PRAYER

Please pray and give thanks for:

- Thanksgiving as we continue to enjoy te Whare Karakia as our Church centre.
- The General Election—locally and nationally as we become informed, attend candidate meetings and proceed to vote on Sat. 14th October.
- The unwell and their healing: Shirley Redpath, Laura Bishop, Paul Evans, Jenny Lawrence, Barbara Cosgrove, Jocelyn Williams and those known to us who have current health issues.
- Our Bishop Justin and his wife Jenny returned from overseas study leave. And for the Diocese and especially the annual Synod in Masterton 14-15 October.

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PASTORAL CARE & COUNSEL

This is always available by appointment. Terry & others are available to join you at te Whare Karakia or elsewhere, as you choose, to discuss your issues and to pray about these.

We believe in the fellowship of the saints and the value of talking through our issues.

SEPTEMBER SUNDAY WORSHIP

DAY	EVENT
Sun 3 Sept	10am Worship & HC—Theme: Straight Talk
Sun 10 Sept	10am Worship & HC—Theme: The Law of Love
Sun 17 Sept	10am Guest Service Worship—Theme: Pillars of Fire & Cloud
Sun 24 Sept	10am Worship & HC— Theme: God's Forbearance (Sala focus)

Wednesday Prayer—each Wednesday 2-3pm with Afternoon tea. Transport available.

Friday Lunches—join us for soup, buns, fruit, a cuppa & board games. Noon to 1:30pm Fridays in te Whare Karakia. Come and go as you can and be sure of a warm and friendly welcome each Friday until the end of September.



PARISH NEWS September 2023

Sala

On Friday 22 September it will be one year since our beloved Sala Manulevu left us to be with the Lord and be in the closer presence of God. As we continue to give thanks for her life dedicated to God's glory, we remember her children, grandchildren, their partners and other close ones who were blessed to be her Whānau.

As we continue to celebrate Sala's life, let's take a long weekend to remember and give thanks. On her anniversary—Fri. 22 Sept.—we will remember her at noon in a midday prayer service before our weekly soup and rolls luncheon. On Sat. 23 Sept. we will walk the Labyrinth at the Anglican Cathedral of St. Paul and among other matters, we may choose to reflect on what we remember of Sala's witness—see notice below, "Cathedral Visit". Then, in our Sunday 10am service in te Whare Karakia we will continue to give thanks for her life and witness. To the church of God that is in Corinth, to those who are sanctified in Christ Jesus, called to be saints, together with all those who in every place call on the

name of our Lord Jesus Christ, both their Lord and ours: grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. (1Cor.1:2-3) - Terry

Parish SGM

A meeting to hear back from Diocesan people about the future of St Anne's based on the likely cost of repairing the buildings. We will also decide if Te Whare Karakia will remain our Parish Centre and place of worship.

Sunday 15th October 11am morning tea followed by formal meeting at 11:30am in 49A Mungavin Ave., Ranui

Cathedral Visit



Join us for a Parish visit to Wellington's Anglican Cathedral to walk their new, temporary Labyrinth.

Take the 1:09pm Train from Porirua, or come by car, and spend 1:45 - 2:45pm Sat. 23 Sept. walking in and experiencing the Cathedral, before afternoon tea together in the City.