

Weekly News

7TH DECEMBER 2025



Connect, Care, Commit, Contribute

Fairfield Baptist Church

In unity be a fully functioning Biblical community, demonstrating the love, grace and truth of Christ, through our worship, walk and witness.

Connect with those inside the church and beyond

Do a random act of kindness this week (RAK)

Care for one another

Encourage someone in the church with a card, note or small gift

Commit to sharing Christ's love with others

Offer to pray or share your faith with someone not part of the church

Contribute to the life and mission of FBC

Serve God in a ministry this week

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THIS SUNDAY

Kids and Youth Take Over

NEXT SUNDAY

Guest Speaker - Brian Cochran
The Saviour is Coming

THIS WEEKS EVENTS

Craft Group: Monday at 10.00am in the Youth room.
Last day for the year will be 15th Dec.

Cafe Connect: Tuesday from 9.45am - 10.45am in the cafe.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Prayer Meetings - Last Monday night prayer meeting will be on 15th December and Tuesday morning prayer meeting will be on 16th December.

Cafe Connect - Last one for the year will be on 16th December. See details below.

Christmas Celebration - Dinner & Carols, Thursday 18th December at 6.30pm. Please register asap See details below.

Garage Sale - Fundraiser for the building fund.
Saturday 17th January. See details below.

Office Closure - The office will be closed from Monday 22nd December to Monday 12th January.

CHRISTMAS DAY

There will be no service this year on Christmas Day. Instead, please join us for a Christmas Service on Sunday 21st December. We also encourage you to attend Cafe Connect on 16th Dec and the Christmas Celebration Dinner on 18th Dec as we celebrate the season with food and carols.

MEMBERSHIP

We would like to welcome Clare Morris into membership and give thanks to the Lord for Clare and the gifts that she brings.



Cafe Connect



Everyone is welcome to join us on
Tuesday 16th December at 9.45am for
coffee, christmas treats and carols



MINUTES OF THE AGM

If you would like a copy of the minutes of the AGM please
contact June administrator@fairfieldbaptist.co.nz

Christian Community Foodbank

Please have your bags
returned by this Sunday

Prayer Chain

All prayer chain requests
should be emailed to
rose@fairfieldbaptist.co.nz



HELP!

Let the office
know if you can
help serve in our
church..



Cameron Walker 8th
Peter Basel 10th
Aryan Swami 10th
Ruby Palefau 13th



Giving at Fairfield Baptist Church

Online banking: 03-0306-0200267-00 Use your name as a reference

Donation Box in foyer at church

Online via website at <https://fairfieldbaptist.co.nz/giving/>



Christmas Celebration

18th December 2025


6.30pm

\$30 adults, Kids under 13 years old free

Fairfield Baptist Church

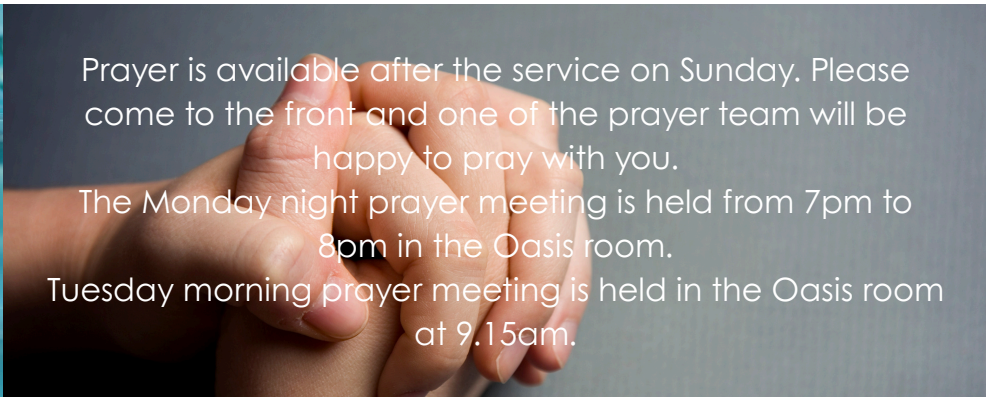
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ref Celebration

Celebrate the season with us at our festive Fundraising Dinner! Enjoy delicious food, joyful Christmas carols, and warm community as we raise funds for our building renovations. Your presence and support will help us create a more welcoming space for all. Come hungry, come joyful, and come together!



