



COMPASSIONATE and GRACIOUS SLOW TO ANGER
overflowing with LOYAL LOVE and FAITHFULNESS

EXODUS 34:6

The pastors and elders are available to pray with you this morning after the service
or at any other convenient time.

This week 9 - 15 May

Monday 9	Coffee Connections: 9.30 - noon
Tuesday 10	mainly music: 9.30 am Toy Library: 10 am - noon Young Adults: 7.00 pm Kaukapakapa Home Group at John & Sharon's 7 pm
Wednesday 11	Community Room booked: 9.30 am - noon Deacons' Meeting: 7.00 pm
Thursday 12	Bible Study: 10 am
Sunday 15	Prayer Meeting: 9.30 am in the creche

Coming Events

- 11 May** Deacons' Meeting
- 18 May** Church Prayer Meeting
- 29 May** AGM
- 1 June** Elders' Meeting

Rosters for Next Sunday

You will need to wear a mask the whole time you are at church except when eating and drinking. This is a government requirement for all volunteers. Masks are available if you forget to bring one.

- Leading:** Pauline Norrish
- Door:** Keith Willis
- Computer:** Richard Bateman
- Morning Tea:** Peter & Rachelle Edlington

AGM / Nominations

The AGM is on 29 May after church.

Today is the last day for nominations for deacons. Nominations for elders have already closed.

Mothers' Day Morning Tea

Instead of our usual Mothers' Day breakfast, we will be having a special morning tea today. Please stay and enjoy it with us.

Mask wearing

Mask wearing is optional. However, all volunteers must wear masks except when eating and drinking. This is a government regulation. Volunteers need only wear masks when they are rostered on.

Finances

Pauline Norrish is our new treasurer. All queries and reimbursements go to her. The email address to use is treasurer@rivervalleybaptist.org. We are very grateful that Pauline has offered to fill this role.

Children's Programme

The children's ministry starts this week Sunday 8th May. The children will all be together and the Bright Sparks will be staying in with the Power Zone kids. We look forward to all being together again.

Missionary News - Indra & Jyoti (Nepal)

We are always dependent on God, dear Family. In the past years when admission time arrived I used to fundraise and every year there were miracles happening. People would speak up, sponsor and promise for the glory of God. Sadly this year is different. Those who supported us in the past can no longer help as they themselves are in difficulty in a financial crisis. I do believe that the Lord will do another miracle and help us in our needs. All the children have secured good marks in their examinations and now they need to move on to their new classes. Sadly their admission fees are a very big amount for us so please pray for this situation. Please keep us in your prayers.

Praise the Lord our one daughter Sangmu was the school top-per in their final examination.



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