

## what's happening in july @ acpc

Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat	Sun
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	7.30pm Newmarket Group 8pm St Heliers Group	6.30pm Young Adults' Group	"It was You who set all the boundaries of the earth; You made both summer and winter."  Psalm 74:17  		10.00am Remuera Home Group	10.30am Service 3-5pm Table Tennis
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	7.30pm Newmarket Group	10.30am Ladies' Group 6.30pm Young Adults' Group	8.00pm Greenlane Group		4pm Night Walk @ Muriwai Beach See Rob O'Callahan	10.30am Communion Service 3-5pm Table Tennis
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	7.30pm Newmarket Group 8pm St Heliers Group	6.30pm Young Adults' Group			10.00am Remuera Home Group	10.30am Service 3-5pm Table Tennis
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
	7.30pm Newmarket Group	10.30am Ladies' Group 6.30pm Young Adults' Group	8.00pm Greenlane Group	<b>JUST ONE WEEK TO GO!!!  MAKE SURE YOU HAVE YOUR TICKETS TO EAST TIMOR FUNDRAISER  See Glenda</b>		10.30am Service 3-5pm Table Tennis 6-9pm Monthly Pot Luck & Games

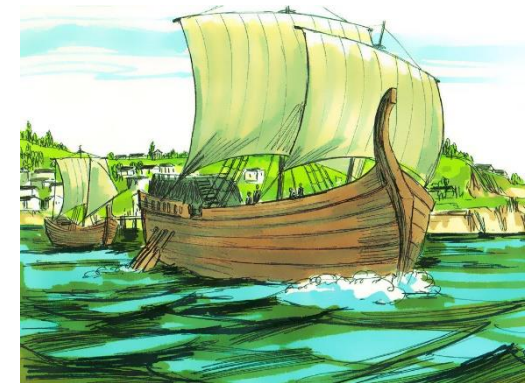
And let us not neglect our meeting together, as some people do, but encourage one another, especially now that the day of His return is drawing near. Hebrews 10:25

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## praying for others

- **Rev Tang & Rev Vogel as they minister at ACPC** – for wisdom and God's guidance in leading our ministries.
- **ACPC congregations** – that we are strengthened by the Holy Spirit and transformed by God's personal direction to us through His Word.
- **Those involved in mission** – in particular this week, continued travelling mercies for Darren Koo who is currently in Taiwan on the Presbyterian Church's mission programme (I Love Taiwan).



## Paul sails on to certain death - and life

**Acts 28: 17-30**

*Rev Stuart Vogel*

*A very warm welcome to everyone,  
especially visitors,  
to the service today!  
Please join us for morning tea  
afterwards.*

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God honors  
bold prayers  
because  
bold prayers  
honor God.

Mark Batterson

## Serving @ acpc

Service Leader  
 Music Leader  
 Bible Reader  
 Ushers  
 Techno  
 Cup of Tea & Dishes

## This week

Serene Thain  
 James Koay  
 Isabel Lam  
 Rob Wong, Brendon Fraser  
 Ricky Yap, Harvey He  
 Michael Yu, Adriana Kim,  
 Jenny Wong

## Next week

Jono Yu  
 Ant Yan  
 Samuel Ho  
 Stephen & Jacqueline Tsang  
 Michael Yu  
 Benson Fong, Jo Wong,  
 Eva Yeung

## God's Righteous Friend

*For our sake He made Christ [virtually] to be sin  
 Who knew no sin, so that in and through Him  
 we might become [endued with, viewed as being in, and  
 examples of] the righteousness of God [what we ought to  
 be, approved and acceptable and in right relationship  
 with Him, by his goodness].  
 —2 Corinthians 5:21*



## Reaching out each week @ acpc

### Chinese Chess/Checkers, table tennis and English conversation:

Thursdays 2 – 3.30pm

### Table tennis:

Sundays 3 - 5pm weekly

A good way to develop your table tennis skills in a friendly, stress-free atmosphere.



## EM news...

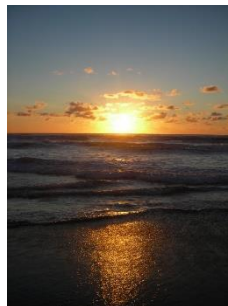
The English Ministry Leadership Team are delighted to announce that Jenna Barnes has offered to work on a voluntary basis for the English Ministry under the direction of the Rev Dr Stuart Vogel. Jenna will help organise ACPC-EM programmes and events.

Thanks to Jenna and also to the many others of our congregation who work in front of and behind the scenes as part of our church family. We don't say it enough, but your work, energy, ideas, and dedication are very much appreciated, thank you!!!

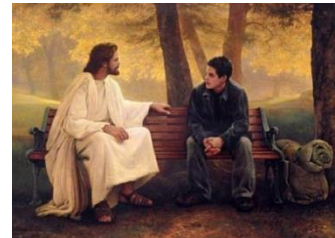
## Night Walk @ Muriwai – Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> July

Quite different from a moon walk (which would occur on 20<sup>th</sup> July under a full moon), our night walk takes in the stunning scenery at Muriwai Beach, driving out there to start together at 4pm.

The walk (approximately two and a half hours including some stops) will hopefully take in the sunset together with a return along the beach under the stars! We'll look to go somewhere for dinner together on the way back to the city. For more information, (including if you and a friend or two need a lift there and back) contact Rob O'Callahan on [robert@ocallahan.org](mailto:robert@ocallahan.org) or 021 783 289.



I cannot think of anything more awesome than being a friend of God. There is nothing I would rather hear God say than, "Joyce Meyer is My friend." I do not want Him to say, "Joyce Meyer—knows all the prayer principles; she can quote dozens of Bible verses; she sounds very eloquent when she prays; but she really doesn't know Me at all and we are not really friends." I want to know that God thinks of me as His friend, and I believe you long for Him to think of you that way, too. Through Jesus Christ, we have a right to be comfortable with God, to hear His voice, and to go boldly to the throne of grace to get the help we need in plenty of time to meet our needs and the needs of others (see Hebrews 4:16).



One of the best things you can ever do is to develop your friendship with God. Jesus has made you righteous through the blood He shed at the cross, so there is no reason you cannot approach God as boldly and as naturally as you would your best friend on Earth. Remember, friendship with God takes an investment of time and energy to develop. But also remember that as your friendship deepens, your ability to hear God's voice increases. A growing, vibrant, increasingly intimate friendship with God will naturally lead to increasingly effective communication with Him.

## East Timor Mission Fundraising— Fri 5<sup>th</sup> August, 6pm

The dinner held at St Peter's Presbyterian Church (7 Harrison Road, Ellerslie) is for the One 2 One Timor Trust, that provides dental and medical aid and training for those in East Timor, this nation being one of the poorest countries in the Pacific. The team plans to visit at the end of August and will take over essential equipment and medicines as well as provide training and treatment.



Tickets are \$35 and can be booked by payment to our Fundraiser Account G K Choy 38-9002-0120656-15 by referencing your name and no. of tickets. Our auction preview starts at 6.30pm with dinner at 7pm.