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PLAINS PRESBYTERIAN 29TH OCTOBER 2023

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Prayer for Annual Meeting

Loving God, Help us to recognize the wider family of which we are a part, the churches of our town and country, churches in other lands, and the Church universal. Open our minds to all that we can give and receive, to everything we can learn from those who have gone before us, and to our own responsibilities as part of the great company of your people. You have called us together; send us out to work for your kingdom. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen. Nick Fawcett.

		WORSHIP SERVICES			
29th Oct	10:30 am	St. John's Methven	Rev. Martin Stewart		
	Parish Service, AGM to follow service, Shared lunch following AGM				
5 th Nov	10:30 am	St. John's Methven	Rev. Laurence Ennor		
12 th Nov	9:30 am	St. Andrew's Rakaia	Rev. John Titlow		
		Café Service			
	10:30 am	Methven at All Saints	Rev. Annette Eggleston		
19th Nov	9:30 am	St. Andrew's Rakaia	Linda Cowan		
	10:30 am	St. John's Methven	Rev. John Titlow		
26th Nov	9:30 am	St. Andrew's Rakaia	Online with Kilmarnock		
	10:00 am	Staveley	Pastor Paul Eden		
		Combined St Johns and Mayfield			
3 rd Dec	10:30 am	St. John's Methven	Rev. Laurence Ennor		
		Communion			
10 th Dec	9:30 am	St. Andrew's Rakaia	Rev. John Titlow		
	10:30 am	Methven at All Saints			

AGM—This Sunday 29th October 2023 following 10:30 am service with Rev. Martin Stewart at St. John's Methven To be emailed or posted a copy of Annual Reports Booklet please email plainsoffice@gmail.com

PLAINS PRESBYTERIAN NOTICES

GOVERNANCE REPORT Click the following link:

http://www.plainspresbyterian.co.nz/wp-content/uploads/2023/10/GovReport.pdf **DISCUSSION PAPER Click the following link:**

http://www.plainspresbyterian.co.nz/wp-content/uploads/2023/09/FINAL-DRAFT-ideas-meeting.pdf Can also be found on our website!

Online Worship Click the following links for worship at home;

Cromwell Presbyterian: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HZumRhRlKzM Hope Presbyterian https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kj7JoYZNwKM

St. Andrew's Rakaia

Tuesday 31st October 10:00 am | Rakaia Fit Kidz Welcome all preschoolers! 1:00 pm | Steady As You Go exercises with Dorothy Thursday 2nd November 1.30pm. Euchre with Norm and Fay. Saturday 9th December St Andrews Market Morning. "Book a Stall" for \$10.

Raising Funds for Mission



Sunday 3 December 2:00pm "Boy with Wings" Rakaia **Community Project** A puppet and music show for all the family! Held at Rakaia Community Hall Sponsored by Rakaia Lions

St. John's Methyen

Sunday 29th October 10.30am Church service at St John's Methyen. followed by the AGM. Rev Martin Stewart, executive officer for Alpine Presbytery will give the reflection at the service and preside at the AGM. Martin's theme for his message is Being Created, Known and Loved. Bible readings; Genesis 1: 1-28, Psalm 139; 1-14. Shared lunch follows the AGM. Welcome extended to all.

