

We extend a warm welcome to you on this beautiful Sabbath morning. If you are visiting us for the first time, we pray that your time with us will be blessed as we worship together. Feel free to visit with us again.

This is happening at Waitara!

Today at Waitara Church
Sabbath, 7 December 2019

SABBATH SCHOOL - 09:20am

Song Service	122 - 125 - 132	Diane Hope
Welcome		Kylie Voo
Prayer		Emelyne Niyinzigama
Special Music	"Words of Love"	Faye Alvarado
Mission Spotlight	Burundi, Rwanda, South Sudan	Emelyne Niyinzigama & Kylie Voo
Offering & Hymn	Praise to the Lord	No. 1
Bible Study	Worshiping the Lord	By Classes

DIVINE SERVICE - 11:00am

Song Service	126 - 137 - 149	Diane Hope
Announcements		Ben Chapman
Welcome		Denis Carey
Hymn of Praise	Tis Love That Makes Us Happy	No. 579
Children's Story		Carol Sedgman
Offering	Mission to the Cities	Ryan Aitken
Special Music	"I walked today where Jesus walked"	Fred Wood
Invocation	Now, Dear Lord, As We Pray	No. 671
Main Prayer		Ryan Aitken
Scripture Reading	John 13:35	Loretta Oun
Sermon	Evidence of Discipleship	Pr Dwayne Manoa
Benediction		Pr Dwayne Manoa
Hymn of Dedication	I Will Sing of Jesus' Love	No. 183
Conclusion		Denis Carey

FORTHCOMING SPEAKERS

Next Sabbath Special Christmas Program

SABBATH MORNING PRAYER MEETING

Please join us as we pray each Sabbath at 8:45am in the Teen SS room. Please contact Ben or Yvonne if you would like to share a testimony of answered prayer.

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY - 7:30pm Chesham Hall

Beyond Death - The Search for Destiny
 Why are we so interested in what happens after we die? Ghosts, vampires and the undead are the themes of society's most popular movies, books and tales. *Beyond Death* enters the home of vampires to find out why, and shows the lengths (and expense) to which some people will go to cheat death. Beyond the conflicting notions about what happens when we die, there is one absolute: your destiny is your choice. You are all invited!

TODAY AT WAITARA!
Children's Division, Teens and Parents

You are warmly invited to join the Adult SS program with a start time of 9:30am. Children's Division and Teens may go to their own classes at the lesson break.

ALIVE is at **2:30pm**. This is the last **ALIVE** for this year. The theme is "Being Thankful". We have a lot to be thankful to God for this year. Please come along and share the thankful experience :) Run by the youth especially for you.

Rehearsal for Christmas Service Nativity Tableau at 4:15pm in the church

Ukulele practice at 5:15pm in the church

UPCOMING EVENTS!

- **CHURCH BOARD**
 All church board members are encouraged to attend the last Church Board meeting for 2019 on **Tuesday, 10 December at 7:30pm** Chesham hall. Please send agenda items to Hannah Chong by **Sunday, 8 December 12 noon**.
- **CHRISTMAS SERVICE**
 Next week we will have our Christmas Service here at Waitara. Invite your friends and neighbours and come join us for a beautiful program
- **CHRISTMAS CONCERT**
 Sacred Evening Christmas Concert and Finger Food
 Special Items are needed for this sacred concert **NEXT WEEK, 14 December**. To participate please contact Marleta or Mildred. Finger Food is also being sought and if you can make something to bless our community please speak with Mildred or Margaret.

ADRA RETURN AND EARN PROJECT

Thank you for bringing in your empty drink bottles and cans. Collection point is located near the kitchen door in the Yellow Bin! The current amount raised for 2020 is now **\$425.00**

ADRA BLACKTOWN PANTRY APPEAL

Please help in donating non perishable, non passed expiry dates items and place them in the basket outside teens room. Please donate by 14 December so can deliver before they close for the year. Thanking you for your generosity.

RECIPE CLUB

Recipe club meets at **6:30pm** on the 3rd Tuesday of every month. Bring a friend and learn new recipes and enjoy tasting them afterwards. Write the dates in your diary so you don't miss out. Our next meeting is on **17 December**

WORKING BEE

A BIG THANK YOU to those 17 people who turned up for the Working Bee last Sunday morning. Also a special thanks to those ladies who brought morning tea and biscuits for everyone.

LUNCH THIS WEEK - Rosa Lopez, Greg Irvine, Maria de Bar, Gladys Rodriguez, Christine Bagga

LUNCH NEXT WEEK - Emmy Niyinzigama, Leon Todd, Griselda & Carlos, Dwayne & Morrline Manoa

Next week will be our last Church Lunch for the year. A special thank you to all who have helped with the lunches through the year. For providing the food and all your hard work. Have a wonderful Christmas and all the best for the New Year thank you, Joan Coleman

WANTED:

- * **Children's Story Volunteers**
 Our kids love their story time! To keep this going, please see Rahni Edgar to add your name to the roster.
- * **Lunch Teams**
 We are looking for men and women to be part of a team to help with the lunches. A great way to get to know and be part of the church family. Please speak to Joan Coleman or phone on 94892254.
- * **Flower Arrangements**
 Please contact Pam Manuel on 0433 755 244 if you are willing to help with a flower arrangement for church. Looking for some hidden talent please :) Thank you

Sabbath School Offering Schedule:	
Next Week's Offering:	Local Church Budget
Sunset Times:	Tonight at 7:55pm
	Next Week at 8:00pm
	(times are approximate)