

## IN THE LORD'S SERVICE – THANK YOU

	This Week	Next Week
Worship Leader	Glenda	Robert W
Music Leader	James	Rea
Bible Reader	Soo Land	Alvin
Ushers	Jessica, Shing	Joanna, Rachel, Kristal
Techno	Mike, Jeff	Harvey, Sunsun
Cup of Tea	Michelle T, Glenda, Allister	Serene, Benson, Emily
Dishes		

## HOME GROUPS

	Leader	Meeting time	Location
<b>CANTONESE GROUP</b>	Albert Ko	Saturday fortnightly @ 4pm	@ Alex Wong Toi's Contact Albert Ko 021 753 912
<b>CANTONESE ALBANY GROUP</b>	Peter Zen	1st & 3rd Friday @ 8pm	@ Peter Zen's 021 280 8663
<b>GREENLANE GROUP</b>	Glenda Choy	Thursday fortnightly @ 8pm	@ Glenda Choy's 021 148 7956
<b>ISAAC GROUP</b>	Lydia Lam	Friday weekly @ 7.30pm	@ ACPC 105 Vincent Street, City
<b>LADIES' HOME GROUP</b>	Glenda Choy	Wednesday fortnightly @ 10.30am	@ Glenda Choy's 524 9391
<b>NEWMARKET GROUP</b>	Robert O'Callahan	Wednesday fortnightly @ 6:30pm	@ Robert O'Callahan's office - Level 7 5 Short St Newmarket 021 783 289
<b>REMUERA GROUP</b>	Ken Cheung	2nd and 4th Saturday @ 10am	@ Quin Gee's Contact Ken 021 431 607
<b>COLLEGE &amp; CAREERS GROUP</b>	Genaetta Shew	Wednesday weekly @ 7.30pm	@ ACPC 105 Vincent Street City
<b>WEST AUCKLAND GROUP</b>	Betty Ling	2nd and 4th Saturday @ 5pm	@ Betty & Kuan's Contact Robert W Ph 525 0220

# AUCKLAND CHINESE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

105 Vincent Street, Auckland City



## ENGLISH MINISTRY SERVICE

27th January 2013

**Speaker:** Pastor Mark Maney

**Theme:** Philippians - What's Important Is \_\_\_\_\_?

**Sermon Passage:** Philippians 1:12-18

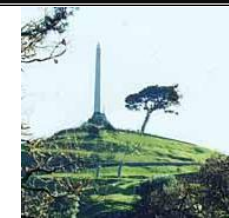


Welcome to all visitors to this morning's service. You are warmly invited to stay for morning tea after the service.

## CHURCH BARBECUE THIS EVENING



We are meeting at the barbecue wall to the left of Twin Oaks Drive coming from Greenlane Road at 5.30pm. Bring sausages and meat to barbecue and a salad, sweet or drink to share if you can and other food requirements: plates, cups and eating utensils.



## WANTED – YOUR VISION FOR ACPC



The Parish Council will be meeting next Saturday evening for an ACPC Vision/Strategy meeting – looking ahead to the future. The members of the Parish Council would love to hear what your vision for ACPC is.

So have a word with Pastor Mark, Marty Bing, Robert O'Callahan, Stephen Tsang or Jean Wong about your dream for ACPC. What would you like ACPC to be like in one year's, two years' or five years' time?

## PAPERBAG CLUB 1<sup>ST</sup> ANNIVERSARY PARTY

*It's what's inside that counts*



Paper Bag club members, come along and bring a friend to our fantastic Swimtastic pool party!

**Time: 1.45pm to 3.45pm on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> February.**

**Venue: Swimtastic, 77 Morrin Road, St Johns (near Panmure)**

There is a 25 metre 5 lane lap pool and an 11 metre teaching pool suitable for toddlers. We will have the whole facility to ourselves (plus Swimtastic staff, of course)! Any under 5 year olds must be accompanied by a parent or designated caregiver in the pool please, with a ratio of at least 1 adult to 5 children.

Swimtastic will provide 2 lifeguards for up to 34 people and 3 lifeguards if more than 34 people. We will also need 3 adults in the big pool (so please bring your swimming gear, especially dads...)

Bring your swimsuit, a towel and goggles. Food and drink will be provided. Cost will be \$7 per swimming child.



We will need to know the numbers attending for purposes of catering and lifeguards needed. Please let Weng Wai know before Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> January. Phone: 575 5128, text: 021 595761 or email: martinb@clear.net.nz

Hope to see you there. Any questions please email Weng Wai or Michelle Wai (michelle.wai@orcon.net.nz).



## ST DAVID'S FOODBANK NEXT SUNDAY

The monthly donation and collection of food for St David's Foodbank will be next Sunday, 3 February. Please place donations of cereal, tinned vegetables, past and other non-perishable food in the boxes just inside the hall. Your assistance and generosity is much appreciated.

## HOW DO I CONTACT PASTOR MARK?

Email: [markpmaney@gmail.com](mailto:markpmaney@gmail.com);  
Cell Phone (preferred): 021 309 544; or  
Church Manse: 908 8200



## DOING GOD'S WILL

*I desire to do your will, O my God. Psalm 40:8*

Often when we're starting out, we dream of doing earth-changing things and the thought of tackling them intimidates us. That is yet another reason to start small.

Don't try to help everyone, just try to help someone! Do that, and in time you may find yourself living what Saint Francis of Assisi described when he said, 'Start doing what is necessary; then do what is possible; and suddenly, you are doing the impossible.' Even if you never get to do big things, you can find great fulfilment in doing right things. No act of kindness is too small to be worth doing.



One leader writes: 'Little did I realise when I started with a desire to add significance to others, that it would add significance to me! Now I understand. We should not receive anything without giving, and we cannot give anything without receiving.' The truth is, your dream isn't worthy of your life if it doesn't bless others.



President Woodrow Wilson stated: 'You are not here merely to make a living. You are here in order to enable the world to live more amply, with greater vision, with a finer spirit of hope and achievement. You are here to enrich the world, and you impoverish yourself if you forget the errand.'

There's an old Middle Eastern blessing that says, 'When you were born, you cried and the world rejoiced. May you live your life so that when you die, the world will cry and you will rejoice.' And that will surely happen if you live by the scriptural truth, 'I desire to do your will, O my God.'

## SENIOR YOUTH GROUP

Friday, 8<sup>th</sup> February 2013. The Senior Youth Group (secondary school students) will be going Ten Pin Bowling on Friday, 7<sup>th</sup> February. More details later but do register your interest with Pastor Mark or Nathan.

## POT LUCK DINNER, ACPC'S GOT TALENT & SILENT AUCTION

Saturday, 16<sup>th</sup> February 2013 from 5.30pm! An evening to remember!

Come and enjoy a variety of items: musical, vocal, dance, skits, etc - our thanks to those who have already set the ball rolling by putting their name down to perform an item. Do join them and share your talent with a most appreciative audience.

Also if you have anything suitable for the Silent Auction, it would be most appreciated. Money raised will be donated to the church.

Contact Glenda ([choyfamily@gmail.com](mailto:choyfamily@gmail.com)) or Jean for more information.