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TO BE DISCIPLES AND
TO MAKE DISCIPLES



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# THIS **SUNDAY**

#### **CITY** CAMPUS//

9am, 11am Jayne Bailey & 6pm Project Moroto

#### **BEACH CAMPUS//**

9 & 11am

James Renwick

"James Part Six"

#### **PLAINS CAMPUS//**

9<sub>am</sub>

Bridget Underhill

Baptisms

#### **PEGASUS CAMPUS//**

11am

Bridget Underhill

"Hearing the Voice of God"

#### PASSAGE FOR THE WEEK:

"As I was with Moses, so I will be with you; I will never leave you nor forsake you. Be strong and courageous, because you will lead these people to inherit the land I swore to their ancestors to give them." Joshua 1:5-6

#### WHAKAUPOKO O TE WIKI:

"I a Mohi ahau, ka pera ano ahau ki a koe; e kore ahau e whakarere i a koe, e kore hoki e mawehe i a koe. Kia kaha, kia maia rawa: mau hoki tenei iwi e whakawhiwhi ki te whenua i oati ai ahau ki o ratou matua kia hoatu ki a ratou." Hohua 1:5-6

# **FAMILY FIESTA**

1pm, Sun 16 December, 142 Ferry Rd Carpark We want to thank all our team for all their hard work this year and let you know all the exciting things happening next year, so we're having a party! We'll have games and activities for our kids and a free BBQ. We're looking forward to seeing you there!

#### CHRISTMAS HEARTS

On Sunday 09 December, we will be taking our annual Christmas Hearts appeal. This is to help those who are struggling in our community to have a better Christmas Season. Over the years we have helped countless individuals and families through Christmas Hearts, so thank you again for your generosity which changes lives!

# PRAY FOR YOUR FAMILY

7pm, TOMORROW, City Campus

This is a prayer meeting for parents who want to gather to pray for children or members of their family who are far from God. 7pm on the first Monday of every month. All welcome.

### **TABLE TALK**

7pm, Mon 03 December, Benny's Barber Shop, 105 Orbell Street

Table Talk is an all-in night for young adults (18-30yrs). Join us for our final meeting this year as we explore the topic of 'Caring Well'. Come along for free barista hot drinks from 6.30pm. You can expect coffee, fun people, worship, interesting topics and time to chat! Spaces are limited, so arrive early to make sure you don't miss out! Look out for the Grace flag to find the entrance.

# YOUTH ALIVE TRUST BREAKFAST

7am, Tues 04 December, Beach Campus
The YAT end of year supporters, funders
and donors (and potential donors) breakfast
is coming up! It is our chance to showcase
what we've achieved this year and enjoy a
buffet breakfast. There is no cost but RSVPs
must be made by 9pm, Sun 02 December
to office@yat.org.nz. Please forward this
onto any colleagues or friends who may be
interested

# HILLTOP WORSHIP

6pm, Sun 13 January, Meet at City Campus We are heading to the hills as a young adult community to worship together! Meet at City Campus at 6pm, arrive back by 9pm. Bring \$5 for the bus and some extra money for food trucks!

# **CONNECTING AT GRACE**

Keen to get to know others, make friends and find connections with people? Here at Grace we do this through small groups called Lifegroups. To join, head to our Welcome table and fill out one of our orange Connect forms, email lifegroups@grace.org.nz or check out our website grace.org.nz/our\_groups/lifegroups

# I'M **NEW**

We would love to connect with you! Come and say hi for a few minutes at our Welcome table after the service. We'd love to give you an idea of who we are, what we do and buy you coffee from the café! If you have any questions about anything, please look for a crew member or visit our Info Desk in the foyer and they will be happy to help you. Kids and youth go out from the main auditorium after the notices to Passion Kids (kids' church), LIVE (intermediates) or GVY Youth Lounge.

### **WELCOME TO GRACE**

At City Campus we regularly have 'Welcome to Grace' sessions to help new people find out what we're all about and to meet some of the team. Keep checking the bulletin for details on our next Welcome event which will be starting back up in 2019.

