#### what's happening in november @ acpc Mon **Tues** Wed **Thurs** Fri Sun Sat 31 2 3 4 5 6 1 6.30pm 10.30am 7.30pm 10.30am Tea & Talk Newmarket Young Service Adults' Group 3-5pm Group Table Tennis 7 8 9 13 10 11 12 7.30pm 10.30am 10.30am 10.00am 10.30am Newmarket Ladies Group Tea & Talk Remuera Service Group 6.30pm 8pm Group 3-5pm Young Greenlane Table Tennis Adults' Group Group 17 20 14 15 16 18 19 7.30pm 6.30pm 10.30am 10.30am Newmarket Young Tea & Talk Communion Group Adults' Service Group 3-5pm mq8 St Heliers Table Tennis Group 26 27 21 22 23 24 25 10.30am 7.30pm 10.30am 10.30am 10.00am Tea & Talk Newmarket Ladies Group Remuera Service Group 6.30pm 8pm Group 3-5pm Young Greenlane Table Tennis Adults' Group 6-9pm Monthly Pot-luck Group

### Keen on attending home group?

021 739 838 Greenlane: George Lowe 524 9391 Ladies: Glenda Chov 027 274 2570 Newmarket: Robert Fong Remuera: Ken Cheung 021 431 607 St Heliers: Marty Bing 021 753 406 Rob O'Callahan 021 783 289 Young Adults:

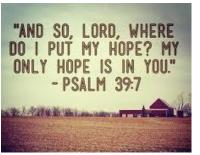


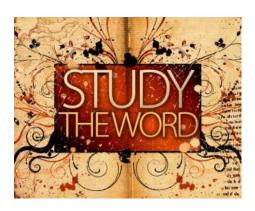
# AUCKLAND CHINESE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

105 Vincent Street, Auckland City 20th November 2016

#### praying for others

- Rev Tang & Rev Vogel as they minister at ACPC – for wisdom & God's guidance in leading our ministries.
- ACPC congregations that we hear more keenly God's direction for us on a personal and church level.
- For our prospective Ministry Settlement Board – Our thanks to all who have offered themselves for this important service from Northern Presbytery and ACPC.
- For all the people impacted by the Kaikoura Earhquake – May they find strength in this difficult time and may we be able to assist in any way that is needed.





## Study the Word and Preach What You Practise

2 Tim 3:10- 4:8
Rev Stuart Vogel

A very warm welcome to everyone, especially visitors, to the service today!

Please join us for morning tea afterwards.

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#### Serving @ acpc

Service Leader
Music Leader
Bible Reader
Ushers
Techno
Cup of Tea & Dishes

#### This week

Stephen Tsang
Rea Thain
Michelle Tsang
George Lowe, Benson Fong
Michael Yu, Ricky Yap
Cindy Lowe, John Probert,
Jean Wong

#### Next week

Jono Yu
Peter Ting
Nathan Chan
Brendon & Lidia Fraser
Harvey He, Robert Fong
Adriana Kim, Jenny Wong,
Serene Thain

#### Reaching out each week @ acpc

<u>Tea and Talk - games, tea and English</u> conversation:

Thursdays 10.30-12pm

#### **Table tennis:**

Sundays 3 - 5pm weekly A good way to develop your table tennis skills in a friendly, stress-free atmosphere.



#### Ministry Settlement Board... update

We are thankful to Marty Bing, Lydia Ko, Jono Yu, Rob O'Callahan, Peter Ting and Andrew To for accepting nomination for the MSB to search for a fulltime minister for the English Ministry. There will be an ACPC congregational meeting on **Sunday 4**th **December** after the service to confirm their appointments.



#### Potluck & Games Evening next Sunday

As Christmas is just around the corner, we'll share about St Nicholas of the Netherlands and the meaning of Christmas with our inner city neighbours and hear about Christmas in other lands. Come and share some Christmasy food, games and fellowship.

#### How can we help?

Thank you for your previous positive response with assisting the homeless women in the CBD with hygiene products. We would like to continue to support this important need with Splice on a regular basis. Please put contributions into the contribution box in the box provided at the back of the hall.



Opportunity to help international students through the Police Aunties and Uncles Programme. Assist international students to learn the Kiwi way of life, to settle in and teach them to keep safe. See the notice and Jean for more information.

#### Thoughts & prayers for earthquake affected parishes

(The PCANZ is holding its bi-annual General Assembly (GA16) in Dunedin. This is a message from the Moderator of PCANZ)

Dear friends and colleagues

Warm greetings from the General Assembly currently meeting in Dunedin.

I write to you in the wake of the terrible 7.8 magnitude earthquake that struck on Monday near Hanmer Springs.

To our parishes in North Canterbury, Marlborough and Wellington, you are in our thoughts and prayers. Many of you have sustained damage to your peace, your homes and your church buildings as a result of the quake and the continuing aftershocks. I pray that this distressing time will soon end.

In my opening sermon of Assembly, I spoke on hope and the need for all of us in these difficult times to embrace hope over fear. I pray that you are given the strength you need to help your communities not give into fear.

Please know that we are taking up a special offering and opening a Moderator's appeal to raise support for parishes in the affected presbyteries. We will have details of the Appeal for you soon.

You are very much in our thoughts and prayers.

In Christ Richard

Riaht Rev Richard Dawson

Moderator of the Presbyterian Church of Aotearoa New Zealand

#### Sermon notes