

Otaki-Waikanae Presbyterian Parish



Parish News 5 October 2025

Christ Centred  Community Serving
Welcome to our church

This Week's Service

Sunday 5 October 2025

9.15 am Waikanae Communion

Duty Elder: Karen Edser

Readings: Lamentations 3:19-26, Luke 17:5-10,
2 Timothy 1:1-14

Hymns: Come, Now Is The Time To Worship,
TIS154, TIS535, FFS67, FFS29

10.50 am Otaki Communion

Next Week's Service

Service Rosters 12 October 2025

9.15 am Waikanae Morning Worship

Duty Elder: Karen Edser

Door Steward: Adair Anderson

Reader: Kos van Lier

Prayers of the People Anne Field

10.50 am Otaki Morning Worship

Door Steward: Lois Gemmell
Arnold Watson

Worship Coordinator Annie Christie

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Blessing of the Animals

Sunday 5th October 2025

at 2.00 pm

Music by Kapiti Brass

starting at 1.40 pm

Come with your beloved pets
or bring a photo of a cherished pet
no longer with you.

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Join us for our service this Sunday
via Live Stream

Join Zoom Meeting

[https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88582051457?
pwd=aGmvZj0ekjXTGX3BB2JkbGUzySX3NU.1](https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88582051457?pwd=aGmvZj0ekjXTGX3BB2JkbGUzySX3NU.1)

Meeting ID: 885 8205 1457

Passcode: 973793

PLEASE MUTE YOUR COMPUTER DURING THE SERVICE

Access the same way as Monday Bible Study.

Rest Home Service

Parkwood Lodge

Wednesday, 8 October at 11am

Leader: Annie Christie

Arnold Watson

Piano: Sheila Harkess

All helpers and supporters very welcome

Biscuit Blessing For October

Joy—a Parkwood lady who's been unwell.

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Notes from parish council

- ◆ The new Parish Council members who were present at the meeting were welcomed onto Council and Peter explained how things work at the meetings.
- ◆ The financial situation for the Parish is looking a little better.
- ◆ A leak at the Waikanae church was fixed at a cost of \$256.00. We were charged by KCDC for 362,000 litres of water and Kos will attempt to get a rebate.
- ◆ Graeme Beardsley will be the Compiler of the Parish accounts. We do not need an audit or a review.
- ◆ The sinkhole at the Otaki church has been attended to by the roadworks crew.
- ◆ Xpress will not be every two months as previously discussed but will be at Easter and Christmas only and will have the name changed to Connect.
- ◆ While Jacqui is on leave the office will not be open. An answerphone and email message will explain and divert any matters needing attention.
- ◆ Roger Upson has resigned from Parish Council. However, he will still be part of the Finance team. Thanks to Roger for his years of service.

Parish Clerk
Glenda John

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NEXT LUNCH:

**12noon, Monday, 13 October at
Olive Grove Cafe**

Mahara Place, Waikanae.

Everyone welcome,
and please feel free to bring a friend.

Names please to Trish Tennant,

Phone 027 241 7910 or e-mail

trishandrod1@gmail.com

no later than Sunday 12 October

so numbers can be advised.

Please let Trish know if you need transport.

Notice of Annual Congregational Meeting

To be held on Sunday 26 October 2025

at Otaki Church

after the morning service.

Shared lunch to follow

Glenda John

Parish Clerk

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NOTICE

There has been several occasions in the last couple of month that the doors have not been locked, the lights left on, and the heating left on, at Otaki Church.

Please do not change the heating in the church, it is on a timer. It has been changed from Auto to Manual on more than one occasion, and then not turned off.

One time the heating was on for at least two full days. This has caused the power bill for Otaki to increase last month and to increase more than double this month.

Also last week the taps in the ladies were turned full on whilst the mains water was turned off at the road, the taps were not turned off. When the water was turned back on, the taps continued to flow for quite a few hours. This increases the water rates.

Please remember to check everything is turned off and locked up before you leave.

One final mention, please let Janice or myself know if you wish to use the hall, lounge or church at either Waikanae or Otaki, as there may be a current booking or a request for a booking which could clashes with your needs.

Thank You for your understanding

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CAFÉ RENDEZVOUS

WAIKANAE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

43 NGAIO RD WAIKANAE

7th October 2025

11:30 FREE COFFEE AND TEA

12:00 FREE MEAL OF THE DAY

ALL WELCOME

Gluten Free catered for

Voluntary Koha

Thanks to Kaibosh & Waikanae Butchery

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SAVE THE DATE

Rev. Peter Jackson's 70th Birthday

Otaki Presbyterian Church Hall

26 November 2025

2.00 to 4.00 pm

Ladies please wear either a dress or skirt,
with a hat and grandma's fur stole
(if you have one)

Gents please wear a bow tie, hat, tie and
tiepin

Cheese, crackers, cake, etc.

Tea & coffee will be available, bring your own
wine or soft drinks.

Big Band Music
(any suggestions much appreciated)

Games will be played and please bring
something to do - a poem or song,
a dance or magic trick.

You will be asked to do something so please
be prepared.

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Mission	Main Contact People	Contact Numbers
Kapiti Hidden Books	Yvonne and John Miller	04 2389663
Biscuit blessing	Annie Christie - Otaki Dot Le Prou - Waikanae	027 480 4803 021297 9144
Christian World Service	Marion Brash	04 293 1932
Bible Society	Marion Brash	04 293 1932
Café Rendezvous	Peter Jackson Dot, Penny, Destine Helen, Lisa	021207 9455
Garage Sale	Meri Risati-Garratt Kevin, Heather	021456 562
Saturday Morning Café & Sale	Lois Gemmell, Annie Christie Heather Craig	
Wednesday Fun Club	Heather Watson	06 364 8391
Sausage Sizzle	Roger Upson Margaret B, Sue, John	022 397 4782
Skills Sharing	Lois Gemmell	06 364 0993
Te Awhi Rito	Peter Jackson Lois, Quentin, Roger, Margie, Margaret S, Sheree	021207 9455
Messy Church	Adair Anderson, Katie Lewis	027 774 1041
Christian Broadcasting Service		

Daily Bible Readings

Monday 6 October

Jonah 1:1–2:2,10

Ps 69:1-5

Luke 10:25-37

Tuesday 7 October

Jonah 3

Ps 130

Luke 10:38-end

Wednesday 8 October

Jonah 4

Ps 86:1-9

Luke 11:1-4

Thursday 9 October

Malachi 3:13–4:2a

Ps 1

Luke 11:5-13

Friday 10 October

Joel 1:13-15;2:1-2

Ps 9:1-7

Luke 11:15-26

Saturday 11 October

Joel 3:12-21

Ps 97:1,8-end

Luke 11:27-28

MESSAGE OF THE WEEK

**Giving is
true having**

Parish Contact Details

Minister: The Rev. Peter Jackson

phone: 06 364 8759 (home) 021 207 9455 (mob)

email: minister@owpresb.nz

Rev. Peter Jackson is available to meet
with you:

Monday in Waikanae from 2.00-3.00pm

Thursday in Otaki

from **11.00-12.00pm**

Please contact the office for an appointment.

Parish Clerk: Glenda John

027 329 5440

email: parishclerk@owpresb.nz

Parish Office: Jacqui Hurley

Hours: Waikanae 9:00am to 12:00pm Monday,

Wednesday, Thursday

Otaki 9:00am to 12:00pm Tuesday

phone: 04 293 6987

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43 Ngaio Road, Waikanae

Offerings: Can be paid by Direct Debit into:

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Church Bank Account—Otaki Waikanae Presbyterian Parish

