



P I C T O N Baptist Church

**“Go and make disciples of all nations, baptising them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.”
Matthew 28:19 (NIV)**



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TODAY'S SERVICE

*Opening Song..... All together
The Joy of the Lord
Prayer, Welcome & Notices Bill Pettigrew
*Singing..... All together
As We Gather May Your Spirit Work
Within Us
Offering All together
*Singing..... All together
O Praise the Name
Communion..... Led by Garry Stanley
*Singing..... All together
Broken Vessels (Amazing Grace)
Message Kim Robertson
Revisiting the Great Commission
Matthew 28:16–20
*Closing Song All together
The Servant Song
Prayer & Benediction Deo Vistar
*Led by the Praise Team: Gwenda (leading), Graham (keyboard), Ian (singer), Lynette (projector), Bill P (sound)
✳ If you have any questions or need help, please ask one of the welcomers who will be happy to help you.
✳ If you would like prayer after the service today, ask the people around you or come to the front and someone will pray for you.
✳ A crèche is available for parents with little children. The service is relayed into the room so you are able to listen to it. Please ensure the room is left tidy.
✳ We invite you to stay for a cup of tea after the service.

PASTORAL NOTES

Kia ora! Welcome to our worship this morning. If you are a first-time guest, I encourage you to fill out a blue visitor card and hand it to the welcomers or drop it in one of the offering bags.

This is our Mission Weekend here at PBC, and it's great to have Kim and Mary Robertson visiting and sharing with us updates about their mission work in Thailand as well as challenging us about the continuing work of the Great Commission. As a local church we've been privileged to partner with Kim and Mary through prayer and financial support. I trust we will all have an inspiring time together today.

As a missional church we are on the lookout for new opportunities and strategies to serve our community and to share the gospel of Christ. I am excited about our key outreach events and I ask to support and pray for these. The monthly Dinner Collective will restart on 3 March. We have invitation sheets available in the foyer that you could take and pass on to your friends and neighbours. This coming Friday we're beginning a new outreach ministry called Tea @ 10, a low-key outreach where we want people to find friends and have fun while enjoying a cuppa. Pray for the Care Team organising this and for a good turnout.

Guan and I are starting our new ministry to young families which we call Christian Parents Network. We have our first gathering this Saturday. Our vision is to form a network where Christian parents find help and support in building strong families and raising God-fearing children. We know this is a huge task, but as young parents ourselves we feel we must take a lead in it. Please back us up with your faithful prayers. That's what I meant when I mentioned in our last AGM that we as a congregation must be supportive of young families – to pray for them and encourage them.

Continue to pray for the Lord's sustaining grace upon Andy Baldwin's mum (Pat). Pray also for complete healing for Stu Henderson who has not been very well in the last several days. – Deo

NOTICES

Thank You

To Kim & Mary Robertson: Many thanks for your visit, for sharing with us updates of the Kingdom work in Thailand with which you have been involved, and for ministering the Lord's Word to us. May the Lord continue to bless and use you for His Kingdom work, and may your time in NZ be fruitful and blessed. – From the PBC Family

What's on this Week?

- Music Group Practice Monday 11 Feb 7pm at Church
- Home groups: Tue 10am & 7pm at Pene's place; Thu 7pm at Steve & Sue's place (studying Acts 26). All welcome.
- Elders' Meeting on Tue 1pm at Church
- Picton Ministers Association Meeting on Wed 12.00pm at Waves Café in town
- TOTS Baptist Pastors Cluster Meeting in Nelson on Thu
- Tea @ 10 at the Marina Cove (Upper Lounge) on Friday. \$2 donation. All welcome.
- Picton Christian Parents Network – First Gathering on 16 Feb (Sat) 4.30pm at Church. For queries speak with Deo or Guan.

Looking Ahead

- Worship Service at the Seaview Home on 20 Feb (Wed) 10am. For inquiries speak with Deo.
- "Celebrate Baptism" & Church Picnic on 24 Feb 12.00noon at Ngakuta Bay. All welcome.
- Dinner Collective (Hamburger Night) on Sunday 3 March 6.00pm with Linda Price speaking. All welcome.

Next Sunday's Sermon Focus

The Lord's Prayer: Matthew 6:9–15

Any Prayer Requests?

If you have any prayer request for the prayer chain, contact Judith Dodge at 573 9245.

Giving by Internet Banking

If you'd like to give to the Lord's work here at PBC, you can do so via internet banking. To start an automatic payment please phone Garry Stanley at 027 278 4998 (or Lynette at 027 500 1517) or email jessdog10@hotmail.com.

For Your Prayers:

- Our church & community events this week (see above)
- Kingsley, Maree, Lydia & Hannah Morris in Malawi as they seek the Lord's leading for the next chapter of their life and ministry
- Kim & Mary Robertson: "We are back in NZ after a 5 year term in Thailand to refresh, reconnect, report and represent: reconnect with family, friends, supporters, prayer partners, and churches. We report about the church planting work in Central Thailand and we represent OMF in the churches and groups we visit to mobilise people to be involved in mission. We aim to be refreshed and also to strengthen our support base so that we can return to serve in Thailand in mid-October."

Quotable Quotes

"If you believe in a God who controls big things, you have to believe in a God who controls the little things. It is we, of course, to whom things look 'little' or 'big.'"

– Elizabeth Elliott, widow of Jim Elliott who was killed while attempting to make mission contact with the Aucas in Ecuador

"The mission of the church is to go into the world and make disciples by declaring the gospel of Jesus Christ in the power of the Spirit and gathering these disciples into churches, that they might worship and obey Jesus Christ now and in eternity to the glory of God the Father."

– Kevin DeYoung & Greg Gilbert

ROSTERS*

Hosting

3rd Feb..... Pene & Gyllian
10th Feb..... Ana & Linda P (Communion)
17th Feb..... Lauraine Y & Nelia
24th Feb..... Bill & Mary P (Communion)

Music & Sound

3rd Feb: Garry (leading), Jonathan (guitar), Bronwyn (keyboard), Jude (singer), Lynette (projector), Steve L (sound)

10th Feb: Gwenda (leading), Graham (keyboard), Ian Stewart (singer), Lynette (projector), Bill P (sound)

17th Feb: Allison (leading), Ana (keyboard), Jude (singer), Bill P (projector), Steve L (sound)

24th Feb: Garry (leading), Jonathan (guitar), Bronwyn (keyboard), Kirsty (singer), Lynette (projector), Andy (sound)

*If the date doesn't suit please arrange a swap with others on the roster.