

Church Meetings coming up:

Church Prayer Meeting—Fridays 10—10.45am in the Sinclair Room

Purls & Prayers meets Thursday 27th February at 1.15pm in the Sunshine Room

Managers meet on Thursday 13th March in the Sinclair Room at 7pm

1st Mosgiel Boys' Brigade meets on Tuesday nights at 6.30pm in the McKerrow Lounge during school terms. Contact Warwick Tomlinson 022 0600 020

The church bank account for donations and other payments is

BNZ Mosgiel 02-0938-0020934-00

Please note your name and the purpose for the payment in the appropriate fields

Prayer Chain: Contact: **Annette Littlejohn** 027 615 4013

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or a message can be left with Wendy Andrews 489 5684



ASSEMBLY POINTS if Church buildings are **evacuated** in an **emergency** are:

Mosgiel—On Church Street in front of Taieri College

North Taieri—At the furthest away roadside gate

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MOSGIEL—NORTH TAIERI PRESBYTERIAN PARISH

Jesus is Lord!

Continuing Jesus' Mission
Changed Lives - Lived out

We welcome you warmly to our services today, praying that all who gather here will be blessed by God as we worship Him together.

Sunday 23rd February 2025

Welcome to Worship at North Taieri @ 9.30am

PREACHER: Rev Peter Bodeker *'Loving our enemies'*

SERVICE LEADER: Peter Horrell

MUSICIAN: Philip Craigie

BIBLE READINGS: Psalm 37: 1-11 & 39-40 and Luke 6: 27-36

Welcome to Worship at Mosgiel @ 10am

PREACHER & SERVICE LEADER : Lisa Wells

MUSICIAN: Kirsten Flett

BIBLE READER: Ruth Thompson

BIBLE READINGS: Luke 6:27-38 (NIV)

Welcome to Worship at Mosgiel @ 2pm

PREACHER: Rev Bill Sim *'The rich fool'*

MUSICIAN: Winifred Harrex


BIBLE READINGS: Psalm 133 & Luke 12: 13-21 (NRSV)

HOSTS: Wendy Robinson & Jan Idour

UPCOMING EVENTS



Whanau Fun - TODAY 23rd February 4.30—6.30pm,
'LET'S CELEBRATE' with a BBQ & GAMES
 at the **Mosgiel Presbyterian Church**
Everyone is most welcome.
For more information contact Alison North 027 489 5648

 **Friday morning Prayer Group is starting up this Friday 28th February**
at the new time of 10am till 10:45am meeting in Sinclair room.
All are welcome.

World Day of Prayer: Friday 7th March at 1.30 p.m. at the Methodist Church
 on the corner of Wickcliff Street and Gordon Road. The service has been
 prepared by the Ladies of the Cook Islands.



Celebration of Quarterly Communion will be on **9th March**
 at all our services—NOT 3rd March as in the quarterly Newsletter.
 (Sincere apologies for any confusion)

Financial update

The budget for the 2025 financial year presented to, and approved by, the congregation in June 2024 indicated that offerings would have to increase to meet the ever-rising costs of ministry. Below is an update showing offerings received for the period ended 31 January 2025 compared with both budget and the prior year at the same point in time.

	Actual	Budget	% of budget	Last Year	% of last year
Offerings:					
Mosgiel	82,571	88,422	-6.62%	82,902	-0.40%
North Taieri	15,558	15,409	0.97%	14,845	4.80%
Total Offerings	98,129	103,831	-5.49%	97,747	0.39%

The Board of Managers would encourage you to take the time to prayerfully consider the level of financial support you are able to offer, and thanks you for the contribution you are making – it is appreciated!



Volunteers needed – On February 28th 6 – 9pm
 SHFT (Saddle Hill Foundation Trust) are holding their annual
 Community Carnival at the East Taieri Hub. More helpers are
 needed to supervise activities. If you can help in any way at all
 please contact Alison North 027 489 5648.



SINGLES LUNCH, Sunday 2nd March 11.45am
 at **The Grange Café**, 19 Clachan Grange Road,
 East Taieri (*booking sheet in the glasshouse*)
NB: earlier time

Community Outreach – Every 2 weeks our church supplies
Taieri College Counsellors with **food** which they distribute to
needy students. We make up 4 loaves of sandwiches, a batch
 of chocolate chippie biscuits and some muffins. If you can
 help make sandwiches at 10am on a Monday please contact
 Alison North 027 489 5648 to go on the roster. It only takes
 about 30 minutes to make and wrap the sandwiches.



'The Ministry Settlement Board (MSB) for Mosgiel North Taieri Presbyterian
 Parish met for the first time on Wednesday 5th February. We discussed the
 “Guide for Ministry Settlement Boards” manual with particular attention to
 the tasks and functions of the MSB. The MSB plans to meet monthly with the
next meeting scheduled for **Sunday 16th March 11.30am.**'

Rev Brendon McRae

NEXT SUNDAY 2ND MARCH, THERE WILL BE A

COMBINED MORNING SERVICE

AT NORTH TAIERI AT 10AM

(THE WEETBIX TRYATHLON BLOCKS CHURCH STREET)

2pm Mosgiel service as usual