



St Paul's

Presbyterian Church

“Where Faith in Jesus Christ Flourishes”



Sunday 30 November 2025

All Ages

“Waiting in Hope”

John 1:4-5, Luke 2:21-40

Deeper * Stronger * Wider

WHAT'S ON

Fellowship Luncheon

To purchase school bags for the children of Matchim, the Mission Team is hosting a **luncheon** after the service today. A bag for a **koha** will be available. Thank you to those who contributed towards the finger food.

Katikati Church Combined Service

The Katikati Church Combined service is at the Baptist Church this Sunday. Abigail Vincent, who is off to Sudan next year, will be the speaker. Service starts at 7pm. All are welcome.

Remembrance Service

Elliotts Funerals will be running a **remembrance service** at **St Peter's Anglican Church** on **Tuesday 2 December at 7pm**. All are welcome.

Men's Prayer Breakfast

Men's Prayer Breakfast next Saturday 6 December in the dining hall 7:30am. All men welcome.

U-Fit Functional Fitness

There will be a session tomorrow. See you 9am. All welcome. If unsure, please contact Karen 0210 221 5530

New Members' Information

If you are **new to St Paul's** (or have been coming a while) and would like to be **added to our phonebook, email list, receive and envelope number or want a name badge**, please **email the office** with your **full name, address and phone number and email address** so that Karen can add you. admin@stpaulskatikati.org.nz Alternatively, you can complete a registration form which you will find on the information table in the foyer. Once completed, please post it in the "Your thoughts" box on the little table in front of the reception window.

Foris Home Group

Foris Bible study: 44 Ballantyne Way, Mondays 7pm. Ph 07-549-3346. Final session on the book of James – Monday 1 December – All welcome. **No**

Bible study 8 December. Pot-luck 15 December, which will be our final get-together for the year.

Serving in our life together

Highlight from the year:

There has been wider participation in service areas: morning tea, welcomers, cleaning, worship teams, and prayer ministries

Pray for:

Continued involvement, unity and willingness to serve joyfully together.



Words of Encouragement:

- *Everyone has a gift, talent. Please use it*
- *Together everyone achieves more*
- *Thank you for your joyful service*
- *Keep going*
- *May we keep up the friendly and purposeful vibes of this church*
- *Thank you for your heart for others*
- *May the Lord continue to strengthen you in serving*
- *Thank you for caring for us and the wider community who share this space*
- *As we get older may we have the energy to continue to serve*
- *I pray for continue help in all services*
- *Thank you for your faithful service*

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All proceeds will be going towards Beach Mission

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KATIKATI SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE CLUB

ST ANDREWS DAY

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(Kaylee)

Sunday 30th November
3pm - 6pm
Katikati Memorial Hall

Fun afternoon of dancing
Flat shoes recommended

Adults \$10
16 Years & under Free
Tickets at the door
Bring a small plate to share

SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCING
IT'S THE REAL THING!

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Listen for the sirens to know they're coming

Emergency Services Foodbank Drive

✓ Tuesday 2nd December
 ✓ Starting at 6:30pm

Bring your cash or non-perishable food donations out to the roadside for collection.

On **Tuesday, 2 December** the **Emergency Services Foodbank Drive** is being held, starting at **6.30pm**. If you are able, please contribute to this worthy cause. A team of volunteers will be sorting the donations at the Baptist Church. You are welcome to join them to help between 6.30pm and 7pm, for as much time as you are able, it's a fun night.

The Foodbank will be **closed** from **midday on Christmas Eve** and will **re-open on Monday, 5 January**. **Emergency food** can be **requested** on **29th, 30th & 31st December** by calling the Foodbank number: **027 2037373**.

Thank you for supporting the Foodbank during the year. We are seeing a steady increase and appreciate all the support that we receive.

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Baptism is an **important** part of what it means to follow Jesus. If you are interested and want to know more, please talk with Ken Harray or our Session Clerk, Vanya Wallis.

CHURCH GIVING AND BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS

If you wish to set up an automatic payment or donate to St Paul's, please use the following details:

Katikati Presbyterian Church, 02-0340-0013449-00

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The outgoing is elevated due to window expenditure in the children's church

We don't take up an offering during the service. If you would like to give, please use the wooden box in the foyer. Thank you.

Month	Incoming	Outgoing	Difference
October	\$29,050	\$34,122	\$5,072

Prayer



Every **Tuesday** morning from **9:30** in the **meeting room**.

Sunday mornings before sermon in the **Chapel** from **9am**

Reflectively **before service** in the **auditorium**.

Use the **Chapel** any time during office hours. Just please sign in and out at reception.

For specific prayer requests, contact **Vanya/pastoral team**.

SMALL GROUPS

Monday Afternoon - Monday afternoon from 1.30pm to 3.00pm at 34 Longmynd Drive, Katikati. Contact Alison 027 662 3246 or Paul Parish on 027 423 0836.

Bible Study at the Foris Home Group – 44 Ballantyne Way.

Ph 07-549-3346. Join us in our journey as we work through the book of James. All welcome.

His Youth

Friday nights from 7-9pm for Youth 12 and older (Year 8 and up) at St Paul's Church – during term times only



Mainly Music

This is a fun music and movement group for pre-school aged children and their parents or caregivers. Friday morning (**except school and public holidays**). A door charge of \$3 per child, \$5 per family. Contact Cheryl Harray

mainlymusic@stpaulskatikati.org.nz or stpaulskkmm@gmail.com

CONTACTS

- **Interim Moderator** Ken Harray phone 022-476-7402 email minister@stpaulskatikati.org.nz
- **Session Clerk** Vanya Wallis phone 0212301741 email session@stpaulskatikati.org.nz
- **CHILDREN'S AND FAMILIES** email: stpaulscfm@gmail.com or families@stpaulskatikati.org.nz

Cheryl Harray phone 027-489-6153 * Kylie Olson phone 028-421-5640

- **Treasurer** Dirk Verbeek email treasurer@stpaulskatikati.org.nz
- **Office Administrator** Karen Verbeek admin@stpaulskatikati.org.nz
Office hours Tuesday-Thursday 9:30am - 2:30pm phone 549-0098 or Karen 021-0221-5530

- **CHURCH BOOKINGS AND NOTICES FOR NEWSLINE**

Email: admin@stpaulskatikati.org.nz Newsline deadline Thursdays 12pm

- **His Youth** Miriam hisyouthkatikati@gmail.com
- **Pastoral Needs** Althea Ormsby 021-071-9549 email pastoral@stpaulskatikati.org.nz

Glennis Keown phone 021-072-6210 email glennz54@hotmail.com

- Anything you would like to bring under management attention managers@stpaulskatikati.org.nz

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