

Postal Address:
C/O Plains Admin
139A Bowen Street
Rakaia 7710



PLAINS PRESBYTERIAN PARISH 28TH JANUARY 2024

Creator God, you bless us.



We gratefully receive donations Can be sent to; Plains Presbyterian
Account Number:
02 0868 0091269 00

Are you following us on Facebook? [Facebook.com/PlainsPresbyterianParish](https://www.facebook.com/PlainsPresbyterianParish) Check out our Website: [PlainsPresbyterian.co.nz](https://www.PlainsPresbyterian.co.nz) Stay Connected!!

CONTACTS FOR THE PARISH



Parish Clerks Liz Depree | 021 889 341 | l.depree@interlead.c.nz
Mayfield & Staveley Annette Syme | 3 03 0803 | annettesyme@icloud.com
St. Andrew's Rakaia Annette Syme | 3030803 | annettesyme@icloud.com
St. John's Methven Dorothy Knight | 3027595 | dottsknights@gmail.com
Administrator Elsa Hydes | 0212655050 | esurya@hotmail.com
 Miranda Addis | 02102414085 | plainsoffice@gmail.com

Harvest of the Seasons Prayer by Bill Bennett



The year's round of work looks towards the annual harvest of many things. Gracious God, you have ordained us to produce food to feed the world, We give thanks for the harvests- of sheep, beef, venison, pork and poultry, of fruits of all sorts and crops from the land, of milk for dairy products, of timber for building and pulp for paper industries and for fish from inshore and ocean fisheries. For you are a gracious God, giving us more than we desire or deserve, we give you thanks. *Amen*

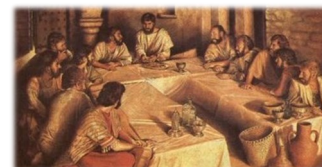
WORSHIP SERVICES

THIS SUNDAY
28th Jan
Staveley
10:00 am led by
Pastor Paul Eden
Shared morning tea following

4th Feb	10:30 am	St. John's Methven	Rev. Laurence Ennor
11th Feb	9:30 am	St. Andrew's Rakaia	Rev. John Titlow
	10:30 am	Methven All Saints	
18th Feb	9:30 am	St. Andrew's Rakaia	Video Church
	10:30 am	St. John's Methven	Rev. John Titlow
25th Feb	9:30 am	St. Andrew's Rakaia	Rev. Laurence Ennor
	10:30 am	Trinity Mayfield	Pastor Paul Eden

PLAINS PRESBYTERIAN NOTICES

Online Worship Click the following links for worship at home;



Hope Presbyterian: 21st Jan– A Seat at Your Table
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8h8bLsQuon0>
Cashmere Presbyterian: 11th Jan—Known by God
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SBmqX5Oudws>
Maze Presbyterian: 21st Jan Live Service
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Pk0D3BaLw0M>

St. Andrew's Rakaia Tuesday 30th January

10:00 am Rakaia Fit Kidz Commences for 2024!
1:00 pm Steady As You Go Exercises with Dorothy!



Staveley 28th January 10:00 am Parish Service with
Pastor Paul Eden. *Shared morning tea following.*

25th January at St. John's farewellled Anne Ridge. Rev. John Titlow conducted the service that Anne had planned.

Anne has had a lifetime connection with St Johns.

She spoke of Sunday School days and Bible Class involvement. Anne was a member of women's groups and was always part of fund raising efforts through catering and Shop Days. She was secretary for the Board of Managers and Property and Finance along with most of the groups she belonged to!



Her neat handwriting will be found in many of the church records in the days before computers. Anne's computer skills were always in demand and admired and envied by many of us! Anne produced the St John's Parish Newsletter for many years. Anne loved music and for many years she played the organ at St Johns and was a member of the choir. Anne was ordained as an elder in 2003 and served on Parish Council. *Anne was a very loyal and valued member of St John's, and she will be sorely missed.*