

Reflection Questions

- What do we mean when we say that “we go in the name of Christ”?
- Think up some the ways Jesus inter-acted with powerless and disadvantaged people in his ministry.
- What does it mean for us to be followers of this kind of God?
- What effect could a group, working together, showing the love of Christ in our community have?



Nelson Hospital Chaplaincy Appeal Week - Monday 18 to Friday 22 September. Fund raising stall during Appeal Week at the Hospital. We rely on donations of goods to sell and would be grateful for anything you are able to give. Baking is always popular, as are knitted and craft products. Please leave donations at the Chaplain's office, Information Desk in the foyer or email: annie.brown@nmdhb.govt.nz (Fresh goods can be left the week of the stall)

Day Aside – Spiritual Growth Ministries is a network of people from diverse Christian traditions and experience who find depth and meaning through the whole Christian heritage of contemplative spirituality. You are welcome to awaken your interest and to experience a contemplative way of being with God at Fairfield House, Van Diemen St, Nelson on Friday 25 August 2017 from 9.30am - 2.30pm. Cost \$6. BYO lunch. Drinks and morning tea provided. There will be time to listen to the facilitators, time to reflect quietly either indoors or exploring the grounds, and times to share together. For more information and to register for the day contact: Ilene 547 8279 athlene@clear.net.nz / Maria 548 8576 mjpark@gmail.com / Karen 544 0551 karen@moynagh.co.nz

Missions - You are invited to hear OMF missionaries Simon and Helen Johnson. They will share stories about Working Class Ministry in Taiwan. The working class people are largely not reached by the gospel, so much pioneer evangelism is need. Come and learn about this strategic work. Tuesday 22 August 7.30pm at the Community Lounge, Stoke Retirement Village, 188 Songer Street. Contact Barbara Doig 547 7281 or 022 301 2690

Cambodian Missions and NZCMS AGM - Come and hear Anne & Anthony McCormick speak about their Cambodian experiences and plans. Friday 8 September 2017. 7:00pm for Tea/Coffee & Cake / 7:30pm AGM / 7:45pm McCormicks. All Saints Anglican Church Foyer 30 Vanguard St, Nelson.



THURSDAY 31 AUGUST
6.00PM SHARED MEAL
7.00PM MOVIE
GOLD COIN ENTRY



CHRISTMAS SHOE BOX APPEAL

It's time to start thinking of items to fill the boxes we send to children in the Pacific Islands. Your gifts and messages that go with love are greatly appreciated - especially the illustrated booklet of the Good News of Jesus Christ. A plastic box is at the back of the church for your donations and leaflets are in the rack to give you ideas of what to buy. (K-Mart and \$2 shops are great places to start) A4 size shoeboxes are great fun to decorate with children. If you have family, friends or others who would like boxes contact me. The cost to send a box is now \$10 and any donations towards this are welcome.

The main "box fill" will be done in conjunction with the Evening AAW group meeting on Thursday 28 September. (Note date change). Time to be advised. You are most welcome to participate in this project.

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