



# PLAINS PRESBYTERIAN

## 6<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2022



*God of new opportunities, shine afresh on us in our communities.*

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### PRAYER OF ENCOURAGEMENT *Contributed by Annette Syme*

Dear Lord Jesus, thank You for making Yourself known to us and for Your invitation to us to follow you. I pray that You will help us to learn to recognise Your voice and have the courage to follow You. For You are the Good Shepherd, and in You we find life, life to the fullest. In your name we pray, Amen.

### NOVEMBER WORSHIP SERVICES

6 <sup>th</sup> Nov.	10:30 am	St. John's Methven Parish Service	Worship Team
13 <sup>th</sup> Nov.	9:30 am	St. Andrew's Rakaia	Rev. John Titlow
	10:30 am	St. John's Methven	Rev. Silvia Purdie
20 <sup>th</sup> Nov.	9:30 am	St. Andrew's Rakaia	Rev. Silvia Purdie
	10:30 am	St. John's Methven	Rev. Laurence Ennor
27 <sup>th</sup> Nov.	9:30 am	St. Andrew's Rakaia	Rev. Silvia Purdie
	10:00 am	Staveley & St. John's	Pastor Paul

### PLAINS PRESBYTERIAN NOTICES

**Online Worship:** Here is a link for Online Worship with Cashmere Presbyterian: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vJmEYBOUw4o>

**PCANZ One Conference:** Click the following link for more info; <http://www.plainspresbyterian.co.nz/wp-content/uploads/2022/09/One-Conference-A5-flyer-HIGH-RES-1.pdf>

**AGM Held on 30th October following Service** at St. John's Methven with 27 attending. *Vote of Thanks* We want to thank Denis Brown who is standing down. He is the one that go the Parish going, and we will all miss you. But be sure you can find him at a café. Thank you to Joan and Alex Wright who have been a part since the beginning and have brought many points of view. Also thank you to Johanna Warren for being an amazing Interim Moderator. We appreciate you for pushing us out of our comfort zone. Thank you for everything! And a Big thanks to everyone that is a part of the Parish! Rev. Johanna Warren ended our meeting with prayer. A great AGM with a yummy shared lunch following.

**St. John's Methven** Sunday 6th November | Parish service in Methven is being taken by the worship team and will be followed by a shared lunch. We will be farewelling Joan and Alex, Derek and Rae.

Thursday 10th November | 3:15 pm | **St. John's Brick Club** Christmas themed builds. We made holders for some tea light candles last week and this week we will be themed on bells and celebration musical instruments. \* *Only two more sessions of Brick Club for this year.*

Tuesday 6th December **Focus Group Meeting**

**St. Andrew's Rakaia** Tuesday 8th November | 11:30AM | **Rakaia Friendship Gathering** at St. Andrew's Hall. Sales Table Dinner, Housie and Euchre programme. Afternoon tea concludes the day. Welcome. Transport available.

Wednesday 9th November | 10:00 am **Rakaia Fit Kidz**

1:00 pm | **Steady As You Go** Exercises

Thursday 10th November | **Euchre with Norm Final Day**

Saturday 26 November | 10.00am - 12.00pm Mini Market Day. "Buy a Stall" \$10.00. Supporting the Rakaia Community.