

# THE CEDAR CENTRE

Birkdale Beach Haven Anglican Church

GROWING IN FAITH GIVING IN SERVICE GOING IN LOVE



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BIRKDALE & BEACHHAVEN ANGLICAN CHURCH

Welcome to worship at The Cedar Centre  
We pray that you will be refreshed in the  
presence of God.

## Newsletter for 9th February 2020

### READINGS

Ephesians 1:15-23 (P799) & Matthew 25:31-46 (P677)

### SENTENCE:

O shout to the Lord in triumph all the earth. Serve the  
Lord with gladness and come before his face with  
songs of joy. *Psalm 100:1*

### PRAYER OF THE DAY:

God of power and love,  
who raised your Son Jesus from death to life,  
resplendent in glory to rule over all creation:  
free the world to rejoice in his peace,  
to glory in his justice, and to live in his love.  
Unite the human race in Jesus Christ your Son,  
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,  
one God, for ever and ever. **Amen**

Opening the eyes of the heart

*The Cedar Centre exists for the transformation of individuals and  
communities through Christ centred worship, prayer, compassion and service*

## PAUSE FOR THOUGHT

**From Craig's desk.....**

There is a great deal in the Bible about sight and seeing. In 2 Corinthians 4:4 Paul writes that:

*the god of this age has **blinded** the minds of unbelievers, so that they cannot see the light of the gospel that displays the glory of Christ, who is the image of God.*

In Paul's opening prayer for the readers in the first chapter of his letter to the Ephesians he prays *that the eyes of your heart may be enlightened.*

Part of being a Christian is seeing the world in a different way. The Holy Spirit within us gives us a different perspective on our lives and on the people around us. We see all things through the lens of Jesus Christ, who is the ruler and sustainer of all things, the one who is head over the church, and the Saviour of the World.

We know that there is more to this life and this world than just what we can see, taste, hear, touch. In Christ, our eyes are opened to see God at work in our lives and in the world. This new perspective helps us understand ourselves as precious children of God and brings us hope and purpose.

May the eyes of your heart be enlightened to know God more and to understand his great love for you.

***Arohanui Craig***

FISH N CHIPS @ The Vicarage is this coming Friday 14th February 5.30pm. Please bring money to cover your food order.



## ALL PROGRAMMES TODAY

**Cedar Kids** in Chelsea Rooms with Alison

**Cedar Youth** in foyer with Becky & Tana

**Parents with pre-schoolers** Chelsea Room 1 will be open. There is no programme however you are welcome to make yourself at home. There are plenty of toys

## OUR PRAYERS

For Uni students and lecturers starting back soon.

For those who are lonely and vulnerable, that God would comfort them.

For the places in the world where there is unrest, famine and disaster, that God would bring relief and peace.

## HELP REQUIRED

### Mainly Music

Thanks for those who have volunteered, we still need 1 or 2 more people. Please see Craig if you are able to help on a Tuesday mornings with tea, clean up and pack down. Also we still need baking for morning tea. *Thanks MM team*

### Foodbank supplies

We need more Dk Blue Long Life Milk (1L pk) and Self-raising flour (1.5kg bag) please.

Many, Many Thanks for all donations - *Allan, Julia, Moira*

# REGULAR PROGRAMMES AND THE TEAM

## SUNDAY CHURCH SERVICES

8AM TRADITIONAL SERVICE

10AM CONTEMPORARY FAMILY SERVICE

- Cedar Kids for children 5 to 10 years
- Elevate for Youth 11+ years

## MAINLY MUSIC (For Babies, Toddlers and Parents)

TUESDAY 9.15AM (During School Term)

Cost \$4.00 per session (Held in Chelsea Rooms)

## SPACE (Supporting Parents Alongside Children's Education)

Contact Janice Dowle (09) 419 1231 for next intake

## OP SHOP—NEW BEGINNINGS

16 SUNNYHAVEN AVE, BEACH HAVEN SHOPPING CENTRE

Mon-Thur 10-4.30 (Fri 10-4.30) Sat. 10.30-1.30

Serving the community by offering good quality pre-loved clothing and goods at affordable prices.

## SELWYN SENIORS (Fun and Fellowship)

THURSDAY 9.30AM - NOON (Held in Foyer)

## THE HAVEN (YOUTH - Intermediate & High School)

Our Youth Programme is held weekly on Saturdays. To find out what's going on, check out our website or The Haven Facebook page.  
Email: Youth@cedarcentre.org.nz

Cedar Centre bank account details  
for

donations

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**EFTPOS** available on  
Sunday mornings.



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## CHILDREN'S PROGRAMME LEADER

Paea De Souza and Alison Munn

## YOUTH MINISTRY

Becky & Tana Iona

027 482 4294

## OP SHOP - Kate Shrigley

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## FOODBANK - Tues/Thurs 10-12

Moirá Watson

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## PASTORAL CARE TEAM

Betty Wendelborn 09 483 4785

Moirá Watson,

Julia Masters, Kate Shrigley

## LEADERSHIP TEAM

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