# **GRACE SUMMER CAMP**

15-17 February 2019, Spencer Park

This will be a weekend of fun, activities, worship, bbqs, and great yarns outside your tent! What better way to kick off the year? Load up your car with all the food, gear and other fun things you need for a camping weekend away! The easiest way to register is online at www.grace.org.nz

# HANDS OF COMPASSION

Use your gifts, as an individual or lifegroup, to show God's love and service needy members of the community. Our emphasis is toward widows, single parents, elderly, poor, and the disabled. Register at the info desk, talk to someone from the Compassion Trust team or email office@compassiontrust.org.nz

# STAY IN TOUCH

If you want to know what's going on in the life of the church, let us know your details or update them whenever they change! See the Info Desk, or email city.office@grace.org.nz

# THE BIG FLOAT

12.30pm, Sat 09 February, Lake Roto Kohatu Get ready for the Big Float! A young adults, music event at Lake Roto Kohatu with a BBQ lunch. Bring something to float on in the lake while you listen to live music. You won't want to miss it!

# **INTERNSHIPS 2019**

Ready to take a year out to seek the purposes of God for your life? We invite you to invest that year with us! Come and experience the journey that God has us on as a church, with input from our leadership team. It is a 10 month experience studying full time with Vineyard College, with 20 hours of practical service a week. To express your interest email school@grace.org.nz with 'Internship Application' in the subject line.

# **FOOD ITEMS NEEDED**

Thank you for your on-going support! At the moment we especially need toilet rolls, soap powder, tinned soup and shampoo. If you can help please place your donation in the food boxes by reception or call 379 2329. Food collected goes to Compassion Trust where it is used to support individuals and families who are working on their budgeting to get out of debt. A small part goes to emergency situations.

# **TECH & PRODUCTION MANAGER**

Full time, paid position, City Campus
We are looking for someone to join our
team in the new year here at Grace. This
person will look after all the IT and Sound/AV
queries at all of our campuses. Must have
relevant experience. For more info please
email christine.eksteen@grace.org.nz

# **PRAYER MEETINGS**

**Prayer Meeting:** Every Sunday, 5pm, City Campus

Worship Chapel: Every Wednesday Morning, 7am – 8am, Unit 4

Praying for Lost Loved Ones: First Monday of the month, 7pm – 8.30pm, City Campus

#### **OUR GROUPS**

Passion Kids: for toddlers to school year 8, mel.fairweather@grace.org.nz

GVY - City: school years 9 upwards simon.macgregor@grace.org.nz

GVY - Beach: school years 9 upwards ruby.manning@grace.org.nz

**GVY - North Canterbury:** school years 9 upwards, jackdunnrun@live.com

Lifegroups: lifegroups@grace.org.nz

Young Adults: Grace young adults ministry, rebecca.france@grace.org.nz rhoda.deed@grace.org.nz

Menzone: Grace men's ministry, menzone@grace.org.nz

Deaf Community: deaf@grace.org.nz Seniors: beach.office@grace.org.nz

Community Parenting & Pre-School Programmes: parenting@yat.org.nz

Weekly Outreaches: Latimer Square

and New Brighton

office@compassiontrust.org.nz

For more information and contact numbers please visit our website:

www.grace.org.nz

# **GIVING at GRACE**

Your money goes a long way. It is used to help those in need, support missionary work and cover operating costs. There are different options to make giving easy!

Internet Banking – Regular Automatic Payments are our preferred option Account: 06-0821-0579769-000

Code: Your giving number

Reference: Type of giving (eg Tithe)

Pushpay App - Available at the Apple App Store or Google Play Store

Eftpos or Credit Card - Available at Info Desk

Website - You can make donations through here at any time

Cash or Cheque - Pick up an envelope from the Info Desk, write your giving number on it and hand in to the Info Desk or Offering

Light of the World - Please seek God for what He would have you give beyond your tithe. Please code any donation as 'BuildingFund'.

In order to receive a Tax Receipt at the end of the financial year contact us for a Giving Number at giving@grace.org.nz or fill in a Giving Form at the Info Desk.

General giving qualifies for a donations receipt and includes Faith Promise, BuildingFund and other ministries within the church.

Thank you for your generosity!



# **CHRISTMAS HEARTS //**

This is an awesome opportunity to give something to help those who don't have much this Christmas. On 02 & 09 December you will have the opportunity to give towards our Christmas Hearts appeal. Start praying about what you may be able to give to help others this Christmas.

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