

CASHMERE | PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH



“The Stone Church on the Hill”

Mission Statement

To worship God, follow Christ,
transforming the world in the
power of the Spirit

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Sunday 14th February 2021

Theme: Wow Moments!



Preacher: Robin Humphreys

A very warm welcome to you all, whether this is your first time or thousandth time in church. You are welcome whatever your age, gender, marital status, disability, poverty or wealth, race or sexuality. You are welcome whether you have a deep and mature faith in Christ; are uncertain and still seeking; or have no faith. If you are new to church, please do not hesitate to ask one of those on duty if you have any questions.

You are invited to stay for morning tea after the service.

*Please stand as the Bible is processed in.
Congregational responses are in bold
italics.*

Lighting the Fellowship Candle [Cecile Pierce]

Welcome to worship at Cashmere Presbyterian Church

Call to Worship

Hymn 28: Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

Prayers of praise and thanksgiving, concluding with the Lord's Prayer:

*Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours,
now and forever. Amen.*

Notices and passing of the peace

We offer each other the 'right hand of fellowship' as a sign that all are welcome and accepted by God.

Bible Readings

- 2 Kings 2:1-12 (*Paul Humphreys*)

Children are invited to come to the front

- Mark 9:2-9 (A play from 'The Voice' Bible)



*He was transfigured
before their eyes*

All-age time

Hymn 91: Morning Has Broken

Interactive and reflective time around the theme of 'WOW moments'

Hymn 573: Doxology

Robin will teach some actions the first time through, then we will sing it twice more.

Dedication of the offering: *Our freewill offering to support the mission and Church of Jesus Christ will be received. Donations for the Food Bank are placed in a supermarket trolley.*

***God of all goodness and grace, receive the gifts we offer;
and grant that our whole life may give you glory and praise;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.***

Prayers for others: At the end of each section of our prayer we will sing the chorus, "He's Got the Whole World in His Hands" (x4)

A resource for families: Prayer Pads

Hymn 14: Now Thank We All Our God

Blessing

Amen, amen, amen (sung)

*Please remain standing as the Bible is processed out.
Thank you for sharing in worship this morning.
Please come through to the hall for morning tea.*



Ash Wednesday service: There will be a special service here, **this Wednesday 17th February at 7pm**, to mark the beginning of Lent. It will be approximately half an hour long.

Small group Bible study (5 weeks): Would you like to participate in a small discussion group for five Tuesday evenings during Lent (7:30-9pm)? We will be using a series called **Followers of Jesus:**

- 23rd February: *Nicodemus*
- 2nd March: *Mary and Martha*
- 9th March: *The woman at the well*
- 16th March: *James, Son of Thunder*
- 23rd March: *Mary Magdalene*

Whether you like to talk or prefer just to listen, you would be very welcome. If the group is small, we shall meet in Anne Shave's home (in Cracroft). If the group is a little larger, we shall meet at church. If you are interested in attending, please contact Anne or Hamish, or phone Gail in the church office this week.

Port Levy next Sunday (21st February): Following our usual Sunday service next week a baptismal service for Vin and for Helen will be held at 737 Purau Port Levy Road. It will be followed by a picnic. As you leave

church, please indicate on the clipboard in the foyer whether you hope to attend so that we can collaborate regarding transport. **How to get there:** There is a hairpin bend (and plenty of pines) halfway down from the saddle (The Monument) to the bay. After this, about 300m further on, you will find a driveway at the left-hand side. Parking is at the street side and on the platform behind the gate. We meet for the baptism ceremony at 1:15 pm about 300m down the track. For those who wish to come, Ira has prepared a map with further instructions.

Healing Service: There will be no healing service this month (21st February) due to the baptismal service being held at Port Levy. Our next healing service will be held on Sunday 19th March. In the meantime, you are very welcome to contact Hamish if you would like to request prayer or a visit.

Bible reading at home: Anne Shave has prepared a simple Bible reading guide for use at home during Lent. There are six gospel readings per week (from the Revised Common Lectionary), with one question to ponder each day. Please feel free to pick up a copy of the little booklet from the foyer. Take one for a friend, too, if you like.

Pathways: Please consider participating in the **Pathways** programme – a programme which explores life transitions, spiritual development, and gifts and strengths. The next group will meet on **Monday 8th March from 9am until 3pm**. Please phone Hamish or Anne if you would like to ask any questions about the programme or if you would be interested in being part of it. If you would like to be involved, but you cannot attend on a weekday, don't worry! We will be offering **Pathways** at a time to suit you in May. (This is likely to be on **Saturday 8th May**, or on a couple of evenings around that date.)

Cashmere Connection: Please have any items for inclusion in the next Cashmere Connection to the Office by Monday 22nd February.

The Alpine Presbytery Newsletter is produced weekly, and a copy is on the notice board in the foyer. Speak to Gail if you would like to subscribe to receive it directly.

Hornby Indoor Market: This market is held on the third Saturday of each month at South Hornby Primary School, 35 Amyes Road, between 10am and 2pm. Robert Aitken, from our parish, is a stall holder. Look out for "Heritage Herbs and Spices."

Church Rosters	This week – 14 February	Next week – 21 February
Door Duty	Peter and Tric Nelson Annette McAdam	Kathleen Anderson, Tony Waters, Robin McKee
Morning Tea & Coffee	Lyn Cordner Noeline Kent	Peter and Tric Nelson
Bible Reading	Paul Humphreys	Janice Lee
Candle Lighting	Cecile Pierce	Shirley Wilson
Food Trolley	Annette McAdam	Jill McAra
Money Counting (Monday)	Ira	Rouie Swan

Covid-19: we encourage you to scan the QR code for the government's tracing app. Sign in sheets are also available in the main foyer if you prefer to use those.



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