If anyone is interested in baptism and/or membership, please see Ross.

"And Peter said to them, 'Repent and be baptised every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins, and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.'" Acts 2:38



Prayer is available after the service on Sunday. Please come to the front and one of the prayer team will be happy to pray with you.

The Monday night prayer meeting is held from 7pm to 8pm in the Oasis room.

Tuesday morning prayer meeting is held in the Oasis room at 9.15am.

TOP TOWN

KAI IN THE PARK

**10 DECEMBER
5PM**

POUNTNEY PARK

**10 TEAMS OF 10 PEOPLE
4 ADULTS & 6 KIDS OR
5 ADULTS & 5 KIDS**

1ST PRIZE \$250.00

2ND PRIZE \$100.00

**Get your team into the office today.
We will need everyone that wants
to participate to register to the
office or on Facebook.**

Contact TWP office to register for
this 07 8550990.

REMINDER

Christmas in the Park event this Saturday from 10am to 2pm in Enderley Park. Shane is asking for a couple of helpers from FBC and this is the event that Ross spoke about at our AGM. I didn't get knocked over in the rush for volunteers for this so at this stage I'd say text Shane if you can help. 0210761822

Thanks Gaylene B



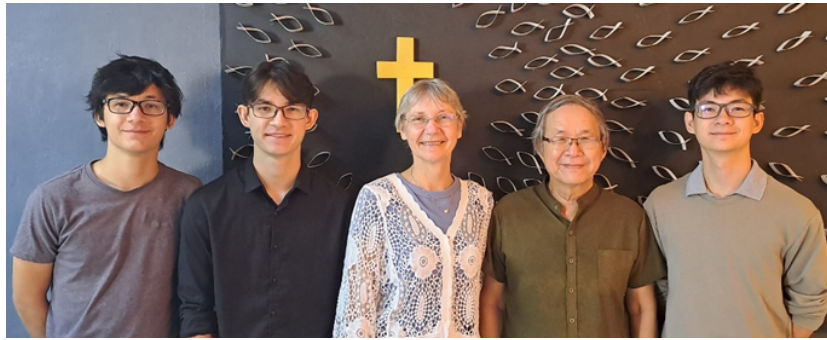
GARAGE *Sale*

Saturday, January 17th | 8am to 12pm
Fairfield Baptist Church Hall

All goods can be delivered to the
church from 12th January onwards

For this to be successful we will need all hands on deck. There will be lots of setting up to do on Friday 16th and stalls to be manned on the 17th plus security etc. If anyone is available to take charge of a sausage sizzle or cake stall please let the office know. Please fill in your details at the info desk if you are able to help.

Unless we get a good response for helpers to set up and pack down, as well as serving customers, then this will not go ahead. Please fill out the form at the info desk this Sunday if you are available to help out.



The Pham Family are our Mission focus for December

PRAYER AND PRAISE ITEMS

We thank God that the final stage of our visa process for Malaysia was completed in time for Anthony to travel to Cambodia at the end of October.

Pray for the Lighthouse teaching team as they head back to Vietnam in mid-January through to the first week of February to do the Lighthouse training. We pray that the team will forge strong relationships with the pastors, leaders, and Christian businesspeople attending.

Pray for the EFL (Education for Life) teacher training, we are organising the third part of the training with a group of teachers, pastors and church leaders here in Malaysia in January. This is an effective short term training that teaches how to teach from a Biblical world view in order to advance the gospel in our region.

Pray for Daniel and Paul as they just completed mid-term exams and tests over the past 2 weeks. They now get a short break over Thanksgiving to spend a few days away. They have been invited to stay with the family of a close friend of Paul's to enjoy good food and fellowship. Pray for them in their role as Resident Assistants, to build connections and relationships with the students in their dorms at this special Christmas season. Pray for Paul to complete his practical driving test this week. Paul will start his 4 month long, student teaching placement at a school just near the University in January. Pray for all the paperwork to go through smoothly. Continue to pray for Daniel to be successful in applying for an internship in accounting. Pray for both boys to continue to look to the Lord for the next step of their journey.

Pray for John to continue to grow in the Word. John had a wonderful time in November performing in the school play, followed by his High School band concert. Pray for a good end to the semester as he prepares for exams.

Pray for God's love and joy to fill us as we head into this special season of Christmas celebrating the greatest gift of all, Jesus.

Thank you for your continued support and prayers,
Dale, Anthony and boys

