# MARDON RD CHURCH

we exist to encourage each other on this journey of christian faith, to share this message with others and to encourage one another to grow in maturity in christ



# 2 exciting Sunday Services RUN ENTIRELY BY OUR AMAZING YOUNG ADULTS SUNDAYS 1ST & 29TH MAY 10:30AM

# **BIBLE STUDY**

#### How to Read the Bible

Reading the Bible is challenging. It was written for different times, cultures and occasions, in different languages and writing styles, by different writers. But the greatest challenge of all is actually ourselves. Learn how to overcome these challenges and get the most out of reading the Bible.

Mondays, 7:15pm at the church with Alan Stanley May 2-June 6

# **COMING UP**

1st May - young adults service 7th May - CIANZ conference 8th May - mother's day 28th May - car boot sale 29th May - young adults service 29th May - pantry give & bless

# **YOUNG ADULTS SUNDAY SERVICES**

Welcome to church this morning and enjoy this special service run by our young adults. We know you will be blessed as they lead the service both today and again on Sunday the 29th May.

Please show your love and support to the team, and in particular to Lindsay and Dionne as they share with us from God's word today.

## CIANZ AGM & CONFERENCE 2022

#### Saturday 7th May 2022 via Zoom

Opening: 1:15pm / AGM: 1:30 pm - 2 pm / <u>CONFERENCE TALK: 2 pm</u>

Those interested could meet in a couple of homes for the talk via Zoom

TOPIC: Jesus and the soul, a Christocentric approach to conditional immortality.

Death is a universal human concern. In addition, within a Christian context, the death of Jesus is of primary importance. What did Jesus teach about death and how should that teaching be applied to the understanding of his death?



#### SPEAKER:

David Tatum is currently a PhD candidate in the School of Philosophy, Theology and Religion at the University of Birmingham. He holds an M.A. in Christian education and a B.A. in Philosophy and Theology. David moderates a Facebook page that discusses Biblical Anthropology and occasionally writes for CIANZ.

# **CAR BOOT SALE**

#### Saturday 28th May 8am - 12pm, Mardon Rd Church car park

Why a car boot sale? We want to provide:

- ·A Service
- ·Outreach, ... and the famous Mardon Rd Church
- ·Hospitality, to our local neighbourhood and community.

We are aiming to have the atmosphere of a church fair and make it a draw to our neighbours and the general public of Hamilton.

There will be members of the public booking in as sellers, and lots of foot traffic cruising the sales, so there will be lots of new people to welcome, chat to and serve. Loads of fun, food and bargains.

#### How can you help?

Please like and share the new Facebook page: www.facebook.com/Mardon-Road-Car-Boot-Sale-Mardon-Road-Church-Hamilton

If you are keen to participate you can book a car space to do your own selling on the day. (See Dave 012 861 842 or Tracey 027 346 0293)
Let your family, friends, and neighbours know we're having this event, and offer them the opportunity to be part of it as sellers on the day.

#### On the day you can also help with:

Sausage sizzle

Bake sale/giveaways (you can donate baking or serve people on the day) Live music

Fun activities e.g. face painting, balloons, games for children etc. Your other great ideas are very welcome. If you would like to help out have a chat to Dave or Tracey.

# **GIVING**

Giving takes many forms and is an expression of our thanks for what we have in the Lord. Financial giving at Mardon Road has always been at the discretion of the giver and the leadership would like to thank you all who regularly support the church in this way. With the majority of people donating online you'll notice we have stopped passing the offering boxes around during the service, but the boxes at the back of the church are there if anyone still uses envelopes or would like to make a donation on the day. If you are considering giving online the details are Hamilton Church of Christ Trust 03-0318-0698082-01. Thanks again for your support.



# **MAY BIRTHDAYS**

Tracy Walton - 1st Doris Hansen - 18th Jan Horton - 18th Winnie Wang - 22nd Gareth Madhuku - 28th David Phelps - 29th

### CONTACTS

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**Care Coordinators:** 

Raewyn Moss, Glenyss Bennett

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1 10:30a church Young Adults service	7:15p Bible study @ church	7:30p youth Bible study @ Bennett's	7:30p young adults	7:15p choir	6 10:00a roving fellowship @ Don & Mary's home	7
<b>8</b> Mother's Day 10:30a church speaker: Tony Hanne wl: Ben Watkinson	7:15p Bible study @ church	10	7:30p young adults	12	7:00p men's coffee night @ Coffee Culture	14
15 10:30a church speaker: Lewis Varley wl: Tom Bennett	7:15p Bible study @ church	17 7:30p youth Bible study @ Bennett's	18 7:30p young adults	<b>19</b> 7:15p choir	10:00a roving fellowship @ Innovation Park Cafe	21
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