

MISSION STATEMENT:
ENCOUNTER GOD
CONNECT WITH OTHERS
BE EQUIPPED &
IMPACT OUR COMMUNITY

**THANK YOU
FOR JOINING
US TODAY
WE CAN'T
WAIT TO SEE
YOU NEXT
WEEK!**

**WELCOME
WE'RE
GLAD
YOU
MADE IT
TODAY**

We now have a guest Wi-Fi here at Church.
Network is : Ashburton Baptist Guest
Password: Welcomefamily
Make sure you agree to the Terms & Conditions.

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MEET THE TEAM

Board of Elders

Mark Dewhirst - Chairman
Craig Hansen
John Staite
Mike Hill

Staff

Rich Fox - Senior Pastor
Clint Hawkes - Youth Pastor
Delia Fox - Kids Church Leader
Jo Annear - Administrator

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GIVING

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Prayer Chain

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USEFUL INFO HERE



KIDS CHURCH

There will be a movie upstairs for the children today.

WONDERFUL NEWS - The votes are in and the result was a resounding YES 🇵🇭 🙏 🙏
We are delighted to announce Rich Fox as our new Senior Pastor at Ashburton Baptist Church and are excited about all that God has in store for us. Welcome to the team Rich and family! A new chapter has begun.
From the Board of Elders.

Isaiah 43:19 “ See, I am doing a new thing!
Now it springs up; do you not perceive it?
I am making a way in the wilderness
and streams in the wasteland. “

PRAYER POINTS FOR OUR MISSIONARIES:

- * **Alex Shipp:** in the Philippines. Please pray for Alex's health as he has been quite unwell.
 - pray for safety for Key (a friend of Alex) who's life is in danger. Key's sons live with Alex while they are studying.
 - healing for Joseph's daughter, Joanna, who was mauled by a dog.
- * **Marion Male/N.C.T.C:** in Labasa/Fiji. -Marion is still stranded in Australia & needs some accommodation.
- * The children at NCTC got back to school for 2 days and now they are closed again due to cyclones and an upsurge of Covid. Pray that the schools open up soon.

SEED OFFERING FOR TONGA: You will be aware of the devastation in Tonga from the volcanic eruption last week. The Tongan people are in desperate need of food, fresh water and other supplies. NZBMS are forwarding donations and have assured us that **100% of the money given** will be passed on to partners who are most effectively working on the ground in Tonga. We will have a Seed Offering **NEXT SUNDAY** to send to this appeal. If you would like to donate, please bring your offering along to add to the fund.

Pray for our C.A.P. families facing extra costs at the beginning of the new school year . This can be quite stressful. Pray also, that people will have the courage to contact our debt centre for practical help and support through on-going financial issues.

CHURCH CAMP : We are hoping to be able to have another church camp from March 4th -6th. This will be a great way to get to know some of the new families who have become part of the ABC whanau over the last year.

We need to gauge interest so that we can organise it under current/possible restrictions, so if you are interested please let Jane Pearce, Rich Fox or the office know.

WE NEED DATES! *Not the ones you eat, or even the romantic sort; instead, we need your dates for meetings, start -up of ministries for the year and any planned future events. Please email them to Jo/Jenny at the office so we can get things on the calendar and ensure there are no clashes.*



**JOIN US AFTER THE SERVICE
FOR A HOT DRINK FROM OUR
CONNECT CAFE**

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

MONDAY 24th January

11.00am-1pm Community Lunch & Bible Study

TUESDAY 25th

10am-12 pm Community tea & Coffee

WEDNESDAY 26th

7-8am Prayer in Oasis

THURSDAY 27th

10am-12 pm Community tea & Coffee

FRIDAY 28th

7-8am Prayer in Oasis

SATURDAY 29th

SUNDAY 30th

9.30am Prayer

10.00am Morning Service

KITCHEN FRIDGE - If you have any food or drink that you wish to store in the fridge, please make sure that you label it with your name and the date you placed it in the fridge. This way it will still be there when you wish to retrieve it.