



Theme: The Sisters

Speaker: Max Scott

Prayer Ministry: James and Yvonne Hewitt, Kevin Ladbrook, Lynn Green

READINGS: Psalm 133, Ephesians 4:1-7

John 11:17-37

SENTENCE: You O Lord are my strength and my shield; my heart trusts in you and I am helped; therefore my heart dances for joy, and in my song I will praise you. (Psalm 28:8)

COLLECT: Almighty God, for the joy that was set before him your Son endured the cross, and by his resurrection turned our sorrow into joy; help us to rejoice in his power that we may walk in his way with glad obedience; through our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

PSALM: Psalm 100



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Mark Your Calendar

NOTICE OF SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING: of the West Hamilton Community Church, to be held at 7.30pm on Wednesday 7 October in the Auditorium, 27a Rifle Range Rd. The agenda item is ownership of the property at 27 Rifle Range Rd; specifically, whether or not the Church will take over ownership, by whatever means, from West Hamilton Community Church Holdings Ltd.

INTERNATIONAL LUNCH: Sunday 18 October after the service. Please bring a dish that would be found in any Asian country. Bring your own plates and cutlery and if you'd like to, wear any national or traditional costume you may have.

ENVELOPES for the next 6 months can be collected from the welcome table.

OFFERINGS AT SUNDAY 10:30 SERVICE: At its meeting last week Parish Council decided that we would no longer pass around an offering bag/plate during the Sunday 10.30 service. Cheques will soon be obsolete and very little is given by way of cash. However, for those who still wish to give cash, we have placed a secure collection box on the Welcome Table in which you can place your offering/collection. A prayer of thanksgiving to God, asking his blessing on all offerings (online and cash) to be used for his glory, will be offered during the service. Michael (for Parish Council).

What's Happening This Week

PRAYER WALK THE NATION: Today after the service.

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**NEWCOMERS LUNCH: Next Sunday 11 October, 1.00pm in the foyer for those new to the church or who haven't attended a Newcomers lunch previously. Please sign the clipboard on the welcome table if you plan to come.

MORNING TEA AT THE LAKE: Tomorrow (Monday) at the Verandah Café at 10:30am - all welcome.

PASTORAL CARE: If you'd like a pastoral visit or prayers please contact the church office or Gary (027 604 1540) or Sue Evans (027 450 4360).

PRAYER CHAIN: Please call or text message Sharon Scott (0225 900 500) on weekdays. Emergency calls are taken at weekends.

Services

SUNDAY: 8.30am in the Chapel & 10.30am in the auditorium WEDNESDAY: 10.30am in the Chapel followed by morning tea