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OUR MISSION//

TO BE DISCIPLES AND
TO MAKE DISCIPLES



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THIS SUNDAY

CITY CAMPUS//

9 & 11am David MacGregor
"Kingdom Builders"

6pm James Renwick
"Living the Dream"

BEACH CAMPUS//

9 & 11am Clark Alcock
"Arise and Go!"

PLAINS CAMPUS//

10am Rocky Stocks
"A Tipping Point"

PEGASUS CAMPUS//

4.30pm Rocky Stocks
"A Tipping Point"

CHRISTMAS SERVICES

CHRISTMAS EVE//

6 & 8pm City Campus
"Stars in their Skies"

Christmas Production

5pm Beach Campus
Community Christmas Carols

CHRISTMAS DAY//

9am City Campus

9am Beach Campus

9am Combined North Canterbury service at Plains Campus

PASSAGE FOR THE WEEK:

"Your love has given me great joy and encouragement, because you, brother, have refreshed the hearts of the Lord's people."
Philemon 1:7

WHAKAUPOKO O TE WIKI:

"He nui hoki to matou koa, marie ana hoki te ngakau i tou aroha, no te mea e ora ana nga ngakau o te hunga tapu i a koe, e toku teina." Pirimona 1:7

CHRISTMAS HEARTS

TODAY, all campuses

Every year we do a Christmas Hearts offering for those in our church community who find Christmas a difficult financial time. Please reference 'Christmas Hearts' on any donation. Be a part of blessing those in need this Christmas!

GRACE SUMMER CAMP

SAVE THE DATE! 16-18 February 2018

Get out your diaries and book in Grace Summer Camp! This is a camp for our whole church family and is always so much fun! Gather your family and friends and register today! Register online at www.grace.org.nz

CHURCH IN THE PARK

10am, NEXT SUNDAY, McLeans Forest

Grab your picnic blanket and sunscreen and get ready for church in the park! There are no other services this Sunday, as we love gathering our whole church family from all campuses together. There will be carols, a bouncy castle and all sorts of fun things! Bring your friends and family along!

ADVENT SERVICE

6pm, Sun 17 December, City Campus

On our final 6pm service for 2017 we will be having a reflective, creative service followed by Christmas nibbles. Take some time to wonder at the meaning of Christmas.

STARS IN THEIR SKIES

6 & 8pm, Sun 24 December, City Campus

Come along for a fun-filled Christmas Eve production! There will be no morning services on Christmas Eve.

WORSHIP TEAM AUDITIONS

7.30pm, Mon 11 December, City Campus

If you're passionate about worship and have musical talent to share – why not audition for the worship team! We are always look for more musicians, singers and soundies at all campuses. Grab an audition pack from the Info Desk!

I'M NEW

We'd love to meet you! 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 GVV Youth Lounge. Grab a welcome pack during the service or from the Info Desk to find out what we're all about. You'll also get a chocolate and a free barista coffee for after the service!

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 meet some of the team. Our next session is on TODAY at the 11am service.

COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS EVE CAROLS

5pm, Sun 24 December, New Brighton Amphitheatre (by Library)

Free entertainment and fun for the whole family! There will be face painting, live music, a bouncy castle, carols and a kids entertainer! There will be no other morning services on Christmas Eve.

NIGHT CHAPEL

7pm, THIS Fri 08 December, City Campus
Night Chapel is an intimate evening set aside to be passionate in worship and move wherever the Spirit leads. It's a space to connect with God in your own way in a relaxed atmosphere. All welcome!

SCHOOL OF INTERNSHIP

Do you want to spend a year of your life studying and seeking out the purposes of God? Join us on our journey as a church! Apply now to be an intern at Grace Vineyard for 2018! Email school@grace.org.nz

SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY AND LEADERSHIP

The School of Theology and Leadership (formerly AELS) is designed to help you grow in your understanding of theology and the leadership culture within Grace Vineyard Church. Applications open now!

OFFICE CLOSED

Due to staff events, the City Campus office will be closed all day on Thurs 7 December.

STRENGTHENING LINWOOD YOUTH TRUST OPPORTUNITY

Are you passionate about working with youth? We are looking for someone to work part time with the youth of Linwood College. This will consist of one-on-one mentoring, running small groups, and assisting with programmes. If this sounds like you then please email info@strengtheninglinwood.org

CHRISTMAS WITH COMPASSION

Compassion Trust is collecting any donations of gifts, Warehouse or Supermarket gift vouchers, or Christmas food items to give to those in need this Christmas season. It's a great opportunity to bless the people that Compassion Trust has been working with throughout the year.

NEW LIFEGROUP RESOURCE

We now have Vineyard Conference 2017 USBs with the speakers/sessions available for loan to Lifegroups. For more info contact cathy.richardson@grace.org.nz

CENTRAL CITY SENIORS

If you've got some extra time on your hands and you're looking for some company, this group could be for you! Central City Seniors will meet at 10.30am on Tuesdays for social activities and a bit of fun. For more info call Simone on 027 287 3673.

OUR GROUPS

Passion Kids: for kids from 0 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
rebekah.salisbury@grace.org.nz

GVY - North Canterbury: school years 9 upwards, stephlin.hanekam@gmail.com

Lifegroups: lifegroups@grace.org.nz

Young Adults: Grace young adults ministry,
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Menzone: Grace men's ministry,
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Christian Singles: singles@grace.org.nz

Deaf Community: deaf@grace.org.nz

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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.

Rescue – Please seek God for what He would have you give beyond your tithe. Please code any donation as 'Rescue'.

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, Rescue and other ministries within the church.

Thank you for your generosity!

THIS WEEK'S SHOWCASE



LIFEGROUPS// In our large church, joining a smaller regular group is a great way to get to know people and feel part of the community. Lifegroups are where people grow spiritually, make friends and serve together. It is our desire as a church, for every member of Grace to belong to a group of some kind. We see Lifegroups as places where we can become encouraged, equipped and empowered to live out our faith during the week in all of our different areas.

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