. 'Celebrate, Remember, Fight Back!' Please contact Ang Harris 544 1035 or other members of Home Group 207

DIARY

Monday

Home Group 207: Bryce & Karen's. Contact Grant & Antoinette 544 4023

Tuesday

Women of Hope Coffee Group

9.45am Contact Olivia Gapes 542 3177

WAGs (Women and Games)

1.30pm at HCC. Contact – Lynne Piper 546 8977 or Jan Sutton 544 1981

Boomers: 7.30pm at Judy Schroder's home
Contacts: Joan 5441854 Judy 5448793

Rocks: 7-9pm at church.

Wednesday

Mainly Music: 9.30 am in Youth Hall Contact Janine Higgins 541 9635

MAGS: 1.15pm at Church
Contact Will Russell 5473265

Redwood: 7pm at Graeme and Kate's. Contact Malcom Irvine 542 3754

RAGS: 7.30pm at Brian and Hillary's.
Contact Colin and Adrienne Sutton 540 3875

Thursday

NOTE ONE OFF NIGHT CHANGE

20s & 30s: 7.30pm at Daryl and Julie's. Contact Daryl and Julie 541 0323

Friday

Friday Community Play Group: 10 am to 11.45 am at HCC. All parents and preschoolers welcome. Contact Meg Malcolm 541 9429