

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



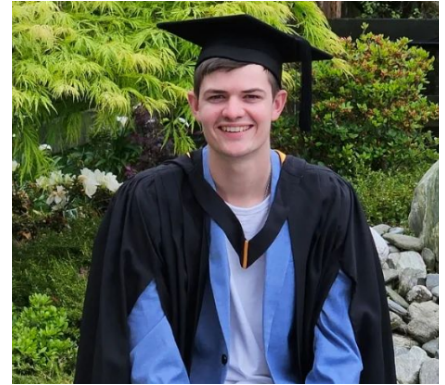
ETHAN ANESU MAZHANGA

Congratulations to Nathan and Dephine on the safe arrival of Ethan Anesu on the 20th of October. Ethan was born a healthy 8lb 12oz (3970 grams). He is such a cutie and Kudzai is loving having a little brother. Please keep the Mazhanga family in your prayers, especially as they relocate soon to Australia.



BEN AND KATIE

Congratulations to Ben Watkinson and Katie Reichenbach on their engagement!! We're so happy for you both. We know the Lord walks with you every step of the way and we pray He will bless your life together into the future.



JOSH GOBLE

Congratulations to Josh Goble who graduated recently with a Bachelor of Business, double majoring in strategic management and psychology. We pray that God will guide your search for meaningful employment and use your abilities to the fullest.

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

3rd Joshua Goble
3rd Lynette Scott
14th Shannon Doar
16th Brian Cooney
16th Cam Rickard
17th Lana Kong
23rd Steve Makiha

tearfund

The Big Quiz Night

Thanks so much for making a difference in the world by joining us for the Big Quiz!

We had 60 host churches that collectively raised about \$40,000 for people in Tearfund's projects.

COMING UP:

shared lunch - Sunday 5th November
church meeting - Sunday 19th November
car boot sale - Saturday 25th November
Christmas service - Sunday 17th December
family camp - 16th to 18th February 2024

CONTACTS

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Raewyn Moss, Glenyss Bennett



PAUL AND WENDY

We were so fortunate to spend the last two weeks of October in South Korea. This was an amazing once-in-a-lifetime experience and at times overwhelming to be in one of the largest cities in the world. You certainly rely on God every day in situations like this. The highlight for us was to spend every day with Charlie. We also enjoyed learning some of the Korean culture and history, even travelling to the demilitarized zone (DMZ) between the North and South. Other highlights include visiting a giant aquarium - in a mall!, sampling a wide range of Korean barbeque, singing karaoke, surviving a simply massive wooden roller coaster ride and having only glass walls between us and lions, tigers and bears. Such a great holiday.



FAMILY CAMP

16th to 18th February 2024
 Speaker: Reuben Munn, senior pastor at Shore Community Church
 Pacific Park Christian Holiday Camp, Papamoa
 All welcome, make sure you plan to come to camp!!



FOYER UPGRADE

The leadership group have engaged builders to expand the foyer into the library space. This will give us more room as we fellowship together over morning tea and shared lunches. Work is planned to begin this Monday, the 6th of November.

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*The Lord is my light and my salvation;
 Whom shall I fear? The Lord is the strength of my life;
 Of whom shall I be afraid?*
 Psalm 27:1

CHURCH MEETING

The annual church meeting will be held on Sunday the 19th of November following the morning service and lunch (lunch will be provided). All welcome.
 The agenda has been provided today. Please let Paul and Wendy know of any new items to add to the agenda by the 12th of November.

NOVEMBER 2023

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1 7:30p young adults	2 7:15p choir	3	4
5 10:30a church speaker: Lewis Varley wl: Carl Brandt shared lunch	6	7 7:30p leadership meeting @ Neville's	8 7:30p young adults	9	10 11:45a roving fellowship @ Old Creamery cafe	11
12 10:30a church speaker: Richard Goodwin wl: Ben Watkinson	13	14	15 7:30p young adults	16 7:15p choir	17	18
19 10:30a church speaker: Werner Schreiber wl: Paul Goble church meeting	20	21	22 10:00a coffee group @ Glenyss' 7:30p young adults	23	24 11:45a roving fellowship @ Woodlands cafe	25 8:00a car boot sale @ church
26 10:30a church speaker: Paul Goble wl: Sam Bennett	27	28	29 7:30p young adults	30 7:15p choir		