

# Nativity Play and Carol Service

17th December 2022

10:45am – 12:20pm Followed by a community lunch

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.



### SABBATH SCHOOL

| Song Service              | Marleta Fong  |
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| Welcome & Prayer          | Joy Carey   |
| Combined Lesson Study #12 | Biblical Worldview<br>Pr Fabian Edian               |
| Offering Prayer & Hymn    | "Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus"<br>Serving Deacons |

### **DIVINE SERVICE**

| Song Service  | Marleta Fong  |
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| Welcome   | Gayl Fong   |
| Combined Prayers<br>Corporate, Tithes & Offerings<br>(Fund for the Needy) | Mildred Zuze  |
| Nativity Pageant  | The Birth of Jesus<br>Matthew 1:18 – 2:18; Luke 2:1-20  |
| Special Item  | What Child is This?<br>Waitara Church Ukulele Strummers |
| Special Item  | Christmas Medley on Cello<br>Brianna & Benjamin Kohl    |
| Special Item  | Christmas Time<br>Waitara Church Teens & Juniors        |
| Message & Benediction   | The Greatest Gift<br>Pr Fabian Edian                    |
| Closing Hymn #214   | "We Have This Hope                                      |

# What's Happening

#### Church Lunches

Church lunches are back on! Please see/ring Tsitsi (0401 748 251) if you wish to serve in this vital ministry. The Hospitality team would very much like to welcome more groups to revive this ministry.

- . TODAY Yvonne Chapman, Hannah, Marilene, Rhea
- 24 December Pot luck Christmas lunch lead by social committee. Thanks Mildred

### Ukulele ensemble practice at 6:00pm TODAY

Practice to prepare for the item on 24th December.

#### Waitara Christmas invitation followed by a community lunch:

- TODAY Nativity Pageant & Christmas Message service.
  Inviting all members, family, friends, and community.
- 24 December Christmas Carols and Christmas Message service Inviting all members but especially those from the community who may have nowhere to spend Christmas with.

#### 3ABN Interview Programs

Every Sunday at 7pm (repeats Tue 7pm & Wed 9am) Guests for **December** are:

- 18th Pr. Kyle Allen (Testimony),
- 25th Julia Outkina (Testimony).

Also available online at www.3abnaustralia.org.au, 3abnplus.tv, or on the free 3ABN+ phone app.

### Our Mission

To make disciples by loving God, loving one another and loving to reach the community of

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To grow faithful disciples who share the everlasting gospel.

#### Christmas events invitation & flyer

Remember to pick up an invitation from the foyer and intentionally invite family & friends to these events.

#### Prayer Ministry Invitations

- To our Regular Sabbath Morning Prayer Time: 8:45-9:15am Prayer focus: Our Backyard (South Pacific Division)
   Venue: Teen SS Room if joining In-Person or if joining Online Zoom link:
  - Meeting ID: 959 5792 9851; Passcode: In WhatsApp
- Our Regular Wednesday Mid-Week interactive Bible Studies
  - will revert to just a prayer time between 7:30 8:00pm from 21st December through to 31st January
- 7th January is the 1st Quarterly Day of Prayer for 2023: Topic: Rebuilding the Altar - Praying for an Undivided Heart All church members are encouraged to join us this morning for Special Prayer Walk starting 8:30am at the church asking the Holy Spirit to bless the church and our surrounding neighbours

#### Combined Lesson:

As the church goes into recess, the following will be taking care of the combined lesson studies:

- 24 December Tim Carson
- 31 December Ben Chapman
- 7 January Peter Zuze
- 14 January Integrity Mucheshesi
- 21 January Daniel Vokurka
- 28 January Dr. David Pennington

### Offerings next week

Divine Service Local Church Budget Sabbath School Mission Offering

#### **Sunset Times:**

Tonight 8:03 pm Next Friday 8:07 pm Prayer Requests

prayer.ministry@ waitarachurch.org.a WhatsApp Us Waitara Church

#### Write Us

Use blue prayer cards in foyer and place in Prayer Box

Email

Text Us

0409 234 235

## Where to find us



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- waitarachurch.org.au
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- Waitara Seventh-day Adventist Church

# Meet our team



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# **Connect Corner**

I would like special prayer

If we can help you, please let us know. Feel free to tear this slip off and place it in the offering bag or hand it to the pastor or elder.

| I would like special player               |  |
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| ☐ I would like to have a pastoral visit   |  |
| ☐ I would like Bible studies              |  |
| ] I would like to follow Jesus in baptism |  |
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