

**PLAINS PRESBYTERIAN PARISH**  
**GOVERNANCE COUNCIL *met 26<sup>th</sup> April 2022***

**Johanna welcomed members and Read from John 21** – Jesus third appearance to the Disciples after He had risen – telling the fishermen to put their nets on the other side. Jesus was there and prepared to feed us – the gift of sustenance.

There are a number of Pastoral concerns – *please pray for those we know who are unwell.*

**Covid update** – All NZ in 'Orange' now but masks are our safety plan to keep people safe. It may be that we should not have our buildings too hot and provide rugs or suggest extra layers for folk attending worship. Difficult to have good ventilation during winter months. Plan to use 'retiring offering' in meantime rather than hand offering baskets round. Cuppa optional but fellowship still happens without it!

**Plains Speaking is due out soon.**

*Seismic Reports show our buildings are at various ratings.* PCANZ requires buildings to be updated by June next year. Governance Council needs to make decisions on upgrading Treasurer and Reviewer – *still looking for someone to take on these responsibilities.* Will talk with Alpine Presbytery to look for advice and recommendations.

**Worship** – Thanks to Dorothy for arranging Worship Roster and to the folk who organise services in each area.

**PCANZ** - Assembly online at end of the week

**Financial Report:** Staveley repairs completed. Methven Manse insulation completed, and Property oversight is working well.

**MSB met last week. Hoping for update soon.**

**Next meeting 31<sup>st</sup> May 2:30 p.m. at Methven.**