Wilson St Baptist

"A community of hope in Jesus, reaching out"



Kia ora & a warm welcome to Wilson Street Baptist Church!

"This is the day that the Lord has made!" ...and we are so glad to be able to celebrate that with you today. We are a community of all different walks of life who are learning to walk together in God's ways. During the school term, we have a program for primary aged kids ("Pathfinders"), which runs from 10:30—11:30am. if you have younger children, there is a family room at the back of the auditorium (with a bathroom & change table); however, all the usual wriggles, whispers & giggles are more than welcome in the auditorium as well! We hope you enjoy your time with us today + we would love the chance to chat after our service in our café (free coffee for visitors!)

Notices and Stuff

Pathfinders Car Wash Fundraiser

Help raise funds for Little Bears and have your car washed for a gold coin donation! Sunday, 6 December from 10:15am. BBQ sausages from 11:30-noon. For more information check out the posters!



Pathfinders Service

Come and celebrate Christmas as a church family with the Pathfinders-led Christmas service on 13th December, followed by our "Bring a Plate" Christmas banquet!

"Bring a Plate" Christmas Banquet

Stay after the service on 13th December for our Christmas Lunch! Please "Bring a Plate" with something to share. If you can help with set-up, lunch and/or clean-up afterwards, please sign up on the clipboards or catch-up with Wendy Hamilton.

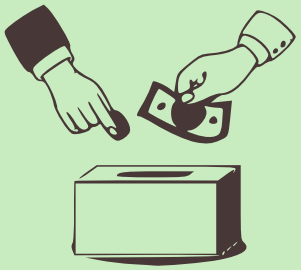
New Members

A warm welcome to our new WSBC Members: the Steele Family!

Renew Together Giving

Thank you to all who donated generously. Our total raised was: $2,944!

Church giving update



October Total: $19,139.40
Average weekly giving: $ 4,990 (Previous budget $4,644)
Bank account for Internet Giving:
Wilson St Baptist Church - 03 0887 0025873 00
Please note: for some banks, only "Wilson St Baptist" will fit the payee space.

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Baplican Youth

Fundraising for Easter Camp 2027: This Sunday, there will be baking and Christmas crafts available for a donation.
Leaders/Helpers required: Due to some great people moving on, we are looking for some new great people to get involved!
Youth on Sundays: We are looking for some generous & willing people to host our youth for a potluck & a Bible Study once a month on Sundays.
If you are able to help with any of the above or curious to find out more, please contact Jared on 022 360 9011 😊

Memory Verse Challenge for Advent

Psalm 40:1-3 (especially verse 3): “I waited patiently for the Lord; he turned to me and heard my cry. 2 He lifted me out of the slimy pit, out of the mud and mire; he set my feet on a rock and gave me a firm place to stand. 3 He put a new song in my mouth, a hymn of praise to our God. Many will see and fear the Lord and put their trust in him.”

FOW (Friends of WEC)

Our last meeting for the year will be on Saturday, Dec 5th.
Leslie, a new worker for Timor Leste will be with us to share his testimony and vision for children's ministry. Anyone interested is most welcome. We have coffee from 10am for early birds, then Leslie will begin to share from 10.30am. We're meeting at 6 Hunt Street as usual.
Have a chat with Jenny Scriggins or Irelle for any further details.

Coming up

- 29th November - Advent 1 - "Songs of Hope" #1
- 6th December - Advent 2 - "Songs of Hope" #2 - Keith Wigram
- 13th December - Advent 3 - "Songs of Hope" #3 - Pathfinders
- 20th December - Advent 4 - "Songs of Hope" #4 - Jared

Weekly Sermon live stream and recording

Sunday sermons are available on our YouTube channel:

- Go to www.youtube.com/@wilsonstreetbaptisttimaru
- Don’t forget to push the "subscribe" button.

Useful Contact Info

- Pastor: Andrew Maude 688 8018 or 021 731 545 or andrew@wilsonstreet.org.nz
- Office (8.30am to 12.30pm weekdays): Carol Lovely 688 8018 or office@wilsonstreet.org.nz
- Youth Pastor: Jared Grant 022 3609 011
- Children's Ministry: Shaz Smythe 027 698 6370
- Prayer Chain: Beryl Mitchell 027 660 9507

Elders

- Alvaro Rodriguez
- Keith Wigram - 021 629 934
- Paul Miller - 027 351 1152
- Rosie Cross - 0274 202 883
- Wendy Hamilton - 021 173 7775

Small Groups



- 10:30am at Susan's - 4b Gibson Street. Contact Jenny Yorston (021 598 802) for details
- 7.00pm at the Duncans - 342 Rosebrook Road. Contact Brent or Tina Duncan (027 612 6901) for details.



- 7.00am at Columbus Cafe - Blokes early morning. Contact Pastor Andrew for details.
- 7.00pm, Just Worship in the Church Auditorium. Contact Carol Lovely (027 466 7321) for details.



- 7.15am, Ladies Breakfast at Highfield Village Mall.



- 10:00am in the Manse - Ladies' Bible study. Contact Angela Wilson (021 117 2400) for details.
- 2.00pm in the Manse. WOW - Women of the Word. Contact Jenny (021 044 0508) or Fleur (021 022 00839).
- 7.00pm, Men's Bible Study, WSBC hall. Contact Vaughn Nicolson (021 496 512) for details.